



COMPLETING YOUR APPLICATION FORM

Please indicate your choices on the reverse of this form. You need to follow the guidance given below.

A Level or Equivalent Subjects:

To start A level or equivalent subjects in the Sixth Form, you should be predicted to achieve a minimum of 7 GCSEs at grades 4 or above or, for vocational qualifications, merit and above at level 2. Many options will also have subject specific requirements, please see the curriculum booklet for further details of these.

You can only select **one** subject in each block and you **must** choose a subject in **three** option blocks. If desired a fourth subject in a fourth option block may be selected. Please note that the fourth choice will only be offered if space is available in the relevant class/group.

If there is any additional information that you wish to draw to our attention relating to your study in the Sixth Form, for example medical conditions, additional time in exams or learning support needs, we would be grateful if you could indicate this in the box overleaf, even if you have informed the school previously.

Please note the following, it may apply to you.....

- If you have not achieved a grade 4 in GCSE mathematics and/or GCSE English language you will need to retake it in year 12. Please show your predicted grades for English and maths on the back of this form.
- These option blocks are provisional at this stage - if you find that your preferred combination of subjects is not available, then please complete a combination of subjects that does fit and in the 'additional information' box indicate your preferred choice(s). We will then endeavour to take your preferred choices into account and amend the option blocks if possible.
- We are hoping that all subjects should run as indicated on this form but there is a possibility that some will be withdrawn at a later stage due to staffing changes or if demand is too small to make the class viable.
- We will be checking your choices against the predicted grades in the Spring 2019 Progress Checks. You will be offered a place on a course if you meet the entry requirements for that subject.
- Fashion & Clothing is a double option and you must opt for it in both blocks A and D. (this counts as two options)
- Further Mathematics is a double option and you must opt for it in both blocks C and E. (this counts as two options)
- Health and social care can be taken as a single or a double option. If you want to take the single option only you must opt for it in C only. To take the double option you must opt for it in both blocks C and D (this counts as two options)
- Mathematical Studies is a 1 year course.
- The deadline for the return of this form is Thursday 31st Jan but as resources are limited places on courses will be allocated on a first come first served basis. Get your form in early to avoid disappointment.

And finally

If you make an application to join us in the Sixth Form but your predicted grades are below the entry criteria, we will ask you to meet with a member of the Sixth Form team to discuss your options. We look at every student on a case by case basis. Often, the meeting will just be to remind you about the GCSE subject areas you need to work on to make sure you can take the Sixth Form subjects you want. We may also discuss the need to select different subject options or, in some cases, to consider options away from the Sixth Form.

If you would like to stay in the Sixth Form but are worried about your predicted grades please talk to us, we are here to help.

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A Level/equivalent subjects – write the subject at the bottom of the column, opt for one subject per block.

Provisional blocks

Block A	Block B	Block C	Block D	Block E
Biology	Chemistry	Biology	Medical Biology	Agriculture
Drama	English Literature	German	Chemistry	Religious Studies
History	Politics	Graphics	Dance	Chemistry
Fashion (Double option select in D as well)	History	History	Economics	English Literature
Music	English literature & language	Health & Social care	Food	French
Law	IT	Further mathematics (Double option select in E as well)	Mathematics	Geography
Art	Mathematics	Physics	Physics	History
Business	Psychology	Religious Studies	Spanish	Law
Physics	Drama	Sport	Fashion (Double option elect in A as well)	Mathematics
Economics	Children's play, learning and development	English literature & language	Psychology	Further mathematics (Double option select in C as well)
Classics	PE	Film studies	Geography	Music Technology
Chemistry			Biology	Product Design
Mathematical Studies			Health & Social care (Double option select in C as well)	Business
				Psychology
My main 3 subject choices (only 3, leaving 2 blanks)				
My additional fourth choice, if desired (only 1, leaving 4 blanks)				

GCSE English & Mathematics – please tick below if you think you will need to retake either subject:

GCSE English resit	
GCSE Mathematics resit	

University or career aspirations (if known):

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Additional information, including any Learning Support needs or Exam Concessions

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SIGNATURE OF STUDENT		DATE	
SIGNATURE OF PARENT/CARER			

Please complete and return this form to North School Reception by 3.10pm on Thursday 31st January 2019 - at the latest.

For office use only:	Date of receipt		Number		Late	
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