# A Level Politics



#### **Subject Overview**

Politics is the activities associated with the governance of a country or area, especially the debate between parties having power. At Oasis Hadley we study the Edexcel Politics A level course.

Key topics explored in A level Politics:

- Democracy and Participation
- Political Parties
- Voting Behaviour and the Media
- Parliament
- Judiciary
- Political Ideologies
- US Politics

### **Subject Information**

<u>Paper 1</u>: People and Politics – 2 hours

Paper 2: Governing the UK - 2 hours

Paper 3: Comparative Politics USA - 2 hours

#### **Jobs directly related to Politics include:**

- <u>Civil Service fast streamer</u>
- Government social research officer
- Politician's assistant
- Public affairs consultant
- Public relations account executive
- Social researcher

#### Jobs where Politics would be useful include:

- Business development manager
- Diplomatic service officer
- Local government officer
- Marketing executive
- Newspaper journalist
- Public relations officer
- Stockbroker

## **Course requirements:**

5 or more GCSE passes, including, English, Mathematics and Science, grade 5 or above to study A level Politics

## **Alumni destinations:**

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London School of Economics – Politics

Kings College London – Politics

University of Warwick - Politics

University of Warwick - Law