

ENTRY CRITERIA - SIXTH FORM APPLICATIONS

Students will be guided onto a programme based on their attainment at GCSE as shown in the General Entry Criteria below. The programmes below are two-year Level 3 programmes of study and students will sit all public examinations at the end of Year 13 subject to meeting the conditions of continuation on Sixth Form Courses.

Programme	Qualifications*	General Entry Criteria
Programme 2	Four A Levels	7 GCSEs Grades at 9-7 including English
	And/or access to our Oxbridge	(Literature or Language) and Maths
	scholars programme	
Programme 1	Three A Levels/Vocational courses	5 GCSEs Grades at 9-5 including a Grade
		5 in English (Language or Literature) and a
		Grade 4 in Maths

Subject	Subject Specific Entry Criteria	
Applied General in	Grade 4 in Business GCSE (or for an equivalent course eg Enterprise & Marketing a P2 must be	
Business (Vocational)	achieved) and a Grade 4 in Maths	
	Or	
	Grade 4 in a Humanities subject if Business/equivalent not studied and a Grade 4 in Maths	
Applied General in IT	Grade 4 in IT or Computing if studied (or for an equivalent vocational course a P2 must be	
(Vocational)	achieved)	
Applied Science	Grade 4-4 in Combined Science GCSE or Grade 4 in separate Science GCSEs	
(Vocational)	Grade 5 in Art GCSE	
Art & Design Biology	Grade 7 in Biology GCSE or at least one Grade 7 in Combined Science (ie 76) and a Grade 5 in	
biology	English Language and Maths	
	Or	
	Grade 6 in Biology GCSE with a 7 in another Science and a Grade 5 in English Language and Maths	
Chemistry	Grade 7 in Chemistry GCSE or at least one Grade 7 in Combined Science (ie 76) and a Grade 6 in	
	English Language and Maths	
	Or	
	Grade 6 in Chemistry GCSE with a 7 in another Science and a Grade 6 in English Language and	
Computer Science	Maths Grade 6 in Computer Science GCSE or Grade 7 in Mathematics GCSE if Computing GCSE not	
Computer Science	studied	
Design & Technology	Grade 5 in a D&T GCSE subject or two grade 5s in Science if D&T GCSE not studied	
(Product Design)	Sind San Cost subject of the grade so in science if San Cost not studied	
Drama & Theatre Studies	Grade 5 in Drama GCSE or Grade 5 in English GCSE if Drama GCSE not studied	
Economics	Grade 6 in Economics GCSE or a Humanities subject. Grade 6 in Mathematics and Grade 6 in	
	English GCSE	
English Language &	Grade 6 in English Language or English Literature GCSE	
Literature		
English Literature	Grade 6 in English Language or English Literature GCSE	
French	Grade 6 in French GCSE	
Further Maths	Grade 8 in Mathematics GCSE and taking Mathematics A Level	
Geography	Grade 6 in Geography GCSE and a Grade 6 in one Science GCSE and English Language if GCSE	
German	Geography not studied Grade 6 in English GCSE and a Grade 6 in German GCSE	
Government & Politics	Grade 6 in History GCSE (or another humanity if History not studied) and a Grade 6 in English	
Government & Fondes	Language GCSE	
History	Grade 6 in History or a Grade 6 in English Language if History not studied	
Latin	Grade 6 in GCSE Latin and Grade 6 in GCSE English	
Mathematics	Grade 7 in Mathematics GCSE	
Media Studies	Grade 5/Merit in Media Studies Level 2 or a Grade 5 in English GCSE if Media not studied	
Music	Grade 6 in Music GCSE or pass at Grade 5 Theory	
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	Grade 5 at Music GCSE and a Grade 6 standard Performance	
Philosophy & Ethics	Grade 5 in RE GCSE or a Humanities subject	
(Religious Studies)		
Photography	Grade 5 in Art, Textiles or English GCSE. If Art/Textiles was not studied students should	
	demonstrate their interest in the subject by submitting a portfolio of 10-15 images that they are	
	inspired by	
Physical Education	Grade 5 in PE GCSE and English. If GCSE PE not studied, at least two Grade 5s in Science GCSE and	
	evidence of participation in competitive sport at school, county or national level	
Physics	Grade 7 in Physics GCSE or at least one Grade 7 in Combined Science (ie 76) and a Grade 7 in	
	Maths	

	Or	
	Grade 6 in Physics GCSE with a 7 in another Science and a Grade 7 in Maths	
Psychology	Grade 5 and 6 in English and mathematics in either order	
Sociology	Grade 6 in Sociology GCSE or a Grade 6 in English Language GCSE if Sociology not studied	
Spanish	Grade 6 in Spanish GCSE	

NB Where possible the above subjects will run, however this is subject to change if there is insufficient demand