

Level 3 Mathematics Year 1: Key Information

Exam Information

Exam Board and Specification Number

Pearson Edexcel: 8MA0

Link to exam board specification website

<https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-a-levels/mathematics-2017.html#tab-0>

How is the Subject Assessed?

These are the Unit Codes and their percentage weighting in Year 1

Paper 1: 8MA0/01 [62.5%]

Assessed by a 2 hour examination in the Summer Term

Paper 2: 8MA0/02 [37.5%]

Assessed by a 1hr 15min examination in the Summer Term

If students are on an A Level programme the above exams will be internally assessed

Year 1

These are the Units of Work / Modules we study in Year 1

Unit 1: Pure Mathematics: Topics you will study include: Proof, Algebra and functions, Coordinate geometry in the (x, y) plane, Sequences and series, Trigonometry, Exponentials and logarithms, Differentiation, Integration, and Vectors.

Unit 2: Statistics and Mechanics: Topics you will study include: Statistical sampling, Data presentation and interpretation, Probability, Statistical distribution, Statistical hypothesis testing, Quantities and units in mechanics, Kinematics, and Forces and Newton's laws

Entry Requirements

[Click here to access Mathematics Enrolment Task](#)

The minimum entry requirement will be six GCSE qualifications at grade 5 - 9 including English Language and grade 7 in Mathematics.

Useful Resources for this subject

Links to useful resources to prepare you for this subject

[Glossary of Technical Terminology](#)

[Recommended Text Books](#)

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Progression

Progression Route, Higher Education & Career opportunities

Students will progress into Year 2 during which you have the opportunity to gain an A Level qualification in this subject.

Level 3 qualifications in Mathematics will enable students to enter degree courses related to statistics, finance, engineering and medicine.

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Level 3 Mathematics Year 2: Key Information

Exam Information

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How is the Subject Assessed?

These are the Unit Codes and their percentage weighting in Year 2

Paper 1: 9MA0/01 [33.3%]	Assessed by a 2 hour examination in the Summer Term
Paper 2: 9MA0/02 [33.3%]	Assessed by a 2 hour examination in the Summer Term
Paper 3: 9MA0/03 [33.3%]	Assessed by a 2 hour examination in the Summer Term

Year 2

These are the Units of Work / Modules we study in Year 2

Unit 1: Pure Mathematics 1

As well as revision of Year 1 topics, other topics you will study include: Numerical methods.

Unit 2: Pure Mathematics 2

As well as revision of Year 1 topics, other topics you will study include: Numerical methods

Unit 3: Statistics and Mechanics

As well as revision of Year 1 topics, other topics you will study include: Moments.

Entry Requirements

[Mathematics Transition Task](#)

The minimum entry requirement is a D grade pass at AS Level [Year 1]

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