



	Points	Programme of Study
Route 1	48 points or more from best 8 GCSEs (including Grade 5s in BOTH GCSE English Language and GCSE Mathematics)	3 courses. 4 courses by exception following discussion with Director of Post-16. Option to study EPQ Plus enrichment
Route 2	32 points from best 8 GCSEs (including Grade 4s in BOTH GCSE English Language and GCSE Mathematics)	3 courses – certain subjects are only available with a grade 6. 40+ points = 3 courses and EPQ option or Enrichment 32-39 = 3 courses no EPQ Enrichment
Route 3	At least 5 subjects at Grade 4 or above, including at least one of GCSE English Language and GCSE Mathematics	3 courses – certain subjects are only available with a grade 6 GCSE resit in English or Maths (if required) Enrichment
Football Academy	Discussion with Director Mr Lay Students can take a re-sit course in GCSE English Mathematics and GCSE English Language For students with a good GCSE profile there is an opportunity to add a suitable A Level course.	

Specific subject requirements

If a relevant subject has been studied at GCSE, students are required to have a grade 4 pass in order to continue with that subject into A Level unless mentioned below:

A LEVEL	GCSE needed	Grade required
<i>Biology</i>	GCSE Combined Science or GCSE Biology	66+ (Combined) 6+(single)
<i>Business</i>	GCSE English Language and GCSE Mathematics	4+
<i>Chemistry</i>	GCSE Combined Science or GCSE Chemistry	66+ (Combined) 6+(single)
<i>Product Design</i>	GCSE Engineering/Product Design/DT	4+
<i>Economics</i>	GCSE English Language and GCSE Mathematics	5+
<i>English Language & Literature</i>	GCSE English Language and GCSE English Literature	4+
<i>English Literature</i>	GCSE English Literature	6+
<i>French</i>	GCSE French	6+
<i>Further Mathematics</i>	GCSE Mathematics	8+
<i>Geography</i>	GCSE Geography/History/Religious Studies	6+
<i>German</i>	GCSE German	6+
<i>History</i>	GCSE History/Geography/GCSE Religious Studies	6+
<i>Mathematics</i>	GCSE Mathematics	7+
<i>Music</i>	Grade 5 music exam	5
<i>Physics</i>	GCSE Combined Science or GCSE Physics	66+ (Combined) 6+(single)
<i>Spanish</i>	GCSE Spanish	6+
<i>More than 1 Science A Level</i>	If studying GCSE Combined Science	77+