

### Year 12 Initial Assessment

Following Initial Assessment week, students must be awarded an ATL grade as described below. This grade will allow the Sixth Form team and subject staff to ensure students are studying courses that are most suited to them and therefore ones which will maximise their chance of success at A Level. This ATL grade should reflect:

- Performance in Summer Task
- Performance in class and quality of homework
- Performance in Initial Assessment

ATL	Description
1	<b>This student has performed excellently in all the tasks set. They have applied an extremely high level of effort in the subject so far. Their attitude to learning has been first rate and they have shown a mature and independent approach to study. This student is, unquestionably, suited to the course and is highly likely to meet their potential in it.</b>
2	<b>This student has performed well in most tasks set. They have applied a good level of effort in the subject so far. Their attitude to learning has been good and they are beginning to understand the independent approach needed for study in A Levels. The student is likely to meet their potential in the course and is well suited to study it.</b>
3	<b>This student has had a mixed performance. Their level of effort has not always met the levels required but they are beginning to show that they understand how to improve. Their attitude to study has been mixed, with some lack of focus. This student could achieve a grade in the subject but some changes in approach are needed.</b>
4	<b>This student has shown little potential in the subject and is not likely to pass. They have not applied the necessary levels of effort. Or, they have not got a secure enough grasp of the basics in the subject to achieve at this level, despite working hard.</b>