



# The Mosslands School

## Sixth Form Application Form

**Internal Applicants:**

**NAME:** .....

**FORM:** .....

**External Applicants:**

Forename:	Surname:	Gender:
Address:		
Telephone:	Mobile:	
Email address:		
Date of Birth:		
Current School:		

**GCSE Education:**

Subject Studied	Examination Board	Predicted Grade

**Option choices:**

Options offered to students will depend upon KS4 results and students will be advised to study courses within a specific pathway. It is usual to study 3 subjects.

In some circumstances students may be offered the opportunity to study 4 A Levels. This will be discussed further at interview.

**Courses offered are subject to viable numbers and timetabling considerations.**

Please consult the school website [www.mosslands.co.uk](http://www.mosslands.co.uk) for the latest course information.

## Option choices:

A Levels	Level 3 Equivalent to A Level	Level 2 Qualifications
Art	Business	ICT & Business
Biology	Digital Media	Sports Coaching & Activity Leadership
Chemistry	Engineering**	Engineering
Computer Science	IT	
D&T: Product Design	Music Technology (Performance)	
English Literature	Drama	
French	Applied Science**	
Geography	Sport	
German	Public Services***	
History		
Mathematics		
*(Further Mathematics) Only as a 4 <sup>th</sup> choice alongside A Level Mathematics for selected students		
Physics		
Psychology		

**All Level 3 courses are two years in duration  
& Level 2 courses are one-year courses.**

\*\* = equivalent of 2 A Levels

\*\*\* = equivalent of 3 A Levels

### Minimum Entry Requirements:

**To study for Level 3 courses** – 5 GCSEs at grade 4 or above (PLEASE NOTE: Some subject may have higher entry requirements. You should refer to the subject information leaflets for further details)

**To study for Level 2 courses** – Achievement in 5 GCSEs at grades 2 or above. (Only one Level 2 course can be chosen)

### **Initial Subject Choices:**

Subject	Level

Students who chose to complete 3 A Levels or equivalent will automatically be timetabled to attend Enrichment lessons. There will also be an opportunity for these students to complete the Extended Project Qualification (EPQ), which can contribute towards points for UCAS.

External applicants will be contacted in due course to arrange an interview and visit to the school. Please bring with you your most recent school report and any other information you may feel supports your application.

Offers to successful applicants will be sent out via post shortly after the Trial Examination results are available. **Poor performance in these exams and poor attendance may affect our ability to offer you your choice of course and, in some cases, may lead to your application not being accepted.**



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### Sixth Form entry requirements

#### GRADING NEW GCSEs FROM 2017

New grading structure	Current grading structure
9	A*
8	A*
7	A
6	B
5	B
4	C
3	D
2	E
1	F
1	G
U	U

- A nine-to one grading scale will be used in almost all GCSE subjects this summer. (see the table for comparison to A\*-G grades)
- Four is a 'standard pass', equal to a low C. Five is a 'strong pass', equal to a B/C, and is the new benchmark. Seven to nine is equal to A and A\*. Three to one is equal to D to G.
- Between 2017 and 2019, GCSE exam certificates will have a combination of number and letter grades.

- Those who score below four in English and Maths will have to retake them in post-16 education. There are no other subject retake requirements. Your retake lessons will be timetabled in addition to the lessons you follow for your Level 3 courses.
- Those who wish to follow the Level 3 Engineering course (2 A Level equivalent) at The Engineering College, **must** achieve a 5 or above in GCSE Mathematics. You will be expected to follow a further Level 3 course and will study for this at Mosslands.
- Although successful applicants will receive an offer letter during the spring term, a firm decision about the courses you can follow will only be made once you have received your final GCSE results on **THURSDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> AUGUST 2019.**

Please feel free to contact Mrs Danher at school, should you require any further information.

Please return your application form to: **Mrs C Danher, Director of Sixth Form, The Mosslands School, Mosslands Drive, Wallasey, CH45 8PJ**

FORMS SHOULD BE RETURNED BY: **FRIDAY 21st DECEMBER 2018**