

Camden School for Girls Sixth Form



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CHEMISTRY

CLASSICAL CIVILISATION

DRAMA & THEATRE STUDIES

ECONOMICS

ENGLISH LITERATURE

FINE ART

FRENCH

FURTHER MATHEMATICS

GEOGRAPHY

GREEK (AS)

HISTORY

HISTORY OF ART

LATIN

MATHEMATICS

MUSIC

PHILOSOPHY

PHOTOGRAPHY

PHYSICS

POLITICS

SOCIOLOGY

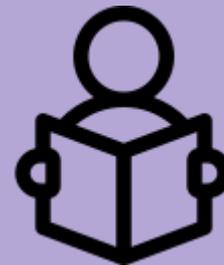
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THEOLOGY

EXTENDED PROJECT (AS)



Assembly speakers
Careers and university programme
Common room
Drama production
EPQ
Enrichments
Independent study periods
Masterclasses
Quiet study room
Residential trips
Senior prefects
Social events
Subject ambassadors
Tutor Group



Alice

Biba

Jas

Liberty

Rosslyn

Zahra

Zsa Zsa

**See you at your
Year 11 Conference
October 2022**

Choosing your A Levels



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Choosing A levels

- Most students study 3 A-Levels.
- Some students choose to study 4 A-Levels.
- If you study Further Maths, you will also study Maths and this often feels like studying 1.5 A Levels rather than 2.
- If you have a home language you are proficient in, try to sit an A-Level in this as a private candidate, in Year 12.

Ms Law's top tips:

- Keep your options open!

(Study a range of subjects)

- Study subjects that you enjoy and that you are good at.

(You are more likely to do better in these)

- Start doing research into university degrees.

(Do not put pressure on yourself to decide what career you want to do)

Subject combinations

A mix of Science/Arts/Humanities is great! There are some considerations:

- If you want to pursue sciences beyond A level, studying one science may limit your options. Study at least two (Maths counts as one).
- If studying STEM subjects, one essay based subject will serve you well.
- For Psychology at university, we recommend studying one science subject at A level.
- Consider coursework components.

Examples of university requirements

- To study **Computer Science**, only Maths is a requirement at A level (Further Maths for some universities).
- To study **Economics**, only Maths is a requirement at A level (Further Maths for some universities, including LSE).
- To study **Law**, any A Levels with essay writing will do!
- To study **Natural Sciences or Engineering**, Further Maths is often a requirement even if it does not state this.
- To study **Medicine (or Dentistry or Vet science)**, you **must** study Chemistry A level - most students study Biology also.

The big hitters*! (formerly known as facilitating subjects)

English Literature

Maths

Further Maths

Chemistry

Language (modern or ancient)

History

Physics

Biology

Geography

*It still remains more important that you like and you are good at the subject

Subject Matters (recommendations set out by Cambridge university)

For arts and social sciences at university:

Consider taking A level:

English Literature

History

Languages

Maths

Also:

Philosophy

Theology

History of Art

Classics

Geography

Politics

Sociology

Music

For sciences at university:

Consider taking three of:

Biology

Chemistry

Maths

Further Maths

Physics

For Engineering:

Maths, Further Maths, Physics

Art, Design and Architecture Degrees

- Need to create a portfolio

Where can I find out more?

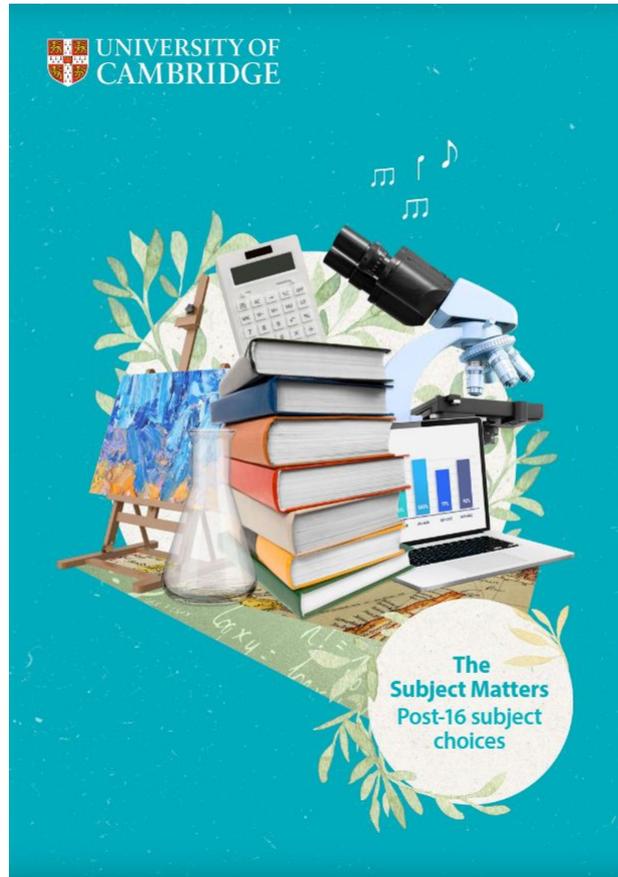
- Ms Bayley
 - university admission adviser and A level subject selection expert
 - first floor in the Sixth Form building.

- Unifrog

- Subject Matters booklet - by University of Cambridge

- Individual university websites, for example:

<https://www.ox.ac.uk/admissions/undergraduate/courses/admission-requirements/admission-requirements-table>



https://issuu.com/caowebeditor/docs/the_subject_matters_version_online

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