

Entry Requirements 2027

In order to enter The Emmbrook Sixth Form, students need a minimum of 5 passes from their level 2 qualifications.

Students choose 3 subjects from the A-level and Vocational options below, plus, where appropriate, a 4th option from EPQ, Core Maths or Further Maths.

Main options: A-level

Subject	Duration	Type	English Language GCSE grade	Maths GCSE grade	Any other requirements
Biology	2 years	A-level	6	6	66 in Science/Bio
			5	5	77 in Science/Bio
Business	2 years	A-level	4	4	
Chemistry	2 years	A-level	6	6	66 in Science/Chem
			5	5	77 in Science/Chem
Classical Civilisation	2 years	A-level	5	NA	5 in Literature
Computer Science	2 years	A-level	4	6	6 in Computer Science
Economics	2 years	A-level	5	5	
English Literature	2 years	A-level	5	NA	6 in Literature
Fine Art	2 years	A-level	NA	NA	5 in Fine Art or 3D Design GCSE (or another Art & Design GCSE for external candidates)
Geography	2 years	A-level	5	4	If students have previously studied Geography, they need to have achieved at least grade 5
History	2 years	A-level	5	NA	5 in Literature
Law	2 years	A-level	5	5	
Maths	2 years	A-level	4	7	
Media	2 years	A-level	5 (or 5 in Literature)	NA	
PE	2 years	A-level	4	4	Entry requirements: Grade 5+ in GCSE PE or Level 2 Distinction+ in OCR Cambridge National Sport Studies, plus evidence of regular club-level participation in at least one sport. Without GCSE PE/Sport Studies: 66 in GCSE Combined Science and demonstrate club-level sporting ability.
Philosophy & Ethics	2 years	A-level	5	NA	

Subject	Duration	Type	English Language GCSE grade	Maths GCSE grade	Any other requirements
Physics	2 years	A-level	5	6	77 in Science/Physics
			6	6	66 in Science/Physics
Politics	2 years	A-level	5	NA	
Psychology	2 years	A-level	5	5	55 in Science
Sociology	2 years	A-level	5	4	
Spanish	2 years	A-level	5	4	6 in Spanish

Main options: Vocational

Subject	Duration	Type	English Language GCSE grade	Maths GCSE grade	Any other requirements
Applied Science	2 years	Vocational (BTEC L3)	4	4	44 in Science
Criminology	2 years	Vocational (WJEC L3)	4	4	44 in Science
Health and Social Care	2 years	Vocational (BTEC L3)	4	4	44 in Science If students have previously studied health and social care at KS4 they need to have achieved at least Level 2 Pass.

4th option (choose one)

Subject	Duration	Type	English Language GCSE grade	Maths GCSE grade	Any other requirements
EPQ	1 year	Level 3 project qualification	5	4	A proposal will need to be submitted and approved to take this course
Core Maths	1 year	Level 3 (AS equivalent)	NA	5	
Further Maths	2 years	A-level	4	8	

The AHT responsible for sixth form reserves the right to review any sixth form application to take into account any extenuating circumstances.