

Frequently asked questions on Open Evening

Question	Answer
Can I choose subjects from the same blocks on the application form?	Unfortunately, not, the subjects are in blocks as this is how the timetable is formatted. However, at this stage is it not 'set in stone' if there are enough clashes we may be able to move a subject. Please highlight this on the application form.
How do I know what courses I should pick?	You should pick courses that you enjoy and are interested in. You will also need to take into consideration your predicted grades and the course criteria.
Who do I speak to about my course choices?	You will need to email sixthform@hellesdon.net and the Sixth Form Team will be able to advise you.
When will I know I have been accepted for a place at sixth form?	Applicants will be informed by letter of acceptance by the end of February. Applicants will be accepted depending on final grades. You will be invited for an advice and guidance interview from January onwards.
Can I choose to study more than 3 A Levels?	Most students study 3 A levels, but you can choose a 4 th option. This will need to be discussed in your advice and guidance interview
What happens if I change my mind on my original chosen courses after I have sent my application form in?	You will need to email sixthform@hellesdon.net the Sixth Form Team will be able to advise you of your changes.
What happens if I don't get the correct GCSE grades to meet the criteria for the course I want to do?	The Director of Sixth Form or the HoY will need to discuss with you your options and other possible courses that may meet your grades once GCSE results are published
When does my application form need to be in by?	Application forms need to be either handed in/posted or submitted online by <u>14 December 2020</u>
Will I be able to meet my teachers?	HHS applicants will be able to arrange to speak to their chosen course subject teachers Monday 9 -Thursday 12 November 3-4pm. Of course, you can speak to teachers during lessons too.