

'Renewed, Revived, Reimagined.'



2026/2027



98% of
students were
accepted to their first
choice University
following their
final year at
Bishop Laney

22% of students
have started an
apprenticeship
since leaving
Bishop Laney

Students are well prepared for apprenticeships, degree courses or entry level jobs

## **BUILD YOUR**

**LEVEL 3 STUDY PROGRAMME** 

ROUTE 1

**A Level** 

A Level

A Level

ROUTE 2

**Diploma** 

120 Credits

A Level or Level 3

ROUTE 2A

Level 3

A Level 3

**A Level** 

ROUTE 3

**Extended Diploma** 

180 Credits

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### A LEVEL COURSES

Accounting

Art & Design

Biology

Business

Chemistry

Computer Science

Drama & Theatre Studies

**Economics** 

**English Literature** 

English Language & Literature

Fashion & Textiles

French\*

**Further Maths** Geography History Mathematics Music Music Technology Philosophy & Ethics Photography **Physics Politics Product Design** Psychology Spanish\* Sociology

\* subject to availability



Use the QR code to view courses & apply

# Careers and Employability at Bishop Laney

Students take part in their Progression Day during the summer of Year 12, which includes mock interviews; meeting employers and current apprentices who share their experiences and provide support on applications and interviews technique.



Careers advice and guidance sessions are offered on entry to Year 12 as part of their induction programme and again during Year 13 to support university, employment or apprenticeship applications.

Guest speakers bring the realities of each sector to life for students, whilst industry mentors fire ambitions, set targets and provide advice on how to achieve them, guiding and advising about possible career options and the different routes that might be taken to secure them.

## LEVEL 3 TECHNICAL AND APPLIED COURSES

Applied Science (AAQ)

Beauty Therapies

Business

Criminology

Hairdressing



Health & Social Care (AAQ)

Media Production

Medical Science (AAQ)

Professional Cookery

Sport & Exercise Science



- courses available as a 60 credit option, (1/3rd of a study programme)
- courses available as a 120 credit option, (2/3rd of a study programme)
- courses available as a 180 credit option, (a full study programme)

#### **LEVEL 2 TECHNICALS**

We offer a range of Level 2 courses to study as a transition programme alongside GCSEs in English and Maths.

- Barbering
- **Beauty Therapies**
- **Business Enterprise**
- **Professional Cookery**
- Hairdressing
- **Sports Coaching**

To get the best from these courses, you should be aiming to study at Level 3 in the following year or move into a job, traineeship or apprenticeship in the same sector.

View and apply for all of our A Level, technical Level 3 and Level 2 courses



# Visit our open Evening 23rd Oct 2025

Come and find out about our courses and facilities

**BOOK ONLINE**www.bishoplaney.org

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup>
October from 6pm

#### **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

Our general entry requirements for A Levels are the requirement of 5 or more GCSE grades at Grade 4 or above, to include English and Maths. All subjects have an additional requirement above the general requirement.

A Level Courses	Entry Requirements
Accounting	Grade 5 or above in Maths and all English subjects entered.
Art & Design	Grade 5 or above in Art or a similarly titled subject.
Biology	Grade 6 or above in Maths and Biology or Combined Science.
Business	Grade 5 or above in Business where studied.
Chemistry	Grade 6 or above in Maths and in Chemistry or Combined Science.
Computer Science	Grade 6 or above in Maths and Computer Science
Drama & Theatre	Grade 5 or above in English and Drama.
Economics	Grade 5 or above in English and Grade 6 or above in Maths
English Language & Literature	Grade 5 or above in all English subjects entered.
English Literature	Grade 5 or above in all English subjects entered.
Fashion & Textiles	Grade 5 or above in a Technology subject.
French	Grade 6 or above in French.
Further Maths	Grade 8 or above in Maths. Grade 6 or above in all sciences.
Geography	Grade 5 or above in Geography.
History	Grade 5 or above in History and at least one English subject.
Mathematics	Grade 6 or above in Maths.
Music	Grade 5 or above in Music or a Music-related subject.
Music Technology	Grade 5 or above in Music or a Music-related subject.
Philosophy & Ethics	Grade 5 or above in all English subjects entered.
Photography	Grade 5 or above in Art or a similarly titled subject.
Physics	Grade 6 or above in Maths and Physics or Combined Science.
Politics	Grade 5 or above in all English subjects entered.
Product Design	Grade 5 or above in a Technology subject.
Psychology	Grade 5 or above in Maths and all English subjects entered.
Sociology	Grade 5 or above in all English subjects entered.
Spanish	Grade 6 or above in Spanish.

#### **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

Each of our Level 3 Technical courses has their own distinct set of entry requirements which reflect the course content and likely progression routes.

Level 3 Courses	Entry Requirements
Applied Science	At least 5 GCSE Grades 9 - 4 to include English and Maths; and two Science grades from either separate or combined science.
Beauty & Massage Therapies	At least 5 GCSE Grades 9 - 4 to include English or Maths.
Business	At least 5 GCSE Grades 9 - 4 to include English and Maths.
Professional Cookery	At least 5 GCSE Grades 9 - 4 to include English or Maths.
Criminology	At least 5 GCSE Grades 9 - 4 to include English and Maths.
Digital Media & Production	At least 5 GCSE Grades 9 - 4 to include English.
Exercise & Sport Science	At least 5 GCSE Grades 9 - 4 to include English and Maths.
Hairdressing	At least 5 GCSE Grades 9 - 4 to include English or Maths.
Health & Social Care	At least 5 GCSE Grades 9 - 4 to include English and Maths.
Medical Science	At least 5 GCSE Grades 9 - 4 to include English and Maths; and two Science grades from either separate or combined science

Level 2 courses each have a baseline entry requirement of a minimum of 3 GCSE or equivalent qualifications being achieved at a minimum of Grade 3.

To get the best from Level 2 courses, applicants should be aiming to study at Level 3 in the following year or move into a job, traineeship or apprenticeship in the same sector; and so alongside entry requirements, an applicant's intended progression will be explored at the student guidance meeting following their application.

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