

KS4 Course Overviews

Year 11

2021-2022



This document is primarily intended to summarise and communicate the assessment structure for each examination subject. Alongside, you will find information about homework and revision resources that should prove useful in supporting year 11 students.

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Subject	<h1>Statistics</h1>	
Specification	Edexcel GCSE Statistics 1STO	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	No NEA in statistics	
Time allocation		
Approximate Dates		
Weighting		
Examinations		
	Exam 1	Exam 2
Name	Paper 1	Paper 2
Date (provisional)	14 th June 2022 (PM) (1.5hrs)	24 th June 2022 (AM) (1.5hrs)
Weighting	50%	50%
Other Information:		
Structure for home learning:		
Home learning tasks set week 2 on Thursdays due the following week. Details always set on SMHW.		
Useful websites and resources:		
www.mymaths.co.uk (GCSE statistics section)		
Revision Guides and Workbooks – All students advised to purchase a revision guide. These are available on sQuid.		
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Subject	<h1>Mathematics</h1>		
Specification	Edexcel GCSE Mathematics 1MA1		
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)			
Name/Description	No NEA in Maths		
Time allocation			
Approximate Dates			
Weighting			
Examinations			
	Exam 1	Exam 2	Exam 3
Name	Paper 1 – Non-Calculator	Paper 2 – Calculator	Paper 3 - Calculator
Date (provisional)	20 th May 2022 (AM) (1.5 hrs)	7 th June 2022 (AM) (1.5 hrs)	13 th June 2022 (AM) (1.5 hrs)
Weighting	33.3%	33.3%	33.3%
Other Information:			
<p>Structure for home learning: Weekly homework, always set on Show My Homework:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Every week: Questions to be completed on MathsWatch, alongside instructional videos. <p>Exam Paper homework will be set in preparation for mock exams.</p>			
<p>Useful websites and resources:</p> <p>Maths Exercise Book – Students have a single A4 book for notes, classwork and homework.</p> <p>Corbettmaths.com – A wide range of revision resources. Exam style tasks on every topic, with solutions, alongside instructional videos.</p> <p>MathsWatch.co.uk – Instructional videos and questions for every GCSE topic. Marked online.</p> <p>Revision Guides and Workbooks – All students advised to purchase a revision guide. Most will have already done so. These are available on sQuid.</p> <p><i>Other digital resources will be made available to students via Teams throughout the year.</i></p>			
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Subject	Additional Mathematics FSMQ	
Specification	OCR Additional Mathematics FSMQ 6993 (Level 3 certificate)	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	No NEA in FSMQ	
Time allocation		
Approximate Dates		
Weighting		
Examinations		
Name	Exam	
Date (provisional)	17 th June 2022 (AM) (2 hrs)	
Weighting	100%	
Other Information:	Calculator allowed	
<p>Structure for home learning: As this an additional extension subject for those studying the GCSE statistics option there is no set requirement for home learning. However, the students are advised to spend an hour every two weeks supplementing the work that they do in lessons with private study at home.</p>		
<p>Useful websites and resources:</p> <p>www.mymaths.co.uk</p> <p>Course Textbook: Students who wish to make good progress and sit the exam should consider buying the course textbook which they can use to supplement the learning that they do in school.</p> <p>OCR Level 3 Free Standing Mathematics Qualification: Additional Maths (2nd edition) ISBN: 9781510449640</p>		
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Subject	English Language	
Specification	WJEC Eduqas GCSE in English Language	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	No NEA for English Language	
Time allocation		
Approximate Dates		
Weighting		
Examinations		
	Exam 1	Exam 2
Name	Component 1: 20th Century Literature Prose Reading and Creative Prose Writing.	Component 2: 19th and 21st Century Non-Fiction Reading and Transactional/Persuasive Writing
Date (provisional)	18 th May (AM) (1hr 45min)	10 th June (AM) (1hr 45min)
Weighting	40%	60%
Other Information:	English Language is taught by the same English teacher delivering English Literature. The assessment objectives are inter-changeable, and the skills are also transferable. Although we will explicit focus a unit on Language teaching, there is continuous references to and around the subject.	
<p>Structure for home learning: Teachers will set either reading or writing home learning that will be an extension of learning in lesson or interleaving previous learning from a prior topic/course i.e. Shakespeare Autumn Term Language paper 2 focus Spring Term language paper 1 focus</p> <p>Newsletter goes home to parents each half term with a course overview, main assessments, stretch-and-challenge and support suggestions.</p>		
<p>Useful websites and resources: TEAMS LVC student page has all revision materials on as per countdown planner given to all students in class.</p> <p>English class book will have notes to aid revision</p> <p>Revision guides available on shared drive and on teams for free student resources/English/ GCSE exam and prep</p> <p>GCSE pod: https://members.gcsepod.com/content?subject_id=6061&exam_board_id=1023</p> <p>Seneca https://app.senecalearning.com/login</p> <p>BBC bitesize https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zpxh82p</p>		
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Subject	English Literature	
Specification	WJEC Eduqas GCSE in English Literature	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	No NEA for English Literature	
Time allocation		
Approximate Dates		
Weighting		
Examinations		
	Exam 1	Exam 2
Name	Component 1: Shakespeare and Post-1914 Prose This paper is compulsory in its entirety.	Component 2: Poetry Anthology, 19th Century Prose, and Unseen Poetry. Candidates choose to answer two out of the three sections on this paper.*
Date (provisional)	25 th May 2022 (AM) (2 hrs)	8 th June 2022 (AM) (2 hrs)
Weighting	50%	50%
Other Information:	*We are teaching the entire qualification but approaching the Poetry Anthology as unseen poetry. We are suggesting that students 'drop' the Unseen poetry section. As a centre, we are preparing students to cover the entire course, until a firm decision has been made from exam boards about next steps.	
Structure for home learning: Students will be given weekly home learning to support the learning class. This may be reading or re-reading a text, learning quotations, answering comprehension questions or researching the context of a text.		
Useful websites and resources: TEAMS LVC student page has all revision materials on as per countdown planner given to all students in class. English class book will have notes to aid revision Revision guides available on shared drive for free student resources/English/GCSE exam and prep GCSE pod https://members.gcsepod.com/content?subject_id=6062&exam_board_id=1023 Seneca https://app.senecalearning.com/login BBC bitesize https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zw9mycw		
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Subject	Biology	
Specification	AQA Trilogy 8461	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	N/A for all science subjects	
Time allocation		
Approximate Dates		
Weighting		
Examinations		
Name	Paper 1	Paper 2
Date (provisional)	17 th May 2022 (AM) (1hr 45min)	15 th June 2022 (AM) (1hr 45min)
Weighting	50%	50%
Other Information:	Each paper covers roughly 50% of the content, paper one the earlier material and paper 2 the later units. Skills can appear on either paper e.g. students could be asked to write a hypothesis for either paper	
Structure for home learning:		
Teachers set tasks appropriate for the 2 classes independently of each other. Assessments are common, home learning is set on a class by class basis.		
Useful websites and resources:		
<p>Kerboodle is the only one that isn't obvious. https://www.kerboodle.com/app</p> <p>It contains a great deal of relevant resources as well as the online versions of the textbooks for all science GCSEs.</p> <p>BBC Bitesize, GCSE pod, Seneca and Oak Academy all provide useful online resources .</p> <p>All students are issued with revision guides for biology, chemistry and physics.</p>		
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Subject	<h1>Chemistry</h1>	
Specification	AQA Trilogy 8462	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	N/A for all science subjects	
Time allocation		
Approximate Dates		
Weighting		
Examinations		
Name	Paper 1	Paper 2
Date (provisional)	27 th May 2022 (AM) (1hr 45min)	20 th June 2022 (AM) (1hr 45min)
Weighting	50%	50%
Other Information:	Each paper covers roughly 50% of the content, paper one the earlier material and paper 2 the later units. Skills can appear on either paper e.g. students could be asked to deal with accuracy of measurement on either paper	
Structure for home learning:		
Teachers set tasks appropriate for the 2 classes independently of each other. Assessments are common, home learning is set on a class by class basis.		
Useful websites and resources:		
<p>Kerboodle is the only one that isn't obvious. https://www.kerboodle.com/app</p> <p>It contains a great deal of relevant resources as well as the online versions of the textbooks for all science GCSEs.</p> <p>BBC Bitesize, GCSE pod, Seneca and Oak Academy all provide useful online resources .</p> <p>All students are issued with revision guides for biology, chemistry and physics.</p>		
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Subject	<h1>Physics</h1>	
Specification	AQA Trilogy 8463	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	N/A for all science subjects	
Time allocation		
Approximate Dates		
Weighting		
Examinations		
Name	Paper 1	Paper 2
Date (provisional)	8 th June 2022 (PM) (1hr 45min)	23 rd June 2022 (AM) (1hr 45min)
Weighting	50%	50%
Other Information:	Each paper covers roughly 50% of the content, paper one the earlier material and paper 2 the later units. Skills can appear on either paper e.g. students could be asked to draw and interpret graphs for both papers	
Structure for home learning:		
Teachers set tasks appropriate for the 2 classes independently of each other. Assessments are common, home learning is set on a class by class basis.		
Useful websites and resources:		
<p>Kerboodle is the only one that isn't obvious. https://www.kerboodle.com/app</p> <p>It contains a great deal of relevant resources as well as the online versions of the textbooks for all science GCSEs.</p> <p>BBC Bitesize, GCSE pod, Seneca and Oak Academy all provide useful online resources .</p> <p>All students are issued with revision guides for biology, chemistry and physics.</p>		
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Subject	Combined Science					
Specification	AQA Trilogy 8464					
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)						
Name/Description	N/A for all science subjects Exam only Six papers for combined science, three for each GCSE					
Time allocation						
Approximate Dates						
Weighting						
Examinations						
	First GCSE			Second GCSE		
Name	Biology 1	Chemistry 1	Physics 1	Biology 2	Chemistry 2	Physics 2
Date (provisional)	17 th May 1hr 15min	27 th May 1hr 15min	8 th June 1hr 15min	15 th June 1hr 15min	20 th June 1hr 15min	23 rd June 1hr 15min
Weighting	33.3%	33.3%	33.3%	33.3%	33.3%	33.3%
Other Information:	Each paper covers a different section of the course content e.g. physics paper 1 covers units 1-7. Skills can appear on any paper e.g. students could be asked to draw and interpret graphs for several different papers					
Structure for home learning:						
Each class has separate teachers for biology, chemistry and physics so all content is delivered by subject specialists. Assessments are common, home learning is set on a class by class basis and subject by subject.						
Useful websites and resources:						
<p>Kerboodle https://www.kerboodle.com/app contains a great deal of relevant resources as well as the online versions of the textbooks for all science GCSEs.</p> <p>BBC Bitesize, GCSE pod, Seneca and Oak Academy all provide useful online resources.</p> <p>All students are issued with revision guides for biology, chemistry and physics</p>						
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Subject	Business	
Specification	OCR Cambridge National Certificate in Enterprise and Marketing Level 1/2	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	R065/Design a Business Proposal	R066/Market and Pitch a business proposal
Time allocation	30 Guided Learning Hours	30 Guided Learning Hours
Approximate Dates	December 2021	1 May 2022 (STC)
Weighting	25%	25%
Examinations		
	Exam 1	
Name	R064/Enterprise and Marketing Concepts	
Date (provisional)	13 th January 2022	
Weighting	50%	
Other Information:	TAG issued for Summer 2021 exam, resit opportunity Jan 2022	
Structure for home learning:		
Weekly revision tasks set on SMHW for examined unit through to mocks and actual exam		
Useful websites and resources:		
Resources such as SENECA learning and GCSE Pod have some specific topic areas, although they don't have a section for this qualification.		
Revision notes available https://www.businessed.co.uk/index.php/home/theory/camnat-public/camnat-theory-notes-public		
Hand out resources will be posted on SMHW and in paper copies in class.		
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Subject	<h2>Computer Science</h2>	
Specification	AQA GCSE Computer Science 8525	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	Programming Task	Pupils will undergo a controlled assessment for Computer Science. This involves a planning stage, creation stage, testing stage and reflection stage.
Time allocation	20 hours	All pupils will be made aware of this and the assignment for this, along with the instructions, will be set on Microsoft teams. Pupils are allocated time for this to be completed as classwork and homework. Although this task no longer has an impact on student's final grades, it provides valuable experience of employing their subject knowledge in a real-world context.
Approximate Dates	October to December 2020	
Weighting	0%	
Examinations		
	Exam 1	Exam 2
Name	Paper 1: Computational thinking and programming skills	Paper 2: Computing Concepts
Date (provisional)	Summer 2022 TBC (2 hrs)	Summer 2022 TBC (1hr 45min)
Weighting	50%	50%
Other Information:		
<p>Structure for home learning: Weekly homework, set on Show My Homework. These may consist of NEA controlled assessment work, worksheet tasks which build upon what we have been learning in lessons that week, programming tasks, past papers and research tasks as appropriate.</p>		
<p>Useful websites and resources:</p> <p>Revision guides– CGP Computer Science revision materials: Revision guide, workbook and flash cards (AQA 8525 for 2022 examinations)</p> <p>Smart Revise– Online revision platform specifically developed for Computer Science qualifications. Subscription provided for students out of departmental budget</p> <p>Code Marker UK– Online programming assignment platform with automated testing of student's code.</p> <p>Craig 'n' Dave: YouTube channel with lots of videos on Computer Science. AQA GCSE Computer Science playlist</p> <p>Seneca learning – Helpful walkthroughs of the topics along with questions and assessments</p> <p>GCSE POD: Website with lots of useful videos and tutorials on the Computer Science GCSE</p> <p>YouTube: Past paper walk throughs and useful videos. Just type in GCSE AQA Computer Science</p> <p><i>Other digital resources will be made available to students via Teams throughout the year.</i></p>		
Head of Subject Contact	<i>Mr Alex Ford-Compton</i>	<i>alex.fordcompton@lvc.org</i>

Subject	<h2>Design and Technology</h2>	
Specification	AQA GCSE Design & Technology 8552	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	NEA 1 - Design & Manufacture	
Time allocation	30-35 hours approx.	
Approximate Dates	Yr10 Summer Term to Yr11 Spring Term	
Weighting	50 %	
Examinations		
Name	Written Exam	
Date (provisional)	Summer 2022 TBC (2 hrs)	
Weighting	50%	
Other Information:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Core technical principles • Specialist technical principles • Designing and making principle 	
Structure for home learning:		
Home learning will consist of NEA tasks and learning that reflects exam style questions.		
Useful websites and resources:		
Books:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grade 9-1 Design & Technology AQA Complete Revision & Practice (CGP GCSE D&T 9-1 Revision) - ISBN: 9781782947554 • Grade 9-1 GCSE Design & Technology AQA Revision Guide (CGP GCSE D&T 9-1 Revision) - ISBN: 9781782947523 		
School Shared Drive:		
On the school shared drive students can find lots of resources for exam revision and also guides and examples for the NEA project.		
Online:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technologystudent.com • GCSE Pod • BBC Bitesize • Youtube 		
Head of Subject Contact	<i>Mr John Taylor</i>	<i>john.taylor@lvc.org</i>

Subject	Engineering	
Specification	AQA GCSE Engineering 8852	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	NEA 1 – Practical Engineering	
Time allocation	30-35 hours approx.	
Approximate Dates	Yr10 Summer Term to Yr11 Spring Term	
Weighting	40%	
Examinations		
Name	Written Exam	
Date (provisional)	Summer 2022 TBC (2 hrs)	
Weighting	60%	
Other Information:		
Structure for home learning:		
Home learning will consist of NEA tasks and learning that reflects exam style questions.		
Useful websites and resources:		
Book/s:		
My Revision Notes: AQA GCSE (9-1) Engineering – ISBN: 9781398315297		
School Shared Drive:		
On the school shared drive students can find lots of resources for exam revision and also guides and examples for the NEA project.		
Online:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technologystudent.com • GCSE Pod • BBC Bitesize • Youtube 		
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Subject	Food Prep and Nutrition	
Specification	OCR Food Preparation and Nutrition J309	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	NEA 2 - Food Preparation Task	
Time allocation	20 hrs	
Approximate Dates	Autumn 2	
Weighting	50%	
Examinations		
	Exam 1	
Name	Food preparation and nutrition	
Date (provisional)	20 th June 2022 (PM) (1.5hrs)	
Weighting	50%	
Other Information:		
Structure for home learning:		
Weekly home learning set as directed improvement and reflection time, covering topics learnt in lesson. Some practical tasks will also be given throughout years 10 and 11.		
Useful websites and resources:		
CGP Food preparation and nutrition - available through Squid (Autumn 2)		
https://www.bbc.co.uk/food/techniques		
https://members.gcsepod.com/		
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Subject	Health and Social Care			
Specification	Pearson BTEC Technical Award Health and Social Care			
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)				
Name/Description	Unit 1 Learning Aim A1 and A2	Unit 1 Learning Aim B1 and B2	Unit 2 Learning Aim A1 and A2	Unit 2 Learning Aim B1 and B2
Time allocation	20hrs	20hrs	20hrs	20hrs
Approximate Dates	Jan 2020 (moderated Jan 2021)	CAG Apr 2020	CAG Apr 2020	April 2021
Weighting	15%	15%	15%	15%
Examinations				
	Exam			
Name	BTEC Technical Award Health and Social Care			
Date (provisional)	End of January / Beginning of February TBC			
Weighting	40%			
Other Information:				
Structure for home learning: Weekly home learning set as directed, covering topics learnt in lesson. Some practical tasks will also be given throughout years 10 and 11, unit and topic dependent.				
Useful websites and resources: https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/btec-nationals/health-and-social-care-2010.html#tab-4 Unit content https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/btec-nationals/health-and-social-care-2010.coursematerials.html#filterQuery=Pearson-UK:Category%2FSpecification Why BTEC? https://qualifications.pearson.com/content/dam/pdf/BTEC-Nationals/Health-and-Social-Care/2010/Specification/SoP-50095018-Pearson-BTEC-Level-3-Extended-Diploma-in-Health-and-Social-Care.pdf				
Head of Subject Contact	<i>Kellie London</i>	<i>Kellie.london@lvc.org</i>		

Subject	Art and Design	
Specification	Fine Art 1FAO	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	Personal Portfolio The portfolio requires students to demonstrate knowledge and understanding through the practical application of skills, to realise personal intentions relevant to their chosen title(s) and related area(s) of study.	
Time allocation	5Terms: 5 hours per every 2 weeks	
Approximate Dates	Autumn term year 10 to end of Spring term year 11 (tbc via exam board)	
Weighting	100%	
Examinations		
Name	No Practical Exam for 2022	
Date (provisional)	N/A	
Weighting	N/A	
Other Information:	The exam board have recently announced changes to the Art and Design GCSE for 2022 as a result of the consultation due to Covid 19. This involves the removal of the exam component and the weighting now being 100% portfolio assessment based. It is therefore our intention to use the time previously used for a controlled assessment to continue to develop a high-quality portfolio of work.	
Structure for home learning:		
<p>Home learning is set regularly, approximately once a week. The nature of the subject means that this will vary in terms of type of task (research, development, experimentation, annotation, photography, focused drawing etc.). Most work will be brought to the lesson, some will be submitted on SMHW, but this will be made clear to students at the point of issue. Students should also self- direct their home learning to complete unfinished work or catch up on missed lessons/missing portfolio work as a priority when needed.</p> <p>Home learning tasks are of paramount importance and contribute a huge amount to the content of the portfolio, as well as the development of student confidence and capacity.</p>		
Useful websites and resources:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Edexcelonline.com - Qualification.pearson.com - www.tate.org.uk/art/student-resource – careers advice and links to artists - You tube – excellent examples of drawing tutorials, artist research and examples of GCSE sketchbooks. - Pinterest – great resource for researching a variety of artists. 		
Head of Subject Contact	<i>Jodi Myles-Baker</i>	<i>jodi.mylesbaker@lvc.org</i>

Subject	Dance	
Specification	AQA Dance 8236	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	Performance	Choreography
Time allocation	Set phrase to be rehearsed and then assessed in Spring 2022 Performance piece to be rehearsed and then assessed in Spring 2022	NEA pre-release is in Sept 2021 Students to spend until April 2022 rehearsing
Approximate Dates	January/February 2022	March/April 2022
Weighting	30%	30%
Examinations		
Name	Dance Appreciation	
Date (provisional)	Summer 2022 TBC (1.5hrs)	
Weighting	40%	
Other Information:		
Structure for home learning:		
<p>Anthology works/interviews are on Satchel: One. Students are given analysis sheets to complete and help with revision.</p> <p>Each week, a practice written exam question is set.</p> <p>Practical session for help with practical NEA is after-school each Wednesday.</p>		
Useful websites and resources:		
<p>Anthology works/interviews stored on Satchel One.</p> <p>Infra education pack: http://static.roh.org.uk/learning/Infra-final.pdf</p>		
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Subject	Drama	
Specification	OCR Drama J316	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	Devising Drama	Presenting and Performing Texts
Time allocation	Summer Term Y10 Autumn Term Y11	Spring Term Y11
Approximate Dates	Performance Exams on 9 th / 10 th Dec	Performance Exam is just after Easter holidays (Mid April)
Weighting	30%	30%
Written Examinations		
Name	Performance and Response	
Date (provisional)	19 th May 2022 (1.5hrs)	
Weighting	40%	
Other Information:	Divided into two sections. Section A is on Blood Brothers, their set text. Section B is the Live Theatre Review (Woman in Black)	
Structure for home learning:		
<p>It is important that students take the opportunity to rehearse their devised and scripted performances outside of lessons. Their portfolio and concept proforma pieces of work should be completed mostly at home.</p> <p>Revision on Blood Brothers and Live Theatre Review should take place throughout the year.</p>		
Useful websites and resources:		
GCSEPod for resources on Blood Brothers		
CGP Blood Brothers Revision Guide		
CGP GCSE Drama Revision Guide		
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Subject	Music	
Specification	OCR Music J536	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	Composition (to a brief set by the learner)	Solo Performance
Time allocation	10 hours of lesson time	n/a
Approximate Dates	Due in Monday 13 th December	Early February 2022
Weighting	30%	30%
Examinations		
Name	Listening and Appraising	
Date (provisional)	22 nd June 2022 (AM) (1.5hrs)	
Weighting	40%	
Other Information:		
<p>Structure for home learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Weekly listening/revision homework on Focus on Sound (via SMHW) • Regular individual instrument/vocal practice • Ongoing composition work. 		
<p>Useful websites and resources:</p> <p>Focus on Sound - https://linton.musicfirst.co.uk/app</p> <p>Noteflight (for composition) - https://lintonvillagecollege.sites.noteflight.com/</p> <p>Musicians should have access to a copy of: OCR GCSE Music Revision Guide by Margie Marshall and Barbara Ashby (Rhinegold) ISBN 9781785581618</p>		
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Subject	French			
Specification	AQA French 8658			
Name/Description	n/a Exam only			
Time allocation				
Approximate Dates				
Weighting				
Examinations				
	Exam 1	Exam 2	Exam 2	Exam 3
Name	Speaking	Listening	Reading	Writing
Date (provisional)	May 2022 Foundation: 9-11 minutes + preparation time Higher: 12-15 minutes + preparation time	27 th May 2022 (PM) Foundation 35min Higher 45min	27 th May 2022 (PM) Foundation 45min Higher 1hr	16 th June 2022 (PM) Foundation 1hr Higher 1hr 15min
Weighting	25%	25%	25%	25%
Other Information:				
Head of Subject Contact	<i>Mrs Marion Cherrier</i>		<i>marion.cherrier@lvc.org</i>	

Subject	Spanish			
Specification	AQA Spanish 8698			
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)				
Name/Description	n/a Exam only			
Time allocation				
Approximate Dates				
Weighting				
Examinations				
	Exam 1	Exam 2	Exam 3	Exam 4
Name	Listening	Reading	Writing	Speaking
Date (provisional)	26 th May 2022 (AM) Foundation 35min Higher 45min	26 th May 2022 (AM) Foundation 45min Higher 1hr	17 th June 2022 (AM) Foundation 1hr Higher 1hr 15min	May 2022 Foundation: 9-11 minutes + preparation time Higher: 12-15 minutes + preparation time
Weighting	25%	25%	25%	25%
Other Information:				
Structure for home learning:				
It is essential that students spend 15 minutes a day on Quizlet working through the course vocabulary on top of the home learning set by their teachers on Show My Homework.				
Useful websites and resources:				
https://quizlet.com/class/1847200/ https://www.language-gym.com/ https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z4dqxb				
CGP revision and practice guide GCSE course vocabulary booklet given by teachers				
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Subject	<h1>Geography</h1>		
Specification	OCR Geography B (Geography for Enquiring Minds) J384		
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)			
Name/Description	No NEA for Geography		
Time allocation			
Approximate Dates			
Weighting			
Examinations			
	Exam 1	Exam 2	Exam 3
Name	Our Natural World	People and Society	Geographical Exploration
Date (provisional)	23 May 2022 (AM) 1hr 15min	7 th June 2022 (PM) 1hr 15min	14 th June 2022 (AM) 1hr 30min
Weighting	35%	35%	30%
Other Information:			
Structure for home learning:			
Regular home learning set on Satchel One. This includes past questions for students to work through.			
Useful websites and resources:			
https://www.ocr.org.uk/students/ https://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/gcse/geography-b-geography-for-enquiring-minds-j384-from-2016/ https://www.gcsepod.com/			
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Subject	<h1>History</h1>		
Specification	Pearson Edexcel History 1HIA		
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)			
Name/Description	No NEA for history		
Time allocation			
Approximate Dates			
Weighting			
Examinations			
	Paper 1	Exam 2	Exam 3
Name	Thematic Study: Medicine in Britain, c1250–present and The British sector of the Western Front, 1914–18: injuries, treatment and the trenches.	British depth study: Anglo-Saxon and Norman England, c1060–88	Modern depth study: Russia and the Soviet Union, 1917-41
Date (provisional)	19 th May 2022 (AM) 1hr 15min	16 th June 2022 55min	9 th June 2022 1hr 20min
Weighting	37.5%	25%	37.5%
Other Information:	As a result of Covid-19, Ofqual has reduced the content of the GCSE by approximately 25%. Students will not be examined on the Period Study: Conflict in the Middle East, 1945-95.		
Structure for home learning:			
Weekly home learning is set via Teams. All class work is available on Teams to aid revision.			
Useful websites and resources:			
https://qualifications.pearson.com/content/dam/pdf/GCSE/History/2016/specification-and-sample-assessments/GCSE_History_(9-1)_Specification_Issue_2.pdf - GCSE specification			
https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/history-2016.coursematerials.html#%2FfilterQuery=category:Pearson-UK:Category%2FTeaching-and-learning-materials&filterQuery=category:Pearson-UK:Document-Type%2FSummer-2022-support - Summer 2022 update with FAQ.			
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Subject	Religious Studies	
Specification	OCR Religious Studies J625	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	No NEA for RS	
Time allocation		
Approximate Dates		
Weighting		
Examinations		
	Exam 1	Exam 2
Name	Christian Beliefs, Teachings & Practices; Islam Beliefs, Teachings & Practices.	Religion, philosophy and ethics in the modern world from a Christian perspective.
Date (provisional)	16 ^h May 2022 (AM) (2 hrs)	26 th May 2022 (AM) (2 hrs)
Weighting	50%	50%
Other Information:		
Structure for home learning: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Weekly revision quiz set on SatchelOne. • Fortnightly revision loom to recap content with directed revision tasks. These are also set on SatchelOne. 		
Useful websites and resources: Revision Guide – OCR GCSE (9-1) GCSE Religious Studies by Lorraine Abbott with Steve Clark My Revision Notes OCR GCSE (9-1) Religious Studies https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zhwy7nb https://www.gcsepod.com/ https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/christian-beliefs-and-teachings-700f https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/christian-practices-173f https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/peace-and-conflict-c461 https://app.senecalearning.com/dashboard/class/s7j3qo6otu/assignments/assignment/edf0fbff-bfb9-4324-9852-a9205a4e0df7 https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/relationships-and-families-f9ff https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/standalone-lessons-examination-technique-5553		
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Subject	Sport Science		
Specification	OCR Sport Science R041		
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)			
Name/Description	R042 Applying Principles of Training	R044 Sport Psychology	R045 Sports Nutrition
Time allocation	30 Guided Learning Hours	30 Guided Learning Hours	30 Guided Learning Hours
Approximate Dates	Summer Term	Autumn Term 21	Spring Term 21
Weighting	25%	25%	25%
Examinations			
	Exam 1		
Name	Reducing the Risk of Sporting Injuries		
Date (provisional)	24 th May 2022 (PM) (1hr)		
Weighting	25%		
Other Information:	Students sat their first attempt in January 2021. Due to exam board mitigations, students will be submitting two of three coursework units (to be decided).		
Structure for home learning:			
Research tasks and independent learning based around the coursework guidance on the unit students are covering.			
Useful websites and resources:			
Quizlet			
BrianMac - https://www.brianmac.co.uk/			
GCSE Simplified Visual Mind Map Guide – purchased directly from supplier https://gcsesimplified.co.uk/cn-sport-science			
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Subject	Physical Education	
Specification	OCR Physical Education J587	
Non-exam Assessment (NEA)		
Name/Description	Practical Sports x 2	Analysing & Evaluating Performance - Coursework
Time allocation	2 hours per fortnight & GCSE Practical Friday lunchtime	14 hours
Approximate Dates	Moderation (estimated April 2022)	Final Completed Draft – February 2022
Weighting	30%	10%
Examinations		
	Exam 1	Exam 2
Name	Physical Factors affecting Performance	Socio-cultural Issues & Sports Psychology
Date (provisional)	24 th May 2022 (PM) (1hr)	10 th June 2022 (PM) (1hr)
Weighting	30%	30%
Other Information:		
Structure for home learning:		
Regular home learning is set via SMHW. This includes recapping topics learnt within Year 10 to ensure students can recall and apply information that may not have been covered recently.		
Useful websites and resources:		
BBC Bitesize - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/ztrcg82		
OCR GCSE PE 9-1 Revision - https://sites.google.com/view/ocrgcseperevision/home		
GCSE Pod - https://www.gcsepod.com/		
Hodder Education – OCR GCSE PE 9-1 (Second edition) ISBN 978-1-5104-0525-7		
CGP – OCR GCSE Physical Education Complete Revision & Practice Guide ISBN 978-1-78908-319-4		
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