



Brentwood Ursuline Convent High School

Sixth Form Conditions of Enrolment for 2025 Entry

All offers of places to study A levels or a National Diploma at the Brentwood Ursuline are conditional on you attaining the required grades at GCSE.

- To study **3 A Level subjects: 48 points** at GCSE from **your best 8 GCSE subjects**.
- To study **1 National Diploma** (equivalent in size to two A Level courses) with **1 A Level: 25 points** at GCSE.

To calculate your points, please review your GCSE grades awarded and check the points:

GCSE Grade	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Points Value	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

Each individual subject in the Sixth Form has specific entry requirements, which students must meet in order to study the subject. These subject specific entry requirements are found on the following page.

Sixth Form students not achieving a GCSE Grade 4 or above in Maths and/or English Language will need to re-sit and attend extra classes at BUCHS.

In the event of disruption or changes to the GCSE exams caused by national events, our conditions of enrolment are subject to change. We will also be considering each applicant's unique circumstances when arriving at enrolment decisions.

Subject Specific Requirements

	SUBJECT	SUBJECT SPECIFIC ENTRY GCSE REQUIREMENT
A Level Courses	Art	Grade 6 or above in Art
	Biology	Grade 66 in Combined Science or a Grade 6 in Biology and Grade 6 in another Science, plus Grade 6 in Maths
	Chemistry	Grade 77 in Combined Science or Grade 7 in Chemistry, plus Grade 6 in Maths
	Computer Science	Grade 6 in Computer Science and Grade 6 in Maths
	Economics	Grade 6 in Maths and Grade 6 in English Language/Literature
	English Language & Literature	Grade 6 in English Language or English Literature
	English Literature	Grade 6 in English Language and English Literature
	French	Grade 6 in French and Grade 5 in English Language
	Further Maths	Grade 8 in Maths
	Geography	Grade 6 in Geography or another Humanities subject if Geography has not previously been studied and Grade 6 in English
	History	Grade 6 in History or another Humanities subject if History has not previously been studied and Grade 6 in English
	Law	We intend to offer A Level Law. Provisional entry requirements: Grade 5 in English and Grade 5 in a Humanities subject. Further detail TBA imminently.
	Mathematics	Grade 7 in Maths
	Music	Grade 6 in Music and Grade 6 standard in one instrument or voice, plus a good knowledge of the rudiments of music theory
	Physical Education	Grade 6 in Biology or Physical Education and Grade 5 in English Language
	Physics	Grade 66 in Combined Science or Grade 6 in Physics, plus Grade 7 in Maths
	Politics	Grade 5 in English Literature and Grade 6 in another Humanities Subject. An interest in current affairs and politics is imperative.
	Psychology	Grade 5 in English Language, English Literature and Maths
	Religious Studies	Grade 6 in Religious Education or a Humanities subject, plus Grade 6 in English
Spanish	Grade 6 in Spanish and Grade 5 in English Language	
Textiles	Grade 6 in Art or Textiles	

National Diploma	Business	5 GCSEs at Grade 5 or above. A good level of numeracy and literacy is essential.
	Performing Arts	5 GCSEs at Grade 5 or above. Experience within the field of performing arts is desired but not essential.
	Applied Science	We intend to offer an alternative to A Level Sciences, which provides a practical approach to learning scientific principles, equipping students with the skills for careers or further study in science-related fields. Further detail TBA imminently.