

A photograph of a classroom with several rows of empty desks and chairs, viewed from a slightly elevated angle. The lighting is soft, and the colors are muted.

GCSE English Resit

GCSE Edexcel

The Course

Any students who do not gain GCSE grade 4 and above in English (Language or Literature) are required by law to resit the English Language qualification. The course taught and examined in the Sixth Form is the Edexcel course which is also examined in Year 11.

In order to maximise the other options available, GCSE resit classes are taught during enrichment and home study sessions. **These are compulsory for students who have not achieved a Grade 4 or above; this is considered to be a condition of entry into the Sixth Form.**

For more information on the course, please visit the GCSE English website: <https://www.edexcel.org.uk/qualifications/gcse/english/>

Assessment

The assessment routes for the resit GCSE courses are the same as those taken during year 11.

Entry Requirements

Any student not achieving GCSE grade 4+ in either English Language or English Literature must resit English Language.

Careers & Higher Education

Good grades in GCSE English are required by virtually all employers; Universities usually require Grade 5 or even Grade 6 for entry

"Without language, one cannot talk to people and understand them; one cannot share their hopes and aspirations, grasp their history, appreciate their poetry, or savour their songs."

Nelson Mandela

