# A Level \& BTEC course summary 

## Entry Requirements:

Five GCSEs including Maths and English Language: a minimum of three GCSEs at Grade 4 and two GCSEs at Grade 5 are required, plus additional entry requirements for individual subjects.

Please note: Level 2 BTECs are not accepted as part of any entry criteria.

| Course | A Level | BTEC <br> Extended Certificate equivalent to 1 A Level | BTEC <br> Diploma equivalent to 2 A Levels | additional entry requirements are a minimum of the following GCSE Grades: |
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| Art (Fine Art) | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 4 in Art and Design or related Design Technology subject |
| Biology | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 5 in Maths higher paper and either Grade 6 in Biology and two Grade $5 s$ in Chemistry and Physics or two Grade 6 s in Combined Science |
| Business | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |  | Business A Level requires a Grade 5 in Maths. A Level and BTEC qualifications are available in this subject. The type of qualification studied will be finalised at enrolment taking into account overall GCSE performance |
| Chemistry | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 6 in Maths and either Grade 6 in Chemistry and two Grade $5 s$ in Biology and Physics or two Grade $6 s$ in Combined Science |
| Computer Science | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 6 in Maths |
| Dance | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Applicants will be required to attend a technical class |
| Drama \& Theatre Studies | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  |
| Economics | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 6 in Maths |
| English Language | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  |
| English Literature | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Two Grade 5s in English Literature and English Language |
| Environmental Science | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 5 in Maths Grade 5 in Biology or at least one Grade 5 in Combined Science |
| Film | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  |
| French | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 6 in French |
| Geography | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 5 in Maths and Grade 5 in Geography |
| Graphics | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 4 in Art and Design or related Design Technology subject |
| Health \& Social Care |  | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |  |
| History | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  |
| IT |  | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |  |
| Law | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |  | A Level and BTEC qualifications are available in this subject. The type of qualification studied will be finalised at enrolment taking into account overall GCSE performance |
| Maths | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 6 in Maths and at least one other Grade 6 and one Grade |
| Further Maths | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 7 in Maths and take Maths A Level alongside Further Maths |
| Media Studies | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  |
| Music: Digital Production |  | $\checkmark$ |  |  |
| Performing Arts |  | $\checkmark$ |  | Applicants will be required to attend a technical class |
| Physical Education | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 4s in Sciences or PE Theory Paper |
| Physics | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 6 in Maths and either Grade 6 in Physics and two Grade 5s in Biology and Chemistry or two Grade 65 in Combined Science |
| Politics | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  |
| Psychology | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  |
| Religious Studies | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  |
| Science (Applied Science) |  | $\checkmark$ |  | Grade 4 in a science subject |
| Sociology | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  |
| Spanish | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 6 in Spanish |
| Sport |  | $\checkmark$ |  |  |
| Statistics | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 5 in Maths (higher paper) |
| Textiles | $\checkmark$ |  |  | Grade 4 in Art and Design or related Design Technology subject |

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[^0]:    All information correct at time of print (November '23) - please check the College website for most up to date information - www.bsfc.ac.uk/courses

