

Subject Offer for September 2022

MINIMUM CRITERIA

Except where specified below, access to our sixth form will be available to students who have a minimum of 5 grades 9-4, at GCSE, including English and Mathematics at grade 4.

Fairfax reserves the right to withdraw courses that are not viable. All courses require a minimum number of students to qualify as a viable programme of study.

Students should not choose to study both Economics and Business Studies at A Level due to the similarities in the examination content. In addition, if you wish to study Further Maths at A Level, you must also take Maths A Level as one of your other choices.

Accounting (A Level)	Grade 6 in Mathematics
*Applied Science (BTEC National Extended Certificate)	Grade 5/5 in Core/Additional Science or 5 in separates Grade 4 in English and Mathematics
Art (A Level)	Grade 6 at GCSE
Biology (A Level)	Grade 6/6 in Core/Additional Science or 6 in Separates
Business (A Level)	Grade 5 in GCSE Business (if studied) or Grade 5 in both GCSE English and Mathematics
*Business (BTEC National Extended Certificate)	Grade 4 in English and Mathematics
Chemistry (A Level)	Grade 7/7 in Core/Additional Science or 7 in Separates and Grade 6 in Mathematics
Dance (A Level)	Grade 6 at GCSE
*Design and Technology: Product Design (A Level)	Grade 6 at GCSE
Drama (A Level)	Grade 6 at GCSE
Economics (A Level)	Grade 6 in both GCSE English and Mathematics
English Language (A Level)	Grade 6 at GCSE
English Literature (A Level)	Grade 6 at GCSE
*Food Science and Nutrition (Level 3 Diploma)	Grade 4 in English and Mathematics

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French (A Level)	Grade 6 at GCSE
Further Mathematics (A Level)	Grade 8 in GCSE Maths
Geography (A Level)	Grade 6 at GCSE and preferably Grade 6 in Biology
German (A Level)	Grade 6 at GCSE
Health & Social Care (BTEC National Extended Certificate)	Grade 4 in English and Mathematics
History (A Level)	Grade 6 at GCSE or Grade 6 in English, if not studied at GCSE
Information Technology (BTEC National Extended Certificate)	Grade 4 in English and Mathematics
Law (A Level)	Grade 6 in GCSE English
Mathematics (A Level)	Grade 7 in GCSE Maths
Music (A Level)	Grade 6 in GCSE Music You must have a good understanding of music theory and be able to read music. You must have a minimum of Grade 5 on your chosen instrument, from a recognised examination board
Philosophy & Ethics (A Level)	Grade 6 at GCSE or Grade 6 in English
Physics (A Level)	Grade 7/7 in Core/Additional Science or 7 in Separates and Grade 6 in maths
Psychology (A Level)	Grade 5 in English
Sociology (A Level)	Grade 5 in English
*Sport (BTEC National Extended Certificate)	Grade 4 in English and Mathematics Grade 4 in Combined Science