



Course Specifications

Course Title: GCSE Sociology

Exam Board: AQA

Link to specification:

<https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/resources/sociology/specifications/AQA-8192-SP-2017.PDF>

Grading: 9-1

Course Details

What will you learn?

Year 10

Autumn

Introduction to Sociology

Families and Households

Spring

Families and Households

Research Methods

Education

Summer

Education

Year 11

Autumn

Crime and Deviance

Spring

Social Stratification

Summer

N/A GCSE Examination

How will you be assessed?

During the Course

Year 10:

End of unit assessments at the end of each topic to assess students' learning. Additionally, students will sit a Mid-Year and End of Year exam.



Year 11:

End of unit assessments at the end of each topic to assess students' learning. Additionally, students will sit PPE1 and PPE2 examinations.

At the end of the course:

Your final grade will be awarded based on the following examinations and / or coursework.

Paper 1: The Sociology of Families and Education (50% towards your final grade)

Paper 2: Crime and Deviance and Social Stratification (50% towards your final grade)

100% examination

What independent work can you do?

Learn:

Glossary of Key Terms (Google Classroom)

RAG and Revisit:

PLCs (VIP zone and Google Classroom)

Explore:

www.curriculum-press.co.uk

Revise:

Create mind maps at the end of each unit

Retrieval questions

Question banks

Past papers

Key term retrieval cards

Prepare:

Exam papers

<https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/sociology/gcse/sociology-8192/assessment-resources>

Which resources should you use?

Textbooks, websites, online resources

AQA GCSE Sociology (9-1) textbook- Collins

An Introduction to Sociology, 5th Edition - Ken Browne

AQA GCSE Sociology (9-1) Revision guide- Collins

Quizlet.com (Quiz)

Seneca