



# Proposed Curriculum, 2026-27

Students should choose a programme of study from an A Level or vocational offer or a combination of the two, depending on their total point score from **their best 8 level 2 qualifications** and their interests. Please use this guide alongside the **individual subject entry requirements** when deciding on a programme of study. All A Level and vocational qualifications lead to successful progression to university, apprenticeships and employment.

	Suitable for students	Study Programme	Block A	Block B	Block C	Block D	Block E	Additional
A Level Curriculum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>with 38 points and above</li> <li>perform well in exams</li> <li>may wish to apply to Russell Group universities</li> <li>engage well with independent study and wider reading</li> </ul>	50 points and above choose 4 subjects	<b>A Levels in:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fine Art</li> <li>Further Mathematics</li> <li>History</li> <li>3D Product Design</li> <li>Physical Education</li> </ul>	<b>A Levels in:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Biology</li> <li>French</li> <li>Media Studies</li> <li>Religious Studies: Philosophy and Ethics</li> </ul>	<b>A Levels in:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Computer Science</li> <li>Geography</li> <li>English Language &amp; Literature</li> <li>Mathematics</li> <li>Physics</li> <li>Psychology</li> </ul>	<b>A Levels in:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Economics</li> <li>Drama &amp; Theatre Studies</li> <li>Mathematics</li> <li>Psychology</li> </ul>	<b>A Levels in:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chemistry</li> <li>English Literature</li> <li>Government &amp; Politics</li> <li>Sociology</li> </ul>	EPQ recommended. Or Core Maths
		38-49 points choose 3 subjects						EPQ recommended.
Combined Curriculum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>with 32-38pts</li> <li>would benefit from being assessed in exams <b>and</b> coursework.</li> <li>want to develop academic and vocational skills</li> </ul>	Choose 1 x A Level and Creative media	<b>A Levels in:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fine Art</li> <li>Further Mathematics</li> <li>History</li> <li>3D Product Design</li> <li>Physical Education</li> </ul>	<b>A Levels in:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Biology</li> <li>French</li> <li>Media Studies</li> <li>Religious Studies: Philosophy and Ethics</li> </ul>	<b>A Levels in:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Computer Science</li> <li>Geography</li> <li>English Language &amp; Literature</li> <li>Mathematics</li> <li>Physics</li> <li>Psychology</li> </ul>	<b>A Levels in:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Economics</li> <li>Drama &amp; Theatre Studies</li> <li>Mathematics</li> <li>Psychology</li> </ul>	<b>A Levels in:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chemistry</li> <li>English Literature</li> <li>Government &amp; Politics</li> <li>Sociology</li> </ul>	EPQ optional  Or <b>Core Maths</b> Optional (AS Level)
		OR 1 x A Level and 2 single vocational course						
Vocational Curriculum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>with 30 + points</li> <li>want to focus on a particular career</li> <li>perform better in coursework and practical assessments</li> </ul>	BTEC creative media and 1 day work experience  OR BTEC creative media and 1 other vocational course	<b>Vocational:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Health and Social Care</b> BTEC extended certificate (1 A Level equivalent)</li> <li><b>Creative Media Practice</b> BTEC extended diploma (3 x A Level equivalent- choose block A <b>AND</b> block E)</li> </ul>	<b>GCSE Resits</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>GCSE English Language resits. (&lt;grade 4)</li> </ul>	<b>Vocational:</b> <b>Business Studies</b> Cambridge Technical (1 A Level equivalent)	<b>Vocational:</b> <b>Medical Science.</b> BTEC Extended certificate (1 A Level equivalent)  <b>GCSE Resits</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>GCSE Maths resits. (&lt;grade 4)</li> </ul>	<b>Vocational:</b> <b>Creative Media Practice</b> BTEC extended diploma (3 A Level equivalent- choose block A <b>AND</b> block E)	EPQ optional