

UCAS Tariff points for 2027 entry: the table

From the UCAS Tariff tables for 2027 entry (ucas.com, read 27 October 2026). Points depend on the qualification's size and the grade. An AS in a subject completed as a full A level is not counted. Universities decide whether they use the Tariff and which qualifications they accept.

Qualification	Grades and points
A level	A* 56, A 48, B 40, C 32, D 24, E 16
A level Double Award	A*A* 112, A*A 104, AA 96, AB 88, BB 80, BC 72, CC 64, CD 56, DD 48, DE 40, EE 32
AS level	A 20, B 16, C 12, D 10, E 6
Extended Project (EPQ)	A* 28, A 24, B 20, C 16, D 12, E 8
Core Maths (Mathematical Studies)	A 20, B 16, C 12, D 10, E 6
BTEC National Extended Diploma (3 A levels in size)	D*D*D* 168, D*D*D 160, D*DD 152, DDD 144, DDM 128, DMM 112, MMM 96, MMP 80, MPP 64, PPP 48
BTEC National Diploma (2 A levels in size)	D*D* 112, D*D 104, DD 96, DM 80, MM 64, MP 48, PP 32
BTEC National Extended Certificate (1 A level in size)	D* 56, D 48, M 32, P 16
T Level (full)	Distinction* 168, Distinction 144, Merit 120, Pass (core A* to C) 96, Pass (core D or E) 72
IB certificate, Higher Level	7 = 56, 6 = 48, 5 = 40, 4 = 32, 3 = 24, 2 = 16, 1 = 12
IB certificate, Standard Level	7 = 28, 6 = 24, 5 = 20, 4 = 16, 3 = 12, 2 = 8, 1 = 6
IB Extended Essay certificate	A 12, B 10, C 8, D 6, E 4
Scottish Higher / Advanced Higher	Higher A 33, B 27, C 21, D 15; Advanced Higher A 56, B 48, C 40, D 32
Cambridge Pre-U Principal Subject	D1 and D2 56, D3 52, M1 44, M2 40, M3 36, P1 28, P2 24, P3 20

Three-A-level equivalents

Grades	Points	BTEC Extended Diploma	T Level
A*A*A*	168	D*D*D*	Distinction*
A*AA	152	D*DD	
AAA	144	DDD	Distinction
AAB	136		
ABB	128	DDM	
BBB	120		Merit
BBC	112	DMM	
BCC	104		
CCC	96	MMM	Pass (core A* to C)
CDD	80	MMP	
DDD	72		Pass (core D or E)
EEE	48	PPP	

Add up your points

Worksheet

Qualification	Subject	Grade (actual or predicted)	Points (table)
Total			

Rules

- [] Only full qualifications count once: an AS you went on to complete as an A level is not counted; an AS in a dropped fourth subject is
- [] Offers in grades ('AAA including Mathematics') ignore points; offers in points usually say 'from three A levels' and mean exactly that
- [] Not every qualification is on the Tariff, and a university can accept one that is not, or decline one that is; read the course page
- [] GCSEs are not on the Tariff; they appear in entry requirements separately (usually grade 4 or 5 in English and maths)
- [] Offers are made on predicted grades; results day decides whether they are met

What the totals say

In the 2026 results 28.3% of A level results in England were A* or A, so three grades at A or above (144 points and up) is roughly the top quarter of each subject; three Bs (120) is a little above the middle. A DMM Extended Diploma is 112, the same as BBC; a Distinction T Level is 144, the same as AAA.

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