



## Toot Hill Sixth Form College entry requirements and subject specific requirements

- **A Level Pathway only:** students will need grade 5s in GCSE English Language and GCSE Maths and will need to meet the subject specific requirements.
- **Vocational Pathway only:** students will need a minimum of grade 4s in GCSE English Language and GCSE Maths.
- **A combination of A Levels and vocational qualifications:** students will need to ensure they meet the A level course requirements.

<u>Subject / Course</u>	<u>Subject-specific entry requirement</u>
<b>A Level Subjects</b>	
<b>A Level Art and Design</b>	<i>Grade 6 or above in GCSE Art and Grade 5 or above in English</i>
<b>A Level Biology</b>	<i>Grade 6 or above in GCSE Biology or 66 if studying the combined science qualification Grade 6 or above in GCSE Maths</i>
<b>A Level Business Studies</b>	<i>Grade 5 or above in GCSE in English Language &amp; Mathematics. Grade 5 or above in GCSE Business Studies if taken</i>
<b>A level Chemistry</b>	<i>Grade 6 or above in GCSE Chemistry or 66 if studying the combined science qualification Grade 6 or above in GCSE Maths</i>
<b>A Level Computing</b>	<i>Grade 6 or above in GCSE Computing and grade 6 or above in GCSE Maths  *Applicants who can demonstrate a genuine interest in computing who have not studied this subject at GCSE may be considered at interview</i>
<b>A Level Economics</b>	<i>Grade 5 or above in GCSE English Language and Maths. Grade 6 or above in GCSE Business Studies GCSE if studied, or a grade 6 or above in a humanities subject Desirable: grade 6 in Maths</i>
<b>A Level English Language</b>	<i>Grade 6 or above in English Language</i>
<b>A level English Language and Literature combined</b>	<i>Grade 5 or above in GCSE English Language and GCSE English Literature</i>
<b>A level English Literature</b>	<i>Grade 6 in English Language and Literature</i>
<b>A level Geography</b>	<i>Grade 6 or above in GCSE Geography and Grade 5 or above in English Language and Maths</i>
<b>A Level Government and Politics</b>	<i>Grade 6 or above in either GCSE History or GCSE Geography and Grade 5 or above in English Language</i>
<b>A Level History</b>	<i>Grade 5 or above in GCSE History and Grade 5 or above in English Language</i>

<b>A Level Law</b>	<i>Grade 6 or above in a humanities or social science subject and Grade 5 or above in GCSE English Language.</i>
<b>A Level Mathematics</b>	<i>Grade 7 or above in GCSE Mathematics.</i>
<b>A Level Further mathematics</b>	<i>Grade 8 or above in GCSE Mathematics.</i>
<b>A Level Media Studies</b>	<i>Grade 5 or above in GCSE English Language and GCSE English Literature</i>
<b>A Level French</b> <b>A Level Spanish</b>	<i>Grade 6 in language of choice and GCSE grade 5 in English Language/Literature</i>
<b>A Level Music</b>	<i>Grade 6 or above in GCSE Music and grade 5 or above in English Language</i>
<b>A Level Philosophy</b>	<i>Grade 6 or above in a humanities or social science subject and Grade 6 or above in GCSE English Language.</i>
<b>A Level Physical Education</b>	<i>GCSE English Language and Maths at grade 5 or above Desirable GCSE Biology and Physics at grade 5 or above *Please note, students must play top level sport</i>
<b>A Level Physics</b>	<i>Grade 6 or above in GCSE Physics or 66 if studying the combined science qualification and grade 6 or above in GCSE Maths</i>
<b>A Level Product Design</b>	<i>Grade 5 in English and Maths + Grade 6 in Product Design/DT/Textiles</i>
<b>A Level Psychology</b>	<i>Grade 6 or above in GCSE Biology. Grade 5 in English and Maths</i>
<b>A Level Religious Studies</b>	<i>Grade 6 or above in a humanities or social science subject and Grade 5 or above in GCSE English Language</i>
<b>A Level Sociology</b>	<i>Grade 5 or above in English Language. Desirable GCSE Sociology at grade 5 or above if taken</i>
<b>A Level Theatre Studies</b>	<i>Grade 5 or above in GCSE English Language. Desirable: Grade 6 or above in GCSE Drama.  *Applicants who can demonstrate a genuine interest in drama who have not studied this subject at GCSE may be considered at interview.</i>
<b>Vocational Subjects</b>	
<i>*Please note, if the government move to change to 1 AAQ and 2 A Levels, general college entry requirements will move to Grade 5s in English and Maths, for both vocational and A level qualifications.</i>	
<b>OCR Extended certificate in Business (Single award)</b> <b>OCR Diploma in Business (Double award)</b>	<i>Grade 4s in GCSE English Language and Maths</i>
<b>Engineering BTEC</b>	<i>Grade 5 or above in GCSE English Language, Maths and Science.</i>
<b>Health &amp; Social Care</b>	<i>Grade 4s in GCSE English Language, Maths and Science</i>
<b>Sport BTEC (Single and Double award)</b>	<i>Grade 4s in English Language and Maths Recommended grade 4 or above in a GCSE PE qualification.</i>
<b>Applied Science BTEC (Single award)</b>	<i>Grade 4s in English Language and Maths Recommended grade 4 or above in a GCSE Science qualification.</i>
<b>Travel &amp; Tourism BTEC (Single Award)</b>	<i>Grade 4 or above in GCSE English Language and Maths.</i>