2023-2025 A Level and BTEC Curriculum Options

| Compulsory Subjects | Option 1 | Option 2 | Option 3 | Option 4 | Option 5: Super Curriculum |
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| Ministry of Education Arabic as a first language | English Literature | Chemistry | History | Physics | Sports Leaders Level 3 |
|  | Computer Science | Geography | Mathematics | Business | Model United Nations (MUN) |
|  | Economics | Art and Design | Biology | BTEC Applied Science | Research in Science |
|  | Accounting | Psychology | English Language | Psychology | Music Band |
| Islamic Education (Muslim students only) | Mathematics | Biology | Business | English Language | Classical Arabic |
| Moral, Social and Cultural Studies | Physics | Economics | Physical Education | Chemistry | Personal Presentation Skills |
| Physical Activity and Wellbeing | BTEC Information Technology | BTEC Engineering | BTEC Business | BTEC Hospitality |  |
|  | Research and Communication | Personal Presentation Skills | Literacy for Life | Futures and Professional Development |  |
|  | GFS Community Engagement | Entrepreneurship | Budgeting and Financial Literacy | Media and Journalism |  |

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## Prerequisites

- Students must attain a minimum of 5 International GCSE/GCSEs at grades 4-9 (A*-C) including English and Mathematics
- Students should attain A* $^{*}$ B (7 or above new GCSE) in the subjects intended to study at International AS/A level
- Students applying from a curriculum other than the National Curriculum for England will be assessed against relevant criteria/standards


## Examination Boards (from September 2023 onwards):

- AQA
- Pearson Edexcel


## Important information

- Parents will receive a Google link/form to register for courses once reenrolment or enrolment has been completed. The deadline for completing the Google form is Monday, $10^{\text {th }}$ April 2023 (only applies to current GFS students)
- Students must choose a minimum of three A Level/BTEC courses. Students are not permitted to study more than two BTEC courses as part of their options. Students that choose three A Level/BTEC courses must choose a Super Curriculum offering from Option Blocks 1-4. Students who are studying four A Level/BTEC courses must choose a Super Curriculum offering from Option Block 5 only. Please note that Super Curriculum options are enrichment opportunities, not A level subjects
- Arab and non-Arab Muslim students must take Islamic Education as a compulsory subject. Ministry of Education Arabic as a first language is compulsory for students who are registered in the school/KHDA under an Arab passport
- The international A level and BTEC options chosen are conditional, based upon awarded International GCSE/IGCSE results (or results from other curricular)
- Please familiarise yourself with the most up to date MOE equivalency requirements. For further support, please contact Mrs. Lakshmi Rajeevan (see below)


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