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A-levels

Virtual Open Event

Thanks for joining - this webinar will begin shortly
and will be recorded

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WELCOME

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Overview of Open Evening

- > The Chichester College approach to A-levels
- > Choosing the right A-level subjects for you
- > Enhancing your success in A-levels
- > Choosing Chichester College



A-level pass rates

- > 100% pass rate 19/20
- > 64% A*-B grades
- > 99% for previous 6 years
- > Ofsted Outstanding





Linear A-levels

- > All A-levels are linear
- > All external exams take place at the end of year 2
- > 20% coursework in a few subjects





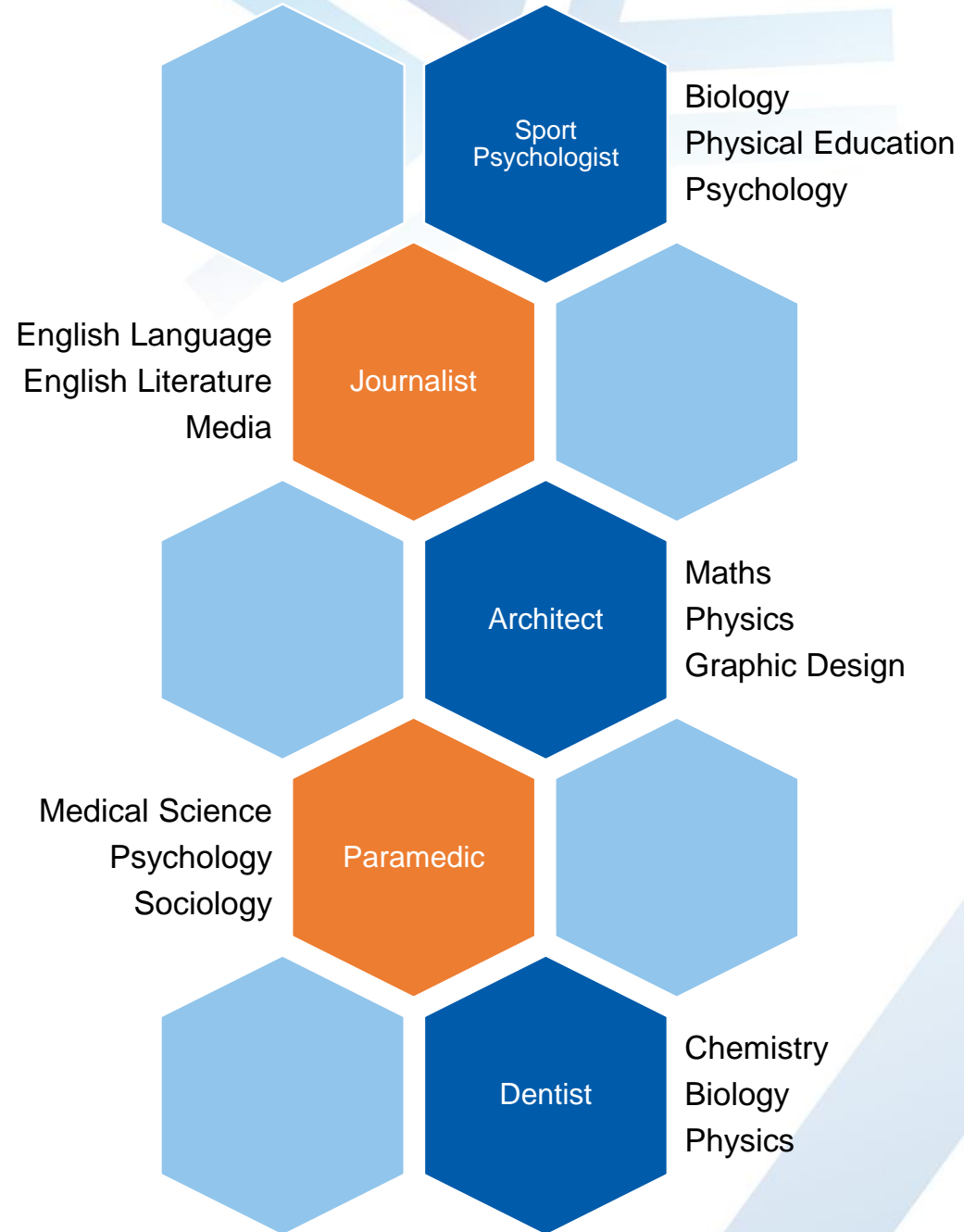
A-level subjects

| | |
|----------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| STEM | Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Maths, Further Maths, Computer Science, L3 Medical Science, L3 Mathematical Studies |
| Business | Business, Economics, Accounting, Law, Politics, L3 Criminology |
| Languages | English Literature, English Language, English Literature and Language, L3 Extended Project Qualification |
| Social Science | Geography, History, Sociology, Psychology, Religious Studies, L3 Applied Psychology |
| Creative Arts | Media, Film, Fine Art, Graphics, Photography |
| Sport | Physical Education |

Please Note: We are also offering French, Spanish, Drama and Statistics in partnership with our sister colleges: Worthing College and Haywards Heath College



A-levels and careers





Enhancing A-level success

Knowledge

Your 3 A-levels
Subjects

Exam Skills

Preparing
for Higher
Education

Preparing
for Work

The
A-level
Mindset

ACES and
Academic
Progress
Programme



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Enhancing A-level success

Are you
working
hard?

Are you
attending?

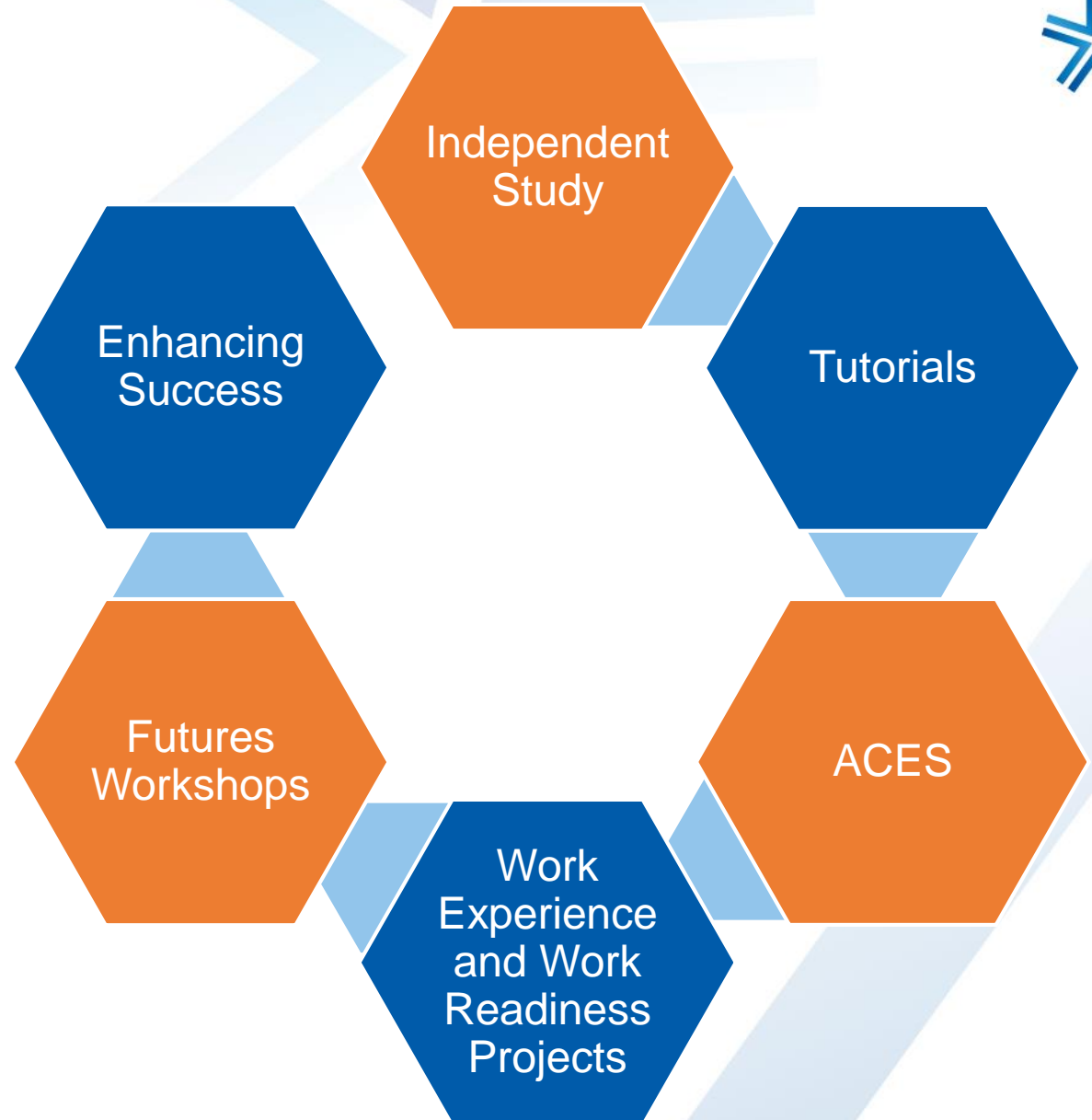
Are you
making
academic
progress?





A-level study programme

- > Independent study
- > Tutorials
- > ACES
- > Work experience and work readiness projects
- > Future workshops
- > Enhancing success

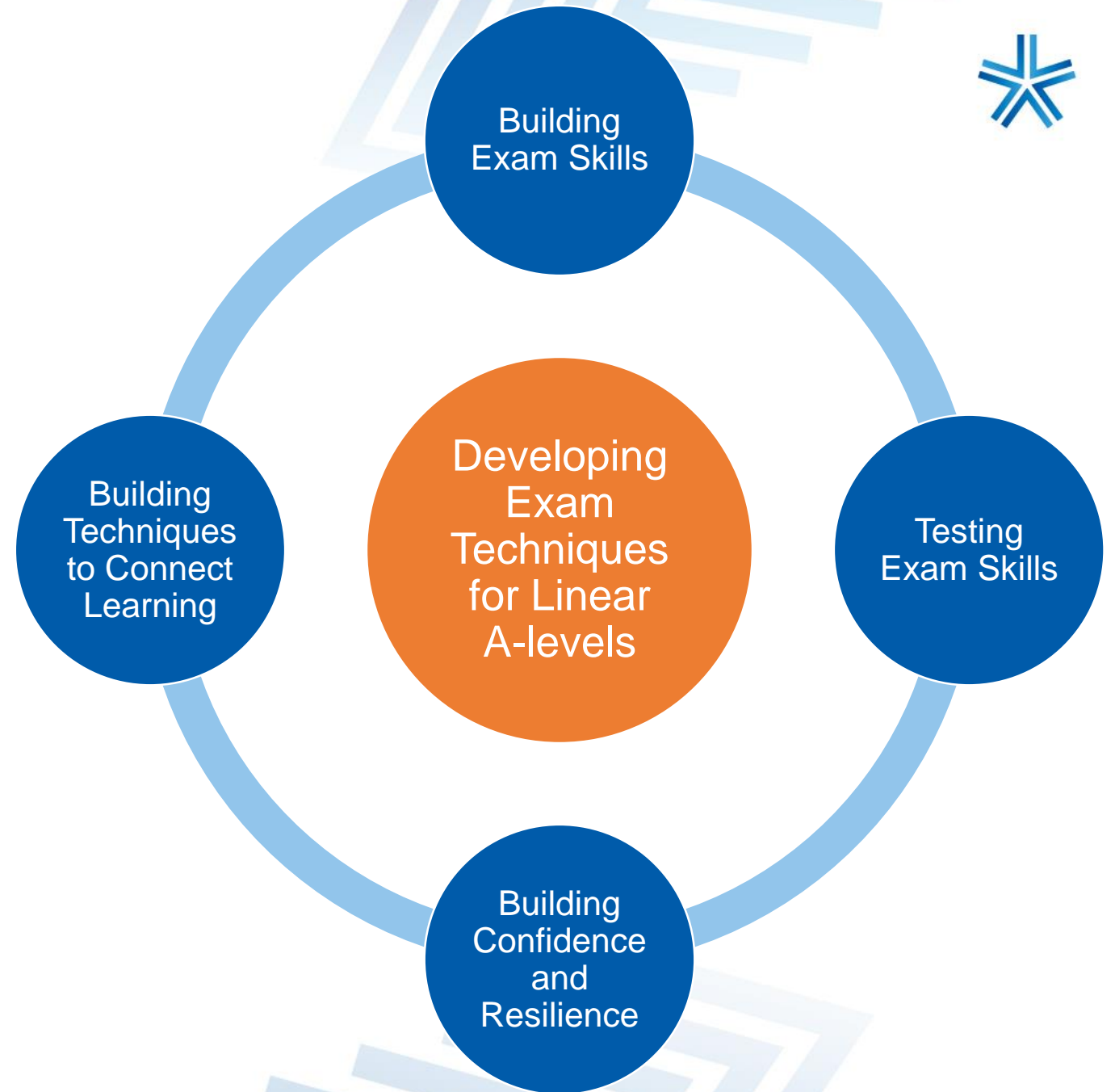




A-level study programme

4 progress points each year

- > Attendance
- > Effort
- > Progress





Choosing your 3 subjects

What do you want to do in the future?

What are you good at?

What are your interests?

What would you like to achieve over the next two years?

Check our Timetable Matrix to ensure your options work together - maximum one subject from each column



Exciting new courses for 21-22

- > **Alongside two A-levels you can also now choose from:**
 - > Level 3 Diploma in Applied Medical Science (2 year course)
 - > Level 3 Diploma in Applied Psychology (2 year course)
 - > Level 3 Diploma in Applied Criminology (2 year course)
 - > Level 3 Certificate in Applied Mathematics Studies (1 year course)
 - > Level 3 Extended Project Qualification (EPQ) (1 year course)
- > Diploma equivalent to 1 A-level
- > Certificate equivalent to half an A-level
- > All accrue UCAS points for university entry



The Timetabling Matrix

Choose one subject from each column to a maximum of 3 subjects

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| Year 1 A-levels | | | | |
|------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| A Mon 9.15-12.15 / Thu 13.15-15.15 | B Tue 9.15-12.15 / Fri 13.15-15.15 | C Wed 9.15-11.15 / Mon 13.15-16.15 | D Thu 9.15-12.15 / Tue 13.15-15.15 | E Fri 9.15-12.15 / Wed 12.15-14.15 |
| L3 Applied Cert/Dip Criminology | Business | Accounting | Art: Fine Art | Business |
| Economics | Graphic Design | Biology | Biology | Chemistry |
| English Language & Literature | History | Computer Science | Chemistry | English Language |
| Film Studies | Mathematics | English Literature | English Literature | L3 Applied Cert Extended Project Qualification |
| History | Media Studies | Photography | Further Maths | Physics |
| Mathematics | L3 Applied Cert/Dip Medical Science | | Geography | Psychology |
| L3 Applied Cert Mathematical Studies | Politics | | Law | |
| Psychology | Sociology | | Physical Education | |
| Religious Studies | | | L3 Applied Cert/Dip Psychology | |
| Sociology | | | | College Sports Teams from 12.15 on Wednesday |



Entry requirements

Five GCSEs at Grade 9/A*
- 4/C including English
Language and Maths

A few subjects have additional requirements.
Please refer to the individual course information
e.g. Maths, Physics Chemistry and Computer
Science will require 6/B in Maths.





Subject

Entry Requirements

| Subject | Entry Requirements |
|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Accounting | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths |
| Biology | 5 GCSEs at grade 9/A* – 4/C including English Language, a grade 5 or above in Maths, a minimum two grades 6/B in Science including Biology or Double Science |
| Business | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths |
| Chemistry | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language, a minimum 2 grade 6/Bs in Chemistry and a second Science or Double Science and a grade 6/B in Maths. |
| Computer Science | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language, and a grade 6/B in Maths and a Science. It is recommended that you have GCSE Computer Science or experience using High Level programming languages (e.g. Python, C#) |
| L3 Applied Cert/Dip Criminology | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths |
| Drama | 5 GCSEs at grades A*/9 – C/4 including English Language and Maths and Drama (audition required for students with no Drama GCSE) |
| Economics | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language, and a grade 5 or above in Maths |
| English Language | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including Maths, and a grade 5 or above in English Language |
| English Language and Literature | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language, English Literature and Maths |
| English Literature | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths, and a 5 or above in English Literature |
| L3 Extended Project Qualification (EPQ) | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths. One year course only. |
| Film Studies | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths |
| Fine Art | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths and an Art based subject |
| Geography | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C, grade B/7 in Maths and C/4 in English Language. *Students must also study A Level Maths alongside. |
| Graphic Design | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths and Art based subject |
| History | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths |
| Law | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths |
| Mathematics | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including minimum 6/B in Maths and 4/C in English Language |
| L3 Applied Cert Mathematical Studies | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths. One year course only. *NB Cannot study this alongside A Level Maths. |
| Media Studies | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths |
| L3 Applied Cert/Dip Medical Science | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language, Maths and a minimum 2 grade 5/B in Biology and a second Science or Double Science *NB Cannot study this alongside A Level Biology |
| Photography | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths and evidence of aptitude towards photography |
| Physical Education | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language, Maths and PE or Science/Biology. Must play a sport a competitive level |
| Physics | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language, a minimum 2 grade 6/B in Physics and a second Science or Double Science and a grade 6/B in Maths |
| Politics | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths |
| Psychology | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language, Maths and Science/Biology |
| L3 Applied Cert/Dip Psychology | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths *NB Cannot study this alongside A Level Psychology |
| Religious Studies | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths |
| Sociology | 5 GCSEs at grades 9/A* – 4/C including English Language and Maths |

Enhancing success

- > Work readiness programme
- > Work experience opportunities
- > University Outreach lectures
- > Clubs and societies
- > A-level student representatives
- > Peer learning communities
- > Stretch and challenge academies
- > Extended project qualification
- > Crest Awards





Getting involved

PALLANT HOUSE GALLERY Chichester college

Project
A-Level Graphic Communication students have devised different designs and ways in which to interact with the Pallant House collection, explore the space and inspire other young people to engage more deeply with art.

Private view
Thursday 27th April
6:30pm until 8pm
Pallant House Gallery
Ground Floor



University of Brighton



Marwell Zoo



Southampton SOLENT University

University of Portsmouth

University of Chichester





Getting involved



UK Senior Maths Challenge



Inspirational talks from
former students





Pass rates – 3 year trend

| | Pass Rate | A*-B |
|-------|-----------|------|
| 17-18 | 99% | 45% |
| 18-19 | 99.5% | 54% |
| 19-20 | 100% | 64% |



Pass rates - 3 year trend

- > 100% pass rate
- > A*-B = 64%
- > A*-C = 92%

| Subjects | % A*-C | % A*-B |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Accounting | 100.0 | 42.9 |
| Art & Design | 100.0 | 66.7 |
| Biology | 94.7 | 84.2 |
| Business | 94.9 | 69.2 |
| Chemistry | 100.0 | 75.0 |
| Computer Science | 100.0 | 40.0 |
| Drama & Theatre Studies | 100.0 | 62.5 |
| Economics | 100.0 | 78.6 |
| English Lang & Lit | 100.0 | 80.0 |
| English Language | 88.9 | 61.1 |
| English Literature | 100.0 | 86.7 |
| Film Studies | 80.0 | 46.7 |
| Further Maths | 100.0 | 85.7 |
| Geography | 88.9 | 44.4 |
| Graphic Design | 88.9 | 44.4 |
| History | 93.9 | 60.6 |
| Law | 77.3 | 36.4 |
| Mathematics | 81.3 | 56.3 |
| Media Studies | 88.2 | 52.9 |
| Photography | 86.7 | 66.7 |
| Physical Education | 50.0 | 16.7 |
| Physics | 88.9 | 66.7 |
| Politics - New in 19-20 | | |
| Psychology | 90.5 | 64.3 |
| Religious Studies | 88.9 | 66.7 |
| Sociology | 100.0 | 87.5 |
| Total A-levels | 92 | 64 |



Next steps

- > Applications open next week
- > Look up each subject on our website
www.chichester.ac.uk/alevels
- > Watch our subject webinars from early Nov
- > Complete an online application form
- > Interviews start from mid November
- > Taster Days in July
- > Welcome to A levels in September



THANK YOU

Time for questions

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