



A Level & Applied General Course Requirements 2023

Our general entry requirement for progression to A Level & Level 3 Applied General (includes BTEC and Cambridge Technical) qualifications: **students must have attained a minimum of 5 GCSE 9-4 grades at GCSE.**

Courses	Specific Entry Requirements
Biology	Grade 6,6 in Combined Science or Grade 6 in Biology and Grade 6 in Mathematics.
BTEC Applied Science	Grade 4 in Science and a Grade 4 in Mathematics
BTEC Health & Social Care*	General entry requirements with any combination of subjects
BTEC Law*	Grade 4 in English language
Business *	Grade 4 in Mathematics
Cambridge Technical in Sport & Physical Activity *	Grade 4 in Science
Chemistry	Grade 6,6 in Combined Science or Grade 6 in Chemistry and Grade 6 in Mathematics.
Computer Science*	Grade 6 in Computer Science or Grade 6 in Mathematics and can demonstrate programming experience
Creative Arts: Fine Art, Design or Textiles options	Grade 4 in Art and Design or Design and Technology. External applicants will be required to submit a portfolio to the department
English Language	Grade 5 in English Language
English Literature	Grade 5 in English Literature
French	Grade 6 in French
Further Mathematics	Grade 8 in Mathematics
Geography	Grade 5 in Geography and a Grade 4 in Mathematics
History *	Grade 5 in History (if History is studied at GCSE) or Grade 5 in English Language
Mathematics	Grade 7 in Mathematics
Music	Grade 5 (GCSE) in Music or equivalent and/or the ability to perform at an instrumental/vocal Grade 5 level. If you are interested in studying A Level Music but are unsure of your instrumental/vocal levels, an interview can be arranged with Mr Shaller, Subject Leader.
Philosophy, Ethics and Religion *	Grade 5 in RE (if RE is studied at GCSE) or Grade 5 in English Language
Physics	Grade 6,6 in Combined Science or Grade 6 in Physics and Grade 6 in Mathematics.
Psychology *	Grade 5 in English Language, Grade 5 in Mathematics and Grades 5,5 in Combined Science or grades 5,5,5, in separate sciences.
Sociology *	Grade 5 in English Language
Spanish	Grade 6 in Spanish
AS Core Maths	Grade 5 in Mathematics
AS EPQ *	Grade 5 in English Language, Literature or another essay-based subject

Subjects marked with an *- students do not need to have studied this subject at GCSE.