



## **GCSE SUMMER 2026 EXAMS**

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## ENGLISH LANGUAGE

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<p><b><u>EXAM BOARD = EDUQAS</u></b></p> <p><b>Component 1:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 20<sup>th</sup> Century Fiction Reading</li><li>• Prose Writing (choose 1 task to complete from 4)</li></ul> <p><b>Component 2:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 19<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> Century Non-Fiction Reading</li><li>• Transactional Writing (complete both tasks)</li></ul>	<p><b>Websites</b></p> <p>BBC Bitesize: <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zpxh82p">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zpxh82p</a></p> <p>SENECA: <a href="https://app.senecalearning.com/classroom/course/2ab60fa3-f3a8-4111-ac88-09d7b39fdeb3/section/5bb3f7c1-f7f0-475b-bc4a-28d3a3d64939/session">https://app.senecalearning.com/classroom/course/2ab60fa3-f3a8-4111-ac88-09d7b39fdeb3/section/5bb3f7c1-f7f0-475b-bc4a-28d3a3d64939/session</a></p> <p><b>Practice Papers</b> <a href="https://www.eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/english-language-gcse/#tab_pastpapers">https://www.eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/english-language-gcse/#tab_pastpapers</a></p> <p><b>English Language Revision Guides</b> Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar Guide CGP English Language Grades 9-1</p> <p><b>Countdown &amp; Revision Booklets</b> These will be given to you by your English teacher. They contain practice papers, exemplars and mark schemes for every question on your exam. Use the 56 days revision booklet to complete shorter revision tasks. Quick Quiz booklet available from your class teacher.</p> <p><b>Class Charts</b> Use your class team to access materials set by your teacher.</p> <p><b>TikTok</b> Please be very wary of using Tik Tok to revise. If you do, make sure that that you find the correct exam board- EDUQAS.</p> <p><b>After school sessions</b> Mondays 3:15pm- 4pm in C4</p>

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## ENGLISH LITERATURE

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<p><b><u>EXAM BOARD = EDUQAS</u></b> 2 exams</p> <p><b>Component 1: 1 hour 45 minutes</b></p> <p>Shakespeare: Romeo and Juliet (Part A and B)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Key themes</li> <li>- Characters</li> <li>- Key methods and language techniques</li> <li>- Interpretations of love</li> </ul> <p>Poetry Anthology (Part A and B Poetry Comparison)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Poetic form</li> <li>- Poetic structures</li> <li>- Poet Influences and context</li> </ul> <p><b>Component 2: 2 hours 30 minutes</b></p> <p><b>Post 1914 Prose/Drama – Blood Brothers</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Key themes</li> <li>- Characters</li> <li>- Language and structure features</li> <li>- Readings (Marxism/feminism)</li> </ul> <p><b>19<sup>th</sup> Century Prose- A Christmas Carol or Jekyll and Hyde</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Key themes</li> <li>- Characters</li> <li>- Language and structure features</li> <li>- Readings (Marxism/feminism)</li> <li>- Context (Victorian Society)</li> </ul> <p><b>Unseen Poetry</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- CSITY structure</li> <li>Content</li> <li>Structure</li> <li>Ideas</li> <li>Techniques</li> <li>Your Opinion</li> </ul>	<p><b>Websites</b></p> <p>BBC Bitesize:  <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zw9mycw">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zw9mycw</a>            Mr Bruff YouTube channel</p> <p><b>Other</b></p> <p>Shmoop Literature:  <a href="https://www.shmoop.com/literature/">https://www.shmoop.com/literature/</a>            Blood Brothers full production:  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eP1j1B1TtNU">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eP1j1B1TtNU</a>            A Christmas Carol Audio Book: <a href="#">A Christmas Carol - Stave 1: Marley's Ghost - YouTube</a></p> <p><b>Practice Papers</b>  <a href="https://www.eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/english-literature-gcse/#tab_pastpapers">https://www.eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/english-literature-gcse/#tab_pastpapers</a></p> <p><b>Revision Guides- available from Amazon</b></p> <p>Romeo and Juliet Revision Guide            Poetry Anthology Revision Guide            Blood Brothers CGP Revision Guide            A Christmas Carol CGP Revision Guide            Unseen Poetry Revision Guide</p> <p><b>Set Texts</b></p> <p>Romeo and Juliet            EDUQAS Poetry Anthology            A Christmas Carol or Jekyll and Hyde</p> <p><b>Class Charts</b></p> <p>Use your class team to access materials set by your teacher.</p> <p><b>TikTok</b></p> <p>Please be very wary of using Tik Tok to revise. If you do, make sure that that you find the correct exam board- EDUQAS.</p> <p><b>Lit Lunches</b></p> <p>Most lunchtimes in the Communications zone</p> <p><b>After school sessions</b></p> <p>Mondays 3:15pm- 4pm in C4</p>

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## MATHS

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<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>EXAM BOARD = AQA</u></b></p> <p>The following topics will be assessed over <b>3 papers</b> (1 x non-calculator, 2 x calculator):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Number</li><li>• Algebra</li><li>• Ratio</li><li>• Geometry</li><li>• Statistics and Probability</li></ul> <p>The weighting of the topic areas has been prescribed by Ofqual and is common to all exam boards. The table below shows the approximate weightings of the topic areas for the overall tier of assessment, <b>not</b> for each individual question paper.</p> <table border="1"><thead><tr><th>Topic Area</th><th>Foundation Tier (%)</th><th>Higher Tier (%)</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>Number</td><td>25</td><td>15</td></tr><tr><td>Algebra</td><td>20</td><td>30</td></tr><tr><td>Ratio</td><td>25</td><td>20</td></tr><tr><td>Geometry</td><td>15</td><td>20</td></tr><tr><td>Probability and statistics (combined)</td><td>15</td><td>15</td></tr></tbody></table> <p>A full breakdown of each topic area can be found in the knowledge organiser in your red folder.</p>	Topic Area	Foundation Tier (%)	Higher Tier (%)	Number	25	15	Algebra	20	30	Ratio	25	20	Geometry	15	20	Probability and statistics (combined)	15	15	<p><b><u>Subscriptions</u></b></p> <p><b>Sparx</b> You should have your own username and password to access videos and quizzes on Sparx – if you are unsure of what this is, please ask your class teacher. <a href="https://www.sparxmaths.uk/">https://www.sparxmaths.uk/</a></p> <p><b><u>Websites</u></b></p> <p>BBC Bitesize: <a href="https://www.bbc.com/education/examspecs/z8sg6fr">https://www.bbc.com/education/examspecs/z8sg6fr</a> Maths Genie - GCSE 9 – 1: you'll find exam-style questions covering all topics, plus practice papers. <a href="https://www.mathsgenie.co.uk/gcse.html">https://www.mathsgenie.co.uk/gcse.html</a></p> <p>Revision cards are available to buy from Corbett Maths <a href="https://corbettmaths.com/">https://corbettmaths.com/</a> There are also many other resources available for free on this website, including practice questions by topic area and practice/predicted papers.</p> <p>Maths4Everyone has topic booklets and topic review sheets. <a href="http://maths4everyone.com/">http://maths4everyone.com/</a></p> <p>On MathsBot.com you'll find GCSE questions, revision grids and practice papers. <a href="http://mathsbot.com/">http://mathsbot.com/</a></p> <p>Access Maths has grade 9 - 1 revision activities including revision mats, relays and mazes. <a href="http://www.accessmaths.co.uk/revision-resources.html#mats">http://www.accessmaths.co.uk/revision-resources.html#mats</a></p> <p><b>Practice papers and revision guides</b></p> <p>PixiMaths has a collection of GCSE 9 - 1 booklets and other revision resources on the revision page <a href="https://www.piximaths.co.uk/revision-booklets">https://www.piximaths.co.uk/revision-booklets</a></p> <p>AQA Papers: <a href="https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/mathematics/gcse/mathematics-8300/assessment-resources">https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/mathematics/gcse/mathematics-8300/assessment-resources</a></p>
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### **Aimed at Grade 9**

There are revision workbooks for 'Grade 9 targeted exam practice' available to buy on Amazon:

<https://www.amazon.co.uk/Mathematics-Grade-Targeted-practice-workbook/dp/1782944168>

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## SCIENCE

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<b><u>EXAM BOARD = AQA</u></b>	
<b><u>TRILOGY – COMBINED</u></b>	
<b>Biology Paper 1</b>	
1 Cell biology	
2 Organisation	
3 Infection and response	
4 Bioenergetics	
<b>RP paper 1</b> – microscopy, osmosis, food tests and enzymes	
<b>Biology Paper 2</b>	
5 Homeostasis and response	
6 Inheritance variation and evolution	
7 Ecology	
<b>RP paper 2</b> – photosynthesis, reaction time, field investigations)	
<b>Chemistry Paper 1</b>	
1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	
2 Bonding, structure and properties of matter	
3 Quantitative Chemistry (maths in chemistry)	
4 Chemical changes	
5 Energy changes	
<b>RP paper 1</b> – making salts, electrolysis, temp change)	
<b>Chemistry Paper 2</b>	
6 Rate and extent of chemical change	
Changing equilibrium <b>HT only</b>	
7 Organic chemistry	
8 Chemical analysis	
9 Chemistry of the atmosphere	
10 Using resources	
<b>RP paper 2</b> – rates of reaction concentration, chromatography and water purification)	
<b>Physics paper 1</b>	
1 Energy	
2 Electricity	
3 Particle model of matter	
4 Atomic structure	
<b>RP paper 1</b> – specific heat capacity, resistance, IV characteristics, density)	
<b>Physics Paper 2</b>	
5 Forces	
6 Waves	
7 Magnetism and electromagnetism	
<b>RP paper 2</b> – force and extension, acceleration, waves, radiation and absorption	
	<b>Websites</b> BBC Bitesize - AQA Trilogy: <a href="https://www.bbc.com/education/examspecs/z8r997h">https://www.bbc.com/education/examspecs/z8r997h</a>  GCSEPOD: <a href="https://www.gcsepod.com/">https://www.gcsepod.com/</a> SENECA <a href="https://senecalearning.com/en-GB/">https://senecalearning.com/en-GB/</a>  <b>Other</b> AQA Triple Science Biology: <a href="https://www.bbc.com/education/examspecs/zpgcbk7">https://www.bbc.com/education/examspecs/zpgcbk7</a>  Chemistry: <a href="https://www.bbc.com/education/examspecs/z8xtmn">https://www.bbc.com/education/examspecs/z8xtmn</a> <a href="#">b</a> Physics: <a href="https://www.bbc.com/education/examspecs/zsc9rdm">https://www.bbc.com/education/examspecs/zsc9rdm</a>  <b>Practice Papers</b> AQA practice papers and mark schemes Combined Science Trilogy: <a href="https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/combined-science-trilogy-8464/assessment-resources">https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/combined-science-trilogy-8464/assessment-resources</a> Triple Science – Biology: <a href="http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/biology-8461/assessment-resources">http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/biology-8461/assessment-resources</a> Triple Science – Chemistry: <a href="http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/chemistry-8462/assessment-resources">http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/chemistry-8462/assessment-resources</a>  Triple Science – Physics: <a href="http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/physics-8463/assessment-resources">http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/physics-8463/assessment-resources</a>

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## GCSE BIOLOGY – TRIPLE (extra content for triple)

### **Biology Paper 1**

- 1 Cell biology (*aseptic techniques*)
- 2 Organisation
- 3 Infection and response (*monoclonal antibodies, plant disease*)
- 4 Bioenergetics

**RP paper 1** – microscopy, microbiology, osmosis, food tests and enzymes

### **Biology Paper 2**

- 5 Homeostasis (*brain, eye, body temp control, water and nitrogen balance, infertility, plant hormone*)
- 6 Inheritance variation and evolution (*DNA structure, cloning, evolution, speciation, history of genetics*)
- 7 Ecology (*decomposition, environmental change, trophic levels, food production*)

**RP paper 2** – photosynthesis, reaction time, field investigations, decay)

## GCSE CHEMISTRY – TRIPLE (extra content for triple)

### **Chemistry Paper 1**

- 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table (*Transition metals*)
- 2 Bonding, structure and the properties of matter
- 3 Quantitative chemistry (*3.3 Yield and atom economy, Volumes of gases*)
- 4 Chemical change (*fuel cells and batteries*)
- 5 Energy changes

**RP paper 1** – making salts, titrations, electrolysis, temp change)

### **Chemistry Paper 2 (plus topics 1-3 from paper 1)**

- 6 Rate and extent of chemical change
- Changing equilibrium **HT only**
- 7 Organic chemistry (*alkenes, alcohols, carboxylic acids, polymers*)
- 8 Chemical analysis (*testing for anions and cations, flame emission spec*)
- 9 Chemistry of the atmosphere
- 10 Using resources (*rusting, alloys, Haaber process*)

**RP paper 2** – rates of reaction concentration, chromatography, identifying ions, water purification

## **Revision Guides**

Oxford Revise Combined Science Trilogy – Foundation:

[Oxford Revise: AQA GCSE Combined Science Foundation Revision and Exam Practice:](#)  
[Amazon.co.uk: Boxer, Adam, Gardom Hulme, Philippa, Locke, Jo, Reynolds, Helen, Shaha, Alom, Walmsley, Jessica, Kitten, Primrose: 9781382004862: Books](#)

Oxford Revise Combined Science Trilogy – Higher:  
[Oxford Revise: AQA GCSE Combined Science Higher Revision and Exam Practice: Amazon.co.uk: Boxer, Adam, Gardom Hulme, Philippa, Locke, Jo, Reynolds, Helen, Shaha, Alom, Walmsley, Jessica, Kitten, Primrose: 9781382004879: Books](#)

Oxford Revise GCSE Biology:  
[Oxford Revise: AQA GCSE Biology Revision and Exam Practice: Amazon.co.uk: Locke, Jo, Walmsley, Jessica, Kitten, Primrose: 9781382004848: Books](#)

Oxford Revise GCSE Chemistry:  
[Oxford Revise: AQA GCSE Chemistry Revision and Exam Practice: Amazon.co.uk: Boxer, Adam, Gardom Hulme, Philippa, Kitten, Primrose: 9781382004855: Books](#)

Oxford Revise GCSE Physics:  
[Oxford Revise: AQA GCSE Physics Revision and Exam Practice: Amazon.co.uk: Reynolds, Helen, Shaha, Alom, Kitten, Primrose: 9781382004886: Books](#)

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### **GCSE PHYSICS - TRIPLE(extra content for triple)**

#### **Physics paper 1**

1 Energy

2 Electricity (*static electricity*)

3 Particle model of matter (*pressure in gases*)

4 Atomic structure (*radioactive emissions, fission and fusion*)

**RP paper 1** – specific heat capacity, insulation of materials, resistance, IV characteristics, density)

#### **Physics Paper 2**

5 Forces (*moments, levers and gears, pressure in fluids, momentum HT,*

6 Waves (*detection and exploration HT, visible light, black body radiation*)

7 Magnetism and electromagnetism (*Induced potential, transformers and the national grid (HT only, Flemmings left hand rule, motors)*)

8 Space Physics

**RP paper 2** – force and extension, acceleration, waves, radiation and absorption

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## GEOGRAPHY

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<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Exam Board: Eduqas B</u></b></p> <p><b>3 exam papers</b> in the Summer exams:</p> <p><b><u>Paper 1</u></b> 1 hr and 45 min <b><u>Section A</u></b> - Changing Places/Changing Economies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Urban and Rural Change</li> <li>• Global Development Issues</li> <li>• Global Cities</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Section B</u></b> - Changing Environments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• River Processes and Management</li> <li>• Coastal Process and Management</li> <li>• Weather and Climate</li> <li>• Climate Change</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Section C</u></b> - Environmental Challenges</p> <p>Ecosystems Desertification Water Resources and Management</p> <p><b><u>Paper 2</u></b> 1 hr and 30 mins <b>Decision Making Paper</b> This paper will take an issue from any of the above topics and present a real-world scenario. The students will have a choice of options that they need to choose from.</p> <p><b><u>Paper 3</u></b> 1 hr and 30 min <b>Fieldwork and UK Dimension</b> The first 2 sections of this paper will be on fieldwork skills and will focus on Qualitative Surveys and Cycles &amp; Flows. There will be questions about your own fieldwork experience in Hunstanton. The last section is the UK Dimension. This is a mini Decision Making question with a 12 marker. The topics for this section can only be topics that relate to the UK.</p>	<p><b><u>Revision Websites</u></b> BBC Bitesize <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/ztp2qtv">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/ztp2qtv</a> Time for Geography <a href="https://timeforgeography.co.uk/">https://timeforgeography.co.uk/</a></p> <p><b><u>Other</u></b> <a href="https://www.geographypods.com/">https://www.geographypods.com/</a> <a href="https://app.senecalearning.com/courses?Price=Free&amp;Exam+Board=Eduqas&amp;Subject=Geography">https://app.senecalearning.com/courses?Price=Free&amp;Exam+Board=Eduqas&amp;Subject=Geography</a> <a href="https://revisionworld.com/gcse-revision/geography">https://revisionworld.com/gcse-revision/geography</a></p> <p><b><u>Past Papers</u></b> Copies of past papers are on being posted into classcharts for students to use</p> <p><b><u>Revision Guide</u></b> A revision guide and workbook are available. These are on the MCAS App for purchase. Alternatively, they are also available from Amazon</p> <p>Revision guide <a href="https://tinyurl.com/JFCGeographyRevisionguide">https://tinyurl.com/JFCGeographyRevisionguide</a> Revision workbook <a href="https://tinyurl.com/JFCGeogWookbook">https://tinyurl.com/JFCGeogWookbook</a></p>

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## HISTORY

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<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Exam Board = AQA</u></b></p> <p><b>2 exam papers</b> in the Summer exams:</p> <p><b><u>Paper 1 – Understanding the Modern World – 2 hrs</u></b></p> <p><u>Section A: Period Studies</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Germany 1890-1945</li> </ul> <p><u>Section B: Wider World Depth Studies</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conflict and Tension: Between East and West, 1945 – 1972 (Cold War)</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Paper 2 – Shaping the Nation – 2 hrs</u></b></p> <p><u>Section A: Thematic Studies</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health and the people c.1000 to the present day</li> </ul> <p><u>Section B: British Depth Studies</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Elizabethan England c.1568 – 1603</li> <li>• Including the Historical Site study on The Globe.</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Websites</u></b></p> <p>BBC Bitesize  <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zxjk4j6">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zxjk4j6</a>            GCSE Pod  <a href="https://www.gcsepod.com/">https://www.gcsepod.com/</a></p> <p><b><u>OTHER</u></b></p> <p><a href="https://app.senecalearning.com/courses?Price=Free&amp;Subject=History&amp;Exam+Board=AQA&amp;Age+Group=GCS">https://app.senecalearning.com/courses?Price=Free&amp;Subject=History&amp;Exam+Board=AQA&amp;Age+Group=GCS</a>  <a href="https://revisionworld.com/a2-level-level-revision/history-gcse-level">E https://revisionworld.com/a2-level-level-revision/history-gcse-level</a></p> <p><b><u>Past Papers</u></b></p> <p>Hard copies of papers available in the culture zone for students to take as needed</p> <p><b><u>Revision Guide</u></b></p> <p>A revision guide and workbooks are available. These are on the MCAS App for purchase. Alternatively, they are also available from Amazon            CGP: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/9p695f2p">https://tinyurl.com/9p695f2p</a>            Health: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/476b6sv3">https://tinyurl.com/476b6sv3</a>            Germany: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/2fwbanwc">https://tinyurl.com/2fwbanwc</a>            Elizabeth: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/4r2bu3a9">https://tinyurl.com/4r2bu3a9</a>            Cold War: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/nzedctfv">https://tinyurl.com/nzedctfv</a></p>

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## FRENCH

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## GERMAN

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## SPANISH

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## FOOD AND NUTRITION

Exam Board and Topics to revise	Where to find the information to revise
<p><b>1 exam – 1 ½ hours</b></p> <p>The Eduqas GCSE in Food Preparation and Nutrition equips learners with the knowledge, understanding and skills required to cook and apply the principles of food science, nutrition and healthy eating.</p> <p>Food preparation skills – these are intended to be integrated into the five sections:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <a href="#">Food, nutrition and health</a></li> <li>2. <a href="#">Food science</a></li> <li>3. <a href="#">Food safety</a></li> <li>4. <a href="#">Food choice</a></li> <li>5. <a href="#">Food provenance</a></li> </ol> <p>Food hygiene (including how to wash up, dry and store equipment).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Key nutritional principles, including the eatwell plate, the importance of macronutrients (protein, fats, carbohydrates), micronutrients (vitamin and minerals), dietary fibre, water – all at a basic level</li> </ul> <p>An awareness of dietary needs, e.g. at different life stages, vegetarians, allergies and religious considerations, etc., and how dishes and meals can be planned to meet the needs of specific dietary groups.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Simple ingredient function and food science terms, such as aeration, foaming, coagulation, etc</li> <li>• Knowledge and understanding of ingredients and food provenance.</li> <li>• A growing awareness of social, moral, cultural, and environmental issues</li> </ul>	<p>Revision topics can be found on TEAMS. Year 11 Food Tech.</p> <p>Revision sessions with Mrs Tudosa and Ms Rowell after school</p> <p>Book notes  <a href="https://www.illuminatepublishing.com/product/eduqas-gcse-food-preparation-and-nutrition-student-book">https://www.illuminatepublishing.com/product/eduqas-gcse-food-preparation-and-nutrition-student-book</a></p> <p>Exam papers  <a href="https://www.eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/food-preparation-and-nutrition-gcse/#tab_pastpapers">https://www.eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/food-preparation-and-nutrition-gcse/#tab_pastpapers</a></p> <p>BBC bitesize  <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zdn9jihv">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zdn9jihv</a></p> <p>food fact of life  <a href="https://www.foodafactoflife.org.uk/14-16-years/">https://www.foodafactoflife.org.uk/14-16-years/</a></p> <p>YouTube            BBCTEACH  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/@bbcteach">https://www.youtube.com/@bbcteach</a></p> <p><a href="https://padlet.com/shs_food1/gcse-eduqas-food-preparation-and-nutrition-b0y6zzwegbcy">https://padlet.com/shs_food1/gcse-eduqas-food-preparation-and-nutrition-b0y6zzwegbcy</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/@thefoodtechteacher7642/videos">https://www.youtube.com/@thefoodtechteacher7642/videos</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/@foodselectionpreparation2169/videos">https://www.youtube.com/@foodselectionpreparation2169/videos</a></p>

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## DRAMA

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<p><b>Exam Board- AQA</b></p> <p><b>Component 1- Written Exam</b></p> <p><b>1 hr 45 mins</b></p> <p><b>Section A- Multiple choice</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Theatre roles and responsibilities</li> <li>- Staging Types</li> <li>- Areas of the stage</li> <li>- Theatre terminology</li> </ul> <p><b>Section B- Study of Set text- Blood Brothers</b></p> <p>An extract of the play is given in the exam along with a 'clean' copy of the play for you to refer to</p> <p>6.1- Set/Costume/Lighting design question</p> <p>6.2 How you would act a single line of dialogue</p> <p>6.3 Looking at the shaded part and focusing on physicality</p> <p>6.4 Looking at the entire extract and linking to the play as a whole</p> <p><b>Section C- Live Theatre Evaluation</b></p> <p><b>Peter Pan – National Theatre</b></p> <p><b>Question 11.</b> Students answer based on their knowledge of the play.</p> <p>Students need to remember 4 quotes and write about how the actor saying them performed them to the audience</p> <p>A copy of this performance is available in the drama team for year 11 for you to rewatch as many times as you would like!</p> <p><b>P,P,P,T,A,G,P,E,F,P</b></p>	<p><b>Websites:</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/drama/gcse/drama-8261/assessment-resources?f.Sub-category%7CF=Sample+papers+and+mark+schemes">https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/drama/gcse/drama-8261/assessment-resources?f.Sub-category%7CF=Sample+papers+and+mark+schemes</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zrnjwty">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zrnjwty</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.franticassembly.co.uk/productions/things-i-know-to-be-true">https://www.franticassembly.co.uk/productions/things-i-know-to-be-true</a></p> <p><b>Other:</b></p> <p>GCSE Revision book including all the information for Blood Brothers, Section A and example answers (issued in class)</p> <p>Section C examples booklet (issued in class)</p> <p>Peter Pan – National Theatre - Year 11 Teams folder.</p> <p>All Power points explaining how to structure each question- Year 11 Teams folder.</p>

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## PE

<u>Exam Board and Topics to revise</u>	<u>Where to find the information to revise</u>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>EXAM BOARD = OCR</u></b></p> <p>2 exam papers – each paper is 1 hour long.</p> <p><b><u>Paper 1</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Physical factors influencing performance</li> <li>• Levers</li> <li>• Respiratory system</li> <li>• Muscular system</li> <li>• Planes of movement and axis of rotation</li> <li>• Cardiovascular system</li> <li>• Effects of exercise (long and short)</li> <li>• Principles and methods of training</li> <li>• Components of fitness and fitness testing</li> <li>• The exercise session and risk assessments</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Paper 2</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Socio-cultural issues and sports psychology</li> <li>• Participation: trends, factors and strategies</li> <li>• Violence in sport</li> <li>• Mental preparation, guidance and feedback</li> <li>• Sportsmanship, gamesmanship and drugs</li> <li>• Skill, classification and target setting</li> <li>• Health, fitness, well-being and diet</li> </ul>	<p><b>Websites</b></p> <p>BBC Bitesize:  <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize/pe/">http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize/pe/</a></p> <p>GCSEPOD:  <a href="https://www.bbc.com/education/examspecs/ztrcg82">https://www.bbc.com/education/examspecs/ztrcg82</a></p> <p><b>Other</b></p> <p>Teach PE Website – <a href="http://www.teachpe.com">www.teachpe.com</a></p> <p><b>Practice Papers</b></p> <p>Use the OCR specification past papers that can be found on their website below:  <a href="http://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/gcse-physical-education-j587-from-2016/">http://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/gcse-physical-education-j587-from-2016/</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/gcse-physical-education-j587-from-2016/">http://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/gcse-physical-education-j587-from-2016/</a></p> <p><b>Revision Guides</b></p> <p>GCSE PE OCR revision guides can be purchased from the MCAS App for £10.99</p>

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## MEDIA STUDIES

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<p>EDUQAS – GCSE Media Studies</p> <p><b>Component 1 Exam – 1hr 30min</b></p> <p><b>Section A:</b></p> <p>Media Language Representation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advertising – This Girl Can / Quality Street</li> <li>• Newspapers – The Sun / The Guardian</li> <li>• Magazines – Vogue / GQ</li> <li>• Film Marketing – No Time To Die / The Man with the Golden Gun</li> </ul> <p><b>Section B:</b></p> <p>Industry Audience</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Video Games – Fortnite</li> <li>• Radio – The Archers</li> <li>• Newspapers – The Sun / The Guardian</li> <li>• Film Marketing - No Time To Die / The Man with the Golden Gun</li> </ul> <p><b>Component 2 Exam – 1hr 30 min</b></p> <p><b>Section A:</b></p> <p>British TV Crime Drama – ‘Luther’ and ‘The Sweeney’</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Media Language</li> <li>• Representation</li> <li>• Industry</li> </ul> <p><b>Section B:</b></p> <p>Music videos and websites – ‘Lizzo’ and ‘Stormzy’</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Media Language</li> <li>• Representation</li> <li>• Industry</li> <li>• Audience</li> </ul>	<p><b>Past Papers – Eduqas website</b>  <a href="https://www.eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/media-studies-gcse/#tab_pastpapers">https://www.eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/media-studies-gcse/#tab_pastpapers</a></p> <p><b>Mrs Fisher Revision Videos:</b>  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCUKrxp4BcJrGLzmqAhCjASg">https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCUKrxp4BcJrGLzmqAhCjASg</a></p> <p><b>Seneca – Revision notes and quizzes</b>  <a href="https://app.senecalearning.com/classroom/course/7bfa17fa-b6f3-4aee-9478-94e880675c42">https://app.senecalearning.com/classroom/course/7bfa17fa-b6f3-4aee-9478-94e880675c42</a></p>

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## COMPUTER SCIENCE

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<p>Exam Board: <b>OCR</b> GCSE Computer Science J277 <b><u>Paper 1: Computer Systems – 1hr 30 mins</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May PM</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>1.1 Systems architecture</li><li>1.2 Memory and storage</li><li>1.3 Computer networks, connections and protocols</li><li>1.4 Network security</li><li>1.5 Systems software</li><li>1.6 Ethical, legal, cultural and environmental impacts of digital technology</li></ul> <p><b><u>Paper 2: Computational thinking, algorithms and programming – 1hr 30 mins</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May PM</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>2.1 Algorithms</li><li>2.2 Programming fundamentals</li><li>2.3 Producing robust programs</li><li>2.4 Boolean logic</li><li>2.5 Programming languages and Integrated Development Environments</li></ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Both exam papers are written papers and last for 1 hour and 30 minutes.</li><li>• Each paper is worth 50% of total GCSE and out of 80 marks.</li><li>• They are non-calculator papers.</li></ul> <p>Paper 2 has two sections: Section A and Section B.</p> <p>Students must answer both sections.</p> <p>In Section B, questions assessing students' ability to write or refine algorithms must be answered using either the OCR Exam Reference Language or the high-level programming language they are familiar with like <b>Python</b>.</p>	<p>Intervention sessions Monday Lunchtimes as per the published calendar.</p> <p>Revision guides are available to purchase from the MCAS App.</p> <p>Revision using Craig and Dave, these can be accessed with the link below or via YouTube search for <b>craig n dave J277</b>.</p> <p>These are specific videos which cover our whole specification. <a href="https://student.craigndave.org/">https://student.craigndave.org/</a></p> <p>Also BBC Bitesize is a good resource for revision <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zmtchbk">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zmtchbk</a></p>

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## BUSINESS STUDIES

<b>Exam Board and Topics to revise</b>	<b>Where to find the information to revise</b>
<p>AQA GCSE Business Studies</p> <p><b><u>Paper 1 Influences of Operations and HRM on Business Activity – 50% of final grade</u></b>  <b><u>1 hour, 45 minutes</u></b>  <b><u>MONDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> MAY – PM EXAM</u></b></p> <p>Paper 1 covers Unit 1 Business in the Real World, Unit 2 Influences on Business, Unit 3 Business Operations and Unit 4 Human Resources</p> <p><b><u>Unit 1 Business in the Real World</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose and nature of business</li> <li>• Business ownership</li> <li>• Aims and objectives</li> <li>• Stakeholders</li> <li>• Location</li> <li>• Business planning</li> <li>• Revenue, costs and profit</li> <li>• Expanding a business</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Unit 2 Influences on Business</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Technology</li> <li>• Ethics and environment</li> <li>• Economic climate</li> <li>• Globalisation</li> <li>• Legislation</li> <li>• Competitive environment</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Unit 3 Business Operations</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Production processes</li> <li>• The role of procurement</li> <li>• Quality</li> <li>• Customer Service</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Unit 4 Human Resources</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Organisational structure</li> <li>• Recruitment and selection</li> <li>• Motivation</li> <li>• Training</li> </ul>	<p>Intervention sessions with Mrs Stanley after school –  <b>Mondays &amp; Tuesdays</b></p> <p>Year 10 books and folders for Unit 1, 2, 3 and 4 work</p> <p>Revision Guides, workbooks, calculation practice, knowledge organisers are available on the MCAS App</p> <p>Bizconsesh on YouTube – search AQA Paper 1&amp;2 on his channel</p> <p><a href="https://www.businessstudies.net/">https://www.businessstudies.net/</a> - Revision topics and quizzes for each unit</p> <p>Past Papers:  <a href="https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/business/gcse/business-8132/assessment-resources">https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/business/gcse/business-8132/assessment-resources</a></p> <p>Two Teachers on YouTube</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/@beebusinessbee">https://www.youtube.com/@beebusinessbee</a></p> <p>BBC Bitesize  <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zvwb382">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zvwb382</a></p>

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## Paper 2 Influences of Marketing and Finance on Business Activity – 50% of final grade 1 hour, 45 minutes

### THURSDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> MAY – PM EXAM

Paper 2 covers Unit 1 Business in the Real World, Unit 2 Influences on Business, Unit 5 Marketing and Unit 6 Finance

#### Unit 1 Business in the Real World

- Purpose and nature of business
- Business ownership
- Aims and objectives
- Stakeholders
- Location
- Business planning
- Revenue, costs and profit
- Expanding a business

#### Unit 2 Influences on Business

- Technology
- Ethics and environment
- Economic climate
- Globalisation
- Legislation
- Competitive environment

#### Unit 5 Marketing

- Identifying and understanding customers
- Market segmentation
- Market research
- Marketing mix (4Ps – price, product, place and promotion)

#### Unit 6 Finance

- Sources of finance
- Cash flow
- Financial terms and calculation (revenue, costs and profit)
- Break even
- Average rate of return (ARR)
- Analysing financial performance: Income statements and statement of financial position

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## ENTERPRISE & MARKETING

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<p><b><u>OCR Cambridge Nationals in Enterprise and Marketing</u></b></p> <p><b><u>R067 Enterprise and Marketing Concepts</u></b></p> <p><b><u>1 hour, 15 mins</u></b></p> <p><b><u>70 marks</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Wednesday 20th MAY - PM</u></b></p> <p><b>TA1: Characteristics, risk and reward for enterprise</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Characteristics of a successful entrepreneur</li> <li>• Potential rewards for risk taking</li> <li>• Potential drawbacks for risk taking</li> </ul> <p><b>TA2: Market research to target a specific customer</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The purpose of market research</li> <li>• Primary market research methods</li> <li>• Secondary market research sources</li> <li>• Types of data</li> <li>• Types of market segmentation</li> <li>• The benefits of market segmentation to a business</li> </ul> <p><b>TA3: What makes a product financially viable</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cost of producing the product</li> <li>• Revenue generated by sales of the product</li> <li>• Profit/loss</li> <li>• How to use the formula for break-even as an aid to decision making</li> <li>• Importance of cash</li> </ul> <p><b>TA4: Creating a marketing mix to support a product</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The marketing mix elements for a good/service</li> <li>• How the elements of the marketing mix work together</li> <li>• Types of advertising medium used to attract and retain customers and the appropriateness of each</li> <li>• Sales promotion techniques used to attract and retain customers and the appropriateness of each</li> <li>• Public relations</li> <li>• How to sell the good/service to the consumer</li> <li>• The product life cycle</li> <li>• Extension strategies for products in the product life cycle and the appropriateness of each</li> </ul>	<p>My Revision Notes Revision Guide is available on the MCAS App.</p> <p>Revision sessions with Mr Smith – Mondays after school</p> <p>Book notes</p> <p>Exam papers  <a href="https://ocr.org.uk/images/610831-enterprise-and-marketing-concepts.pdf">https://ocr.org.uk/images/610831-enterprise-and-marketing-concepts.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zvwb382">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zvwb382</a></p> <p>Miss Chambers ICT on YouTube  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL27vaenVnLtYSnf-RKwKzCJtLV3O3CiOP">https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL27vaenVnLtYSnf-RKwKzCJtLV3O3CiOP</a></p>

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- Factors to consider when pricing a product to attract and retain customers
- Types of pricing strategies and the appropriateness of each

### **TA5: Factors to consider when starting up and running an enterprise**

- Appropriate forms of ownership for business start ups
- Sources of capital for business start-ups and expansion
- Support for enterprise

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## STATISTICS

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<p><b><u>Edexcel</u></b></p> <p><b>Two papers, 1.5 hours</b> consisting of the below topics:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Data – Describing data, grouping data, primary and secondary data, populations, random &amp; non-random sampling, stratified sampling, collection of data (including questionnaires &amp; interviews), controlling extraneous variables, hypotheses, designing investigations, Peterson capture-recapture and stratified sampling.</li> <li>2. Processing and representing data – Tables (including two-way tables, pictograms, bar charts, stem and leaf diagrams, pie charts, population pyramids, Choropleth maps, Histograms, Frequency Polygons, Cumulative Frequency Curves, misleading diagrams, comparative pie charts and choosing the right formats.</li> <li>3. Summarising Data – Averages and averages from frequency tables, transforming data, Geometric Mean, Standard deviation and measures of dispersion for discrete and grouped data, box plots and outliers, skewness, deciding which average to use, comparing data sets and making estimates.</li> <li>4. Scatter Graphs and correlation – interpolation and extrapolation, lines of best fit, relationships between data, Spearman’s rank correlation coefficient and Pearson’s product moment correlation coefficient.</li> <li>5. Line graphs and time series</li> <li>6. Probability</li> <li>7. Index Numbers</li> <li>8. Probability distributions</li> <li>9. The Statistical Enquiry Cycle (link with Geography)</li> </ol> <p><b><i>Remember! 40% of the topics are cross over from the Maths GCSE.</i></b></p>	<p>Sparx Maths for crossover topics <a href="http://www.sparxmaths.co.uk">www.sparxmaths.co.uk</a></p> <p>Stats Academy – revision and exam practice with answers <a href="https://www.statsacademy.co.uk/">https://www.statsacademy.co.uk/</a></p> <p>Revision guides are available – if wish to purchase speak with Miss Cragg</p> <p>Maths Genie – have some specific questions related to the higher tier content also have a large amount of past papers and mark schemes on the website <a href="https://www.mathsgenie.co.uk/statistics.html">https://www.mathsgenie.co.uk/statistics.html</a></p> <p>Mrs Hodgetts Statistics – revision and exam practice. Also good revision notes. <a href="https://mrshodgettsstatistics.com/">https://mrshodgettsstatistics.com/</a></p> <p>Each class students will be given more exam questions than what they have chance to finish in the lesson, students will get revision material from majority of the classes.</p>

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## DANCE

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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>1 exam paper – 1 ½ hours in length</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>AQA GCSE Dance</u></b></p> <p><b>Section A</b> Knowledge and understanding of choreographic processes and performing skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hypothetical choreography</li> <li>• Choreographic skills – know and learn the key words: Action, space, dynamics, relationships, structure, choreographic devices, aural settings and performance environments</li> <li>• Performance Skills- including physical, technical, expressive, mental, and safe practice</li> </ul> <p><b>Section B</b> Critical appreciation of professional work</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Using the choreography and performance key words, critique your own work (solo/duet)</li> </ul> <p><b>Section C</b> The Anthology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A Linha curva, Within her eyes, and emancipation of expressionism</li> <li>• Understand the staging, dance style, lighting, performance environment, props, costume, gender and aural settings.</li> <li>• Stimulus and choreographic intent</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GCSE Dance Revision Guide – which includes fact files, knowledge organisers, breakdown of all professional works</li> <li>• Use of example answers in the back of the revision guide</li> <li>• All professional work videos on Microsoft Teams</li> <li>• Use the current workbooks for section A and section C (The anthology)</li> <li>• Fact files</li> <li>• Revision booklet</li> <li>• Mind maps</li> <li>• Exam style questions in workbooks</li> </ul>

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## HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE

Exam Board and Topics to revise	Where to find the information to revise
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>OCR Cambridge Nationals J835</u></b>  <b><u>1 hour and 15 minutes</u></b>  <b><u>Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June PM</u></b></p> <p><b><u>RO32</u></b></p> <p>There are four topic areas for this exam. There is <b>one exam</b> of 1hr 15minutes.</p> <p>Topic area 1: The rights of service users in health and social care settings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Types of care settings</li> <li>- The rights of service users</li> <li>- The benefits to service users health and wellbeing when their rights are maintained</li> </ul> <p>Topic area 2: Person-centred values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Person-centred values and how they are applied by service providers</li> <li>- Benefits of applying the person-centred values</li> <li>- Effects on service users health and wellbeing if person-centred values are not applied</li> </ul> <p>Topic area 3: Effective communication in HSC settings</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The importance of verbal communication skills</li> <li>- The importance of non verbal communication skills</li> <li>- The importance of active listening skills</li> <li>- The importance of special forms of communication in HSC settings</li> <li>- The importance of effective communication</li> </ul> <p>Topic area 4: protecting service users and service providers in health and social care settings</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Safeguarding</li> <li>- Infection prevention</li> <li>- Safety procedures and measures</li> <li>- How security measures protect service users and staff</li> </ul> <p>Use your notes and your booklets to help you revise the content of the topics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use your revision guide – you have a copy of this – it covers all of the topics for the exam and also has some question practice.</li> <li>• Use your assessment practice booklets – you have two – one covers TA1 and TA2 and one which covers TA3 and TA4</li> <li>• You have some practice questions in the booklets you can complete along with some that we have looked at in lesson time. Remember to use your progress sheet to see which sections and question types you should be focusing on to practice</li> <li>- You can also go onto the health section of the bbc website to keep up to date with news regarding health or social care</li> </ul> <p><u><a href="#">GCSE Health &amp; Social Care – 904 GCSE Health &amp; Social Care resources (getrevising.co.uk)</a></u></p> <p><u><a href="#">OCR Health and Social Care Flashcards   Quizlet</a></u></p> <p><u><a href="#">r032 – Search results – Kahoot!</a></u> – 16 quizzes to choose from!</p>

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## CHILD DEVELOPMENT

Exam Board and Topics to revise	Where to find the information to revise
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>OCR Cambridge Nationals J809</u> <u>1 hour and 15 minutes</u> <u>Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May PM</u></p> <p><b>RO57</b> There are four topic areas for this 1hr 15mins exam. The exam covers all 4 areas:</p> <p><b>Topic area 1: Preconception health and reproduction</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Factors affecting preconception health for women and for men</li> <li>• Other factors affecting the preconception health for women</li> <li>• Types of contraception methods and their advantages and disadvantages</li> <li>• The structure and function of the reproductive systems</li> <li>• How reproduction takes place</li> <li>• The signs and symptoms of pregnancy</li> </ul> <p><b>Topic area 2: Antenatal care and preparation for birth</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose and importance of antenatal clinics</li> <li>• Screening and diagnostic tests</li> <li>• Purpose and importance of antenatal classes</li> <li>• The choices available for delivery</li> <li>• The role of the birth partner in supporting the mother through pregnancy and birth</li> <li>• The methods of pain relief when in labour</li> <li>• The signs that labour has started</li> <li>• The three stages of labour and the physiological changes</li> <li>• The methods of assisted birth</li> </ul> <p><b>Topic 3: Postnatal checks, postnatal care and conditions for development</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Postnatal checks</li> <li>• Postnatal care of the mother and baby</li> <li>• The developmental needs of children from birth to five years</li> </ul> <p><b>Topic area 4: Childhood illnesses and a child safe environment</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recognise general signs and symptoms of illness in children</li> <li>• How to meet the needs of an ill child</li> <li>• How to ensure a child-friendly, safe environment</li> </ul>	<p>Use your revision guide – you have a copy of this – it covers all the topics for the exam and has some question practice.</p> <p>You have some practice questions in the booklets you can complete along with some that we have looked at in lesson time. Remember to use your progress sheet to see which sections and question types you should be focusing on to practice</p> <p>You can also go onto the health section of the BBC website to keep up to date with news and look at NHS website also</p> <p>Use your notes and your booklets to help you revise the content of the topics</p>

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## MUSIC

Exam Board and Topics to revise	Where to find the information to revise
<p data-bbox="268 353 628 387">1 exam – 1 hr 30 mins long</p> <p data-bbox="316 432 580 465"><u>Eduqas GCSE Music</u></p> <p data-bbox="92 510 783 656"><b>All areas of study and questions will focus on the elements of music (MADTSHIRT) make sure you know the appropriate descriptive words for each of the elements.</b></p> <p data-bbox="92 701 564 734"><b>Area of Study 1 – Form and Devices</b></p> <ul data-bbox="140 745 485 857" style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Forms (Structures)</li><li>• Compositional devices</li><li>• Badinerie (Set Work)</li></ul> <p data-bbox="92 902 746 969"><b>Area of Study 2 - Music for Ensemble (Focus on textures and relationships between instruments)</b></p> <ul data-bbox="140 981 405 1093" style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Chamber Music</li><li>• Jazz and Blues</li><li>• Musical Theatre</li></ul> <p data-bbox="92 1137 772 1205"><b>Area of Study 3 – Film Music (Focus on Elements of music and long answer question)</b></p> <p data-bbox="92 1249 469 1283"><b>Area of Study 4 – Pop Music</b></p> <ul data-bbox="140 1294 405 1451" style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Africa (Set Work)</li><li>• Pop and Rock</li><li>• Fusion</li><li>• Bhangra</li></ul>	<p data-bbox="833 544 1453 701">The Eduqas GCSE music Revised Revision guide is an excellent resource for preparing for the listening exam. These books are available from the MCAS App.</p> <p data-bbox="833 745 1430 813">MusicFirst is also a great general resource for any information you are unsure about.</p> <p data-bbox="833 857 1273 891">Listening quick questions booklet.</p> <p data-bbox="833 936 1050 969">Teaching gadget</p> <p data-bbox="833 1059 1445 1205">Make sure all revision includes listening to the music – knowing the definitions is not enough, you need to be able to <b><u>hear them, identify them and write about them.</u></b></p> <p data-bbox="833 1249 1465 1317"><b><u>Your folders contain all the keywords you need to learn and be able to use.</u></b></p>

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## SPORTS STUDIES

Exam Board and Topics to revise	Where to find the information to revise
<p><b>One exam paper – 1 hr 15 mins long</b></p> <p><b>R184 Contemporary issues in sport</b></p> <p>Topic Area 1: Issues which affect participation in sport</p> <p>Topic Area 2: The role of sport in promoting values</p> <p>Topic Area 3: The implications of hosting a major sporting event for a city or county</p> <p>Topic Area 4: The role National Governing Bodies (NGBs) play in the development of their sport</p> <p>Topic Area 5: The use of technology in sport</p>	<p>Where to find the information to revise;</p> <p>Revisit exam questions which you have used in lessons.</p> <p>Use your Sport Studies Revision guide. These can be purchased from your parents MCAS account and collected in school.</p> <p>Collect revision pack from Mrs Hibbit or Mrs Ferguson</p> <p>Use your class work books to create your own revision materials; <a href="https://www.johnferneley.org/revision">https://www.johnferneley.org/revision</a></p> <p>Watch this live revision session;</p> <p><a href="https://pages.theeverlearner.com/2024-cnatsport-studies-revision">https://pages.theeverlearner.com/2024-cnatsport-studies-revision</a> be sure to print the accompanying notes pages or collect from your teacher; <a href="#">Revision Notes 2024 CNAT Sport Studies R184</a></p> <p>3 &amp; 4 mark questions are the most heavily used Q's. Practice how to answer them properly;</p> <p><a href="#">CNAT Sports Studies - Answering 3-4 markers</a></p> <p>Watch: Example 8-mark exam question breakdown:</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O2XTm6lDePs">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O2XTm6lDePs</a></p> <p><a href="#">Answering Extended Questions - Sport Studies</a></p>

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## CREATIVE IMEDIA

Exam Board and Topics to revise	Where to find the information to revise
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>OCR Cambridge National in Creative Imedia</u></b> <b><u>RO93 – Creative iMedia in the media industry</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>EXTERNAL EXAM – worth 40% of your final grade</u></b> <b><u>Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June PM 1 hour 30 minutes 70 marks</u></b></p> <p>Topic Area 1: The media industry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1.1 Media industry sectors and products</li> <li>• 1.2 Job roles in the media industry</li> </ul> <p>Topic Area 2: Factors influencing product design</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2.1 How style, content and layout are linked to the purpose</li> <li>• 2.2 client requirements and how they are defined</li> <li>• 2.3 Audience demographics and segmentation</li> <li>• 2.4 Research methods, sources and types of data</li> <li>• 2.5 Media codes used to convey meaning, create impact and/or engage audiences</li> </ul> <p>Topic Area 3: Pre-production planning</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3.1 Work Planning</li> <li>• 3.2 Documents used to support ideas generation</li> <li>• 3.3 Documents used to design and plan media products</li> <li>• 3.4 The legal issues that affect media</li> </ul> <p>Topic Area 4: Distribution considerations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4.1 Distribution platforms and media to reach audiences</li> <li>• 4.2 Properties and formats of media files</li> </ul>	<p>12-week countdown timetable from Mr Smith and given out in lessons These are very useful – scroll down to any videos that start with RO93 <a href="https://www.youtube.com/@Knowitallninjalearn/videos">https://www.youtube.com/@Knowitallninjalearn/videos</a></p> <p>I have prepared a word document with the links to all the videos – this will be on Teams</p> <p>Revision guide is available to purchase on the MCAS App.</p> <p>Practice Papers provided to all students as well as topic tests. Mark schemes are on teams as well as PowerPoints that are connected to the topics.</p> <p>An exam Practice book has been issued to all students as well. Please look at the class teams page as well for more resources.</p>