

Sixth Form Book List 2026 – 2027

Please see the book recommendations below, by subject, for any students who wish to purchase their own individual copy. However, please be assured that reference copies are available in the study centre and in subject departments for students who do not have access to their own copies. **We are also able to purchase these books for students who are eligible for support from the bursary, the details of which are also available on our website [Financial Support - Laurus Ryecroft](#)**

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Subject	Year 12	Year 13
Biology	AQA A Level Biology by Toole and Toole 978 0 1983 5177 1 (for Year 12 & 13)	
	CGP A Level Biology for AQA: Year 1 & 2 Student Book 978 1 7829 4314 3 (for Year 12 & 13)	
Chemistry	AQA Chemistry: A Level by Ted Lister and Janet Renshaw 0198351828 (for Year 12 & 13)	
	Revision Guide: CGP New A Level Chemistry: AQA Year 1 & 2 Complete Revision & Practice 1789080290 (for Year 12 & 13)	
	New A Level Chemistry: AQA Year 1 & 2 Exam Practice Workbook - includes answers 1782949135 (for Year 12 & 13)	
	Practical Chemistry for AS/A Level Chemistry by Nora Henry 1471885143 (for Year 12 & 13)	
Computer Science	OCR AS and A Level Computer Science by P M Heathcote, R S U Heathcote 978 0 9105 2305 6 (for Year 12 & 13)	

	My Revision Notes OCR A Level Computer Science Paperback by George Rouse, Sean O’Byrne, Jason Pitt 10 1471 8658 35 (for Year 12 & 13)	
	Essential Maths Skills for AS/A Level Computer Science Paperback by Victoria Ellis and Gavin Craddock 10 1471 8635 73 (for Year 12 & 13)	
	Essential Algorithms and Data Structures: David Hillyard 979 8 4682 0534 1 (for Year 12 & 13)	
	Documenting Defold Programming Projects OCR H446 David Hillyard 979 8 6497 7515 1 (for Year 12 & 13)	
English Language	Text Analysis and Representation (Cambridge Topics in English Language) by Ian Cushing	Attitudes towards Language (Cambridge Topics in English Language) Dan Clayton Series editors: Dan Clayton and Marcello Giovanelli
	Language Development (Cambridge Topics in English Language) Rachel Rudman and Felicity Titjen Series editors: Dan Clayton and Marcello Giovanelli	Language Diversity and World Englishes (Cambridge Topics in English Language) Dan Clayton and Rob Drummond Series editors: Dan Clayton and Marcello Giovanelli
English Literature	Othello: Revised Edition (The Arden Shakespeare Third Series) by William Shakespeare 978 1 472 7176 2	Death of a Salesman: Certain Private Conversations in Two Acts and a Requiem (Penguin Modern Classics) by Arthur Miller 978 0 1411 8274 2
	The Tragic Poetry of John Keats by John Keats	The Rime of the Ancient Mariner by Samuel Coleridge
	The Murder of Roger Ackroyd (Mass Market Paperback) by Agatha Christie 978 0 0075 2752 6	When Will There Be Good News by Kate Atkinson 978 0 5527 7245 7
Geography	AQA A Level Geography Fifth Edition by Kinner, Abbiss, Banks, Fyfe and Whittaker 978 1 3983 1254 8 (for Year 12 & 13)	

	New AS and A Level Geography: AQA Complete Revision & Practice (with Online Edition): (CGP A Level Geography) by CGP books 978 1 7829 4648 9 (for Year 12 & 13)	
History	Oxford AQA History for A Level: Tsarist and Communist Russia 1855-1964 by Sally Waller 978 0 983 5467 3 (for Year 12 & 13)	
	Cambridge AQA History for A Level: Tsarist and Communist Russia 1855-1964 by Hannah Dalton 9 781107531154 (for Year 12 & 13)	
	Oxford AQA History for A Level: The Making of Modern Britain, 1951-2007 978 0 1983 5464 2 (for Year 12 & 13)	
	Cambridge AQA History for A Level: The Making of Modern Britain, 1951-2009 by David Dutton, Lucien Jenkins and Richard Kerridge- Michael Fordham and David Smith 978 1 107 57308 6 (for Year 12 & 13)	
	Revolutionary Russia, 1891-1991: A History Book by Orlando Figes	
	The Making of Modern Britain – Andrew Marr	
Mathematics	A Level Mathematics for OCR A Student Book 1 by Vesna Kadelburg and Ben Woolley 978 1 3166 4428 7	A Level Mathematics for OCR A Student Book 2 (Year 2) by Vesna Kadelburg and Ben Woolley 978 1 3166 4430 0
Further Mathematics	OCR A Level Further Mathematics Core Year 1 (AS) by Ben Sparks, Claire Baldwin, Owen Toller 978 1 4718 8647 8	OCR A Level Further Mathematics Core Year 2 by Ben Sparks, Claire Baldwin, Owen Toller 978 1 4718 8648 5
	OCR A Level Further Mathematics Mechanics by Jean-Paul Muscat, Owen Toller 978 1 5104 1451 8	

Physical Education	OCR A Level PE (Year 1 and Year 2) by John Honeybourne and Sarah Powell 978 1 5104 7331 7 (for Year 12 & 13)	
Physics	AQA A Level Physics (2nd edition) by Jim Breithaupt 978 1 1983 5187 0 (for Year 12 & 13)	
	AQA A Level Physics Student Guide: Practical Physics (Practical Physics AS/A) by Graham George and Kevin Lawrence 978 1 4718 8515 0 (for Year 12 & 13)	
Religious Studies	AQA Religious Studies for A Level Year 1 and AS by John Frye 9781471873959	AQA Religious Studies for A Level Year 2 by John Frye, Mel Thompson, Debbie Herring 9781471874000
	My Revision Notes: AQA A Level Religious Studies: Paper 1 Study of Philosophy of Religion and Ethics by Sheila Butler 978-1510425873	My Revision Notes: AQA A Level Religious Studies: Paper 2 Study of Christianity and Dialogues by Sheila Butler 978-1510425880
Spanish	AQA A Level Year 1 and AS Spanish Student Book (Oxford University Press) 978 0 1983 6690 4 <i>Students will receive a login for the online version of this at the start of term</i>	AQA A Level Year 2 Spanish Student Book (Oxford University Press) 978 0 1983 6687 4 <i>Students will receive a login for the online version of this at the start of term</i>
	Palabra por Palabra Sixth Edition: Spanish Vocabulary for AQA A Level by Phil Turk, Mike Thacker 978 1 5104 3482 0	La Casa de Bernarda Alba by Federico Garcia Lorca 978 0 7190 0950 1