

Bullers Wood Sixth Form Entry Requirements September 2023



A Level Courses	Five GCSEs at grade 5 or above including English Language and Mathematics. Additional subject specific requirements are shown below.
Vocational Courses	Five GCSEs at grade 4 or above including English Language and Mathematics. Additional subject specific requirements are shown below.

All courses are offered subject to student numbers and staffing.

A Level Courses	Additional subject specific requirements
Art	Grade 5 or above in Art.
Biology	Grade 6-6 or above in Combined Science, or a Grade 6 or above in Biology for those studying the Triple Award.
Business Studies	Grade 5 in Business Studies if studied.
Chemistry	Grade 6-6 or above in Combined Science, or a Grade 6 or above in Chemistry for those studying the Triple Award.
Classical Civilisation	Grade 6 in English Literature and grade 6 in History if studied.
Computer Science	Grade 5 or above in Mathematics or a Science subject. Grade 5 or above in Computing if studied.
Design and Technology: Product Design	Grade 5 or above in Technology.
Design and Technology: Textiles	Grade 5 or above in Technology.
Drama & Theatre Studies	Grade 5 in Drama if studied together with a proven interest and ability in practical Drama.
Economics	Grade 6 in Mathematics.
English Language	Grade 5 in English Literature.
English Literature	Grade 5 in English Literature.
French	Grade 5 or above in French
Geography	Grade 5 or above in Geography if taken, grade 6 preferred.
History	Grade 5 or above in English Literature and Grade 5 in History if taken, grade 6 preferred. An interest in current affairs is helpful.
Mathematics	Grade 6 or above in Mathematics. Entrance test must be sat.
Mathematics (Further)	Grade 7 or above in Mathematics, must study Mathematics.
Media Studies	Grade 5 in Media if studied.

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Music	Grade 5 or above in Music and Grade 5 on principal instrument.
Philosophy	Grade 5 in Religious Studies if studied.
Photography	Grade 5 or above in Art if studied or evidence of ability.
Physical Education	Grade 5 or above in a Science subject and Grade 5 in PE GCSE if studied. A background in Sport and evidence of practical will also be required.
Physics	Grade 6-6 or above in Combined Science, or a Grade 6 or above in Physics for those studying the Triple Award. It is recommended that students study A level Mathematics.
Politics	Grade 5 or above English Literature and Grade 5 in History if taken. An interest in current affairs is vital.
Psychology	Grade 5 or above in a Science subject.
Sociology	Grade 5 in English Literature.
Spanish	Grade 5 or above in Spanish.

Vocational Courses
Business BTEC National Extended Certificate
Creative Digital Media Production – BTEC National Extended Certificate
Food Science and Nutrition – WJEC Level 3 Applied Diploma
Health & Social Care – BTEC National Extended Certificate
Medical Science – WJEC Level 3 Applied Diploma Grade 5-4 or better from Combined Science or Triple Science. Mathematics at Grade 4.

Additional Courses (these can only be taken alongside A Level or Vocational Courses)
Maths in Context (Level 3 Core Maths)
Extended Project Qualification