



Assessment and Reporting Information - Key Stage 5

Assessment Points and Reporting

Whilst studying their A-Levels, each student will have **three formal Assessment Points** annually. After each Assessment Point, you will receive a report containing the following information for each subject:

1. Current Attainment Grade

This reflects how well your child has performed in those assessments completed typically in exam conditions since the last Assessment Point: A-Level students attain grades from A* to U.

2. Projected Grade

This grade is based on a broader range of evidence, including classwork, homework, and teacher observations. It indicates the grade your child is likely to achieve at the end of A-Levels in their public examinations assuming they continue working at their current level.

3. Reference Grade

This represents your child's academic potential. It is based on your child's GCSE performance along with some baseline testing completed at the start of the A-Level course. There is no teacher input into these reference grades, just a comparison between national prior attainment and potential grades. We aim to set these reference grades at a challenging level.

Reference Grades help you understand how well your child is progressing relative to their potential.

4. Approach to Learning Grades

Your child will also receive grades for their approach to:

- **Homework**
- **Classwork**
- **Behaviour**

These are graded as follows:

- **1*** - Exceptional
- **1** - Very good
- **2** - As expected
- **3** - Improvement Required

Additional Information

- **Parents' Evenings:** In Year 12, there are two Parents' Evenings. One of these is in-person whilst the other is face to face.
- **UCAS Grades:** are reported at the start of Year 13 at the first assessment point. Further information will be provided in the same report.