



Welwyn & Hatfield Consortium Year 12 Application Form 2017

You must read all the information on this application form carefully. It provides information on the courses and subjects available for September 2017 and the people who can help you complete this form. If you do not have one already, ask your school for a Consortium Application Pack which contains valuable information when making your course and subject choices.

This application form must be completed and handed in by Wednesday 25th January 2017

The following notes will help you complete the application form:

Section 1: Personal Details

This section contains personal details which will ensure a smooth transition from Year 11 into the Consortium.

Section 2: Predicted Grades

To ensure that you are selecting subjects at the appropriate level, please complete this table with the subjects you are currently taking and your predicted grades. Entry requirements for courses in the Consortium will include the Average Point Score (APS) for Key Stage 4 and subject specific criteria.

To calculate your APS **add** together the value of each of your predicted grades and **divide** by the number of subjects you are taking (see below). If you are taking fewer than 8 subjects, then you must still divide the total by 8

You may be taking a programme that includes BTECs. Count each course as the equivalent of one GCSE. These must be taken into account when calculating your APS.

Please refer to the 2017 Course Entry Criteria for guidance as to which programmes and courses you are eligible to apply for.

Points Scores for GCSE: English Language; English Literature and Mathematics

GCSE Grade	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
KS4 Points	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

Points Scores for GCSE: All other Subjects

GCSE Grade	A*	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
KS4 Points	8.5	7	5.5	4	3	2	1.5	1

Points Scores for BTEC Firsts

BTEC Grade	Distinction *	Distinction	Merit	Pass	Level 1 Pass
KS4 Points	8.5	7	5.5	4	1.75

Example how to calculate your APS

Subject	English Language	English Literature	Maths	Biology	Physics	Chemistry	History	Music	BTEC IT	BTEC Sport	Total	APS
Grade	5	6	5	B	A*	C	D	C	Dist.	Pass	10 subjects	52 ÷ 10
KS4 Points	5	6	5	5.5	8.5	4	3	4	7	4	52 points	= 5.2

Section 3: Course Choice

This section allows you to state clearly which courses you would like to choose. Your average points score will indicate the level of programme you should apply for.

Use the grid on the next page to select the subjects you wish to study.

- Only select one subject from each block.
- Some vocational subjects where highlighted are offered over more than one block, so any of these must be selected in all the appropriate blocks.
- Read section three very carefully to check the range of courses available to you, as this will differ depending on your average points score

SECTION 1: Personal Details

Forename:	Surname:
Address:	
Postcode:	Telephone No:
Current school:	
Gender:	Date of Birth:
Student Mobile No:	Student E-mail:

SECTION 2: Predicted Grades at Key Stage 4

Subject	Grade	KS4 Point Score
English Language		
English Literature		
Mathematics		

Subject	Grade	KS4 Point Score

Total number of points	÷	Total number of subjects	=	Predicted average points score (APS)

Checked by Head of Post 16:

SECTION 3: Your Course Choices

Your course choices must meet the general and subject specific entrance criteria. Please refer to the entrance criteria sheet before entering your course choices.

Your Choices: A Levels or Vocational Level 3 Courses

Block	Subject	Site	Do your predicted grades meet subject entrance criteria? Enter Yes/No	Office use only: A / R / U
A				
B				
C				
D				

If you wish to take one of the following additional qualifications, please tick the appropriate box. These qualifications can be taken in addition to your chosen academic and vocational courses.

Further Mathematics Core Mathematics Extended Project Qualification

Additional qualifications approved by Head of Post 16:

Students who do not achieve GCSE 4 or above in English and/or Maths will be required to attend retake lessons and resit the exam(s), which may affect your choices.

Please approach one or more of the following to help you complete this form:

In your school:

- Head of Sixth Form
- Subject Teachers
- Form Tutor
- Head of Year
- Careers Teacher

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Connexions provide additional advice on Careers Advice & Guidance

Youth Connexions
The Campus, Welwyn Garden City
Tel: 01992 903232 or connexions-direct.com

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Progression to Year 13

Students starting Advanced Level subjects in September 2017 are expected to achieve at least a D in two subjects to progress to their second year. These grades will be determined through internally set end of Year 12 exams.

A student's attitude to work, their attendance, general application to their studies and contribution to the wider life of the school will be considered when determining whether students can progress.

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Student signature:	Date:
Parent/Carer signature:	Date:
School signature:	Position: HoY / SLT Date: