GCSE Mathematics: Key Information

Exam Information

Exam Board and Specification Number

Pearson Edexcel: Level 2 GCSE (9-1) in Mathematics (1MA1)

Link to exam board specification website

https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/mathematics-2015.html

How is the Subject Assessed?

These are the Units and the minimum credits needed to achieve a pass grade
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Unit 1: 1MA1/1F	Assessed by a 1 hour 30 minute examination - Non-Calculator
Unit 2: 1MA1/2F	Assessed by a 1 hour 30 minute examination - Calculator Allowed
Unit 3: 1MA1/3F	Assessed by a 1 hour 30 minute examination - Calculator Allowed

Year 12 [One Year Programme]

These are the Units of Work / Modules we study in Year 12

Unit 1: Externally assessed (1 hour and 30 minutes) – 80 marks available

This paper includes Number, Algebra, ratios, Proportion and rates of change, Geometry and measures, probability and Statistics.

Unit 2: Calculator allowed and externally assessed (1 hour and 30 minutes) – 80 marks available This paper includes Number, Algebra, ratios, Proportion and rates of change, Geometry and measures, probability and Statistics.

Unit 3: Calculator allowed and externally assessed (1 hour and 30 minutes) – 80 marks available This paper includes Number, Algebra, ratios, Proportion and rates of change, Geometry and measures, probability and Statistics.

Entry Requirements

Click here to access the GCSE Mathematics Enrolment Task

In a majority of cases students will have achieved a grade 1 - 3 in GCSE Mathematics.

Useful Resources for this subject

Links to useful resources to prepare you for this subject

Course Handbook https://www.pearsonactivelearn.com/app/library

Mathswatch: https://vle.mathswatch.co.uk/vle/browse

Mymaths: https://app.mymaths.co.uk/myportal/library/9/95/intro
Past Exam Papers https://www.mathsgenie.co.uk/gcse.html

Progression

Progression Route, Higher Education & Career opportunities

A grade 4 - 9 GCSE qualification in Mathematics will enable students to enter a range of Level 3 courses which include A Levels, BTec courses and Apprenticeships.

Click here for information on Careers in Mathematics