

CRITERIA FOR THE ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TO YEAR 12 FROM SEPTEMBER 2023

The Langton has a mixed Sixth Form. The great majority of our Year 11 students continue with their studies into our Sixth Form, and priority will be given to existing students transferring from Year 11 who meet the entrance criteria.

The Sixth Form will recruit on the basis of a Year 12 of 220 students. The Published Admission Number (PAN) for external students is 60, but this figure will be exceeded in the event that this plus the number of internal students transferring into Year 12 is less than is required to produce an overall total figure for Year 12 of 220 students.

Entrance requirements

Students must have achieved a total of 50 points in GCSE or other Level 2 qualifications, including a 4 or better in each of Mathematics and English Language, in order to qualify to enrol in the Langton Sixth Form*. Students additionally need to satisfy the entry requirements of their chosen A level subjects (minimum of three), which are detailed in the Sixth Form Prospectus.

Priority for places for qualified applicants will be:

1. Internal applicants – students enrolled in Year 11 at Simon Langton Grammar School for Boys. Internal applicants transfer to Year 12 provided they have met the criteria above. There is no upper limit to the number of internal students transferring to Year 12.
2. Applicants enrolled in Year 11 at our partner school, the Canterbury Academy
3. Applicants from other schools

In the event of over-subscription, places within categories (2) and then (3) will be assigned to qualified applicants according to the following priorities:

1. Children in Local Authority Care or Previously in Local Authority Care
2. Children who were designated as receiving 'Pupil Premium' in the calendar year before admission to the Langton Sixth Form is sought (a letter of confirmation from the previous school will be required)
3. Academic Ability

This will be measured by ranked average performance points score in the applicant's best 9 Level 2 qualifications, or of all qualifications if fewer than 9 subjects completed, the highest score being given the highest rank.

4. Distance

Where average performance points scores are the same, students will be further ranked by distance from home to school (with the nearest given the highest ranking).

5. Random Selection

A random selection will be applied should two or more applicants have the same average performance points score and the same distance from home to school.

*this requirement can be waived where there are special extenuating reasons why an applicant has not met this standard.

SUBJECT SPECIFIC ENTRY CRITERIA:
(note that students must successfully enrol on at least three courses)

	GCSE grade(s) required
Ancient History AS only	6 in Ancient History or History (or English Literature if History was not studied)
Art	6 in Art
Biology	6 in Biology and 6 in Maths
Business	6 in Business Studies or 6 in English Language
Chemistry	6 in Chemistry and 6 in Maths
Computer Science	6 in Computer Science and 6 in Maths
Economics	6 in Maths
English Literature	6 in English Literature and Language
French	6 in French
Geography	6 in Geography
German	6 in German
History	6 in History
History of Art	6 in History, or English Literature if History was not studied
Mandarin Chinese	6 in Mandarin OR a high degree of competence in the language
Mathematics	7 in Mathematics
Mathematics – Double	8 in Mathematics
Music	7 in Music OR Grade 5 practical as a singer or instrumentalist and Grade 5 theory
Physics	6 in Physics and 6 in Maths
Philosophy & Theology	6 in English Language or 6 in Religious Studies
Politics	6 in English Language or 6 in History
Product Design	6 in Design Technology
Psychology	6 in Biology and 6 in English Language or Literature
Spanish	6 in Spanish
Sports Science	6 in Sports Science or 6 in Biology
Theatre Studies	6 in Drama or 6 in English Literature if Drama has not been studied
<p>NOTES:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dual Science GCSE: Grade 77 in Dual Science and a Grade 6 in Mathematics is required to study any Science A level • in the unlikely event that a subject is oversubscribed, priority will be given to students with higher GCSE grades in the qualifying subject(s) 	