

General Conditions of Entry Year 13

The Sixth Form caters for students engaged in studies leading to Advanced Subsidiary (AS Level) and Advanced (A Level) qualifications. It consists of Year 12, in which AS Level examinations are taken in June, and Year 13, in which A Level examinations are taken the following June, in some cases together with an additional AS subject.

Sixth Formers are voluntary school students whose academic aim is to succeed at a level acceptable for admission to quality universities worldwide. As such they are afforded special privileges in return for which they are expected to behave with special responsibility and maturity.

In late January, consultations held with Year 12 students and their parents will aim to:

- discuss and agree expectations for final AS Level grades
- discuss each student's plans for the next academic year
- determine subject options for those students who are planning to join Year 13 at BSK.

Students intending to proceed to A Level courses are advised to achieve at least passing grades in each of the corresponding AS Level Subjects.

To succeed at A Level, students require a high level of self-motivation and independent study skills. Other factors which may be taken into account when judging suitability for entry to Year 13 include attendance patterns, behaviour records and attitudes to learning.

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