

# ENTRY REQUIREMENTS 2026-27

KS5 Subject	Sector	Eng Lit or Lan GCSE min grade	Ma GCSE min grade	Subject Specific min grade	
A-levels					
English Literature	Core	6	5	English	6-5
Mathematics	Core	5	7	Maths	7
Biology	Core/Science	5	6	Science	6-6*
Chemistry	Core/Science	5	6	Science	6-6*
Physics	Core/Science	5	6	Science	6-6*
Geography	Humanity	5	5	Geography	5
History	Humanity	5	5	History	5
Spanish	MFL	5	5	Spanish	6
Psychology	Science	5	5	Science	6-5**
Business Studies	Humanity	5	5	BS, Economics or Humanity	4
Economics	Humanity	5	5	BS, Economics or Humanity	5
Media Studies	Creative	5	4	Media, Humanity	4
Music	Creative	5	4	Music	5
Politics	Humanity	5	5	Humanity	6
Religious Studies	Humanity	5	5	Humanity or RS	5
Sociology	Humanity	5	5	Humanity or Sociology	5
Computer Science	Tech	5	6	Computing 6	6
Art	Creative	4	4	Art or Photography	5
3D Design	Creative/Tech	4	4	CDT, DT, Art or Photography	5
Extended Project Qualification (EPQ)	Project	6	6	N/A Studied as 4th option	
Level 3 Vocational Courses					
BTEC Applied Science (single)	Science	4	4	BTEC Science Merit or Science	4-4
BTEC Medical Science (single)	Science	4	4	BTEC Science Merit or Science	4-4
BTEC Business (single)	Humanity	4	4	Business GCSE or Humanity	4
BTEC Business (double)	Humanity	4	4	'Humanity or Business	4
BTEC Digital Music Production (single)	Creative	4	4	BTEC Music L2 Pass	L2
BTEC IT (single)	Tech	4	4	BTEC IT Pass or Computing	4
BTEC Media Studies (single)	Creative	4	4	Humanity or Media	4

*	GCSE Triple Science	Combined Science
1 A Level in Science	6 6 inc 6 in the relevant Science	Minimum 6 6
2 A Levels in Science	7 in the two relevant Sciences	Minimum 7 7

\*\* Students choosing to study A-Level Psychology need a 6 5 in GCSE Combined Science or a Grade 6 in Biology if they studied GCSE Triple Science with 5 in another Science.

## BSF Maths School Pathway

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Further Maths (Always studied with maths A-Level)	Core	6	8		
Mathematics	Core	6	8		
<b>Plus one of:</b>					
Computer Science	Core/Science	6	8	Computing	7
Economics	Humanity	6	8	Economics	7
Physics	Core/Science	6	8	Physics or Combined Science	7-7

## BSF 3 Year Pathway

Subject	
English Language GCSE Resit Maths GCSE Resit	3 in English Language or Literature or 3 in Maths
<b>Plus 3 or 4 of the following:</b>	
<b>GCSEs:</b> Combined Science, 3D Design, Religious Studies	
<b>BTEC L2:</b> Health and Social Care, ICT	
<b>NCFE L2:</b> Food and Cookery, Business, Interactive Media	

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