



Altrinckham Grammar School for Girls

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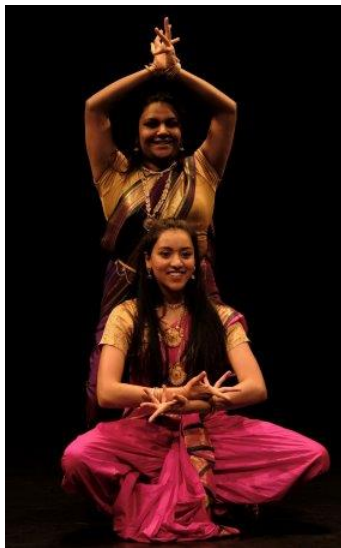
Proud to be part of:



The Sixth Form

Sixth Form

'An exciting phase of school life, where the uniqueness of each student is celebrated and nurtured by talented and dedicated staff'



Sixth Form

With over 350 students, the Sixth Form at AGGS offers an excellent learning environment for purposeful study. A balance is struck between independent and directed learning, which is ideal preparation for university or employment.

Students enjoy a more informal atmosphere but are also expected to maintain high standards of attendance, punctuality, behaviour and work.



Sixth Form Curriculum

3 linear A Level subjects in Year 12 &
Year 13

EPQ

Core maths



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Sixth Form Curriculum

Art & Design

Biology

Business

Chemistry

Computing

Drama & Theatre Studies

Economics

English language

English literature

Geography

History (2 different courses)

Mathematics

Mathematics Further

MFL; German

MFL; Spanish

MFL; French

Music

Physics

Psychology

Religious Studies



What subjects can I choose

All subject combinations are considered.

Changes made after February 2026 cannot form part of our timetable planning.

Subject changes may be requested in September 2026 but cannot always be guaranteed as the timetable is fixed and classes may be full.

No subject changes after September 2026.



Entry Requirements

- Minimum of four GCSEs at grade 7 or above and two at grade 6.
- Minimum of grade 6 in English language and mathematics.
- Grades 7, 8 or 9, are required in the relevant GCSE subject to be studied at A Level.



Oversubscription

Priority is firstly given to students who are existing pupils of the school.

Our oversubscription criteria are, in order:

- applicants who are looked after, or previously looked after;
- applicants who reside within the catchment area who are in receipt of pupil premium;
- applicants who reside within the catchment area and who will have a sister at the school at the time of the applicant's proposed admission;
- applicants within the catchment area.



Applications

Must be made through our on-line application system. Find the link on the sixth form area of our website.

You must include:

- personal details
- subject choices
- predicted GCSE grades*
- a short personal statement.

*Evidence must be provided at the time of application. We are unable to contact other schools on your behalf to obtain this information.

Deadline: 3.30pm on Friday 9 January 2026.



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Application



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Sixth Form Dress Code



Admissions

Admissions to Advanced Level Courses

Entry to courses is by application from November to January of the preceding year of entry.

Our 6th Form Open Evening will take place on Thursday 13th November 2025 from 6.00pm – 8.00pm

Applications for Sixth Form Entry 2026

Applications for Sixth Form Entry 2026 open on Friday 14 November 2025

Please click on the link below to apply for our Sixth Form

<https://aggs.applicaa.com/year12>



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Beyond the curriculum

Within the sixth form and as part of the much larger school community, there are opportunities for everyone. Students are encouraged to take advantage of them or establish new opportunities for others to share. Examples include;

- Working with younger students as a peer or subject mentor
- Completing an Extended Project Qualification (EPQ)
- Being a member of the student leadership teams
- Taking part in Young Enterprise or the Bar National Mock Trial
- Completing Duke of Edinburgh
- Attending or running student clubs such as Eng Soc, debate society, dance clubs, STEM club
- Volunteering in the local community
- Attending conferences, lectures and university open days
- Undertaking work experience



Academic Support

Subject specialist teachers

Smaller teaching groups

Academic monitoring programme

Subject specific help sessions

Sixth Form library

Subject mentors

Contact with home (Parents' evening, phone calls)



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Facilities – Sixth Form Common Room



Facilities – Sixth Form Cafe



Facilities – Sixth Form Library



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Pastoral Provision



Superb teachers, form tutors and advisors

- Sixth Form Senior Tutors
- Post-18 Options co-ordinator

Associate staff

- Mrs Quigley and Mrs Egan



Pastoral support

Smaller form and subject tutor groups

Senior tutors and Head of Sixth Form

External counsellors

42nd Street counselling support

Educational Psychology Team

Range of external services



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Pastoral support

Range of talks and activities throughout Year 12 & 13, including;

- Drugs and alcohol education
- Sexual health education
- Drive awareness
- Addiction
- Emotional wellbeing
- Voting and the political system
- First aid
- Sports day



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Home School Agreement

Detailed in the Sixth Form Prospectus

- Attendance
- Punctuality
- Dress code
- High expectations
- Commitment to study



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Beyond the Sixth Form

- Gap year
- University
- Employment
- Higher level apprenticeships with companies such as KPMG, PWC, Dyson or IBM
- Art foundation courses
- Dance and drama schools
- Foreign university study



Post 18 options programme



What subjects should I choose?

Enjoyment / interest

Aptitude

Forward planning

Keep options open



Extract from OFSTED Report 2022

“Pupils and students at Altrincham Grammar School for Girls ...leave the school remarkably well placed to thrive in a modern society. Pupils, including students in the sixth form, benefit from extremely supportive relationships with their teachers.

Pupils and students are ambitious about their next steps. They benefit from high-quality and impartial careers advice. This inspires pupils and students to be the best that they can be. A large proportion of students in the sixth form secure places on highly competitive degree courses at university, such as medicine and dentistry.”

