

# Entry Pathways and Admission Criteria

Southfield Sixth Form offers a broad range of subjects that students can study to Level 3.

Students can study a pathway that is made up of:

- 'Academic' qualifications (A Levels).
- 'Vocational' qualifications (BTECs and Cambridge Technical).
- A blend of the two types of qualification.

## **Pathway 1: Four A Level courses.**

Students selecting this pathway will have achieved 5 GCSEs 9 – 7 with a minimum of a grade 7 in English and maths.

They will, also, need to meet the subject entry requirements for all the subjects that they select.

## **Pathway 2: Three A Level courses.**

Students selecting this pathway will have achieved 5 GCSEs 9 – 5 with a minimum of a grade 5 in English and maths.

They will, also, need to meet the subject entry requirements for all the subjects that they select.

## **Pathway 3: Any three Level 3 courses with a minimum of two BTEC/CTEC courses.**

Students selecting this pathway will have achieved 5 GCSEs 9 - 4 (or equivalent Level 2 passes) with a minimum of a grade 4 in English and maths.

They will, also, need to meet the subject entry requirements for all the subjects that they select.

**Students not achieving a grade 4 in English or maths will need to resit this exam.**