

## Determined admission arrangements for

### Presdales School for 2027/2028



Presdales School is a girls' single sex comprehensive school in Ware for girls aged 11-18. The published admission number for Year 7 each year is 180. The Sixth Form is co-educational. Students must meet the entry requirements for their proposed programmes of study.

Section 324 of the Education Act 1996 requires the governing bodies of all maintained schools and academies to admit a child with an EHC (Educational, Health and Care) Plan that names their school. Girls with an EHCP will be admitted as part of the school's PAN but before the oversubscription criteria are used.

If the school has more applications than places available, the oversubscription criteria will be used to allocate places. If the school has fewer applications than places available all applicants will be offered a place.

**Rule 1 Girls in public care (Children Looked After)** and girls who were previously looked after, including those girls who appear (to the admission authority) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted (or became subject to a Child Arrangements Order or a Special Guardianship Order).

**Rule 2 Medical or Social:** Girls for whom it can be demonstrated that they have a particular medical or social need to go to Presdales.

*A panel of officers will determine whether the evidence provided is sufficiently compelling to meet the requirements for this rule. The evidence must relate specifically to Presdales and must clearly demonstrate why Presdales is the only school that can meet the child's needs.*

**Rule 3 Sibling:** Girls who have a sibling at the school at the time of application, unless the sibling is in the last year of the normal age-range of the school. (Note: the 'normal age range' for Presdales as an 11-18 school, is Years 7 to 13). A sibling must be expected to be on roll at Presdales at the time the younger child starts. A sibling link will not be recognised for children living temporarily in the same house, e.g. a child who usually lives with one parent but has temporarily moved or a Child Looked After in a respite placement of a very short term or bridging foster placement. *(Please see explanatory notes for a detailed explanation of 'sibling').*

**Rule 4 Children of Staff:** Girls who have either

a) a parent\* employed by the school as a member of staff on a permanent contract for a continuous period of two or more years at the date of application,

or

b) a parent\* who has been recruited to a vacant post at the school for which there is a demonstrable skills shortage.

*This definition does not include contract staff, peripatetic staff employed by HCC or staff on a variable hours contract.*

**\*Parent**

*This means the parent who has parental responsibility as defined in the Children Act 1989, or the person in the household who is defined as a parent for the purposes of Section 576 of the Education Act 1996. This could include a person who is not a biological parent but who has responsibility for the child (such as a child's guardians, or adoptive parent) but will not usually include other relatives such as grandparents, aunts, uncles etc. unless they have all the rights, duties, powers and responsibilities*

*and authority, which by law a parent of a child has in relation to the child and their property. This will include the children of a member of staff's partner as long as they have been living at the same address as the member of staff for a period of at least two years.*

## Girls who live in the priority area

### Presdales Priority Areas

Bayford, Bengoe Rural, Bramfield, Brickendon Liberty, Datchworth, Essendon, Great Amwell, Great Munden, Hertford, Hertford Heath, Hertingfordbury, Hunsdon, Little Berkhamsted, Little Munden, Much Hadham, Sacombe, Stanstead Abbots, Stanstead St. Margarets, Stapleford, Tewin, Thundridge, Ware, Wareside, Watton-at-Stone, Widford

Girls who live in the priority area will be allocated places at the school in accordance with the percentages outlined below:

Priority Area	%
Bayford	1
Bengoe Rural	1
Bramfield	0
Brickendon Liberty	1
Datchworth	1
Essendon	1
Great Amwell	3
Great Munden	0
Hertford	39
Hertford Heath	4
Hertingfordbury	1
Hunsdon	1
Little Berkhamsted	0
Little Munden	1
Much Hadham	2
Sacombe	0
Stanstead Abbots	3
Stanstead St Margarets	2
Stapleford	1
Tewin	2
Thundridge	2
Ware	30
Wareside	1
Watton-at-stone	3
Widford	1

Please note that the percentages refer to the percentage of places remaining - following application of criteria 1 to 4. These percentages are based on the average number of applications from each parish/unparished area or town between 2023 and 2025.

In the event of there being more applications than places available to a particular parish/unparished area or town, places will be allocated as follows:

**Rule 5** Girls who live in the priority area for whom Presdales is their nearest Hertfordshire maintained school or academy that is non-faith and non-partially selective and makes provision for girls. If more girls qualify under Rule 5 than places, the tiebreak would be those that live nearest to the school.

**Rule 6** Girls who live in the priority area for whom Presdales School is not the nearest Hertfordshire maintained non-faith, non-partially selective school or academy that makes provision for girls. If more girls qualify under Rule 6 than there are places available, places will be allocated to those who live closest to the school..

**Surplus places** - If a named parish does not use its full allocation, any surplus places will first be allocated to other parishes within the priority area that do not have a designated percentage allocation before other girls living in the priority areas. Places will be allocated to those who live closest to the school.

**Rule 7** Girls outside the priority area on a random basis

These rules are applied in the order they are printed above. If more girls qualify under a particular rule than there are places available, a tie-break will be used by applying the next rules to those girls.

### **Tiebreak**

When there is a need for a tie break where two different addresses are the same distance from a school, in the case of a block of flats for example, the lower door number will be deemed nearest as logically this will be on a lower floor and therefore closer. If there are two identical addresses of separate applicants, the tie break will be random. Every child entered onto the HCC admissions database has an individual random number assigned, between 1 and 1 million, against each preference school. When there is a need for a final tie break the random number is used to allocate the place, with the lowest number given priority.

### **Continuing Interest (waiting lists)**

After places have been offered, Hertfordshire County Council will maintain a continuing interest (waiting) list. A child's position on a CI list will be determined by the admission criteria outlined above and a child's place on the list can change as other children join or leave it. The county council will contact parents/carers if a vacancy becomes available and it can be offered to a child. Continuing interest lists will be maintained for every year group until the summer term (date to be specified and confirmed to parents at the time of allocation). To remain on the CI (waiting) list after this time, parents must confirm they are still interested in a place by completing an In Year application form

### **Fair Access**

**The academy will admit girls under the Fair Access Protocol before those on continuing interest, and over the Published Admission Number (PAN) if required.**

### **Secondary Transfer Application Form**

You can only apply online to the Authority where you live. The closing date for applications is 31<sup>st</sup> October 2026.

Hertfordshire residents must apply using Hertfordshire's online system at [www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/admissions) or on the Hertfordshire paper application form.

### **Appeals**

Parents wishing to appeal who applied through Hertfordshire's online system should log in to their online application and click on the link "register an appeal". Out of county residents and paper applicants should call the Customer Service Centre on 0300 123 4043 to request their registration details and log into [www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/schoolappeals](http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/schoolappeals) and click on the link "log into the appeals system".

### **In-Year Admissions**

Presdales will remain part of the County Council's coordinated In-Year admissions scheme. Application forms can be accessed via [www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/inyear](http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/inyear) or from the Customer Service Centre, 0300 123 4043. Parents should return the application form directly to the County Council (address on the form). To retain a place on the Continued Interest list, families must, at the end of each academic year, confirm their continuing interest by making an In-Year

application.

### **In Year Admissions**

Places will first be allocated in accordance with rules 1-4 above and then as follows:

- Rule 5: Girls who live in the priority area for whom it is their nearest Hertfordshire maintained school or academy that is non-faith, non-partially selective and makes provision for girls. If more children qualify under rules 1-5 than places are available, the tiebreak would be those that live closest to the school (see also tiebreak section above).
- Rule 6: Girls in the priority area who live nearest the school
- Rule 7: Girls outside the priority area on a random basis.

### **In-Year Admission Appeals:**

The county council will write to you with the outcome of your application and, if you have been unsuccessful, will include registration details to enable you to login and appeal online at [www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/schoolappeals](http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/schoolappeals)

### **Sixth Form Arrangements**

Presdales will admit up to 40 external students to its Sixth Form. The school will accept girls and boys into the Sixth Form.

All students will be expected to meet the entry requirements in three subjects as published each year in the Sixth Form prospectus. The entry requirements for individual subjects are reviewed each year and are published in advance on the school website at [presdales.herts.sch.uk/sixth-form](http://presdales.herts.sch.uk/sixth-form). The application form is reviewed each year to ensure that it is relevant and up to date. It can be found on the school website in advance of the application deadline. The proposed form (2027 entry) and proposed entry requirements (2027 entry) can be found at the end of this document.

If the school is oversubscribed, priority for external students will first be given to:

#### **Rule 1**

**Children in public care (Children Looked After)** and children who were previously looked after, including those children who appear (to the admission authority) to have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted (or became subject to a Child Arrangements Order or a special guardianship order)

#### **Rule 2**

**Sibling:** Children who have a sibling at the school at the time of application, unless the sibling is in the last year of the normal age-range of the school. (Note: the 'normal age range' for Presdales as an 11-18 school, is Years 7 to 13). A sibling must be expected to be on roll at Presdales at the time the younger child starts. A sibling link will not be recognised for children living temporarily in the same house, e.g. a child who usually lives with one parent but has temporarily moved or a Child Looked After in a respite placement of a very short term or bridging foster placement. (*Please see explanatory notes for a detailed explanation of 'sibling'*).

#### **Rule 3**

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a) a parent\* employed by the school as a member of staff on a permanent contract for a continuous period of two or more years at the date of application,

or

b) a parent\* who has been recruited to a vacant post at the school for which there is a demonstrable skills shortage.

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### **Rule 4**

#### **Distance from home to school**

#### **Tiebreak**

Where there is a need for a tie-breaker because two different addresses measure the same distance from a school:

- in the case of a block of flats, the lower door number will be deemed nearest as logically this will be on a lower floor and therefore closer,
- otherwise, including the case where two separate applicants give identical addresses, the tiebreak will be random. The random allocation will be determined by a draw, conducted by representatives from the school and trust board to ensure transparency and fairness.

This process will be independently verified.

#### **Sixth Form Appeals**

You have the right to appeal against the decision not to offer your child a place in the Sixth Form. You can lodge an appeal by contacting Hertfordshire Appeals Service by calling 0300 123 4043 or visit their website at [www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/schoolappeals](http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/schoolappeals)

#### **Explanatory notes**

***(For the purpose of all rules: Child/ren refers to girls only)***

**Rule 1: Children looked after and children who were previously looked after, including those children who appear (to the admission authority) to have been in state care outside of England, and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted. Previously looked after children are those who were looked after but ceased to be so because of being adopted or became subject to a child arrangements order<sup>1</sup> or a special guardianship order<sup>2</sup>.**

Places are allocated to children in public care according to Chapter 7, Section 2 of the School Admissions (Admission Arrangements and Co-ordination of Admission Arrangements) (England) Regulations 2012.

A "child looked after" is a child who is:

- a) in the care of a local authority, or
- b) being provided with accommodation by a local authority in the exercise of their social services functions (section 22(1) of The Children Act 1989)

All children adopted from care who are of compulsory school age are eligible for admission under rule 1.

Children in the process of being placed for adoption are classified by law as children looked after providing there is a Placement Order and the application would be prioritised under Rule 1.

Children who were not "looked after" **immediately** before being adopted, or made the subject of a child arrangement order or special guardianship order, **will not** be prioritised under rule 1. Applications made for these children, with suitable supporting professional evidence, can be considered under rule 2.

<sup>1</sup> *Child arrangements order*

*Under the provisions of the Children and Families Act 2014, which amended section 8 of the Children Act 1989, residence orders have now been replaced by child arrangements orders which settle the arrangements to be made as to the person with whom the child is to live.*

<sup>2</sup> *Special guardianship order*

*Under 14A of The Children Act 1989, an order appointing one or more individuals to be a child's special guardian or guardians.*

Children previously looked after abroad and subsequently adopted will be prioritised under Rule 1 if the child's previously looked after status and adoption is confirmed by Hertfordshire's "Virtual School".

The child's previously looked after status will be decided in accordance with the definition outlined in The Children & Social Work Act 2017:

- i. to have been in state care in a place outside England and Wales because she would not otherwise have been cared for adequately, and
- ii. to have ceased to be in that state care as a result of being adopted

A child is in "state care" if she is in the care of, or accommodated by –

- a. a public authority
- b. a religious organisation, or
- c. any other organisation the sole of main purpose of which is to benefit society

**Rule 2: Children for whom it can be demonstrated that they have a particular medical or social need to go to Presdales**

Rule 2 applications will only be considered at the time of the initial application, unless there has been a significant and exceptional change of circumstances within the family since the initial application was submitted.

**Presdales Trust Board has delegated Rule 2 decision-making to Hertfordshire County Council. Decisions will be made by a panel of 3 HCC officers and parents/carers will be notified of the outcome of their Rule 2 applications within 40 working days of the secondary transfer closing date.**

All schools in Hertfordshire have experience in dealing with children with diverse social and medical needs. However, in a few very exceptional cases, there are reasons why a child has to go to one specific school.

Few applications under Rule 2 are agreed.

All applications are considered individually but any application should include the following:

- a. Specific recent professional evidence that justifies why only Presdales can meet the child's individual needs, and/or
- b. Professional evidence that outlines exceptional family circumstances making clear why only Presdales can meet the child's needs
- c. If Presdales is not the nearest school to the child's home address, clear reasons why the nearest school is not appropriate
- d. For medical cases – a clear explanation of why the child's severity of illness or disability makes attendance at only Presdales School essential.

Evidence should make clear why only Presdales is appropriate.

A Rule 2 application will generally not be upheld in cases where more than one school could meet the child's need.

In exceptional cases relating to disability, where more than one school in the county can meet the child's

specific needs, a clear and compelling case can be made for the 'nearest' school with the relevant facilities, environment or location. You must clearly explain why attendance at the 'nearest' school with these facilities is essential.

Applications under Rule 2 can only be considered when supported by a recent letter from a professional involved with the child or family, for example, a doctor, psychologist or police officer. The supporting evidence needs to demonstrate why only Presdales can meet the social/medical needs of the child.

Applications for children previously 'looked after' but not meeting the specific criteria outlined in Rule 1, may be made under this rule.

Further details on the Rule 2 process can be found in the [Rule 2 protocol](#)

### **Definition of Sibling:**

A sibling at Presdales means the sister, brother, half-brother or half-sister, adopted brother or sister, or a child of the parent/carer or partner or a child looked after or previously looked after<sup>1</sup> and in every case living permanently<sup>2</sup> in a placement within the home as part of the family household from Monday to Friday at the time of this application.

A sibling must be on roll at Presdales School at the time the younger child starts or has been offered and accepted a place.

If a place is obtained for an older child using fraudulent information, there will be no sibling connection available to subsequent children from that family.

*<sup>1</sup> Children previously looked after are those children adopted or with a special guardianship order or child arrangements order. This definition was amended following a determination by the OSA in August 2014.*

*<sup>2</sup> A sibling link will not be recognised for children living temporarily in the same house, for example a child who usually lives with one parent but has temporarily moved or a looked after child in a respite placement or very short term or bridging foster placement.*

*If an applicant lives at more than one address, the sibling must also reside at the same address for the majority of the school week. The sibling's address will be verified by the school.*

### **Home Address:**

The address provided must be the child's current permanent address at the time of application.

- "At the time of application" means the closing date for applications
- "Permanent" means that the child has lived at that address for at least a year

Where a family has not lived at an address for a year, they must be able to demonstrate that they own the property or have a tenancy agreement for a minimum of 12 months\* and the child must be resident in the property at the time of application.

The application can only be processed using one address. If a child lives at more than one address (for example due to a separation) the address used will be the one where the child lives for the majority of the school week. If a child lives at two addresses equally, parents/carers should make a single joint application naming one address.

If the child's living arrangements change after you apply and they now spend the majority of the school week living at a different address, you must provide evidence of the new permanent address.

We may ask for proof of your address at any time. If, following an initial investigation and/or any investigation by the Shared Anti-Fraud Service, the county council concludes that, a fraudulent address has been used, correspondence confirming this decision will be sent to the applicant. We will explain the decision-making process and the action that will be taken with the application. We will also confirm which address will be used as the child's permanent home address for the admission allocation purposes.

If we receive more than one application with different address details and parents don't agree, parents/carers should provide court documentation to evidence the address that should be used for admission allocation purposes. If two applications are received, with different addresses, neither will be processed until the address issue is reconciled

If two different applications are received for the same child from the same address but contain different preferences, parents/carers will be invited to submit a joint application or provide court documentation to evidence the preferences that should be used for the admission process. Until the preference issue is reconciled neither application will be processed.

If duplicate applications are made to different LAs for the same child, those LAs will liaise and share information. The child's home LA will determine if the application will be processed.

For the transfer application rounds, if the initial differing applications (one or both) were received "on-time", an amended joint application will also be considered "on-time" if received before the "late deadline". If the amended joint application is received after the late date, it will be treated as "late". The late deadline for the 2027/28 transfer application process is 1 December 2026 for secondary schools. If this date changes, amendments will be published on the HCC admissions web pages at the start of the 2027/28 application process in September 2026.

*\* If, because of the nature of the agreement, it is not possible to provide a 12-month tenancy agreement, alternative proof of address will be requested and verified as necessary with the Shared Anti-Fraud Service.*

### **Home to school distance measurement**

A 'straight line' distance measurement system is used in all home to school distance measurements. Distances are measured using a computerised mapping system to two decimal places. The measurement is taken from the AddressBase Premium address point of the child's house to the address point of the school. AddressBase Premium data is a nationally recognized method of identifying the location of schools and individual residences.

### **Definition of "nearest school"**

For allocations under Rule 5 the "nearest school" is defined as the nearest Hertfordshire maintained school or academy that is non-faith, non-partially selective and catering for girls.

### **Twins/Multiple Births**

If one of your twins/multiple-birth children is offered the last place available at the school, and you have also made an application for your other twin/multiple birth child(ren), the school will go over its PAN by offering a place to the other twin/multiple birth child(ren). No further offers would be made from the continuing interest list until the number allocated drops below the PAN.

### **Fraudulent applications**

The school will work closely with Hertfordshire County Council to do as much as possible to prevent applications being made from fraudulent addresses, including referring cases to the Shared Anti-Fraud service for further investigation as necessary.

Address evidence is frequently requested, monitored and checked and school places will be withdrawn when false information is deliberately provided. Hertfordshire County Council will take action will be taken in the following circumstances:

- When a child's application address does not match the address of that child at their current school;
- When a child lives at a different address to the applicant;
- When the applicant does not have parental responsibility;
  
- When a family move shortly after the closing date of applications when one or more of the following applies:



- The family has moved to a property from which their application was less likely to be successful;
  - The family has returned to an existing property;
  - The family lived in rented accommodation for a short period of time (anything less than a year) over the application period;
  - Official/public records show an alternative residence at the time of application.
- When a child starts at the allocated school and their address is different from the address used at the time of application.

Parents/carers will need to show that they have relinquished residency ties with their previous property and they, and their child(ren), are permanently residing at the address given on the application form.

### **Address Visits**

Where suspicions lie as to the validity of an address, the Admissions and Transport Team may make unannounced visits to the applicant's claimed address or any other address suspected to be the normal permanent residence of the child's primary carer or the address where the child resides for the majority of the week. The aim of these visits is to verify that the address information provided on the application form is accurate. All visits will be made by two members of the Admissions & Transport Team.

If an address appears to be unoccupied at the time of a visit, a letter will be left confirming that an attempted visit took place. This letter will ask the occupant to contact the Admissions and Transport Team within 24 hours to confirm receipt of the letter and details of the occupant. It is reasonable to expect that an applicant living at the address stated on the application form can respond within 24 hours. If contact takes longer than 24 hours, the applicant will be asked to explain why and provide evidence why they did not respond within the specified time.

### **Applications from children\* from overseas**

All children of compulsory school age (5 to 16 years) in England have a right of access to education. However, where a child is in England for a short period only, for example less than half a term, it may be reasonable to refuse admission to a school.

An application for a school place will only be accepted for such children currently overseas if, for In Year applications, proof is provided that the child will be resident in Hertfordshire within two weeks. In Year allocations are made on the assumption that the child will accept the school place and be on roll within that timescale.

For Secondary Transfer processes, applications will not normally be accepted from, nor places allocated to, an overseas address. The exception to this (for both In-Year and transfer processes) is for children of UK service personnel and crown servants (and from military families who are residents of countries with a Memorandum of Understanding with the UK). In these cases, HCC will allocate a place in advance of the family arriving in the area provided the application is accompanied by an official letter that declares a relocation date and a HCC Unit postal address or quartering area address, for consideration of the application against oversubscription criteria.

Applications will also be considered, and places offered in advance for these families, if the application is accompanied by an official letter that declares a relocation date but does not provide a quartering or unit address because the family will be residing in private accommodation. In these cases, if the family does not already have a permanent private address in Hertfordshire, the military base or alternative "work" address in Hertfordshire will be used for allocation purposes. If the family already has an established alternative private address, that address will be used for admission purposes as long as the parents provide evidence of the address and that the child will be living there.

HCC will also consider accepting applications from children\* whose family can evidence intent to return to and/or permanently reside in Hertfordshire prior to the start of the new academic year. These applications, if accepted, will

be processed from the overseas address until sufficient evidence is received to show the child is permanently resident in Hertfordshire. Evidence must be submitted at the time of application.

Evidence submitted after the date for late applications (1<sup>st</sup> December 2026) cannot be considered before National Allocation Day. Decisions on these applications will be made by an officer panel and communicated to parents within 6 weeks of receipt.

If an applicant owns a property in Hertfordshire but is not living in it, perhaps because they are working abroad at the time of application, the Hertfordshire address will not be accepted for the purposes of admission until the child is resident at that address.

Children from overseas, other than those mentioned above, do not generally have automatic right of entry to the UK. An application for a school place will not therefore be accepted until they are permanently resident in Hertfordshire. Proof of residency such as an endorsed passport or entry visa will be required with the application, in addition to proof of Hertfordshire address, for example a council tax bill or 12-month rental agreement.

*\*Children who hold full British Citizen passports (not British Dependent Territories or British Overseas passports) or have a UK passport describing them as a British citizen or British subject with the right of abode and normally have unrestricted entry to the UK. Freedom of movement into the UK for European Economic Area and Swiss citizens ended at the end of 2020. EEA (Irish citizens aside) and Swiss national children entering the UK after the end of 2020 are now treated the same as other foreign nationals. This means they will no longer have the right to enter the country to access a state-funded school unless they fall within certain immigration categories. Find out more about visas and immigration and the EU Settlement Scheme for European Economic Area and Swiss citizens*

### **Children Out of Year Group**

Presdales' policy is for children to be educated within their correct chronological year group, with the curriculum differentiated as necessary to meet the needs of individual children. This is in line with DfE guidance which states that "in general, children should be educated in their normal age group".

If parents/carers believe their child(ren) should be educated in a different year group they should, at the time of application, submit supporting evidence from relevant professionals working with the child and family stating why the child must be placed outside their normal age appropriate cohort. DfE guidance makes clear that "it is reasonable for admission authorities to expect parents to provide them with information in support of their request – since without it they are unlikely to be able to make a decision on the basis of the circumstances of the case".

HCC is responsible for making this decision.

# Presdales School Sixth Form

## Entry Requirements by Subject 2027 (provisional)



Subject	If the subject has been studied at GCSE we require:	If the subject has not been studied at GCSE we require:
Art	GCSE grade 6 in Art	
Biology	GCSE grade 6 in GCSE Biology or 66 in Combined Science	
Business	GCSE grade 5 in Business	GCSE grade 5 in English Language and English Literature and Mathematics
Chemistry	GCSE grade 6 in GCSE Chemistry or 66 in Combined Science GCSE grade 6 in GCSE Mathematics	
Design & Technology: Fashion and Textiles	GCSE grade 6 in Design & Technology	
Design & Technology: Product design	GCSE grade 6 in Design & Technology	
Drama & Theatre	GCSE grade 5 in Drama and Theatre Studies	GCSE grade 5 in English Language and English Literature and Mathematics
Economics	GCSE grade 6 in Business	GCSE grade 6 in English Language and English Literature and Mathematics
English Lang and Lit	GCSE grade 5 in English Language and English Literature	
English Literature	GCSE grade 5 in English Language and English Literature	
French	GCSE grade 6 in French	
Geography	GCSE grade 6 in Geography	
German	GCSE grade 6 in German	
Government & Politics		GCSE grade 5 in English Language and English Literature
History	GCSE grade 6 in History	
Italian	GCSE grade 6 in Italian	
Mathematics	GCSE grade 7 in Mathematics	
Mathematics Further	GCSE grade 8 in Mathematics <i>This must be taken as a 4<sup>th</sup> A Level</i>	
Media Studies		GCSE grade 5 in English Language and Literature.
Music	GCSE grade 6 in Music	GCSE grade 5 in English Language and Literature To be able to read Music and be a strong performer on an instrument or voice
Philosophy & Ethics	GCSE grade 5 in RE	GCSE grade 5 in English Language or English Literature
Photography		A portfolio of work needs to be submitted before entry onto the course.
Physical Education	GCSE grade 6 in PE	GCSE grade 6 in Combined Science or Biology. To be able to perform at a high level practically in at least one sport
Physics	GCSE grade 6 in Physics or 66 Combined Science GCSE grade 6 in Mathematics	
Psychology		GCSE grade 5 in Mathematics GCSE grade 6 in English Language and English Literature English GCSE grade 5 in Biology or 55 in Combined Science
Russian	GCSE grade 6 in Russian	
Sociology	GCSE grade 5 in Sociology	GCSE grade 5 in English Language and English Literature
Spanish	GCSE grade 6 in Spanish	

**Presdales School**  
**Sixth Form Application Form 2027 (provisional)**



**1. Personal information**

<b>Name</b>			
<b>Address</b>			
<b>Email</b>		<b>Tel No.</b>	
<b>DOB</b>		<b>Mobile No.</b>	
<b>Current School</b>		<b>Current Headteacher</b>	

**2. Course choices**

Specify up to three choices from the subjects described in the Course Information booklet. Please list in **strict order of preference**, together with one reserve choice.

<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	
<b>Reserve</b>	

If you have chosen **Mathematics above**, please indicate if you would **also** wish to study Further Mathematics as a **fourth** Advanced Level subject:

<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
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*(Please circle choice)*

**Extended Project Qualification (EPQ)**

Please indicate if you would also like to apply to study for an EPQ on an agreed topic of your choosing:

<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
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*(Please circle choice)*

**3. Current subjects studied**

<b>1</b>		<b>7</b>	
<b>2</b>		<b>8</b>	
<b>3</b>		<b>9</b>	
<b>4</b>		<b>10</b>	
<b>5</b>		<b>11</b>	
<b>6</b>		<b>12</b>	

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