



## Making informed subject choices

It's not always easy to decide what combination of subjects to study at advanced or higher level.

**A** What do you need to consider when making your choices? Talk to your neighbour and come up with at least three things you need to take into account:

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| <b>1</b> | _____ |
| <b>2</b> | _____ |
| <b>3</b> | _____ |

**B** Visit [www.which.co.uk/aleveldecisions](http://www.which.co.uk/aleveldecisions) to read the article entitled 'Six things you need to know before making your A-level choices'. For each of the sections below, come up with one sentence that summarises the main points you would want to pass on to a friend.

**1** Certain uni courses will look for specific A-levels

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**2** Taking certain A-levels will open up more university course options

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**3** A-levels are a lot tougher than GCSEs

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**4 Some courses and unis have lists of subjects they don't accept**

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**5 Know myth from reality**

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**6 Many unis and courses will consider you whatever you choose**

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**C** Now go to [www.which.co.uk/aleveexplorer](http://www.which.co.uk/aleveexplorer) and see what degree ideas your various subject combinations could give you.

What are your top three?

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**2** \_\_\_\_\_

**3** \_\_\_\_\_