Mathematics

GCSE

Entry Requirements

The qualification is for students who have not yet achieved a grade 4 in GCSE Maths. It can only be taken as part of the Level 3 programme, therefore grade 4-9 is required in five subjects other than Maths.

Course Overview

This course is for those students who have failed to reach a Grade 4 at GCSE Mathematics. Students who also wish to improve their GCSE grade can also retake however this will be discussed on individual cases. The course reinforces and builds upon the mathematics knowledge that students have gained at school.

The method of delivery will utilise Blended Learning. Students will be expected to access resources or online support independently.

Exam Information

Duration: 1 year   Exam Board: Edexcel Foundation   Contact: Mr Perkins

Those students who achieved a Grade 3 at GCSE Mathematics will be given the option to enter in November.

Paper 1 – Non-Calculator
Paper 2 – Calculator
Paper 3 – Calculator

Qualification Gained

Edexcel GCSE Mathematics **or**
AQA Level 2 Functional Skills qualification in Mathematics

Career Opportunities

Most employers, colleges and universities will require all students to have achieved a Grade 4 or even a grade 5 in GCSE Mathematics. This course is also important for those students who need to improve their foundations at GCSEs so they can progress on Level 3 qualifications.