

SJSF ENTRY REQUIREMENTS 2021 - 2022 FOR ENTRY SEPTEMBER 2022

Academic A Level Pathway or Mixed Pathway of A levels and BTECs / CTECs: a minimum of 5 GCSEs full course at grade 5+ (or grade B) and at least Grade 4 in English Language or Literature and Maths.

Level 3 Vocational/Applied Pathway: the equivalent of at least 5 subjects at Grade 4+ (or grade C), including English Language or Literature Grade 4+.

| Subject | Students must also meet the individual additional requirements listed below for their chosen subjects |
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| Applied BTEC Science, Single/Double | Grade 4 or above in GCSE Sciences |
| Art & Design CTEC Level 3 | Merit at BTEC Level 2 or Grade 4 GCSE Art |
| Art & Design (Photography) CTEC | The minimum entry requirements for level 3 applied programmes |
| Art (Fine Art) A level | Grade 6 in GCSE Art plus a portfolio review |
| Art A Level (Photography) | Grade 6 or above in an Art/Creative specialism is required, in addition to meeting the minimum entry requirements for level 3 academic study |
| Biology | All students must have Grade 6+ in Maths owing to the considerable mathematical content of the new A Levels. The minimum entry requirements for Double Award Students are grades 6 and 7 in Science. The minimum entry requirements for Triple Award Students are 6 in Biology plus 6 in one other science. Performance in the exam components may be taken into account, given the 100% examined nature of the A Level. |
| Business A level | Grade 6 in English and Grade 5 in Maths |
| Business CTEC | Grade 4 Maths is required. English and Maths Grade 5 would be an advantage |
| Chemistry | All students must have Grade 6+ in Maths owing to the considerable mathematical content of the new A Levels. The minimum entry requirements for Double Award Students is 6 and 7 in Science. The minimum entry requirements for Triple Award Students are 6 in Chemistry plus 6 in one other science and performance in the exam components may be taken into account, given the 100% examined nature of the A Level. |
| Childcare and Education | The minimum entry requirements for Level 3 programmes |
| Computer Science | Grade 6 Maths |
| Criminology | The minimum entry requirements for Level 3 programmes |
| Drama | Grade 5 English plus audition |
| English Language | Grades 6 in English Literature or English Language AND grade 5 in English Literature or English Language |
| English Language and Literature | Grades 6 in English Literature or English language AND grade 5 in English Literature or English Language |
| English Literature | Grades 6 in English Literature or English language AND grade 5 in English Literature or English Language |
| Forensic and Criminal Investigation | The minimum entry requirements for Level 3 programmes. In addition, Grade 4 or above in GCSE Science. |
| French | Grade 6 in French |
| Further Mathematics | Grade 7+ in Maths, 8+ strongly recommended |
| Geography | Grade 6 in Geography. Grade 6 in English if not studied GCSE Geography. |
| German | Grade 6 in German |
| Health and Social Care CTEC Level 3. Single and Double | The minimum entry requirements for Level 3 programmes |
| History | Grade 6 English. Plus Grade 6 in History if studied previously but can be studied without GCSE History |
| Hospitality (with Catering) BTEC | The minimum entry requirements for Level 3 programmes. Must have studied a related food, catering or hospitality course at Level 2. |
| IT Digital Media. Single and Double | The minimum entry requirements for Level 3 programmes |
| Law | Grade 6 in English. It is recommended that you have at least one essay based option at GCSE e.g. History |
| Mathematics | Grade 6 in Maths, 7+ recommended |
| Media Studies A level | The minimum entry requirements for Level 3 programmes. In addition, a Grade 5 in English is required. Students with a Grade 4 who demonstrate good literacy skills through the transition pack and initial assessment will also be considered. |
| Music BTEC. Single and Double Level 3 | Grade 5 in GCSE Music or a BTEC Level 2 Merit. You should also be able to play an instrument or sing at Grade 5 Level. If you have grade 4 theory you may be considered for this course even without GCSE or BTEC Music |
| Music A level | Grade 6 GCSE Music or a BTEC Level 2 Merit. You should also be able to play or sing to Grade 5 Level. If you have Grade 5 (Practical or Theory) you may be considered for this course even without GCSE or BTEC Music |
| Performing Arts. Single/Double/Full Time | Grade 4 Drama or Expressive Arts or a Merit in BTEC Performing Arts |
| Philosophy and Ethics | Grade 6 English |
| Physical Education | To include Grade 6 in the PE Exam (not including the practical) or a Merit in BTEC Sport |

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| Physics | All students must have Grade 6+ in Maths owing to the considerable mathematical content of the new A Levels. The minimum entry requirements for Double Award Students is 6 and 7 in Science. The minimum entry requirements for Triple Award Students are 6 in Physics plus 6 in one other science and performance in the exam components may be taken into account, given the 100% examined nature of the A Level. |
| Design & Technology: Product Design | Previous successful study of Design & Technology is also required as demonstrable by a grade 6 in GCSE Design and Technology, or equivalent within a related subject. |
| Product Design: Fashion and Textiles | Grade 6 in Product Design Textiles |
| Product Design: Design Engineering | Grade 6 in related technical subject. Grade 6 in Maths and Physics recommended. It is strongly recommended that Maths and/or Physics is taken alongside this course |
| Psychology | Grade 6 in English and Grade 5 in Maths |
| Uniformed Protective Services | The minimum entry requirements for Level 3 programmes. Grade 4 in English and Maths |
| Sociology | Grade 6 English |
| Spanish | Grade 6 in Spanish |
| Sport CTEC or BTEC. Single and Double and Triple | The minimum entry requirements for Level 3 programmes |
| Travel and Tourism BTEC. Single/Double/Triple | The minimum entry requirements for Level 3 programmes. Grade 4 in Maths. Grade 5 in Maths and English would be an advantage. |

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| Level 2 Programmes |
| Professional Cookery |
| Health and Social Care |
| Bricklaying |
| Early Years Practitioner |
| Preparation for Public Services |
| Site Carpentry |
| Vehicle Inspection |
| Workskills |