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A Level/BTEC	Maths Requirement	English Language Requirement	Subject Specific Entry Requirement
	AGS	AGS	
Art and Design	4	4	A grade 5 or above in either Fine Art, 3D Design or Photography. Portfolio submissions from students who have not completed this subject at GCSE will be considered at the discretion of the subject teachers.
Biology	5 (Higher paper)	5	GCSE Biology grade 6 or Combined Science grade 6:6
Business	4	5	
Chemistry	6	5	GCSE Chemistry grade 6 OR Combined Science grade 6:6
Classical Civilisation	4	5	A grade 5 or above in Classical Studies OR a grade 5 in English Literature, History and Religious Studies which will give a strong foundation for the exploration of classical texts.
Computer Science	6	5	A background in GCSE Computing would be an advantage .
Criminology -Applied Diploma	4	5	
Drama and Theatre Studies	4	4	GCSE Drama is desirable. You will be an accomplished, competent and confident performer.
Economics	5	5	
English Language	4	5	
English Literature	4	5	GCSE English Literature grade 5
French	4	5	Subject not running 2023/24
Further Maths	7	4	
Geography	4	5	GCSE Geography grade 5 or above
German	4	5	Subject not running 2023/24
Politics	4	5	
Hairdressing - VTEC level 2	4	4	A desire to pursue a career in the hairdressing industry is required
Health & Social Care - L3 National Extended Diploma (Single)	4	5	
Health & Social Care - L3 Diploma (Double)	4	5	
History	4	5	GCSE History grade 5 (grade 4 in English and/or History may be considered on an individual basis)
IT - BTEC Information Technology Extended Certificate L3	4	5	

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Law	4	5	
Maths	6	4	
Music	4	4	GCSE Music grade 6 or above OR at least grade 5 in a graded instrument/vocals
Photography	4	4	A grade 5 or above in either Fine Art, 3D Design or Photography. Portfolio submissions from students who have not completed this subject at GCSE will be considered at the discretion of the subject teachers.
Physical Education - A Level or Cambridge Tech L3	4	4	GCSE PE grade 6 or equivalent is essential you also need to be playing sport outside of school to club or county level.
Physics	5 (Higher paper)	4	GCSE Physics grade 6 OR Combined Science grade 6:6
Psychology	5	5	GCSE Science at grade 5 or above
Religious Studies	4	5	GCSE Religious Studies grade 5 or above
Sociology	4	5	
Spanish	4	5	GCSE Spanish at grade 6 or above
Textiles	4	4	Subject not running 2023/24
Three Dimensional Design	4	4	A grade 5 or above in either Fine Art, 3D Design or Photography. Portfolio submissions from students who have not completed this subject at GCSE will be considered at the discretion of the subject teachers.

Admissions Statement

Allerton Grange is an inclusive school. Applications to our sixth form are considered individually as part of our contextualised admissions process in order to encourage aspirational applications. Therefore, entry requirements may be adjusted in specific circumstances.

Where students do not meet the entry requirements to progress to Level 3 courses, or to enrol on specific subjects, a contextualised offer may be made. For example, we may make an offer where we will accept a grade 5 in English Literature in place of a grade 5 in English Language. Contextualised offers are made at the discretion of the Sixth Form team and are not guaranteed.

In line with UCAS, contextualised admissions are used at different stages of the application process, as part of a holistic assessment in order to:

- Inform a decision, including inviting them for advice and guidance meetings, contextual offers, and acknowledge 'near miss' applicants at enrolment
- identify applicants who may need additional support
- help assess applicants' eligibility for financial support