

## Class of 2025

You are required to engage in some form of recognised study or training until your 18th birthday. This may include Apprenticeships and Traineeships, but you cannot enter full-time employment directly.

Upon receiving your GCSE results, you will have numerous options to consider in terms of education, training, or entering the workforce.

### A Levels

- Advanced level qualifications, known as A Levels, are subject-based qualifications that can lead to university, further study, training, or work.

### Vocational Qualifications

- GCSEs do not necessarily have to lead to A Levels. You might find that vocational qualifications such as BTECs and T-levels are a preferable alternative, as they offer a practical route into a career involving hands-on learning.

### Apprenticeships

- Apprenticeships provide an opportunity to earn a salary, gain practical experience, and work towards a qualification simultaneously.

Provider	Qualifications offered	Phone number	Website	Entry requirements
Bedford Academy	A-Level  BTEC Level 3 & 2	01234 301500	<a href="https://www.bedfordacademy.co.uk/sixth-form/6.html">https://www.bedfordacademy.co.uk/sixth-form/6.html</a>	5 x Level 2 Qualifications grade 4 or above, Including Maths & English.  A-Levels: Grade 6 required in that subject
Biddenham International School and Sports College	A-Level  BTEC Level 3 & 2  Cambridge national level 2 & 3	01234 342521	<a href="https://www.biddenham.beds.sch.uk/sixth-form/">https://www.biddenham.beds.sch.uk/sixth-form/</a>	5 x Level 2 Qualifications grade 5 or above, Including Maths & English.
Kimberley Sixth Form College	A-Level  BTEC Level 3	01234 762890	<a href="https://www.kimberleycollege.co.uk/">https://www.kimberleycollege.co.uk/</a>	7 x Level 2 Qualifications grade 5/6 or above, Including Maths & English.
Mark Rutherford School	A-Level  BTEC Level 3  Football Academy	01234 290200	<a href="https://www.markrutherford.beds.sch.uk/page/?title=Sixth+Form&amp;pid=9">https://www.markrutherford.beds.sch.uk/page/?title=Sixth+Form&amp;pid=9</a>	5 x Level 2 Qualifications grade 4 or above, Including Maths & English.
Sharnbrook Academy Sixth Form	A-Level  BTEC Level 3	01234 782191	<a href="https://sixthform.sharnbrook.academy/">https://sixthform.sharnbrook.academy/</a>	5 x Level 2 Qualifications grade 4 or above, Including Maths & English.

St ThomasMore SixthForm	A-Level BTEC Level 3	01234 400222	<a href="https://www.st-thomasmore.org.uk/6thform">https://www.st-thomasmore.org.uk/6thform</a>	3 x Level 2 Qualifications grade 6 or above, Including English grade 4.
The Bedford Sixth Form	A-Level Level 3 Diploma	01234 291291	<a href="https://www.bedfordsixthform.ac.uk/">https://www.bedfordsixthform.ac.uk/</a>	5 x Level 2 Qualifications grade 4 or above, Including English.
Wixams Academy	A-Level Level 3 Diploma	01234 608950	<a href="https://wixamsacademy.co.uk/sixth-form/">https://wixamsacademy.co.uk/sixth-form/</a>	5 x Level 2 Qualifications grade 5/6 or above, Including Maths & English.
Bedford College	Level 1/2/3 Diploma BTEC Level 2/3 Apprenticeships T-Levels	01234 291000	<a href="https://bedfordcollegegroup.ac.uk/">https://bedfordcollegegroup.ac.uk/</a>	Level 3 course: 4 GCSEs at Grade 4 or above  Level 2 course: 3 GCSEs at Grade 3 or above  Level 1 course: 3 GCSEs at Grade 1 or above
Moulton College	Level 1/2/3 Diploma BTEC Level 2/3 Apprenticeships T-Levels	01604 491131	<a href="https://www.moulton.ac.uk/">https://www.moulton.ac.uk/</a>	Please see website for specific course requirements
Milton Keynes College	A-Level Level 3 Diploma Apprenticeships T-Levels	01908 684551	<a href="https://www.mkcollege.ac.uk/">https://www.mkcollege.ac.uk/</a>	Please see website for specific course requirements
Shuttleworth College	Courses and training related to agriculture and the natural environment	01767 626222	<a href="https://bedfordcollegegroup.ac.uk/collages-and-campuses/shuttleworth-college/">https://bedfordcollegegroup.ac.uk/collages-and-campuses/shuttleworth-college/</a>	Level 3 course: 4 GCSEs at Grade 4 or above  Level 2 course: 3 GCSEs at Grade 3 or above  Level 1 course: 3 GCSEs at Grade 1 or above
SSG training	Apprenticeships Traineeships	01234 340782	<a href="https://ssgservices.co.uk/education-and-training/ssg-">https://ssgservices.co.uk/education-and-training/ssg-</a>	Please see website for specific course requirements