2027

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Want to quickly check our 2027 course entry requirements?
Use our quick reference guide and contact our expert team if you have any further questions.

Our entry requirements are five GCSE passes at grade 5 to 9, including English and Maths. Most subjects also have additional entry requirements, there to help you to choose subjects that will suit your skills. Students who do not meet entry requirements on Results Day will be invited to attend our 'Clearing Clinic' as they may be able to access some of our Level 3 courses.

Art, Craft & Design

The Hinckley Sixth Form general entry requirements, plus Merit at Art Level 2 or 5 for GCSE.

(Please note, all applicants will need to bring a portfolio of work as evidence of your interest and skills to their interview.)

Biology

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, plus 6/6 in higher tier Combined Science or 6 in two single science GCSEs, including Biology.

GCSE Maths grade 5.

Business

Minimum of 5 in GCSE Business if taken.

5 or above in GCSE English.

Chemistry

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, plus 6/6 in higher tier Combined Science or 6 in two single science GCSEs, including Chemistry.

GCSE Maths grade 6.

Computer Science

GCSE Maths at 6 or above.

GCSE Computer Science at 5 or above if taken.

Criminology

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, plus 5 in GCSE English.

Drama & Theatre

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements.

A GCSE qualification for Drama is preferable, but not essential.

Engineering

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, plus 6 in a Science subject and grade 6 in GCSE Maths.

English Literature

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, plus 5 in GCSE English Language and Literature.

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French

Grade 6 or above in GCSE French.

Geography

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, plus 5 in Geography or another Humanities subject preferred.

Health & Social Care

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements.

History

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, plus 5 in GCSE History, and 5 or above in English.

Linguistics

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, plus 5 in GCSE English Language AND Literature.

Mathematics

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, plus 7 or above in GCSE Mathematics is advised.

Further Mathematics

Grade 8 or above in GCSE Mathematics.

Media Studies

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, including grade 5 or above at GCSE English.

Music

GCSE Music grade 4 pass or above and a keenness to perform on your instrument/ perform vocals.

Photography

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Physical Education

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, plus grade 5 or above in the GCSE PE theory paper or 5 in a GCSE Science.

Physics

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, plus 6 in GCSE Maths. Minimum of 6/6 in Combined Science or 6 in two single science GCSEs, including Physics.

Psychology

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, including grade 5 in GCSE English and Maths. A higher pass grade in English is an advantage.

Sociology

General The Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, including grade 5 in GCSE English.

Spanish

General Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, plus Grade 6 or above in GCSE Spanish.

BTEC Sport

General Hinckley Sixth Form entry requirements, including English and Maths. Students who do not meet entry requirements on Results Day will be invited to attend our Clearing Clinic, as they may still be suitable to study the BTEC National Diploma.

Whatever your results, our expert team here at The Hinckley Sixth Form are on hand to offer you support and guidance and will clearly explain what routes your results can lead to.

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