



Core Subjects: English, Maths and Science

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English Language	<p>English Language Paper 1 <i>Explorations in Creative Reading and Writing</i></p> <p>English Language Paper 2 <i>Writers' Viewpoints and Perspectives</i></p>	AQA	<p>Since September all students have been working through weekly revision homeworks. To be successful in the summer, students should now:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Give 100% in English lessons and complete all homework tasks. ● Check that they have watched all GCSEPods on English Language and made revision notes (e.g. mind-maps / Cornell notes). ● Watch Mr Bruff's YouTube videos and make notes on the top tips for each paper and question. ● Complete past papers (teachers can provide these and they can also be found on Google Classroom and the AQA website). ● Attend any Exam Support sessions they are invited to.
English Literature	<p>English Literature Paper 1: <i>Macbeth and A Christmas Carol</i></p> <p>English Literature Paper 2: <i>An Inspector Calls, Power and Conflict Poetry and Unseen Poetry</i></p>	AQA	<p>Again, weekly revision tasks have focused on all four components of the Eng Lit course. To be successful in the summer, students should now:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Give 100% in English lessons and complete all remaining homework tasks. ● Attend any intervention they are invited to. ● Check they have made revision notes (mind-map / Cornell notes) on all texts that we've studied. ● Create flash cards for each text / poem, focusing on the plot, key characters, key quotations, language and structural points and key context. ● Complete past papers (teachers can provide these and mock questions have been added to Google Classroom). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Catch up on any poems / texts missed due to absence by using their own revision guides or the resources on Google Classroom / GCSEPod / YouTube (Mr Bruff). ● For extra knowledge, students can watch Mr Bruff's YouTube videos and make notes on the top tips - he has videos for each of the texts and poems. ● Students can also use the following revision website to recap knowledge of texts and poems: https://www.physicsandmathstutor.com/english/revision/gcse-aqa/

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Maths	<p>Each paper is out of 80 marks and lasts for 1 hour 30 minutes.</p> <p>Paper 1 (non-calculator)</p> <p>Paper 2 (calculator)</p> <p>Paper 3 (calculator)</p>	AQA	<p>Attend Tuesday after school sessions and do weekly revision by completing practice questions using any/all of the following resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sparx Maths • corbettmaths.com • mrbartonmaths.com • mathsgenie.co.uk <p>Students are also being provided with past papers to complete in class and at home.</p> <p>Any topics which students find difficult should be discussed with their class teacher to enable greater understanding.</p>
Further Maths	<p>Level 2 Certificate Further Maths Non Calculator and Calculator Paper</p> <p>Each paper is out of 80 marks and lasts for 1 hour 45 minutes</p>	AQA	<p>Attend Thursday after school sessions and do weekly revision by completing practice questions using any/all of the following resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • www.corbettmaths.com - Further maths practice questions • https://www.1stclassmaths.com/l2-further-maths - Practice questions and videos <p>Complete homework booklet each week, which can be used for revision as well</p> <p>Any topics which students find difficult should be discussed with their class teacher to enable greater understanding.</p>

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Combined Science: Trilogy	<p>Each paper will be out of 70 marks and last 1 hour and 15 minutes:</p> <p>For all papers you will need to bring a pen, pencil, ruler and calculator.</p> <p>For Physics paper 2 you will also need to bring a protractor and a compass.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biology - Papers 1 and 2 • Chemistry - Papers 1 and 2 • Physics - Papers 1 and 2 	AQA	<div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p>The QR code above can be scanned using your phone camera and will take you to a Google Drive folder where you can access:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Checklists • Revision mats • Past papers from AQA: https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/science-8484/assessment-resources <p>To help with revision for the content of the papers and not exam practice, use the following websites and resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SaveMyExams (AQA): https://www.savemyexams.co.uk/gcse/ • BBC Bitesize (AQA Combined Trilogy): https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/z6r997h • Videos from Free Science Lessons on YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/c/Freesciencelessons • Videos from Cognito on YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/c/Cognitoedu • Videos from kayscience on YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/c/KayScience

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Triple Science: Biology	<p>Each paper will be out of 100 marks and last 1 hour and 45 minutes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biology Paper 1 • Biology Paper 2 <p>For both papers you will need to bring a pen, pencil, ruler and calculator.</p>	AQA	
Triple Science: Chemistry	<p>Each paper will be out of 100 marks and last 1 hour and 45 minutes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chemistry Paper 1 • Chemistry Paper 2 <p>For both papers you will need to bring a pen, pencil, ruler and calculator.</p>		<p>The QR code above can be scanned using your phone camera and will take you to a Google Drive folder where you can access:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Checklists • Revision mats • Past papers from AQA: <p>Biology: https://www.aqa.org.uk/find-past-papers-and-mark-schemes?q=biology</p> <p>Chemistry: https://www.aqa.org.uk/find-past-papers-and-mark-schemes?q=chemistry</p> <p>Physics: https://www.aqa.org.uk/find-past-papers-and-mark-schemes?q=physics</p>
Triple Science: Physics	<p>Each paper will be out of 100 marks and last 1 hour and 45 minutes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physics Paper 1 • Physics Paper 2 <p>For both papers you will need to bring a pen, pencil, ruler and calculator.</p> <p>For Physics paper 2 you will also need to bring a protractor and a compass.</p>		<p>To help with revision for the content of the papers and not exam practice, use the following websites and resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SaveMyExams (AQA): https://www.savemyexams.co.uk/gcse/ • BBC Bitesize: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Biology: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z9ddmp3 ○ Chemistry: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/z8xfrnb ○ Physics: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zsc9Rdm • Videos from Free Science Lessons on YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/c/FreeScienceLessons • Videos from Cognito on YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/@Cognitoedu • Videos from kayscience on YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/@KayScience

Options Subjects

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3D Design	Coursework deadline: All coursework and exam work due for official exams which take place the week beginning 27th April.	AQA	N/A
Art & Design		AQA	
Art & Photography		AQA	
Business Studies	Paper 1 Theme 1: Investigating Small Business Paper 2: Growing a Business	Edexcel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create mind maps, flashcards and Cornell Notes covering business concepts and key terms • Find links between the topics • Link Business topics to assessment criteria - for example: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Added Value AO 1 Knowledge and understanding - know what it is • AO 2 Context how might this apply to certain businesses • AO 3 Analyse the impact (BLT) 5 interconnected links of analysis • AO 3b Evaluation, which is likely to have the biggest impact and why • Seneca Learning • Padlet - Video links and topic checklists https://padlet.com/jkelly91/edexcel-gcse-9-1-business-khpneb2r8 • Bizconsesh https://www.youtube.com/@Bizconsesh <p>Use your knowledge organiser and Workbook to bridge the gaps in your knowledge.</p>
Computer Science		OCR	<p>Use your revision tracker that is on Google Classroom, watching the 'Craig n Dave' videos to recap/relearn any gaps and checking the boxes for completed revision activities.</p> <p>Use the confidence checker column to check in on each topic and how you feel to further target your revision effectively.</p>
Creative iMedia	R081	OCR	<p>Use your revision tracker that is on Google Classroom, watching the 'Knowitall Ninja' videos to recap/relearn any gaps and checking the boxes for completed revision activities.</p> <p>Use the confidence checker column to check in on each topic and how you feel to further target your revision effectively.</p>

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Drama	Component 03: Theatre Makers in Practice	Edexcel	Use revision booklets to guide you - one for The Crucible and one for Woman In Black. Complete additional revision mindmaps/Cornell notes etc to help consolidate knowledge. Complete any The Crucible revision on GCSEPod. Past paper questions are in your revision booklets.
Geography	<p>Paper 1 Living with the physical environment</p> <p>Paper 2 - Challenges in the human environment.</p> <p>Paper 3 - Geographical Applications - prerelease and fieldwork</p>	AQA	<p>Use your exercise books/notes, revision guides and topic checklists to make sure you are revising everything you need to know for each exam.</p> <p>Ensure you work on the gaps in your knowledge first - are there case studies that you need to know more specifics on for that level 3 response for example?</p> <p>Master the content by creating mind-maps/reduced notes/active revision - your class notes are a brilliant source of specific information to use alongside the revision guides as a general source.</p> <p>Revise actively, using resources set for homework and practice exam questions BUT make time for yourself.</p> <p>Remember that Paper 3 is based on fieldwork - both seen and unseen, as well as the pre release booklet. This means you can revise these two areas very specifically using your fieldwork booklets and prerelease classwork.</p> <p>Internet Geog has a good summary of all the content https://www.internetgeography.net/aqa-gcse-geography as well as the BBC bitesize web pages. https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zy3ptyc</p> <p>Past papers and mark schemes can be found here https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/gcse/geography-8035/assessment-resources</p>
Health & Social Care	Component 3: Health and Wellbeing exam paper in May	Edexcel	All copies of our revision materials are on the Google Classroom if you need them again. Continue to revise using the Powerpoints, revision homeworks, the sample past paper and example questions. You could create mind-maps, flash cards or Cornell notes on the key words needed to answer the exam paper. There are also lots of quizzes on Kahoot to test your knowledge. You can also purchase the revision guide and the sample assessment book on Amazon if you did not order them from school.

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History	Paper 1: Crime & Punishment including Whitechapel Historic environment Paper 2: Early Elizabethan England and The American West Paper 3: Germany 1918-39	Edexcel	<p>Keep using your completed workbooks and revision trackers to make sure you are revising everything you need to know for each exam. Remember to sequentially number each task and record the number on the revision and your tracker. If you need a spare you can get one from your teacher.</p> <p>Remember to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Plug any gaps in your knowledge first. ● Then master the content by creating mind maps/reduced notes. ● From these start to make revision cards to test yourself with. ● Then you can start to try some practice questions - but only when you have mastered the content. <p>Knowledge Booster Booklets: continue working through these for EEE and Germany, use the answer document to mark your work.</p> <p>GCSEPod is good for plugging gaps in your knowledge: https://members.gcsepod.com/content?subject_id=6018&exam_board_id=1011 Or search Edexcel History</p> <p>Exam skills - in your red book you have advice on how to answer each question, also there is the revision folder shared with you on Google Drive which also contains 'how to answer' video lessons. Revision lessons and resources</p>
Media Studies	Component 1: Exploring the media Component 2: Understanding media forms and products	Eduqas /WJEC	<p>Use the component 1 and component 2 knowledge organisers to create Cornell notes, mind maps, flashcards etc. These include everything you need to know for the exams. They are also available, electronically, on Google Classroom.</p> <p>Use all the resources on Google Classroom to ensure you are up to date with all set products. This had every product's resources on there, even Year 10 ones.</p> <p>Use the Eduqas website for resources and revision tasks: https://resources.eduqas.co.uk/Pages/ResourceByArgs.aspx?subId=20&lvlId=2</p> <p>Watch Mrs Fisher's GCSE Media Studies videos on the set products in your exam: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCUKrxp4BcJrGLzm qAhCjASg</p>

Music	1MU03 Appraising	Edexcel	<p>Listen to the Anthology pieces daily and start them at different points. Find the place in the score. Focus on the 'describe' vocabulary. Use DRCATSMITH method to analyse unfamiliar music.</p> <p>Practise past papers - These have been given to you and the audio has been emailed through.</p> <p>Watch The music Help guy revision videos on the set works. GCSE Edexcel Music set works.</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/@MusicHelpGuy</p> <p>Use the following for dictation practice:</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oldCewsFqcQ&list=PLYN0Moo12OLMU-tz8M_EVvNra_8khUFIw</p>
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Philosophy	<p>Paper One Christianity - Beliefs and Practices Islam - Beliefs and Practices</p> <p>Paper Two - Themes 4 only A - Relationships and Families B - Religion and Life D - Religion, Peace and Conflict F - Religion, human rights and social justice</p>	AQA	<p>Use:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the learning checklist to <u>identify knowledge gaps</u> IN KOs - the revision flashcards to make sure you know the content and keywords and to <u>plug knowledge gaps</u>. Your own and IN KOs. - the revision timetable to <u>plan</u> your Philosophy revision - the list of all exam questions. Use them to look at the wording of the questions and to identify those you find the <u>hardest</u>. We will discuss how to answer these in lessons and revision sessions. - bring any answered questions to your teacher and get immediate feedback. - the list of revision websites on this ppt slide <p>https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1znbp2lmeS7A66vEwbX5U5n_6VdfVkJQDbEmXzoYSW8g/edit?usp=sharing (also on) Classcharts to reinforce knowledge and for advice on exam questions.</p>
Physical Education	<p>Paper 1; Fitness & Body Systems</p> <p>Paper 2; Health & Performance</p>	Edexcel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Students should have prepared a revision timetable. - Use the revision topic overviews to plan this revision. - Focus more time on areas of development. - Students should be making the most of the revision tools they have; revision guides, Seneca, The Everlearner on YouTube, BBC Bitesize and GCSEPod. - Attendance at exam support sessions. You will know when you are required to attend and when the open sessions are. <p>Remember that extended answer questions can only be from the following topics:</p> <p>Paper 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Physical Training <p>Paper 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sports Psychology - Socio-Cultural Influences
Travel & Tourism	Exam sat in May	Pearson Edexcel	<p>Students should revise Component 3</p> <p>Use the workbooks, Revision KO and powerpoints on the google classroom for revision</p> <p>Factors that influence global travel and tourism</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Impact of travel and tourism ● Managing social/ financial and environmental impacts ● Destination management ● Tourism development