

# 2023 - 2025 A Level and BTEC Curriculum Options

Compulsory Subjects	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3	Option 4	Option 5: Super Curriculum
	English Literature	Chemistry	History	Physics	Sports Leaders Level 3
	Computer Science	Geography	Mathematics	Business	Model United Nations (MUN)
Ministry of Education Arabic as a first language	Economics	Art and Design	Biology	BTEC Applied Science	Research in Science
Islamic Education (Muslim students only)	Accounting	Psychology	English Language	Psychology	Music Band
	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<sup>th</sup> 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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