

A Level Sociology

Exam board & Specification Number	AQA 7191
Qualification Accreditation Number (QAN)	60139948
Link to Course Details Webpage	AQA
Duration, Delivery and Study Mode	Two Years Full Time Day Time Study
Start Date (not flexible) and Campus	01 September from Stanley Avenue & Ealing Road Campus

Course Details: Who is this Course for?

This course is for students progressing from GCSE into Level 3 (A Level or Equivalent) studies, with a view to study this subject or related subjects at degree level.

Course Details: What Will You Learn?

Year 1	Unit 1 - Education with Methods in context Topics you will study include: Education, including the education system, relationships within schools, the significance of educational policies, differential educational achievement of social groups, and applying sociological research methods to the study of education. Unit 2 - Research Methods and Topics in Sociology Topics you will study include: Research methods and Work, welfare and poverty.
Year 2	Unit 1 - Education with Theory and Methods: Alongside the revision of Year 1 topics, topics you will study: Theory and Methods, this includes consensus, conflict, structural and social action theories, the concepts of modernity and post-modernity in relation to sociological theory, positivism and interpretivism. Unit 2 - Topics in Sociology: Work, Welfare and Poverty (Year 12) and Media (Year 13). Unit 3 - Crime and Deviance with Theory and Methods: Topics you will study include: Research Methods and Crime and Deviance, including social order and control, distribution of crime by social groups; prevention, punishment and the role of the criminal justice system; globalisation and crime in contemporary society; the media and crime; green crime; human rights and state crimes.

Course Details: How will you be Assessed?

These are the Unit Codes and their percentage weighting at AS Level:

Paper 1: 7192/1 [33.3%]	Assessed by a 2 hour internal examination in the Summer Term.
Paper 2: 7192/2 [33.3%]	Assessed by a 2 hour internal examination in the Summer Term
Paper 3: 7192/3 [33.3%]	Assessed by a 2 hour internal examination in the Summer Term

Course Details: Entry Requirements

Please see our [webpage](#) for details of our course entry requirements.

Students must achieve a D grade or higher at the end of Year 12 in order to progress into Year 2 of this course.

Additional Course Information

Course Details: How will you Learn?

Delivery Mode:

- ☐ Classroom based teaching
- ☐ Flipped Learning based independent study

Course Details: Equipment / Materials you will need

- ☐ Textbook: Sociology for AQA Volume 1: AS and first year A Level
- ☐ A4 Folder
- ☐ Writing lined Paper and relevant stationary
- ☐ All other equipment will be provided to you by the school

How can I prepare for and explore this course further?

- ☐ [Glossary of Technical Terminology](#)
- ☐ [Recommended Text Book](#)
- ☐ [Past Exam Papers Sociology](#)
- ☐ [Related Articles](#)
- ☐ [Sociology VIP Zone](#)

Careers & Progression (Where Next)?

Career ideas and Progression route:

Level 3 qualifications in Sociology will enable students to enter degree & degree level courses that involve any person and research centred profession.

[Click here for information on Careers in Sociology](#)