

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: A-LEVEL SUBJECTS

After completion of your Key Stage 4 subjects most students decide to continue their education. This can take many forms: The sixth form at Ormiston Forge Academy; local colleges; apprenticeships or education in a work environment. What you can study will be determined by the grades that you achieve and the subjects that they are in.

At Ormiston Forge Academy sixth form you can study the following subjects:

SUBJECT	ENTRY REQUIREMENT
A level Art Graphics	Grade 5 or above in GCSE Art and grade 4 or above in GCSE English
A Level Biology	GCSE grade 6 in Biology or grade 6 in combined science. Grade 5 or above in GCSE maths and English.
A level Business Studies	GCSE English and Maths grade 4 or above and at least 3 other GCSE's grade 9- 4.
A level Chemistry	GCSE grade 6 in chemistry or grade 6 in combined science. Grade 5 or above in GCSE maths and English.
A level Classics / Ancient History	GCSE English grade 4 or above and at least 4 other GCSE's grade 9- 4.
A level Computer Science	GCSE Maths grade 6 or above, GCSE Computer Science grade 6 or above and at least 3 other GCSE's grade 9 - 4.
Criminology (Level 3 Diploma)	GCSE English and Science grade 4 and 3 other GCSE's grade 4 or above.
A Level English Literature	GCSE English language or literature grade 5 or above and at least 4 other GCSE's grade 9 - 4.
A Level Fine Art	Grade 5 or above in GCSE Art and grade 4 or above in GCSE English
A Level Geography	GCSE English and Maths grade 5 or above. At least 3 other GCSE's grade 9- 4, including grade 6 in GCSE Geography
A Level History	GCSE English grade 5 or above and at least 4 other GCSE's grade 9- 4, including grade 6 in GCSE History.
A Level Law	GCSE English grade 4 or above and at least 4 other GCSE's grade 9- 4.
A Level Maths	GCSE maths grade 7 or above and at least 4 other GCSE's grade 9 - 4.
A Level Philosophy, Religion & Ethics	GCSE English grade 5 or above. At least 4 other GCSE's grade 9- 4, including grade 6 in GCSE Religious Studies
A Level Physics	GCSE grade 6 in physics or grade 6 in combined science. Grade 6 or above in GCSE Maths.
A Level Physical Education	GCSE grade 4 in Science & English and grade 5 in PE. At least 5 other GCSE's grade 9-4 or Distinction in Level 2 Cambridge National Sports Science Qualification
A Level Product Design	GCSE Mathematics Grade 4 or above and GCSE grade 4 or above in Design Technology or other design subject.
A Level Psychology	GCSE English grade 4 or above and at least 4 other GCSE's grade 9- 4, including grade 5 in GCSE Science.
A Level Sociology	GCSE English grade 4 or above and at least 4 other GCSE's grade 9- 4.
A Level Spanish	GCSE Spanish at grade 6 or above, GCSE English grade 4 or above and at least 4 other GCSEs grade 9- 4.

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VOCATIONAL SUBJECTS AND ENRICHMENT QUALIFICATIONS

BTEC COURSES AT LEVEL 3 are the equivalent of A Level qualifications. Successful completion of these courses lead to either one, two of three A Level passes depending on the course

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ACTIVE PATHWAY
(incorporating BTEC Extended Diploma in Sport)

GCSE English at grade 4 or above, GCSE Science at grade 4 or above and either grade 4 in GCSE PE, or a merit grade in Level 2 BTEC Sport

CARE PATHWAY
(incorporating BTEC Extended Diploma in Health & Social Care)

GCSE English at grade 4 or above

BUSINESS PATHWAY
(incorporating BTEC Extended Diploma in Business Studies)

GCSE English and Maths grade 4 or above and at least 3 other GCSE's grade 9-4

FLEXIBLE PATHWAY
(incorporating BTEC Business with, BTEC ICT, BTEC Travel & Tourism, BTEC Performing Arts, BTEC Music, BTEC Sport or Criminology Applied Diploma)

**FLEXIBLE PATHWAY
BTEC BUSINESS**

GCSE English and Maths grade 4 or above and at least 3 other GCSE's grade 9-4

**FLEXIBLE PATHWAY
BTEC ICT**

GCSE English and Maths grade 4 or above and a Key Stage 4 qualification in ICT

**FLEXIBLE PATHWAY
BTEC TRAVEL & TOURISM**

GCSE English and Maths grade 4 or above and at least 3 other GCSE's grade 9-4

**FLEXIBLE PATHWAY
BTEC PERFORMING ARTS**

Students should have studied either GCSE or BTEC Drama or Performing Arts achieving either a Pass or grade 4

**FLEXIBLE PATHWAY
BTEC MUSIC**

Students should have studied either GCSE or BTEC Music or Performing Arts, achieving a grade 4. Students should have either singing or instrumental grades or should be able to show a good skill level.

**FLEXIBLE PATHWAY
BTEC SPORT**

2 grade 4's in English, Maths and/or Science. Grade 4 in Physical Education or Level 2 Merit in Level 2 BTEC Sports Award.

**FLEXIBLE PATHWAY
CRIMINOLOGY APPLIED DIPLOMA**

GCSE English grade 4 or above, GCSE Science grade 4 or above and at least 3 other GCSE's grade 9-4.