



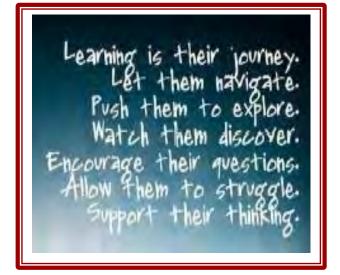
# YEAR 10 LEARNING JOURNEYS 2024-2025





Our 'Learning Journeys' provide an outline, for all of our stakeholders, of the diverse range of knowledge rich and challenging subject topics that students can enjoy during their GCSEs at Trinity Catholic High School. We developed these 'journeys' to make explicit the range of academic opportunities on offer for our students to grow, develop and learn. We want our students to develop their academic skills and experiences to ultimately lead successful and fulfilling adult lives, as well as being able to realise their dreams and ambitions.

Learning journeys are important documents that demonstrate to students and parents the units of study that students will undertake during Year 10 – these documents have been given to students and are visible in exercise books. We feel it is vitally important for students to know what they are studying; learning journeys foster discussions in lessons as to 'why' these topics are being taught and furthermore, these documents allow students to see how units of study overlap not only within the subject domain but also across the curriculum. We encourage parents to look at these documents with their children so they too can visualise the learning journey that we will be taking students on.



# Year 10 English Learning Journey

You will finish the year by developing your speaking and listening skills in order to deliver a presentat

End of Year Assessment – you will complete a
Literature Paper of Macbeth and A Christmas Carol (1 hour 45 minutes) and a
Language Paper 2: Writer's viewpoints and perspectives (1 hour 45 minutes).

The study of A Christmas
Carol will be supported
with the study of unseen
non-fiction extracts
(Language Paper 2) to
develop analysis of
writer's ideas and
perspectives from
different contexts.

Mid -Year Assessment you will complete a literature essay question on Macbeth (50 minutes) and a Language Paper 1: Explorations in Creative Reading and Writing (1 hour 45 minutes).

Your learning of Macbeth is supported with the study of unseen fiction extracts (Language Paper 1) to develop analysis of writer's ideas and choice of linguistic and structural features.

'I read: I travel: become.' - Derek







# Reading Books

At the start of term three, you will continue to develop critical reading skills further through comparing texts with the study of the Power & Conflict poetry anthology (Literature Paper 2)

Towards the end of the year, you will be able to compare key ideas and themes across texts with confidence!

For term two, you will develop critical reading skills through analysing Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol. (Literature Paper 1)

By the end of term 1, you will be able to analyse a range of texts, set or unseen, and understand how the writer creates effect.

You will start the year developing critical reading skills when analysing William Shakespeare's Macbeth (Literature Paper 1) in term 1.

# Year 10-H **Mathematics**

# **Algebraic** Manipulation

Basic Algebra, Factorisation, Quadratic Expansion, Expanding Squares, More than two binomials, Quadratic Factorisation, Factorising ax2+bx+c, Changing the subject of a formula



3D Pythagoras', trigonometry to find missing lengths and angles, applied trigonometry to solve problems involving isosceles triangles. Bearings and trigonometry.

# Autumn Test

1 x Calculator Paper

# **Equations &** Inequalities

Linear equations, elimination, substitution, balancing coefficients, solving problems, linear inequalities, trial and improvement

# Count, Accuracy, **Power & Surds**

Rational numbers, reciprocals, terminating and recurring decimals, estimation, powers and roots, negative and fractional indices, surds, solving problems using limits of accuracy, choices and outcomes

# **Probability**

Combined events, addition rules, probability tree diagrams, independent events, conditional probability

# **End of Year Test**

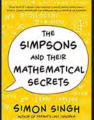
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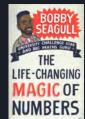
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Source: BBC NEWS



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# **Reading Books**

# **Linear Graphs**

Draw graphs from points, gradientintercept method, equation of a line from the graph, real-life use of graphs, simultaneous equations, parallel and perpendicular lines

# Similarity, Probability & Standard Form

Similar triangles, areas and volumes of similar shapes, experimental probability, expectation, two-way tables, frequency trees, Venn diagrams powers, multiplying and dividing using standard form

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

A googol is the large number 10100 In decimal notation, it is written as the digit 1 followed by one hundred zeroes.

# Mid-Year Test

1 x Non-Calculator Paper 1 x Calculator Paper

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

The famous NBA 24 second shot was created using an quadratic equation



# Quadratic **Equations**

Plotting quadratics, solving by quadratic formula, solving by completing the square, significant points of a quadratic curve, solve linear and non-linear, solve by intersection, quadratic simultaneous equations and quadratic inequalities

# **Statistics**

Sampling data, frequency polygons, cumulative frequency graphs, box plots, comparing data and

# Variation

Direct and inverse proportion



Year 10-F

**Mathematics** 

# Expressions & Formulae

Basic algebra, substitution, expanding brackets, factorization, quadratic expansion, quadratic factorization, and changing the subject of a formula

# Ratio, Speed & Proportion

Ratio, speed, distance, time, direct proportion and best buys

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

Learning algebra helps to develop your critical thinking skills. This includes problem solving, logic, patterns, and reasoning. You need to know algebra for many professions, especially those in science and maths.

# Volumes & Surface Area

3D Shapes, volume and surface area of a cuboid, volume and surface area of a prism and cylinder

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# Linear Equations

Solving linear equations using the balance method, sole equations with brackets, solve equations with an unknown on both sides

# Curved Shapes & Pyramids

Sectors, pyramids, cones and spheres.

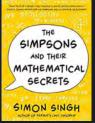
# Constructions & Loci

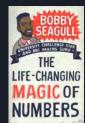
Constructing triangles, angles, bisectors, perpendicular bisectors, defining a locus, loci problems

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

A locus (plural: loci) (Latin word for "place", "location") is a set of all points (commonly, a line, a line segment, a curve or a surface), whose location satisfies or is determined by one or more specified conditions.







# Reading Books Linear Graphs

Graphs and equations, gradient of a line, y= mx + c, find the equation from a graph, parallel lines, real life graphs, simultaneous equations using graphs

# **Autumn Test**

1 x Calculator Paper

# Transformations & Probability

Rotational symmetry, translations, reflections, rotations, enlargements, combined transformations, calculating probabilities, probability of not happening, mutually exclusive events, experimental probability, expected outcomes and choices







# Mid-Year Test

1 x Non-Calculator Paper 1 x Calculator Paper

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

A googol is the large number 10<sup>100</sup>
In decimal notation, it is written as the digit 1 followed by one hundred zeroes.

# Percentages

Equivalence, Percentage of a quantity, increase/decrease, one quantity as a percentage of another, compound measures, compound interest, repeated percentage change, reverse percentages, direct and inverse proportion.

# **Statistics**

Sampling, pie charts, scatter diagrams and lines of best fit, grouped data and averages

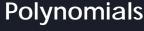
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Summer Y10–Y11, Additional

Mathematics



Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division of polynomials. The factor theorem. Quadratic equations

# Sequences

Sequences and recurrence relationships.

# Points, lines and circles

The line joining two points. The coordinate geometry of circles.

# Trigonometric Functions

Trigonometric functions for angles of any size. Sine and cosine rules. Identities involving sin, cos and tan. Using trigonometrical identities to solve equations.

# Applications of trigonometry

Applications in modelling. Working in three dimensions

# Binomial distribution

Binomial expansion. The binomial distribution.

# Numerical Methods

Locating a root of an equation. Improving a root. Iterative sequences. Gradients of tangents. Area under a curve. Applications of numerical methods

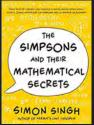
# Differentiation

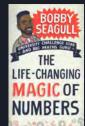
Differentiation. The gradient of a curve. Stationary points.

# Integration

The rule for integrating  $x^n$  where n is a positive integer. The integral notation. Definite integrals. Area between a curve and the x axis. Areas below the x axis. The area between two curves.







# Applications of equations and inequalities in one variable

Applications of equations, solving linear and quadratic inequalities.

# Linear inequalities in two variables

Illustrating linear inequalities in two variables. Using inequalities for problem solving. Linear programming

# Permutations and combinations

Probability diagrams. Factorials and product rule. Permutations and combinations

# Exponentials and Logarithms

Properties of the exponential function. Logarithms. Reduction to linear form. Equations involving exponentials

# Application to Kinematics

Motion in a straight line. Acceleration due to gravity. Finding displacement from velocity

# Year 10-1ab

**Statistics** 

# Collection of Data

Describing data, primary and secondary data, capture-recapture formula, random sampling, non-random sampling, stratified sampling, collection of data, questionnaires, interviews, hypothesis, and designing investigations,

# Processing & Representing Data

Tables, two-way tables, pictograms, bar charts, stem and leaf diagrams, pie charts, comparative pie charts, population pyramids, choropleth maps, histograms and frequency polygons. Cumulative frequency diagrams, shape of distribution, unequal width histograms, misleading diagrams and selecting the right diagram

# Summarising Data

Averages, frequency tables, grouped data, transforming data, geometric and weighted mean, measures of dispersion, standard deviation, box plots, outliers, skewness, choices, comparing data and making estimates.

# **Time Series**

Time series graphs, trend lines, variation, moving point averages, seasonal variation,

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

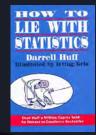
A career as an Actuary offers a wide range of opportunities and gives you the chance to apply your mathematical and statistical skills to real life challenges

# Probability

Using probability to assess risk, experimental probability, mutually exclusive and exhaustive events, addition law, independent events, Venn diagrams, sample space diagrams, tree diagrams, conditional probability and formula for conditional probability

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

Statistician is listed among the Bureau of Labor Statistics' fastest growing careers in 2018 and it's predicted to grow 33 percent by 2026. During that same period, jobs are only expected to grow by 7.4 percent. In 2016, the median statistician made over \$80,000, much higher than average \$50,620.



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# **Reading Books**

# Introduction to **GCSE Statistics**

Capture-recapture formula, stratified sampling, Spearman's rank coefficient of correlation calculations





# **Autumn Test**

1 x Calculator Paper



# Mid-Year Test

1 x assessment paper

# **Scatter** Diagrams & Correlation

Scatter diagrams, correlation, causal relationships, lines of best fit, finding the equation of the line of best fit, interpolation and extrapolation, Spearman's rank interpretation and calculation PMCC

# Index **Numbers**

Simple index numbers, RPI, CPI, GDP, chain base, index numbers and rates of change

# **End of Year Test**

Assessment paper

# **Probability** Distributions

Binomial distribution, Normal distribution, standardised scores, quality assurance, control charts.

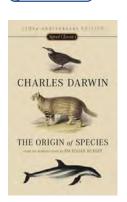
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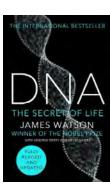


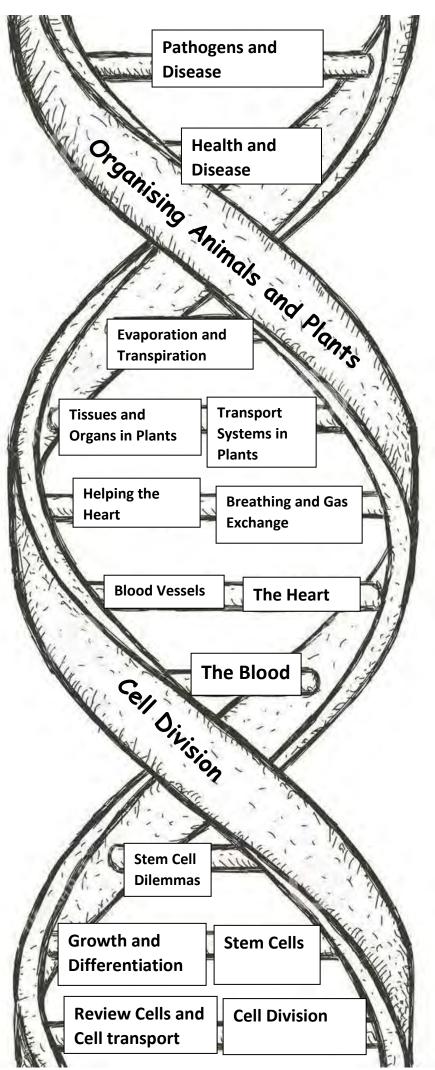
It's a great time to be a statistician!



# **Combined Biology**

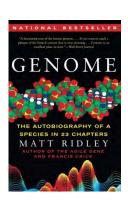


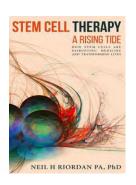






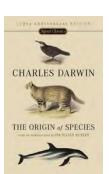
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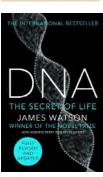


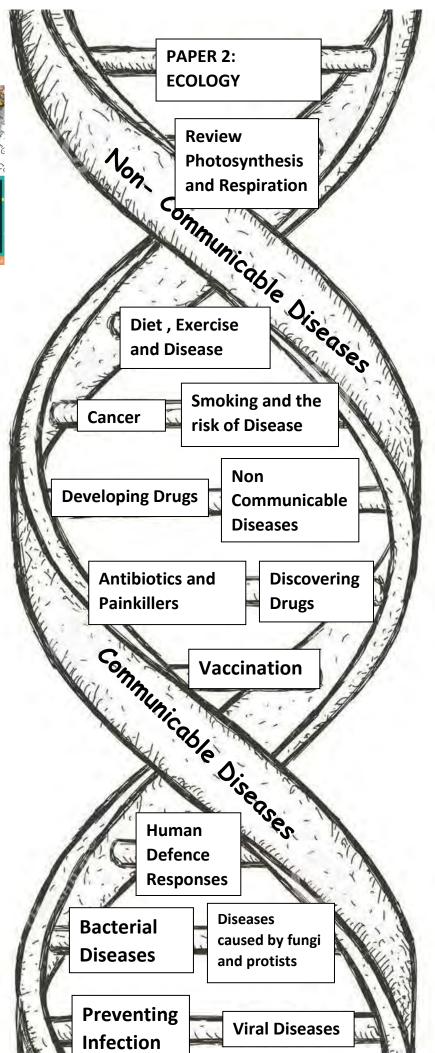






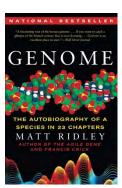


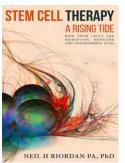






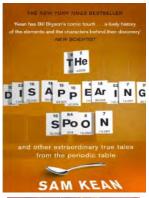
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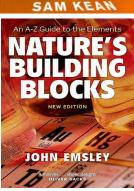


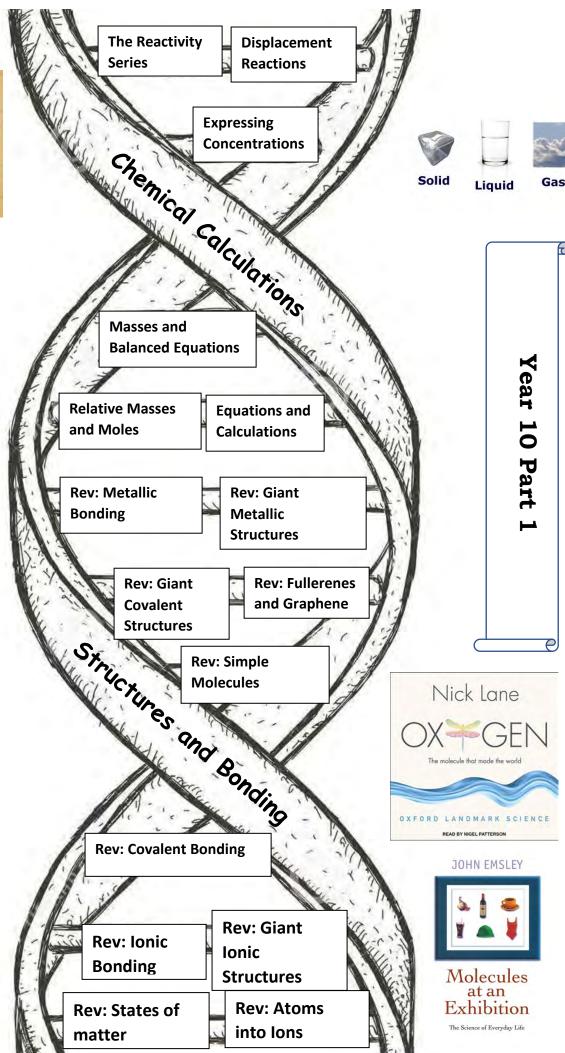


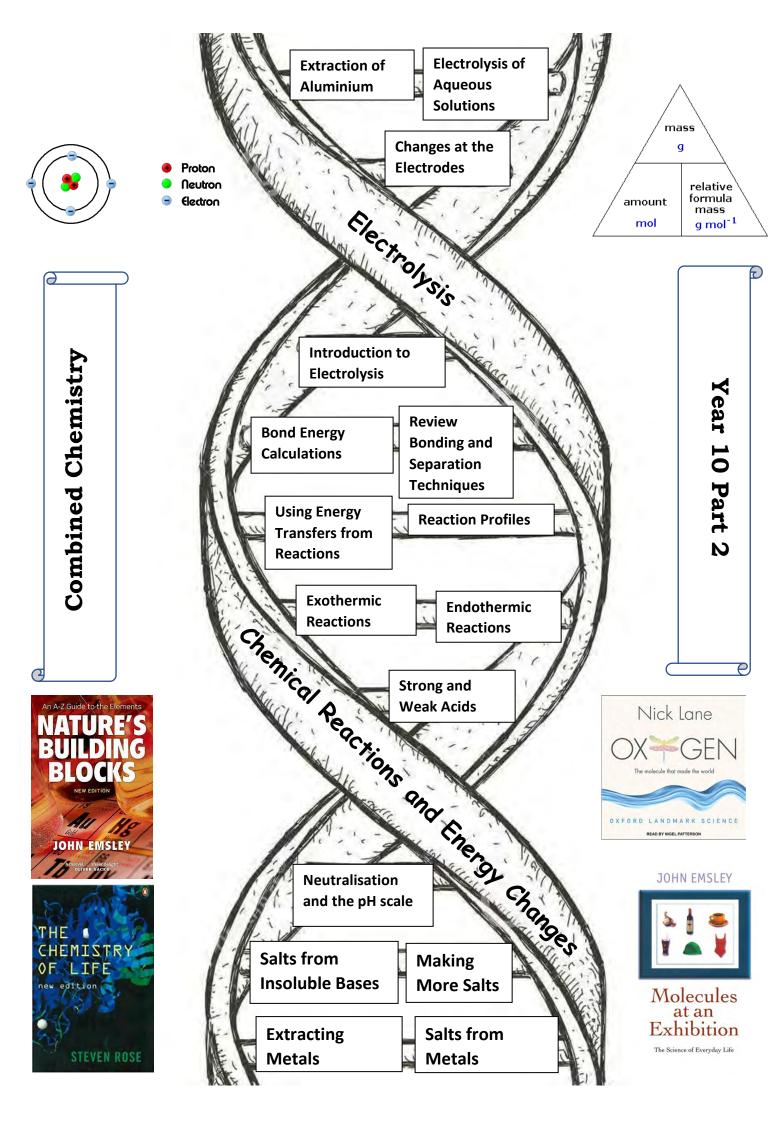


# Combined Chemistry











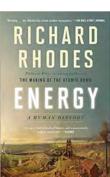


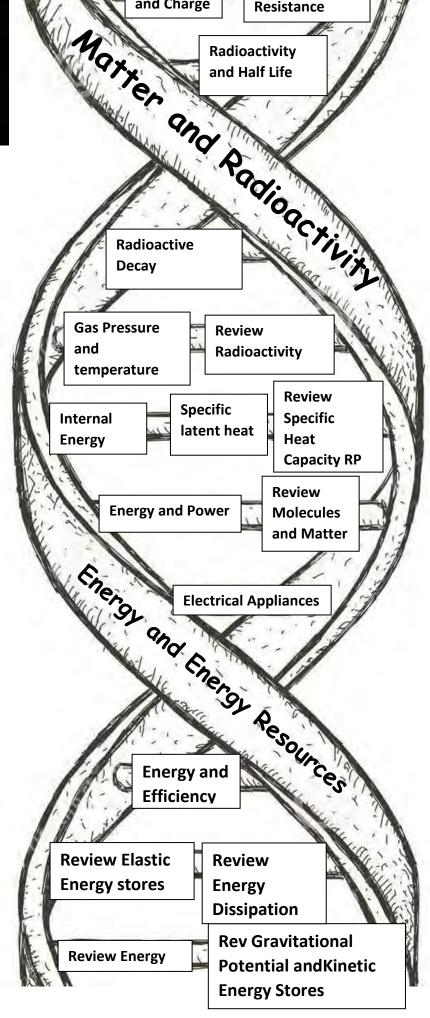
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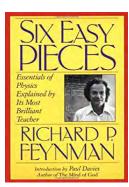
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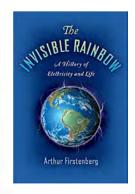
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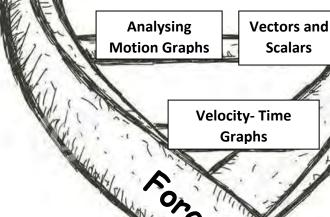








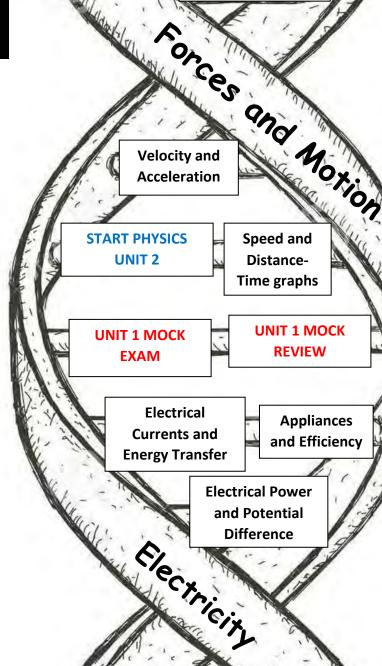






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Cables and Plugs

**Parallel Circuits** 

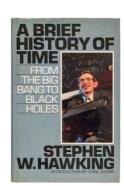
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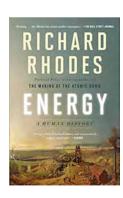
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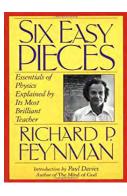
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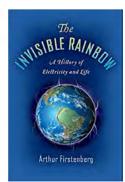
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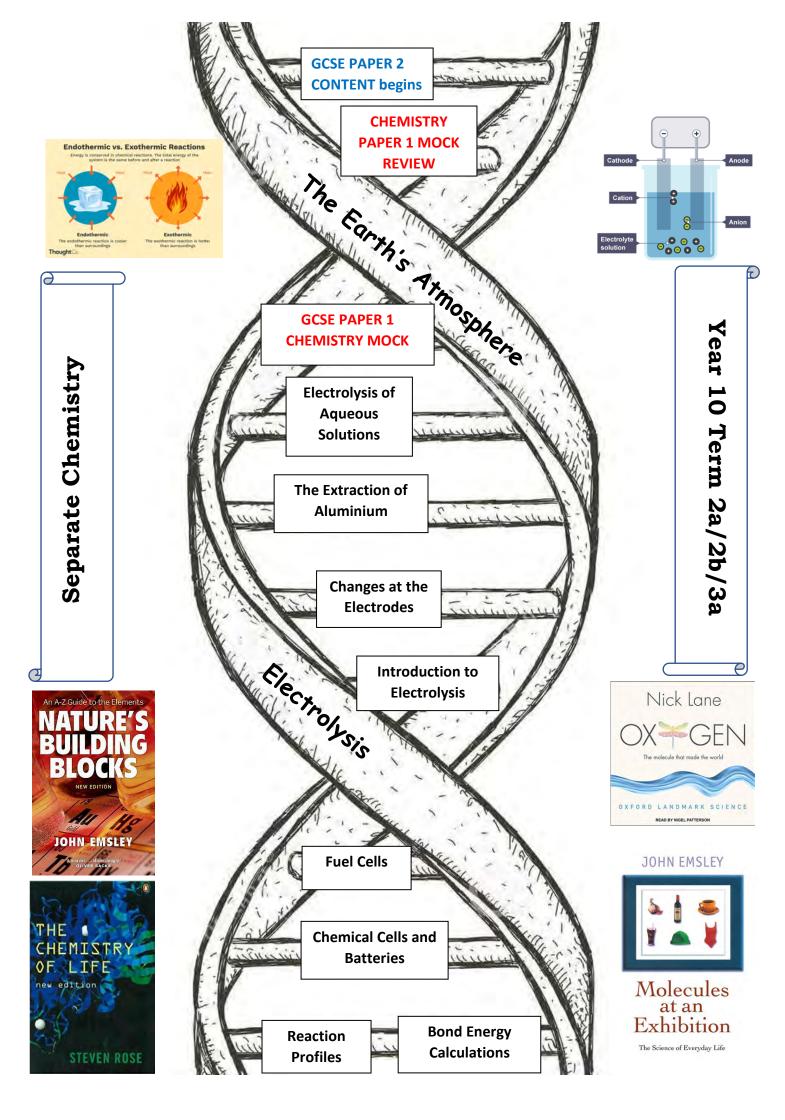




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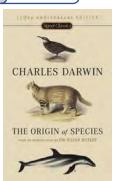
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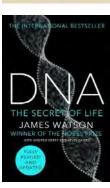
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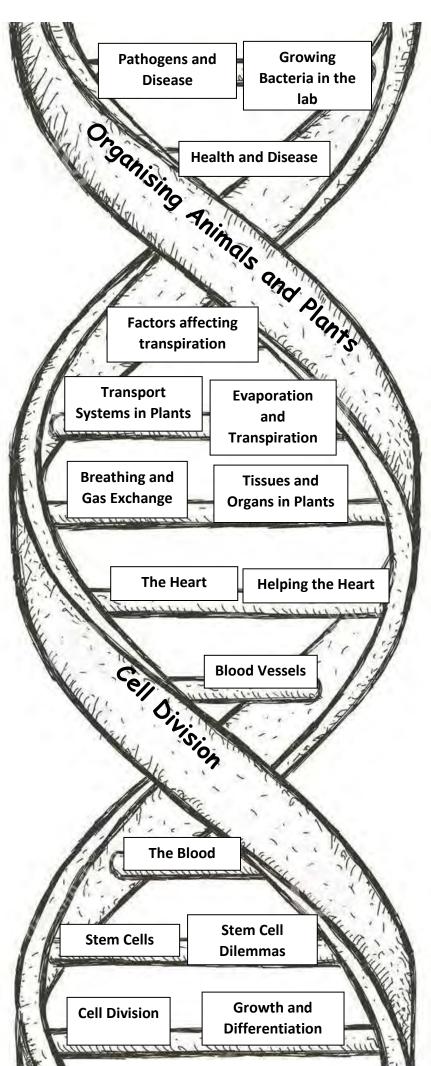




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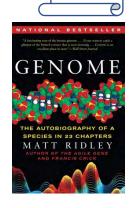


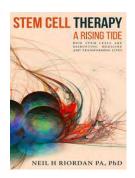


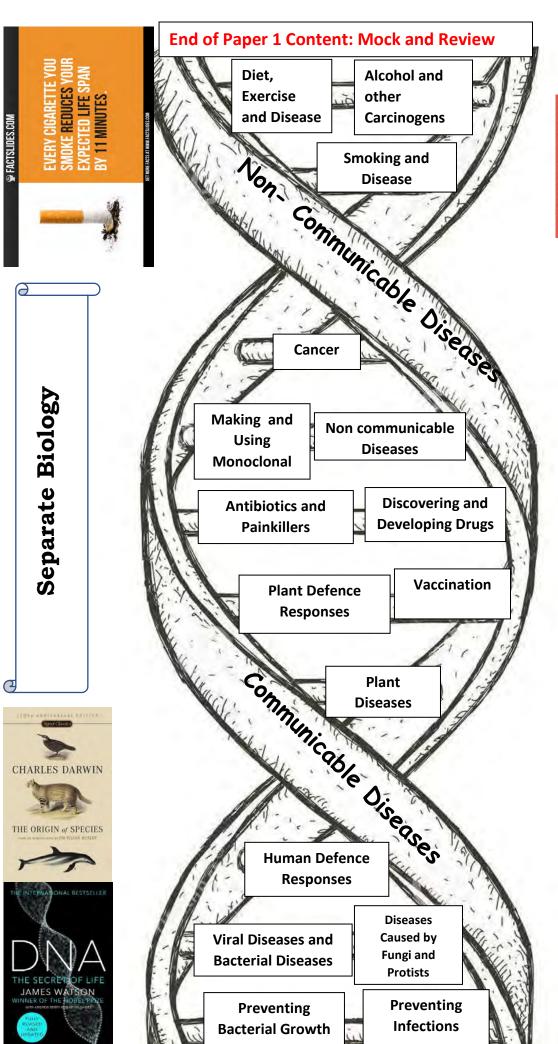




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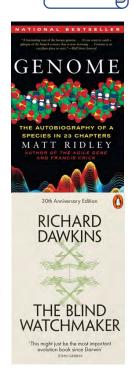


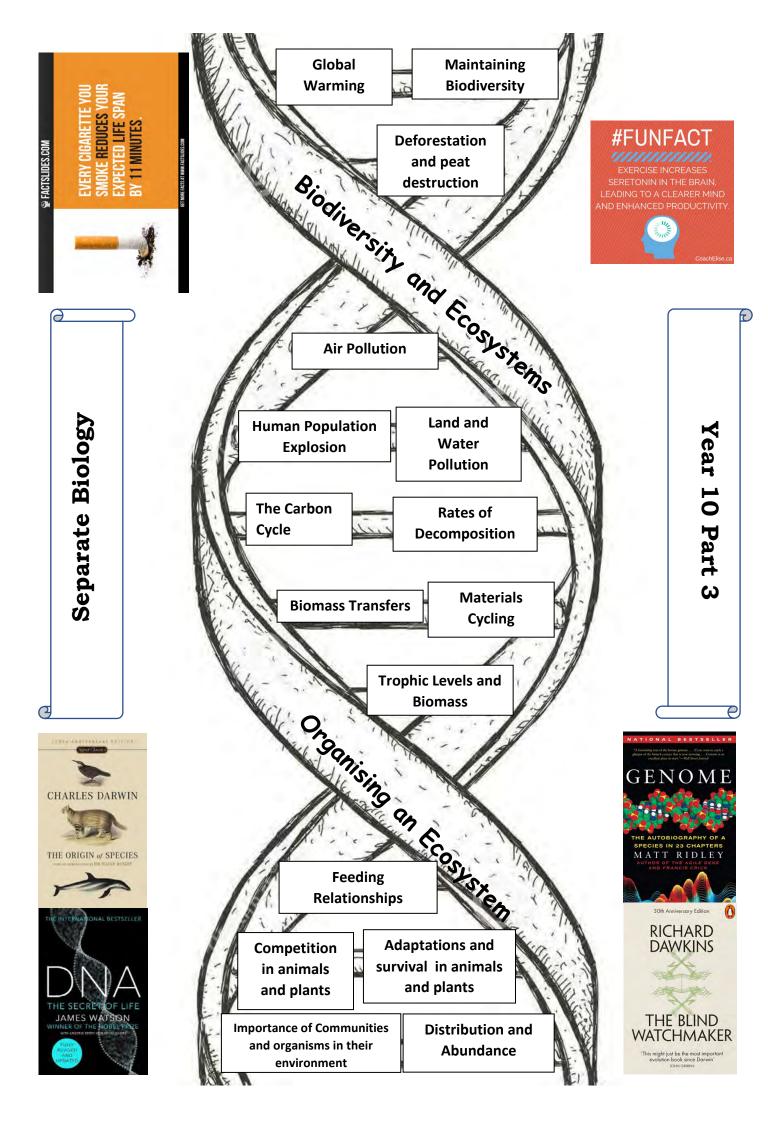




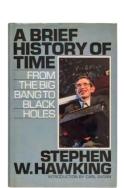


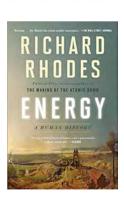
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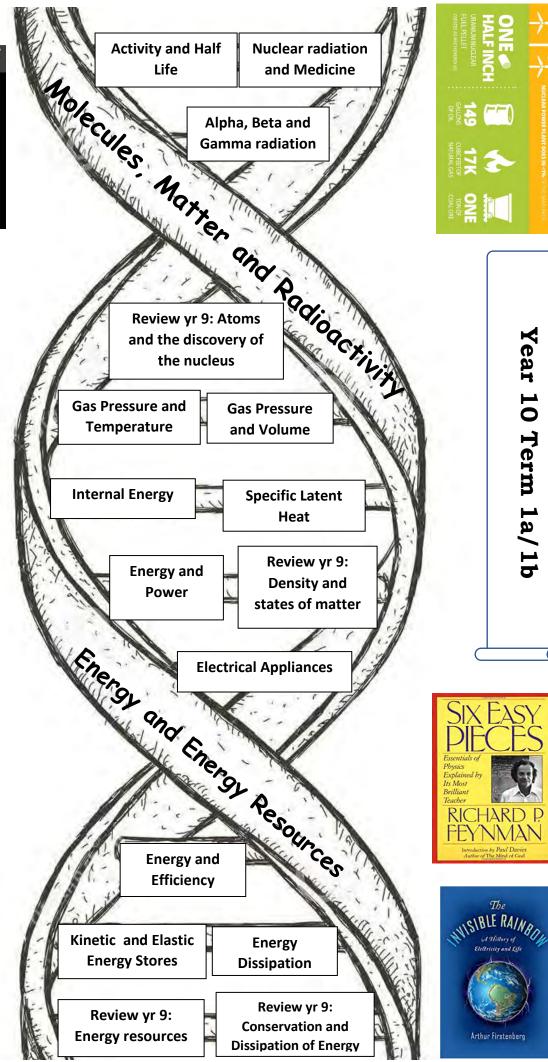




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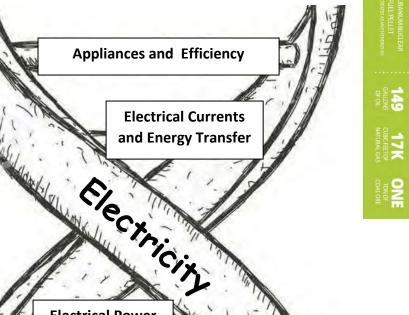






Year 10 Term 1a/1b





Year 10 Term 1b/ 2a

Separate Physics

**Electrical Power** and Potential Difference

**Alternating** Current

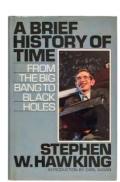
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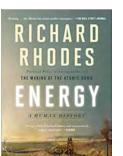
**Series Circuits** 

**Parallel Circuits** 

**Potential** Difference and Resistance

Component Characteristics



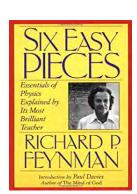


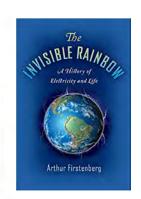
Radioacrivity and Electricity **Charges and Fields** 

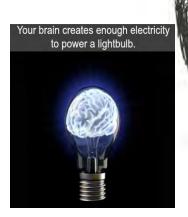
**Nuclear Issues** 

**Nuclear Fission** 

**Nuclear Fusion** 









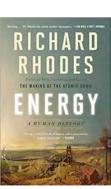
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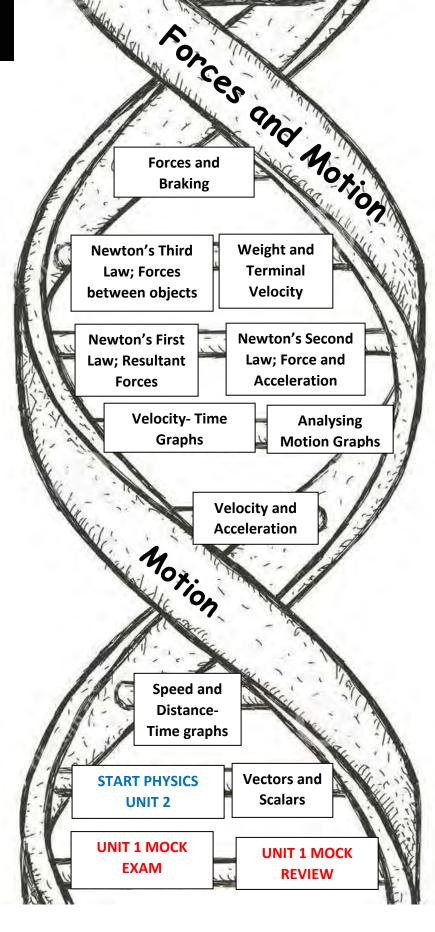
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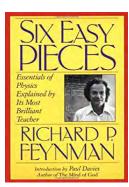
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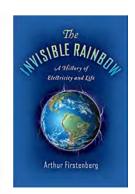
Separate Physics











**GCSE** 

**Religious Studies** 

Philosophy & Ethics: Existence of God

Revelation; Visions; Miracles; Religious Experiences; The Design Argument; The Cosmological Argument; The Existence of Suffering; Solutions to the Problem of Suffering

### Did you know?

Miracles are events that break the laws of Science.

# Catholic Christianity: Beliefs & Teachings

The Trinity; Trinity in the Bible; Creation of Creation & the nature of humanity; The Incarnation; The Paschal Mystery; The Significance of the Paschal Mystery; Eschatology

+ 7 Did you know?

Christianity began in Jerusalem 2,000 years ago after the birth of Jesus Christ.

# Judaism: Beliefs & Teachings

The Almighty; The Shekhinah; The
-Messiah; The covenant at Sinai; The
covenant with Abraham; Sanctity of
Life; Moral principles and the Mitzvot;

### Did very know

## Did you know?

Judaism is an Abrahamic faiths, along with Christianity and Islam. They are monotheistic religions (they believe in one God.)

## Catholic Christianity: Sources of Wisdom & — Authority

The Bible; Interpretation of the Bible; The magisterium; The second Vatican Council The Church as the Body of Christ; the four marks of the Church; Mary as the model of the Church; Personal & ethical decision making

## Did you know?

Over 100 million copies of the Bible are sold each year.

# Mock exams

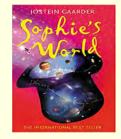
Mid module tests; End of module tests; Knowledge Checks; Walking Talking Mocks; Mid Year Mocks (Y10 & Y11), End of Year Mock (Y10)

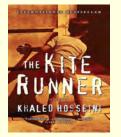
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Reading Books





# Philosophy & Ethics: Relationships & Families

Marriage; Sexual Relationships; The Family; Support for the Family; Family Planning: Divorce, Annulment and Remarriage; Equality of Men and Women in the Family; Gender Prejudice and Discrimination.

## Did you know?

Marriage is Sacrament through which a covenant is formed between the man and

# Catholic Christianity:

## **Practices**

The sacramental nature of reality;

\*Liturgical worship; The funeral rite;

\*Prayer; Forms of Popular Piety;

Pilgrimage; Catholic Social Teaching;

Catholic mission & evangelism

### Did you know?

A total of 70 miraculous healings have been ecognised at Lourdes since 1858, when a 14year-old peasant girl claimed that she had seen the Virgin Mary in a cave

## **Judaism**: Practices

Public acts of worship: The Tenakh & Talmud; Private prayer; The Shema & The Āmidah; Ritual and ceremony; Shabbat; Festivals; Features of the synagogue

## Did you know?

There are approximately 263,346 Jews in England and Wales. 60% of all UK Jews live in Greater London.

# Catholic Christianity: Forms of Expression

# & Ways of Life

Catholic church architecture; Catholic church features; Sacred objects; Artwork in Catholicism; Sculpture & statues; Symbolism & imagery in religious art; Drama; Music in worship

## Did you know?

Early Christians used symbols to avoid detection in the Roman Empire when their religion was still illegal.

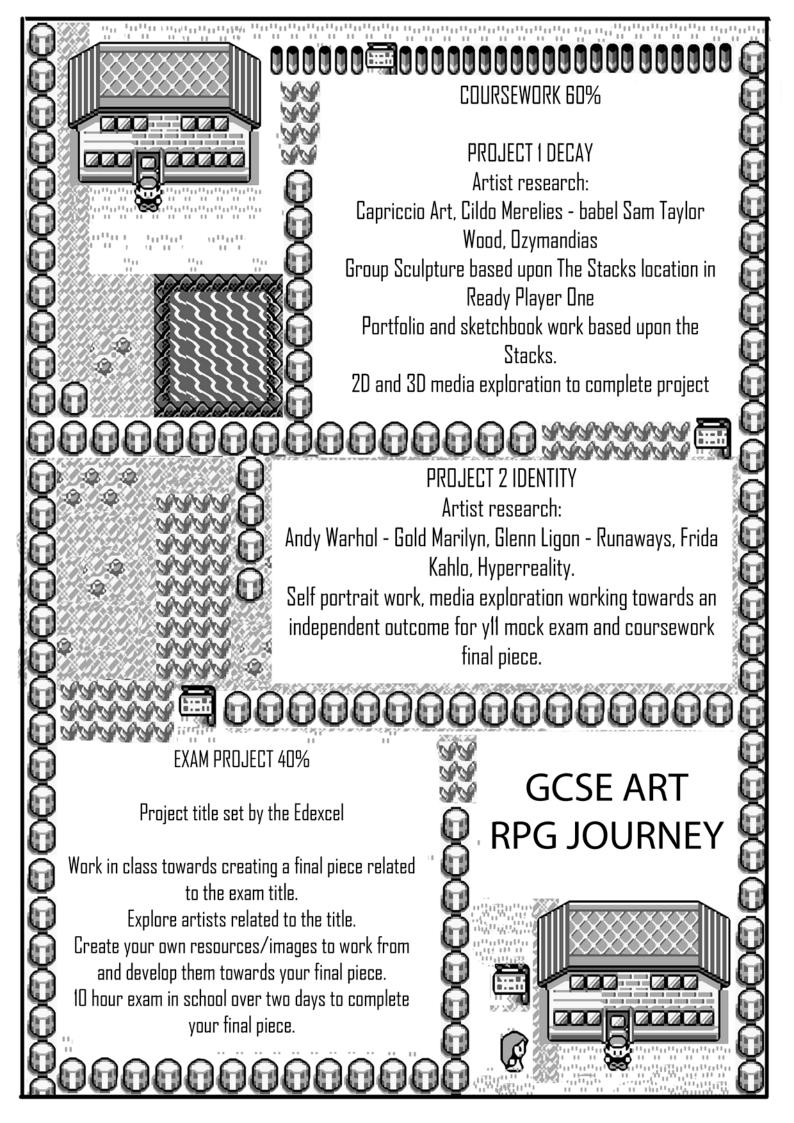
# GCSE Religious Studies Exams

### Exam Board: Edexcel

Catholic Christianity - 50% - 1hr & 45 mins

**Judaism** – 25% - 50 mins

Philosophy & Ethics – 25% - 50 mins



# Careers and **Experiencing** Work **Achieving**

# your Short Course

The aims of the Careers and experiencing Work Short Course - ASDAN.

# Self-Development

A look at your skills and qualities and how these impact on different career pathways.

How to apply for a course, an apprenticeship or a job that interests you.

# Considering **Apprenticeships**

Exploring what an apprenticeship is.

Finding out about the different types of apprenticeships that are available.

# Being at Work

Undertaking a period of work experience or a work placement

# Learning Journey

WHAT PATH

Work

Experience

Year 10

**ASDAN** 

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Oprenticeship



# Recording your **Progress and** Skills

What are key / core skills?

Why are they important?

A look at how to find out more information about post 16 options.

# Considering Higher Education

Exploring what higher education is.

What factors to consider when deciding if HE is right for you.

# **Preparing for** the Workplace

Exploring how to identify and apply for a suitable work experience placement

# Year 11

# **Reflections:**

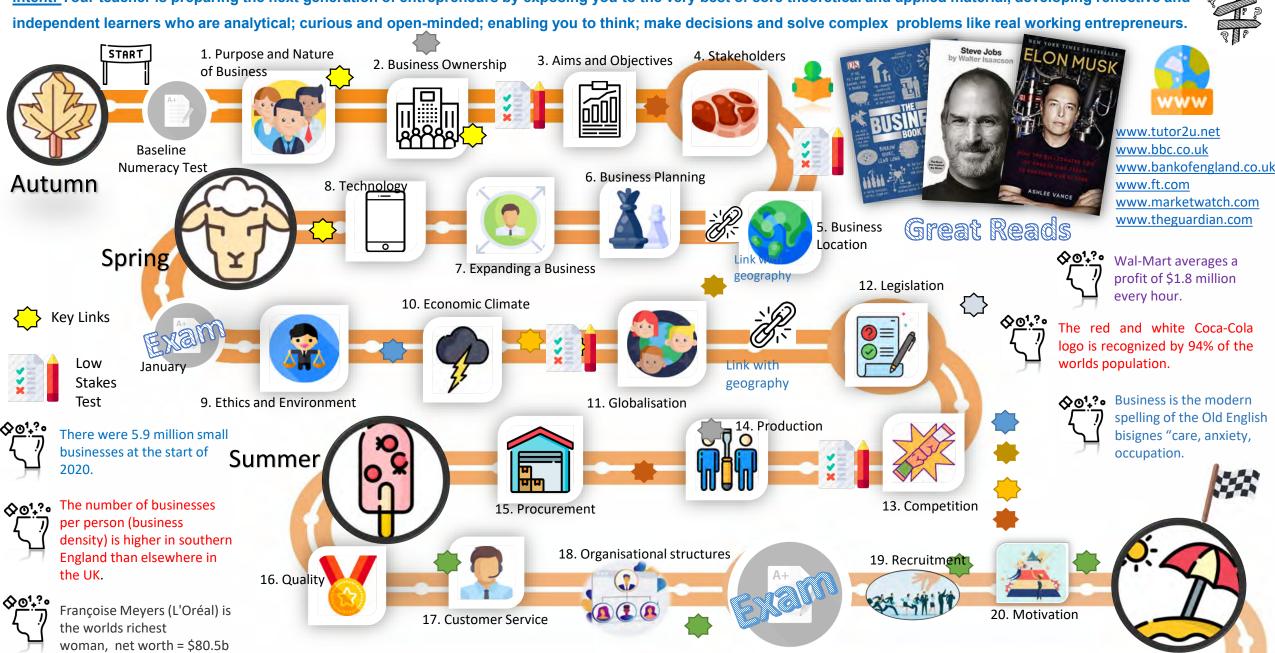
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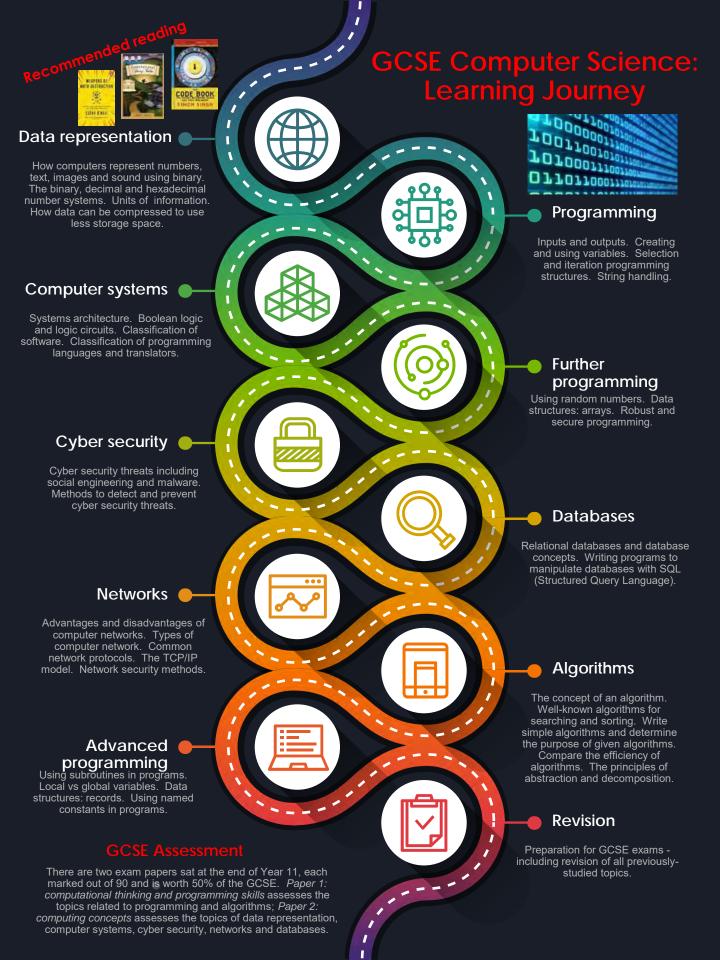
Personal Statement

How can I secure my Post 16 pathway?

# Year 10 Business Learning Journey -

Intent: Your teacher is preparing the next generation of entrepreneurs by exposing you to the very best of core theoretical and applied material, developing reflective and



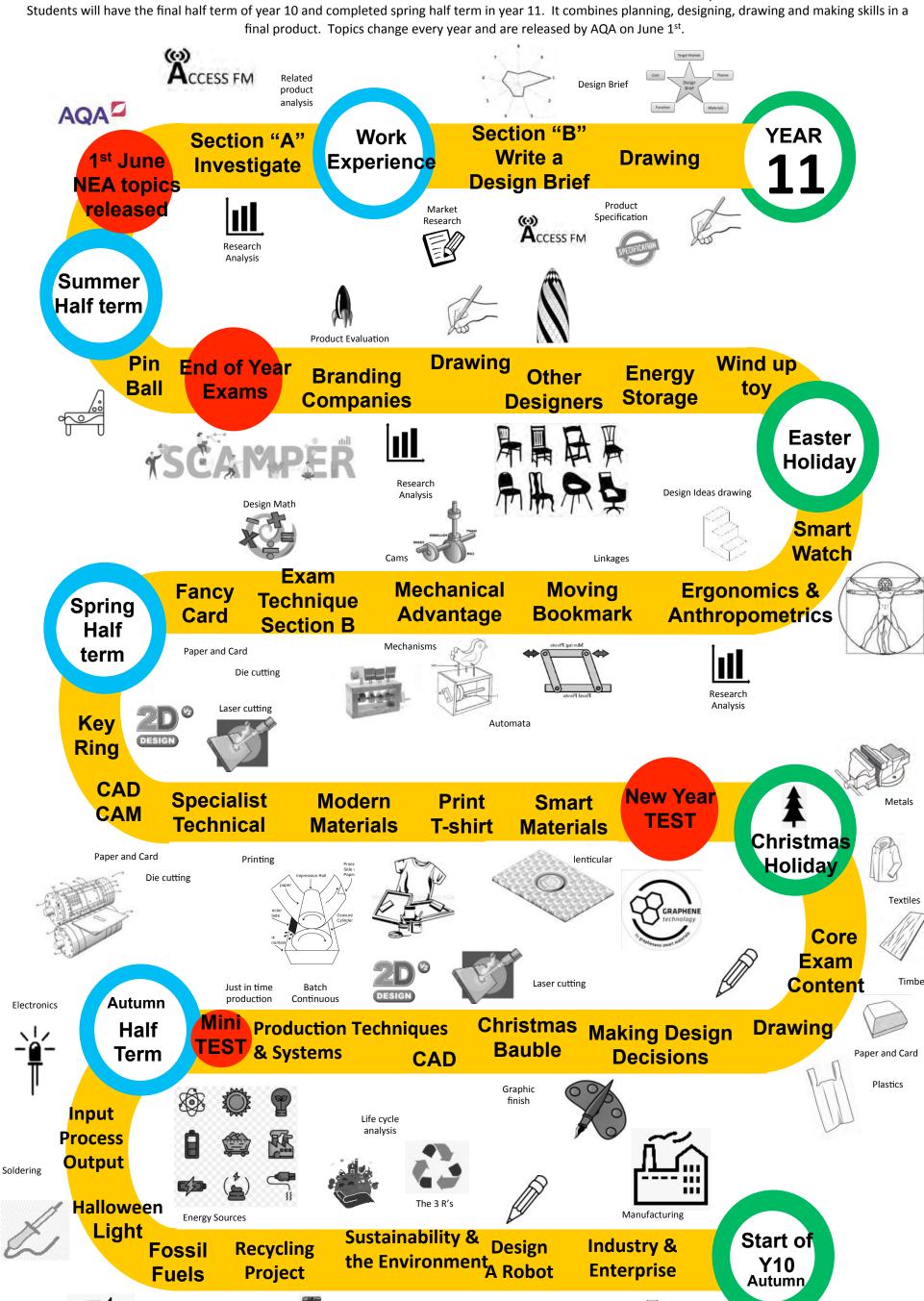


# Design & Technology Year 10 Learning Journey

Remember - Understand - Apply - Analyse - Evaluate - Appraise

# Exam board AQA Exam is worth 50% - NEA is worth 50%

GCSE Design and Technology will develop you skills in working with graphic design, paper and card and your knowledge of Design and Technology across a range of materials including textiles, electronics, timber but especially paper and boards. You will explore iterative designed concepts, review a range of past designs and designers, develop your drawing skills and find out about new and emerging technologies such as Laser cutting, 3D printing and smart materials. The NEA is a non-examined assessment which is similar to course-work. It will be worked on in lessons under teacher supervision but can be done at home. Students will have the final half term of year 10 and completed spring half term in year 11. It combines planning, designing, drawing and making skills in a final product. Topics change every year and are released by AQA on June 1st.



The Forest

Stewardship Council

Renewable

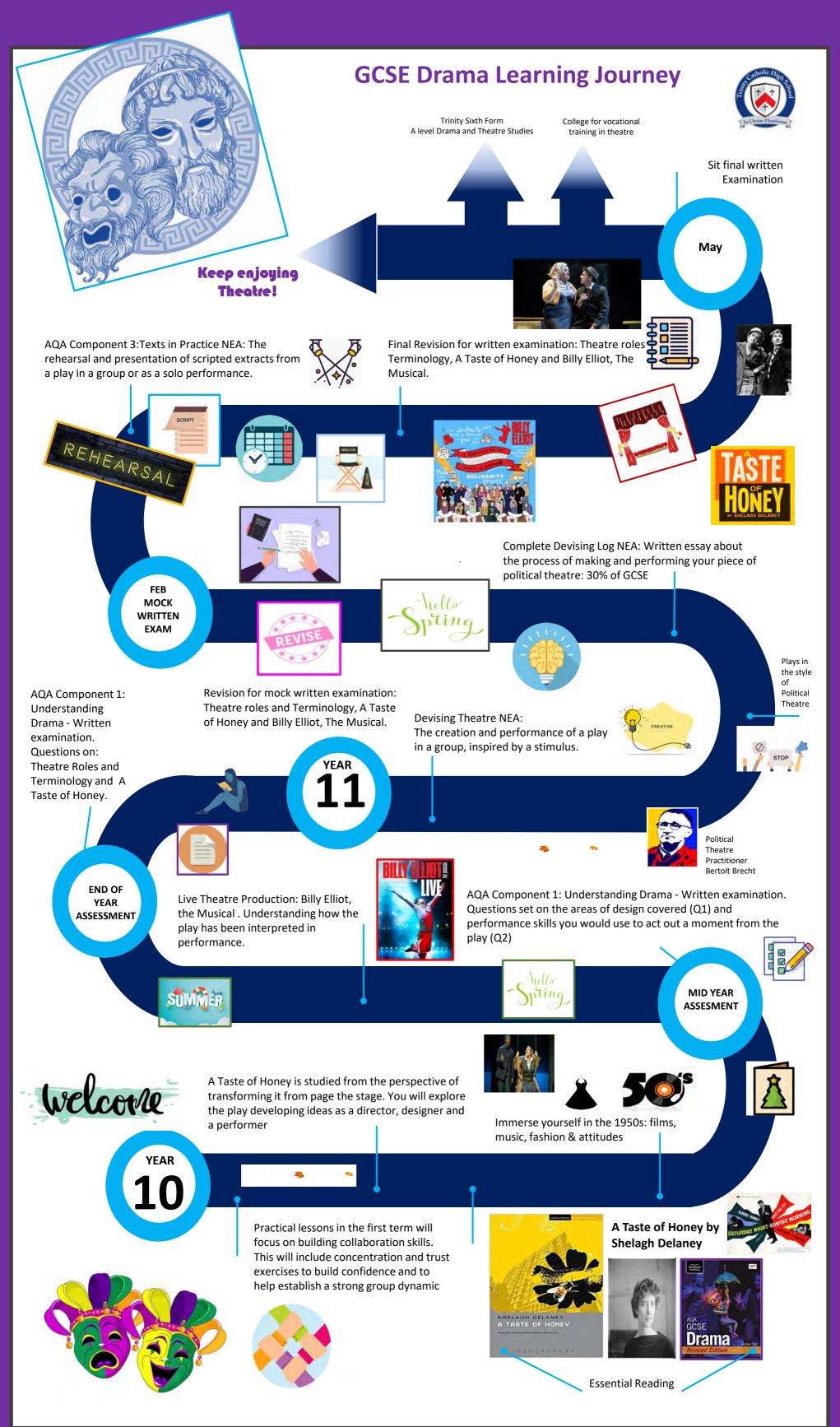
Energy

Fret saw

Drilling

FSC

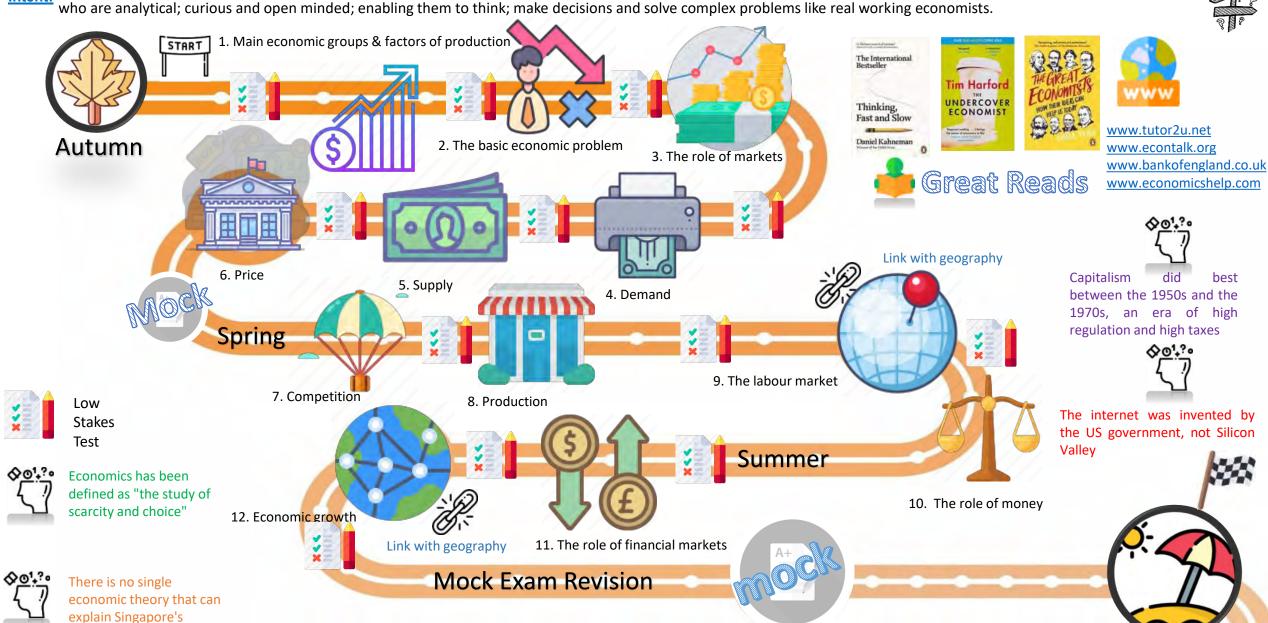
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# - Year 10 Economics Learning Journey -

Intent: "To prepare the next generation of economists by exposing students to the very best of core theoretical and applied material, developing reflective and independent learners who are analytical; curious and open minded; enabling them to think; make decisions and solve complex problems like real working economists.





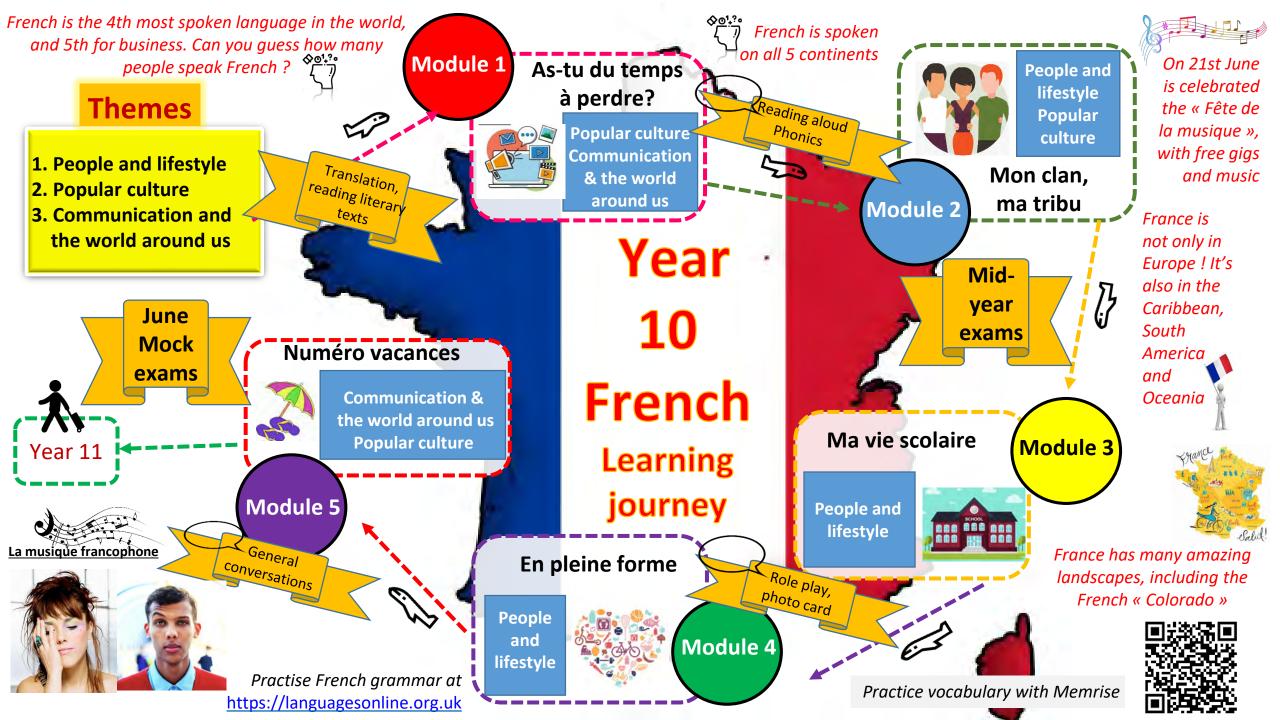
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# KS4 FOOD LEARNING JOURNEY



# **AQA FOOD PREPARATION AND NUTRITION**



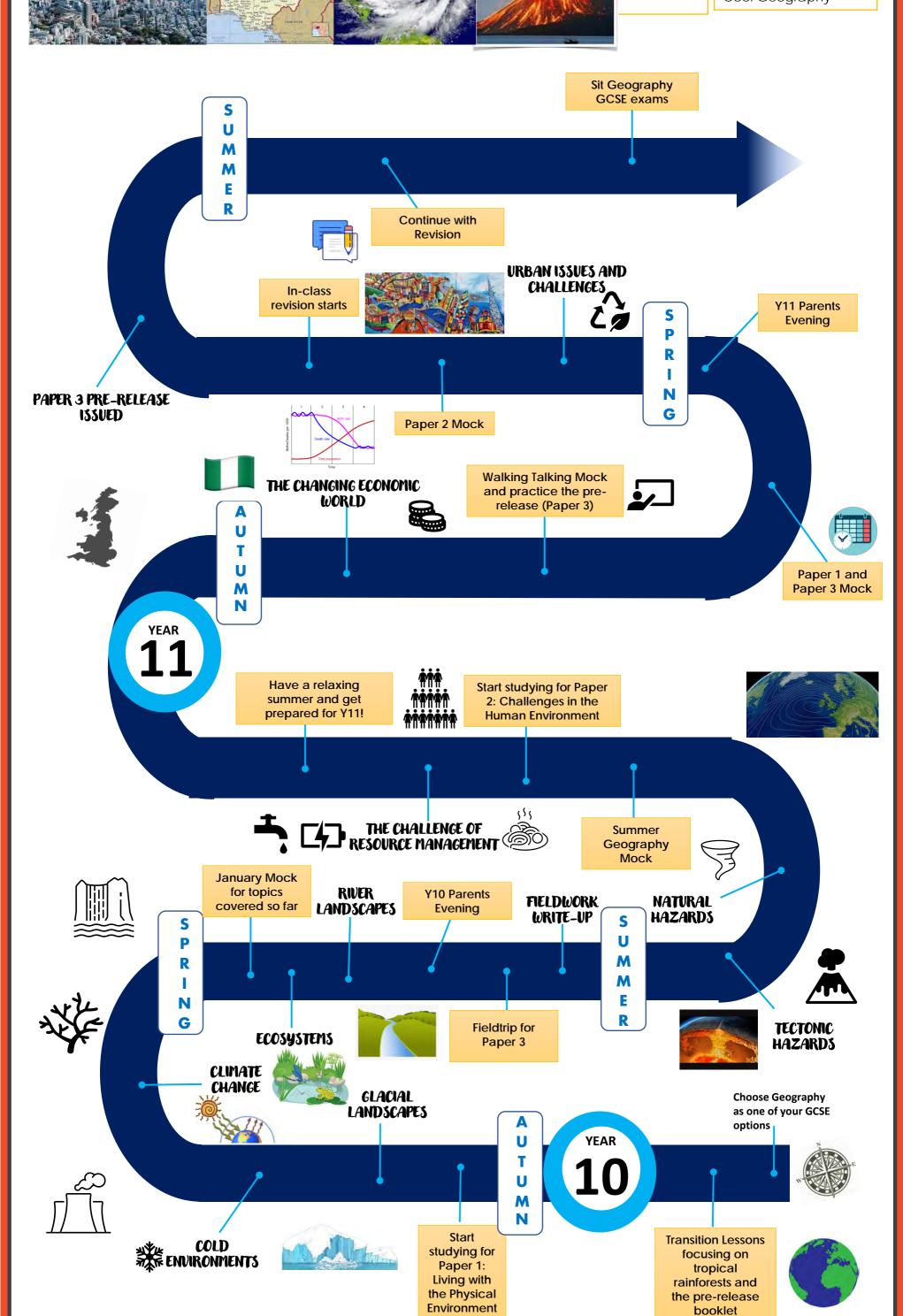




"Geography illuminates the past, explains the present and prepares us for the future. What could be more important than that?" Michael Palin

# Further Reading: Revision Help: Ask your teacher Knowledge Ord

Geofiles World Wise Magazine BBC News Ask your teacher Knowledge Organisers Check 20s CGP revision guide Textbook Kerboodle Seneca Time for Geography Cool Geography



**GCSE HISTORY** 

**Learning Journey** 

Part 1: The Middle Ages c1000-1500

# 'Medicine stands still'

- Causes, prevention and treatment of disease.
- Debt to Roman medicine -Galen.
- Power of Christian church.
- Case Study the Black Death.

## **Exam questions** format:

Q1: How useful is this source when studying an historical problem, i.e. why is it useful to answering a question?

> Part 3: The Nineteenth Century

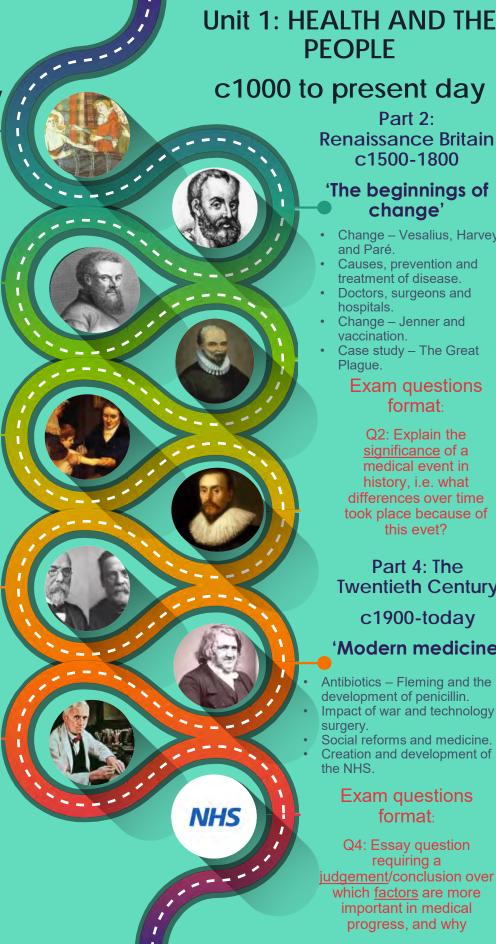
c1800-1900

## 'A revolution in medicine'

- Change Pasteur, Koch and the germ theory.
- Microbes, vaccinations and magic bullets.
- Surgical problems and solutions - Simpson and anaesthetics, Lister and antiseptics.
- Public Health improvements factors behind change.

# **Exam questions** format:

Q3: In what ways are two medicine related events similar over time, i.e. in causes and consequences?



Part 2: Renaissance Britain c1500-1800

# 'The beginnings of change'

- Change Vesalius, Harvey and Paré.
- Causes, prevention and treatment of disease.
- Doctors, surgeons and hospitals.
- Change Jenner and vaccination.
- Case study The Great Plague.

# **Exam questions** format:

Q2: Explain the significance of a medical event in history, i.e. what differences over time took place because of this evet?

Part 4: The **Twentieth Century** c1900-today

# 'Modern medicine'

- Antibiotics Fleming and the development of penicillin.
- Impact of war and technology or surgery.
- Social reforms and medicine.
- Creation and development of the NHS.

# **Exam questions** format:

Q4: Essay question requiring a judgement/conclusion over which factors are more important in medical progress, and why

**GCSE HISTORY** 

**Learning Journey** 

Part 1:

# Elizabeth's Court and Parliament

- Elizabeth and her court
- The difficulties for a female ruler
- The issue of marriage
- Norfolk's rebellion
- Essex's rebellion

# Part 2:

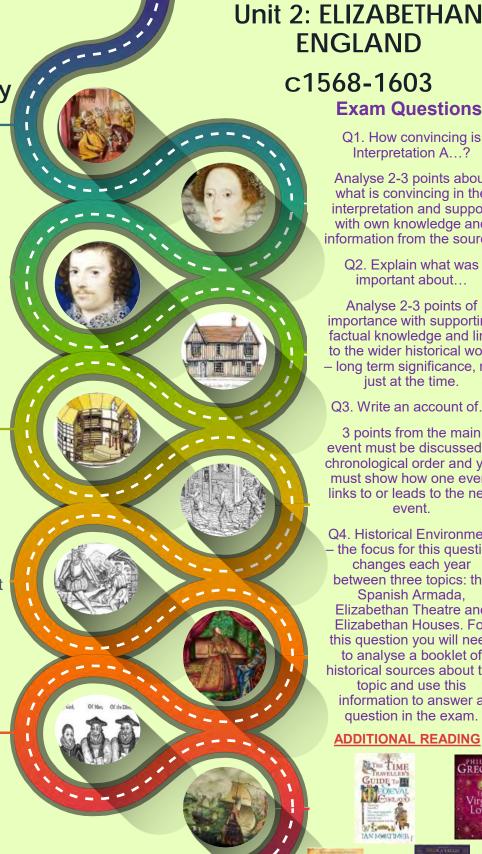
# Life in Elizabethan **Times**

- Wealth and fashion
- Historic houses
- Role of Elizabethan theatre
- Poverty in Elizabethan
- Government's treatment of the poor
- Drake and voyages of exploration

# Part 3:

# **Troubles at** home and abroad

- Religious changes under Elizabeth
- Reactions to religious changes
- The 'catholic' threat
- **Puritans**
- Mary, Queen of Scots
- Conflict between **England and Spain**
- The Spanish Armada



**Exam Questions:** 

Q1. How convincing is Interpretation A...?

Analyse 2-3 points about what is convincing in the interpretation and support with own knowledge and information from the source.

> Q2. Explain what was important about...

Analyse 2-3 points of importance with supporting factual knowledge and link to the wider historical work long term significance, not iust at the time.

Q3. Write an account of...

3 points from the main event must be discussed in chronological order and you must show how one event links to or leads to the next event.

Q4. Historical Environment the focus for this question changes each year between three topics: the Spanish Armada, Elizabethan Theatre and Elizabethan Houses. For this question you will need to analyse a booklet of historical sources about the topic and use this information to answer a question in the exam.

## ADDITIONAL READING









**GCSE HISTORY** 

**Learning Journey** 

Part 1:

Germany and the growth of democracy 1890-1923

- Kaiser Wilhelm and the difficulties of ruling Germany.
- The impact of WWI.
- Weimar democracy.

# Part 2:

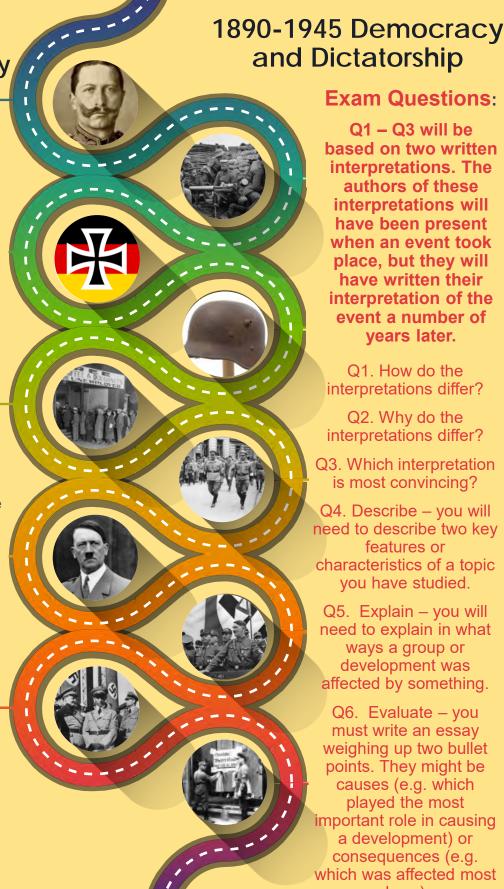
Germany and the Depression 1929-1934

- The impact of the Depression and the growth in support for the Nazi Party.
- The failure of Weimar democracy.
- The establishment of Hitler's dictatorship.

# Part 3:

The experiences of Germans under the Nazis 1933-1945

- Economic changes.
- Social policy and practice.
- How Hitler kept control.



# **Exam Questions:**

**Unit 3: GERMANY** 

Q1 - Q3 will be based on two written interpretations. The authors of these interpretations will have been present when an event took place, but they will have written their interpretation of the event a number of vears later.

Q1. How do the interpretations differ?

Q2. Why do the interpretations differ?

Q3. Which interpretation is most convincing?

Q4. Describe – you will need to describe two key features or characteristics of a topic you have studied.

Q5. Explain – you will need to explain in what ways a group or development was affected by something.

Q6. Evaluate – you must write an essay weighing up two bullet points. They might be causes (e.g. which played the most important role in causing a development) or consequences (e.g. which was affected most by...)

# **GCSE MEDIA STUDIES**

# YEAR 10 LEARNING JOURNEY

# TERM IA

SEP-OCT

# Induction Unit/ 1A Advertising

An introductory unit which teaches the key concepts and ideas related to this course followed by the first of the exam units. This is based on analysis of 2 advertising texts.



# TERM IB

NOV-DEC

# 1A Film Marketing, 1A Magazines

A study of how media language creates meaning in specific media industries including representation of key social groups.



# TERM 2A

TAN-FEB

# 1A Newspapers, 1B Film

A study of how media language creates meaning in specific media industries including representation of key social groups.



# TERM 2B

FEB-APR

# **1B Radio, 1B Video Games**

A study of how specific media industries target audiences and fit into the industries they are part of including regulation.



# TERM 3A

APR- TUN

# **Revision Unit**

An revision unit which covers all of the Year 10 content in preparation for the end-of year mock exam which is a full component 1 paper.



# TERM 3B

TUN-TULY

# **NEA Coursework**

The coursework is worth 30% of the overall grade and requires students to create a print media product in response to a specific brief.

**Music GCSE Learning Journey** 

Performing: 30% =4 mins

1 solo piece
1 ensemble piece
(60 marks)

Composing: 30% = 3 min

1 student set brief 1 exam board set brief. (60 marks) Exam; Listening & Appraising 40%
Section A: short Q's on Set works
Section B: Comparative essay
1hr 45min (80 marks)

Year 10: Autumn term

**Course content** 

Analysis of set works and related background.

Instrumental Music 1700-1820 (Bach: Brandenburg Concerto no 5 3<sup>rd</sup> movement & Beethoven: Piano Sonata no 8 1<sup>st</sup> movement) Skills used:

**Performance**: Building on instrumental/vocal skills through solo performance practise.

**Compositional**: exploring melodic writing, chord sequences and simple structure.

**Analytical:** identifying instruments, keys, chords and devices.

Links:

Baroque period:

Historic
Europe in
the 18<sup>th</sup>
Century, the
role of the
musician,
art,

Year 10: Spring term

**Course content** 

Analysis of set works and related background.

<u>Vocal Music</u> (Purcell: Music for a While & Queen: Killer Queen) Links:
Drama,
historical,
cultural and
social
context of
baroque
and rock
music.

Links:

Theatre,
Classical and
romantic
orchestra,
Media,
English
script
writing.

Skills used:

**Performance**: preparation for solo

performance.

**Compositional**: finalise

composition 1 and complete. (15%) **Analytical:** identifying instruments,

compositional devices, the theme/story of each set work. Essay skills.

Year 10: Summer term

Course content

Analysis of set works and related background. Essay writing.

Music for Stage and Screen

(S. Schwartz: Defying Gravity & J Williams: main title/Rebel blockade runner from Star Wars **Skills used**:

**Performance**: use

instruments/voices to perform sections from set works.

**Compositional**: start with ideas

for composition 1

Analytical: identifying instruments,

text setting devices, vocal

techniques.

Year 11: Autumn term

**Course content** 

Analysis of set works and related background.

**Fusions** 

(Afro Celt Sound System: Release & Esperanze Spalding: Samba Em Preludio)

Skills used:

**Performance**: Recording of Solo & Ensemble performance (30%) Compositional: work on Set

brief composition

Analytical: identifying instruments, compositional devices, cultural features.

<u>Links</u>

Geography

Cultural & social contexts.

Year 11: Spring term

Revision/Exam technique/ Listening exam practise/mock exams

**Record Composition 2 Set Brief** 



Processes: Encoding, storage and retrieval

Topic 1

This unit will start with the processes of memory, encoding (input), storage and retrieval (output).

Students will be exploring a memory study such as Baddeley's encoding to view how information is encoded in our short term and long term memory.

The different types of long term memory are explored. Episodic
Semantic
Procedural

# Exam questions format:

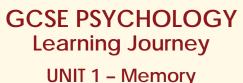
Outline two criticisms of research into different types of memory. [4 marks]

# Topic 2: Structure of memory

Structures: This unit explores the structure of memory. Students will be learning about the multi-store model of memory. The strengths and weaknesses of the model as well as research support for the MSM of memory. Murdock's serial position study: in this study the serial position of an item such as words was investigated. It was concluded that the position of a word determines the likelihood of its recall. For example words at the end and start of a list are more likely to be remembered than words in the middle of a list.

Exam questions format:

Describe and evaluate Murdock serial position curve study [9 marks]



Topic 3:

# Memory as an active process:

**Bartlett's War of ghost study:** 

A memory study that explored how memory is an active process and how culture can influence our recall of events.

This helped the development of reconstructive memory theory

# Exam questions format:

Outline two criticism of the theory of reconstructive memory. [4 marks]

# Topic 4: Accuracy of memory:

In this topic, students will understand the reasons why we forget.

Starting with the interference theory and research of McGoch and McDonald, students will understand that the more similar information is the more likely to be forgotten because it interfered with other similar information.

Next context will be explored and the research of Godden and Baddeley will be studied. Students will understand that when learning information in one environment it will help the recall of the same information.

Last factor that will be explored is false memories. Students will learn the difference between real and false memories and they will familiarise themselves with Loftus and Pickrell lost in the mall study.



## Topic 1: GCSE PSYCHOLOGY Hypotheses and **Variables** Aim - a general statement explaining the purpose of the study. variable Hypothesis – a clear precise testable statement Alternative hypothesis statement of relationship between variables. Null hypothesis statement of no relationship between variables. Variables - IV/DV Exam guestions format: Write a suitable hypothesis What are for this experiment. extraneous variables? Topic 3: Types of Experiment Laboratory experiments are high in control over what happens. Field Experiments take place in a natural setting IV manipulated by the experimenter. Natural experiments take place in field or lab, IV is not changed by the experimenter it varies naturally. Exam questions format: Write a suitable experiment for this hypothesis. Experimental Topic 5: Design Sampling Methods Sample - the small group of people who represent the target population and who are studied Population Random - each person has equal chance of being selected, Opportunity – selecting people Sample available at time e.g. who is present in the shopping mall. Exam questions format: Systematic - selecting every nth person from a list of target Read the item and then population Stratified - selecting

answer the questions,

that follow.

participants from sub groups.

**Learning Journey** 

**UNIT 2 - RESEARCH METHODS** 

**TOPICS 1-5** 

Topic 2:

## Extraneous Variables

- Unwanted variable that could affect the DV.
- Research procedures -Instructions to participants.
- Standardise procedures.
- Randomisation.
- Quantitative data information that can be counted usually in form of numbers.
- Qualitative data information expressed in words

**Exam questions** format-

What is randomisation?

# Topic 4:

# **Experimental Designs**

- Independent groups different groups of participants for each condition.
- Repeated measures all participants take part in both conditions.
- Matched pairs participants are tested on variables relevant to the study and then matched and one person from each pair completes one condition.

**Exam questions** format-

What experimental design is shown above?

# Topic 6: **Ethics** Informed consent participants should be told of the purpose of the research and that they can leave at anytime **Deception – participants** should not be lied to or misled about aims. Privacy - participants have the right to control information about themselves. **Confidentiality: Personal data** must be protected and respected. Exam questions format: State what ethical problems may arise from the study. Topic 8: **Observation studies** and Correlations Natural - record behaviour where it normally occurs, or Controlled - researcher manipulates aspects of the environment. Covert - participants not aware behaviour is being recorded. Correlations - show a relationship between two variables. Shows link or association but NOT cause and effect. Exam questions format: Identify the type of correlation the teacher found. Shade one box only. Topic 9:

# Reliability and Validity

Reliability – a measure of consistency.

 Validity – relates to whether a result is a true reflection of real world behaviour.

Exam questions format:

Describe what we mean by the term reliability..

# GCSE PSYCHOLOGY Learning Journey

**UNIT 2 - RESEARCH METHODS** 

**TOPICS 6-10** 

Topic 7:

## Interviews and Questionnaires

 Structured interview – A list of questions are read out and answered.

 Unstructured interview – Looks like a conversation there is a topic and few questions to start of the interview.

Semi-structured interview

– a number of questions
have been decided in
advance but the
interviewer will ask follow
up questions on the spot.

Questionnaire – open and closed.

Exam questions format:

What type of interview is shown in item A?

Topic 10:

# Descriptive stats Interpretation and display of quantitative data

Range – spread of data.
Arrange in order and subtract lowest from highest score.

Mean – mathematical average

Add up all scores and divide by the number of scores.

 Median – middle value when
 data is put in order from lowest to highest.

Mode – most common score

 Frequency data/ frequency tables/ histogram/ bar chat/

normal distribution. **Exam questions format**:

The range for Condition A is 6. Calculate the range for Condition B. Show your workings.

Topic 1 GCSE PSYCHOLOGY Early brain development **Learning Journey** In this topic students will **UNIT 3 - Development** explore the basic knowledge of brain development, from simple neural structures in the womb, of brain stem, thalamus, cerebellum and cortex. This topic will explore the relationship between nature and nurture when influencing the growing development. **Exam questions format:** With reference to at least one example outline how nature and nurture may affect the development of the growing brain. Topic 3: **Dweck mindset** theory In this topic students will learn the difference between a fixed and growth mindset. How to deal with failure and learn about the role of praise in delivering good work. Students will explore the different learning styles available: verbalisers, visualisers and kinaesthetic learners. Willingham's learning theory will be explored and the reasons why he criticises the learning style approach. Exam questions format Willingham has criticised the theory of learning styles Briefly explain his criticism [3 marks]

Topic 2: Piaget's theory

Piaget's theory of cognitive development includes concepts of assimilation and accommodation. He developed a four stage model to explain how children develop from sensorimotor stage (0-2), pre-operational stage (2-7), concreate operational stage (7-11) and lastly formal operational stage (11+). Piaget conducted studies to test the theories of egocentrism and conservation.

His methods of investigation have been criticised thus the development of new methods of investigating egocentricity such as Hughes 'policeman doll' study and 'naughty teddy study' of McGarrigle and Donaldson have been developed.

His theory has been applied to real world setting for example in the education system.

Exam questions format: Describe and evaluate Piaget's theory of cognitive development [9 marks]

Topic 1 Sensation and Perception What is the difference

between a sensation and perception?

How do different theories of perception explain the difference?

# Exam questions format:

Use the picture above to explain the difference between sensation and perception. [3 marks]

# **Topic 3: Theories** of perception

- Is perception an innate or learned skill?
- **Exploring Gibson's direct** theory of perception.
- **Exploring Gregory's** constructivist theory of perception.

## Exam questions format:

Describe and evaluate Gibson's direct theory of perception [9 marks]

# GCSE PSYCHOLOGY **Learning Journey**

**UNIT 4 - Perception** 

# Topic 2: Visual illusions

- Introduction to some visual illusions such as the ponzo illusion, mullerlyer illusion, Rubin's vase and the Ames room.
- What is the difference between binocular and monocular depth cue?
- How do our eyes perceive depth with binocular depth cues and monocular depth cues?
- **Explanations of visual** illusions. Looking at the difference between misinterpreted depth cues and ambiguity.

# Exam questions format:

Outline and explain what the ambiguous visual illusions Rubin's vase and Necker cube tell us about perception [4 marks]

# **Topic 4: Factors** affecting perception:

- How does culture, emotion, motivation and expectation affect perception?
- Culture Social wold we live in affect our senses puck up
- Emotion- The tendency for our brain to notice exciting thing and block threatening things.
- Motivation- Wanting increases its attractiveness.
- Expectation- Belfies based on past experiences can affect how much we attend to things.

Exam questions format:

escribe and evaluate Gilchrist and Nesberg's study into the effect of motivation on perceptual set. In your answer include the method used, the results obtained and the conclusions drawn as well as criticism of the study. [9 marks]



# **Trinity Catholic High School GCSE PE Learning Journey**

A Level PE Sports scholarship

**Commercialisation** 

## **Examination**

There are two papers for GCSE PE., both of which are one hour written. Paper 1 covers Applied Anatomy & Physiology and Physical Training. Paper 2 covers Socio-Cultural Influences, Sports Psychology & Health, Fitness & Well-Being.

## **Final Preparation**

Practical moderation and revision for final exams



**SCAN HERE to see the OCR GCSE** PE specification and the content

you will cover in more detail.



**SCAN HERE to see the** requirements for the Practical Criteria and the Analysing & **Evaluating Performance criteria.** 

# **GCSE Physical Education Breakdown**

**Examination – 60% Practical Assessment - 30% Analyse & Evaluate Performance – 10%** 

# **Practical Assessment (30%)**

For GCSE PE, you will be assessed in 3 sports, with a maximum of 2 from either the Individual or team category.

You will need to keep a competitive logbook of all the events that you do within your chosen sports. Your teacher will assess you in these sports. Any 'off-site' sports will need video evidence.

The list of available sports and more information of off-site video evidence can be found by scanning the QR Code above.

# **Analyse & Evaluate Performance (10%)**

For one of your chosen sports, you will need to create a piece of coursework to demonstrate your ability to analyse and evaluate their own performance.

## Learners will need to include:

- Analyse aspects of personal performance in a practical activity.
- Evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of the performance.
- Produce an action plan which aims to improve the quality and effectiveness of the performance.

Scan the QR Code above to find out more information.

# **Sport Psychology**

Learners will understand the psychological factors that can affect performers. Learners will also develop knowledge of the characteristics and classification of skilful movements, along with goal setting, guidance and feedback, and mental preparation.



AEP Coursework Task - 10% of final Marks, comprehensive written document completed in class



**Diet & Nutrition** 

Learners will develop an understanding of the main

components of a balanced diet, including the effects of these components and hydration on performers.

Mock exams 2 full exam papers Predicted practical grades

# **Ethical & Socio-Cultural Issues**

Learners will understand the ethics in sport including sportsmanship, gamesmanship and deviance. The effects of drugs in sport and why performers take them will be understood along with reasons for player violence.



## **Physical Activity & Participation**

Learners will develop their knowledge and understanding of current participation trends, factors affecting participation and strategies to promote participation across a range of different groups in society.

## Health, Fitness & Well-Being

Learners will understand the benefits of participating in physical activity to health, fitness and well-being. Learners will know about the physical, emotional and social benefits as well as the consequences of a sedentary lifestyle.

# Year

## Anatomy & Physiology

Students will learn about the structure and function of the skeletal, muscular, cardiovasucular and respiratory systems and the effects of exercise on these systems. Students will be able to analyse movements demonstrating knowledge of levers and planes of

Learners will develop their knowledge and understand of the components of fitness required for physical activities and how each can be measured, be able to apply training principles to training programmes, along with knowing how to optimise training and prevent injury.

## Learners will develop an understanding of commercialisation in sport, along with the positive/negative influences of media on participation and performances in sport.

# **Physical Training**

# Year 10 Spanish Learning Journey Module 1 - iDiviértetel



- Talking about life online
- Talking about sports and free-time activities
- Arranging to go out
- Saying what you did at the weekend
- Talking about days that went wrong

## Module 2 — Viajes

- Discussing travel plans
- Talking about festivals in the Spanish-speaking world
- Saying what you did on holiday
- Describing where you stayed
- Talking about holidays using different tenses

# Themes

Theme 1: People and lifestyle

Theme 2: Popular culture

Theme 3: Communication and

the world around us

INPUT

OUTPUT

## You will be able to...

- understand and express ideas in spoken and written Spanish
- develop transferable language skills in listening, speaking, reading, translation and writing
- develop a core of grammatical knowledge
- deepen your understanding of other cultures
- open up future career paths
- prepare vourself for future holidays in Spanish-speaking countries

Mid-year Exams Listening, Reading and Writina

### Module 3— Mi gente, mi mundo

- Describing people
- Talking about who you admire
- Talking about friendships and relationships
- Talking about your identity and what matters to you
- Talking about problems and giving advice

# Year 11

## Module 5 — iA clase!

- Learning about schools in Spain
- Talking about a typical day at school
- Talking about your studies
- Talking about how you would change your school
- Talking about students and teachers at school
- Describing a school trip in the past

# Module 4— Mi estilo de vida

- Typical foods in Spanish-speaking countries
- Describing healthy daily routines
- Talking about mealtimes and food trends
- Comparing old and new habits
- Talking about illnesses and injuries
- Future plans for health and wellbeing.



End of year exam Listening, Reading, Writing















**EMOTIONAL HEALTH & TREATMENT** 





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Sleep Well



**HEALTHY SLEEP** 



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**RELATIONSHIPS & FAMILIES** 









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