

Course Entry Requirements – 2022-23

Standard entry requirement of 5 GCSEs grade 9- 4 plus subject entry criteria for all courses

Subject	Qual	Maths Grade	English Lang Grade	Additional Requirements	Comments
Art	A Level	4	4	Grade 4 if studied at GCSE	
Biology	A Level	5	5	66 in Double Science or 6 in Biology plus 6 in either Maths or English	
Business Studies	A Level	4	5	Grade 4 if studied at GCSE	
Business Ext Certificate	BTEC	4	4	Grade 5 in essay-based GCSE* Previous study of Business - (GCSE or L2 BTEC) grade 4 / merit	
Chemistry	A Level	6	5	66 in Double Science or 6 in Chemistry	
Computer Science	A Level	4	4		
Criminology	L3 Applied	4	5		
Dance	A Level	4	4	Grade 4 if studied at GCSE	Dance experience desirable
Design & Technology	A Level	5	4	Either grade 6 in D&T based subject or Engineering *Applicants will be required to submit a portfolio	Includes Product Design, Resistant Materials, Graphics, Systems & Control and Electronics
Drama and Theatre Studies	A Level	4	4	Grade 4 if studied at GCSE	
Economics	A Level	5	5		
English Language	A Level	4	5		
English Literature	A Level	4	5	Grade 5 in English Literature	
Electronics Engineering	A Level	5	4	Grade 44 in Double Science	
Ethics, Philosophy and Religion	A Level	4	5		
Film Studies	A Level	4	5		
French	A Level	4	5	Grade 6 Higher Tier French	
Further Maths	A Level	8	4		
Geography	A Level	5	5	Grade 4 if studied at GCSE	
German	A Level	4	5	Grade 6 Higher Tier German	
History	A Level	4	5	Grade 5 in English Literature or History	
IT	CTEC	4	4		
Law	A Level	4	5		
Maths	A Level	7	4		
Media Studies	A Level	4	5	Previous study of Media (GCSE/L2 BTEC) Grade 5 / Merit	
Creative Digital Media Ext Certificate	BTEC	4	4	Grade 5 in essay-based GCSE* Previous study of Media (GCSE/L2 BTEC) Grade 4 / Merit	
Music	A Level	4	5	Performance and Theory at Grade 5 or equivalent levels of experience	GCSE or BTEC Music qualification desirable
Digital Music Production Ext Certificate	BTEC	4	4		

*Essay-based GCSE means English Lang., English Lit, History, Religious Studies, Geography, Media Studies, Sociology, Psychology where essays and longer written answers are required.

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Performing Arts Ext Certificate	BTEC	4	4		Strong performance skills required
Performing Arts Ext DIPLOMA	BTEC (full course)	4	4		3 A level equivalent so is not taken with any other A Levels/BTECs Strong performance skills required
Photography	A Level	4	4		
Physics	A Level	6	5	66 in Double Science or 6 in Physics	
Physical Education	A Level	4	5	55 in double science or 5 in 2 single Sciences Grade 6 if studied PE at GCSE	Team games – time commitment is up to 6hrs
Politics	A Level	4	5	Grade 5 in an essay-based subject*	
Psychology	A Level	4	5	Grade 5 in either Maths or Science	
Science (Applied) Ext Certificate	BTEC	4	4	5-4 in Double Science or 5-4-4 in triple science	Cannot be taken alongside any other Level 3 Science course
Sport Ext Certificate	BTEC	4	4	Either 5 in PE or science	Can be studied alongside PE
Sociology	A Level	4	5		
Spanish	A Level	4	5	Grade 6 Higher Tier Spanish	

Additional Qualifications

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Maths Studies (Core Maths)	Level 3 (One year)	4	4		This is a one-year course (equivalent to an AS Level) so should be taken alongside 3 other qualifications

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