

## AS-Level Admissions Entry requirements 2017 – 2018

### 1. School Leavers (16 – 18)

All AS students should have a **minimum** of 5 GCSE's at Grades A – C to include English Language\*, Science^ Mathematics and/or Mathematics Numeracy\*\* dependent upon the AS subjects chosen.

Additionally, learners will be required to have a minimum GCSE Grade B in the subject or a related subject being studied at AS-Level as indicated below:

AS Level	Specific GCSE and Grade
Art	Art B (or suitable portfolio of work) and English Language* C
Biology	Science BB^ or Biology B and Maths** B
Business Studies	English Language* B and Maths B
Chemistry	Science BB^ or Chemistry B and Maths** B
Computer Science	English Language* B and Maths** B
Drama	English Language* B and Drama B (or equivalent)
Economics	English Language* B and Maths B
English Language and Literature	English Language* B
English Literature	English Language* B
French	French B and English Language* B
Further Mathematics	Maths** A
Geography	Geography B and English Language* B
Government and Politics	English Language* B
History	English Language* B and History B
Law	English Language* B
Mathematics	Maths** B
Media Studies	English Language B
Music	English Language* B and Music B (or equivalent minimum Grade 5)
Photography	English Language* C and Art B (or suitable portfolio of work)
Physical Education	PE B or Science B (if PE not taken)
Physics	Science BB* or Physics B and Maths** B
Psychology	English Language* B and Maths B
Religious Studies	English Language* B and Religious Studies B
Sociology	English Language* B
Spanish	Spanish B and English Language* B
Welsh (2 <sup>nd</sup> Language)	Welsh B

^ to include Core and Additional Science

\* or Welsh First Language

\*\* need both Mathematics and Mathematics Numeracy at Grade B

### 2. Other applicants

Direct admissions to AS-Levels for applicants who have been out of full time education for more than two years or for those who do not meet the stated entry requirements will be considered based on previous learning or experience. Each application will be considered on individual merit.

These applicants must have an interview with a College Guidance Officer **before** an application will be processed. If the applicant is considered suitable, their application, which must be supported by suitable evidence, will be considered by the Admissions Management Panel who have the final decision if to admit to the programme or not.