

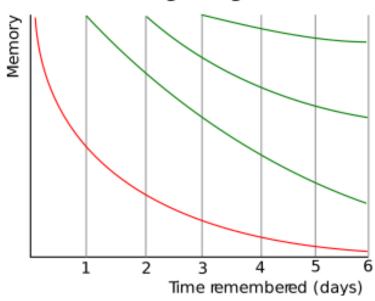
Key Stage 4 Revision Evening



It is never too early to start revising. The key is making sure that what you are doing is effective. What does effective revision look like?



The Forgetting Curve



This graph shows the rates of 'forgetting'. The red line indicates the drop off from the initial lesson or period of studying. If that content is re-studied, you can see the drop off is far more gradual. In this graph, studying for the 4th time, over a period of time, means there is minimal 'forgetting'.

Crucially, he discovered that with regular revisiting of material, it was recalled quicker, and then forgotten slower. This is called distributed or spaced practice.

The most useful starting point is the work of Hermann Ebbinghaus from 1885 (replicated by Murre and Dros in 2015 with similar results).



High Effectiveness	Moderate Effectiveness	Low Effectiveness
 Practice Testing Distributed Practice (returning to topics over a longer period of time) 	 Interleaved practice (chunking up and mixing up topics) Elaborative interrogation (Asking 'why' and making connections) Self-explanation (linking new information to existing information) 	•Summarisation •Highlighting/ underlining •Keyword mnemonic •Image use •Rereading

Data taken from a study in 2013 entitled: "Improving Students' Learning With Effective Learning Techniques: Promising Directions From Cognitive and Educational Psychology



6 most important strategies for learning material:

The Learning Scientists

- •Spaced Practice: Space out studying and revision over the longest time possible.
- •Retrieval practice: Practice recalling information don't allow notes or revision guides straight away.
- •Elaboration: Why? Explaining and describing ideas with as much detail as possible, linking to other topics and areas of study.
- •Interleaving: Break topics into smaller chunks and then switch between them in a revision schedule.
- •Concrete Examples: Ensure specific and clear examples are used to show understanding of complex ideas.
- •Dual Coding: Put words and visuals together to help learn things in slightly different ways: infographics, timelines, cartoons, diagrams etc.



Our brains can be very good at convincing us that we know things that we don't actually know that well... and the only way to find out is by testing! Some are surprised that the best way to learn, is actually by testing a lot.

What would an effective hour of revision look like?

- Spend 20 minutes revising Topic B
- •Spend 25 minutes doing exam questions on Topic A (revised last week)
- •Review your answers with the mark scheme, textbook or notes.
- •Identify areas you were not clear on for further revision
- •Remember to schedule an exam question on Topic B for next week!

Interleaving

retrieval practice

Distributed/spaced practice





3 key points to remember

- 1. Test yourself (retrieval practice)
- Practice retrieving the information. It is what you will have to do in the exam and it is the only way that you can be sure you remember understand and can apply that knowledge.
- **2.** Try to look at a variety of topics in a session revise one topic, test yourself on what you revised last session. (interleaved practice)
- 3. Spread your revision over time (distributed/spaced practice) come back to things on a regular basis. This is the most effective way of remembering.

But you can't revise for English?

How to revise English at GCSE



What do students study?



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Paper Two: Viewpoints and

Perspectives (Non-Fiction)

AQA English Literature

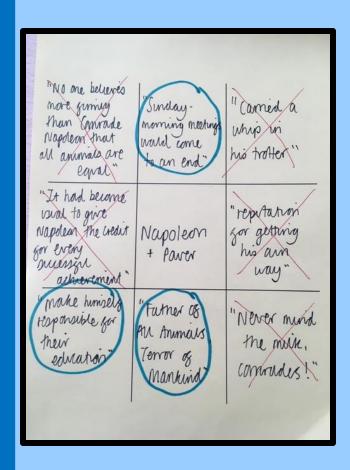
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Shakespeare

Paper Two: Animal Farm, 'Conflict

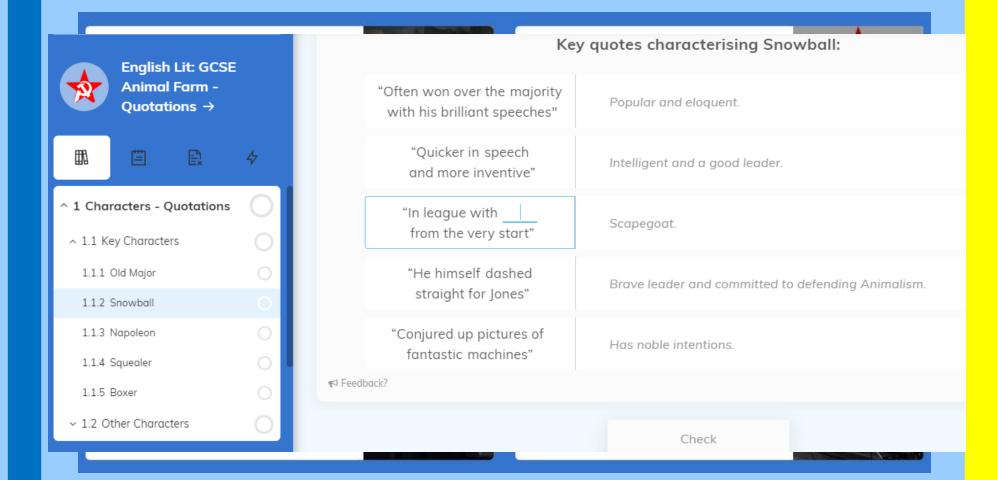
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English Literature



- Quote cards or flashcards
- Chapter or scene summary cards
- Theme and character mind maps
- © Five minute theme challenges
- Knowledge organisers
- Planning essays with extracts
- © Re-read your texts

English Literature



English Literature

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		wherefore

English Language

GCSE English Language Teaching from: September 2015

Exams from: June 2017 Specification code: 8700

QAN code: 601/4292/3

Our specification is designed to inspire and motivate your students, providing appropriate stretch and challenge whilst ensuring that the assessment and texts are, as far as possible, accessible to all students.

It enables your students to develop the skills they need to read, understand and analyse a wide range of different texts and write clearly.

We've developed two equally-balanced papers, each assessing reading and writing in an integrated way.

Specification >

Specification at a glance >

Sample papers and mark schemes >

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Specification at a glance

English Language

Subject content

Scheme of assessment

Non-exam assessment administration

General administration

Planning resources

Teaching resources

Assessment resources

June 2018 papers and mark schemes

Insight report: results at a glance June 2018 (833.7 KB)

November 2017 papers and mark schemes

Non exam assessment: Examiner report November 2017 (55.1 KB)

Paper 1: Examiner report November 2017 (69.8 KB)

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Paper 1: Mark scheme November 2017 (356.1 KB)

Paper 1: Question paper (Modified A3 36pt) November 2017 (1.4 MB)

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GCSE ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Paper 2 Writers' viewpoints and perspectives

Monday 12 June 2017 Morning Time allowed: 1 hour and 45 minutes

Materials

For this paper you must have:

Source A and Source B – which are provided as a separate insert.

Instructions

- Answer all questions.
- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes on this page.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.
- Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.
- · You must refer to the insert booklet provided.
- · You must not use a dictionary.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80.
- There are 40 marks for Section A and 40 marks for Section B.
- You are reminded of the need for good English and clear presentation in your answers.
- . You will be assessed on the quality of your reading in Section A.
- . You will be assessed on the quality of your writing in Section B.

Advice

- You are advised to spend about 15 minutes reading through the sources and all five questions you have to answer.
- · You should make sure you leave sufficient time to check your answers.



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For Examiner's Use

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Top Tips for Both Exams



- Use your exercise books and classwork from throughout the year
- Visit the AQA website and look at the resources that are on offer there
- Make sure you know what gets marks for each question – this can then form a checklist for you when writing your answers in the exam
- Attend intervention on a Monday after school (Year 11)



Qualifications

GCSE

GCSE Mathematics

- ➤ 8300H
- > 8300F
- *Level 2 Further Maths
- *GCSE Statistics

Post 16

A' level Mathematics

- Discrete
- Statistics
- Mechanics

Level 3 Mathematical Studies (Core Maths)

* A' level Further Mathematics (STEP/ MAT)

Competitions

KS5 - Ritangle

KS3 – KS5 Maths challenge (Senior /intermediate/junior)



Course Overview (5 year mastery route for KS3 & KS4)

- One curriculum for all No artificial ceiling imposed on what learners can achieve.
- Curriculum organised into mastery half terms Develop conceptual understanding and make connections
- Spiralling cumulative curriculum Concepts revisited regularly (retrieval practise). Helps develop fluency
- Consistent lesson structure Ensures implementation of all associated pedagogic principles
- Split into 'Foundation' and 'Higher' tier groups at the end of KS3
 - Provides opportunities for further exploration of depth with higher ability students



Maths is not a spectator sport!

Practise solving questions with increasing level of difficulty. Look beyond exam board

Revise topics in rotation. Gradually reduce reliance on notes and formula sheets

Build up to exam conditions during independent learning (90 minutes papers)

Use of P.E.Q in tandem with the <u>examiner's report</u> & mark schemes is encouraged

Remember! it is a two year course. Importance of recording, organising and consolidating material covered in class



Useful websites

- Parallel
- Hegartymaths
- Corbettmaths
- Seneca
- Khan Academy
- Dr Frost
- Mr Barton
- Miss B
- Mathscourses.co.uk
- Grade 4 Essentials for GCSE Maths





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Courses

Biology (8461)

Chemistry (8462)

Physics (8463)

Combined Science Trilogy (8464)



Key areas for revision

Required practical's

- 21 trilogy, 10 biology, 8 chemistry, 10 physics
- Take up 25% of the marks in each paper
- Need to be able to write methods
- Understand the theory behind the practical
- Describe and explain results

Please see revision support sheet sent out with letters for links to useful websites

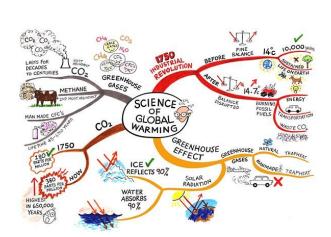
Learn and practise using physics equations (triple and higher)

23 equations to be memorised

Revision Strategies

Start learning:

- Key words and definitions
- Write out methods for required practical's
- List all <u>physics equations</u>



Check understanding

- Workbook questions
- Past paper questions
- Use mark scheme to mark



Make links between lessons / topics

- Mind maps / posters
- Flash cards
- Use internet resources and make notes

Intervention opportunities:

- Intervention lessons after assessment
- Science City will have 6th formers tutoring
 TBC
- Practice exam techniques in lesson
- Feedback given after book checks
- Teachers will be identifying target pupils and developing intervention program for them.

Course	Combined Science: trilogy	Biology	Chemistry	Physics
Units assessed by exam	There are six papers: two biology, two chemistry and two physics. Each of the papers will assess knowledge and understanding from distinct topic areas.	Two exam papers, the first assessing units 1-4 and the second 5-7	Two exam papers, the first assessing units 1-5 and the second 6-10	Two exam papers, the first assessing units 1-4 and the second 5-8
Written Exam details	 1 hour 15 minutes Foundation and Higher Tier 70 marks 16.7% of GCSE 	 1 hour 45 minutes Foundation and Higher Tier 100 marks 50% of GCSE 		
Question style	Multiple choice, structured, closed short answer, and open response			

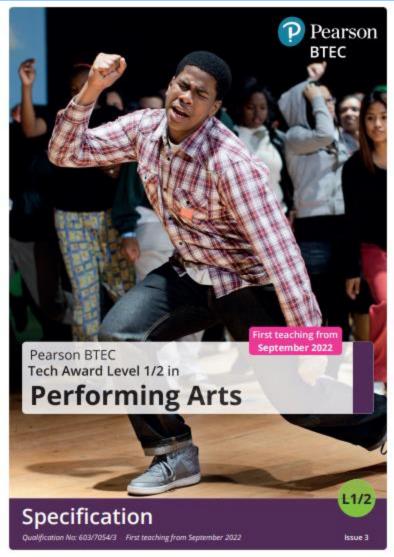
Paper	Topics	Required practicals (trilogy)
Biology 1	Cell Biology; Organisation; Infection and response; and Bioenergetics	Microscopy Osmosis Food tests Enzymes Photosynthesis
Biology 2	Homeostasis and response; Inheritance, variation and evolution; and Ecology.	Reaction time Field investigations
Chemistry 1	Atomic structure and the periodic table; Bonding, structure, and the properties of matter; Quantitative chemistry; Chemical changes; and Energy changes	Making Salts Electrolysis Temperature changes
Chemistry 2	The rate and extent of chemical change; Organic chemistry; Chemical analysis; Chemistry of the atmosphere; and Using resources.	Rates of reaction Chromatography Water purification
Physics 1	Energy; Electricity; Particle model of matter; and Atomic structure	Specific heat capacity Resistance I-V characteristics Density
Physics 2	Forces; Waves; and Magnetism and electromagnetism (Space - triple)	Force and extension Acceleration Waves Radiation and absorption

BTEC Performing Arts

How to revise for Drama



What do students study?



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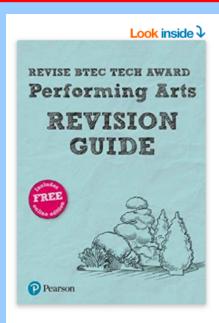
Exploring the Performing Arts

Component Two

Developing Skills and Techniques in the Performing Arts

Component Three

Responding to a Brief



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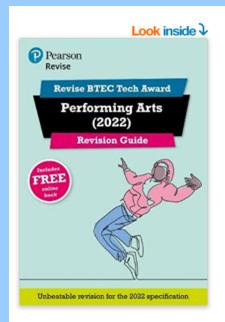
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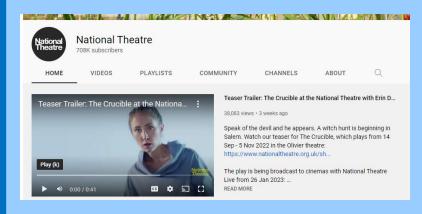
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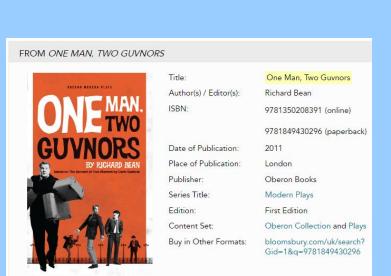
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This book will help you to:

Revise all the essential content and key skills

What can students revise at home?





- Get students to as much live theatre as possible
- National Theatre YouTube channel
- Drama Online Library school login
- Watch interviews with actors, directors, producers, costume designers, sound designers etc!
- Help learn those lines!

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Sports Studies



Subject title

OCR Level1/2 Cambridge National in Sport Studies

Exam board

OCR

How many papers

Students must complete three units:

One mandatory externally assessed unit (exam)

One mandatory centre-assessed unit (NEA)

One optional centre-assessed unit (NEA) from a choice of two.

Length of exam			
Unit R184: Contemporary issues in sport	Unit R185: Performance and leadership in sports activities	Unit R187: Increasing awareness of Outdoor and Adventurous Activities	
48 GLH 1 hour 15 minute written examination 70 marks (80 UMS) OCR-set and marked Calculators are not required in this exam	48 GLH OCR-set assignment 80 marks (80 UMS) Centre-assessed and OCR moderated	24 GLH OCR-set assignment 40 marks (40 UMS) Centre-assessed and OCR moderated	
o Issues which affect participation in sport o The role of sport in promoting values o The implications of hosting a major sporting event for a city or country o The role National Governing Bodies (NGBs) play in the development of their sport o The use of technology in sport.	o Key components of performance o Applying practice methods to support improvement in a sporting activity o Organising and planning a sports activity session o Leading a sports activity session o Reviewing your own performance in planning and leading a sports activity session.	o Provision for different types of outdoor and adventurous activities in the UK o Equipment, clothing and safety aspects of participating in outdoor and adventurous activities o Plan for and be able to participate in an outdoor and adventurous activity o Evaluate participation in an outdoor and adventurous activity	

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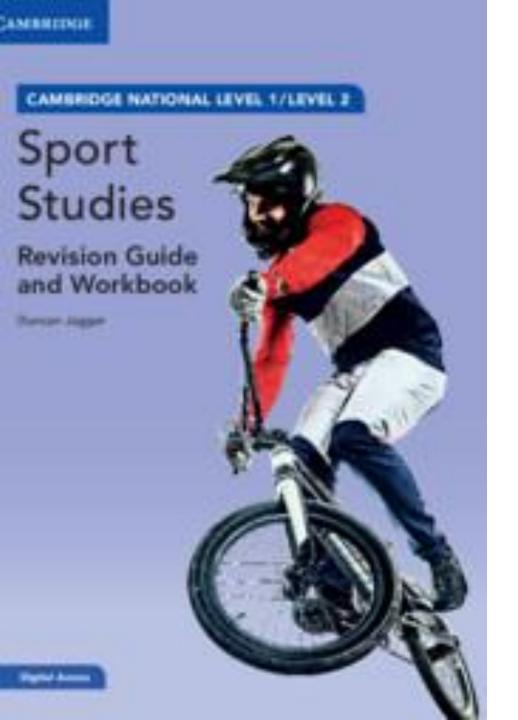


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Length of exam				
R180: Reducing the risk of sports injuries and dealing with common medical conditions	R181: Applying the principles of training: fitness and how it affects skill performance	R183: Nutrition and sports performance		
48 GLH 1 hour 15 minute written examination 70 marks (80 UMS) OCR-set and marked Calculators are not required in this exam	48 GLH OCR-set assignment 80 marks (80 UMS) Centre-assessed and OCR moderated	24 GLH OCR-set assignment 40 marks (40 UMS) Centre-assessed and OCR moderated		
By completing this unit you will prepare as a participant to take part in physical activity in a way which minimises the risk of injuries occurring. It will also prepare you to know how to react to common injuries that can occur during sport and physical activity, and how to recognise the symptoms of some common medical conditions.	By completing this unit, you will conduct a range of fitness tests, understand what they test and their advantages and disadvantages. You will also learn how to design, plan and evaluate a fitness training programme. You will then interpret the data collected from these fitness tests and learn how best to feed this back.	By completing this unit you will gain understanding of healthy, balanced nutrition. You will consider the necessity of certain nutrients and their role in enabling effective performance in different sporting activities. The knowledge you gain will be used to produce an appropriate, effective nutrition plan for a performer.		

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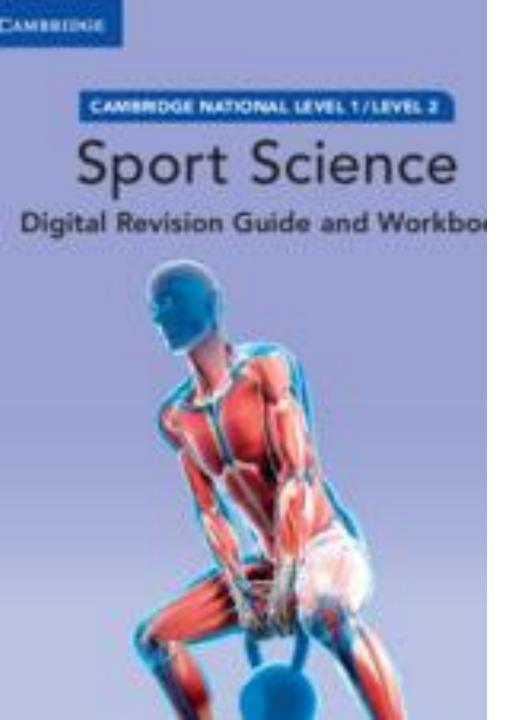


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Cambridge NATIONALS LEVEL 1/2

SPORT SCIENCE AND SPORT STUDIES

Subject title

OCR Level1/2 Cambridge National in Sport Studies

Exam board

OCR

How many papers

Students must complete four units:

One mandatory externally assessed unit (exam)

One mandatory centre-assessed unit (NEA)

Two optional centre-assessed unit (NEA) from a choice of five.

Length of exam					
R051: Contemporary issues in sport	R052: Developing sports skills	R053: Sports leadership	R056: Developing knowledge and skills in outdoor activities		
Written paper OCR set and marked 1 hour – 60 marks (60 UMS) Learners answer all questions	Centre-assessed tasks OCR-moderated 60 marks (60 UMS) Learners should spend approximately 10 hours on the assessment tasks	Centre-assessed tasks OCR-moderated 60 marks (60 UMS) Learners should spend approximately 10 hours on the assessment tasks	Centre-assessed tasks OCR-moderated 60 marks (60 UMS) Learners should spend approximately 10 hours on the assessment tasks		
This unit sets the context of sport within the wider environment and how it reflects society and its values. Students will explore a range of topical and contemporary issues in sport, as well as the promotion of values and ethical behaviour through sport. Students will also learn about the role of high-profile sporting events and national governing bodies in advancing sports' attempts to positively impact upon society and showcase their worth beyond providing entertainment.	Students will develop their skills, techniques and use of tactics/strategies/compositional ideas in both an individual and a team sporting activity. Students will also improve their understanding of the rules to allow them to act in a number of officiating roles within an activity.	Whether voluntary of professional, the role of the sport leader is imperative in any sport. Adopting the role of coach, manager, teacher or team captain, sport leaders can shape the development of sport by influencing and inspiring those around them to participate and perform in sporting activities. In this unit, students learn more about different leadership roles and styles. They will then go onto to plan and deliver effective and safe sessions and evaluate their own performance.	Organisations increasingly use outdoor and adventurous activities as the basis for team away-days and teambuilding exercises, requiring individuals to work collaboratively and develop their problem-solving and communication skills as a group. Students will develop their knowledge about different outdoor activities, how to plan an outdoor activity and be able to participate in one. They will develop their communication, decision making and leadership skills in challenging scenarios and environments.		

Cambridge NATIONALS LEVEL 1/2

SPORT SCIENCE AND SPORT STUDIES

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Cambridge National Level 1/2

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Two optional centre-assessed unit (NEA) from a choice of five.

Length of exam					
Unit R041: Reducing the risk of sports injuries	Unit R042: Applying principles of training	Unit R043: The body's response to physical activity	Unit R045: Sports nutrition		
Written paper OCR set and marked 1 hour – 60 marks (60 UMS) Learners answer all questions	Centre-assessed tasks OCR-moderated 60 marks (60 UMS) Learners should spend approximately 10 hours on the assessment tasks	Centre-assessed tasks OCR-moderated 60 marks (60 UMS) Learners should spend approximately 10 hours on the assessment tasks	Centre-assessed tasks OCR-moderated 60 marks (60 UMS) Learners should spend approximately 10 hours on the assessment tasks		
Taking part in sport and physical activity puts the body under stress. Students will learn how to reduce the risk of injury when taking part in sport through activities such as warm-ups, and knowing how to respond to injuries and medical conditions in a sport setting are all vital skills within the sport and leisure industry	The role of a coach is to keep their performers in peak condition by monitoring individuals' fitness and designing bespoke training programmes. Students will learn the principles of training and how different methods target different components of fitness. They will also learn how to conduct fitness tests, interpret the results and design and evaluate fitness programmes. The OCR-set assignment brings this together through demonstration of this knowledge and skills in a practical task.	Understanding how the body changes and responds to physical activity means that body systems can be optimised to improve sports performance and healthier lifestyles. Students will learn about the key components of the musculo-skeletal and cardio-respiratory systems, their functions and roles in physical activity and how to measure and record short-term and long-term effects of physical activity.	Correct nutrition is a vital part of a sport person's preparation; incorrect nutrition can lead to deterioration in performance and overall health. Students will learn about different nutrients and supplements and their importance to different activity types. They will also learn about the effects of a poor diet on performance and health and will develop and evaluate diet plans for performers.		

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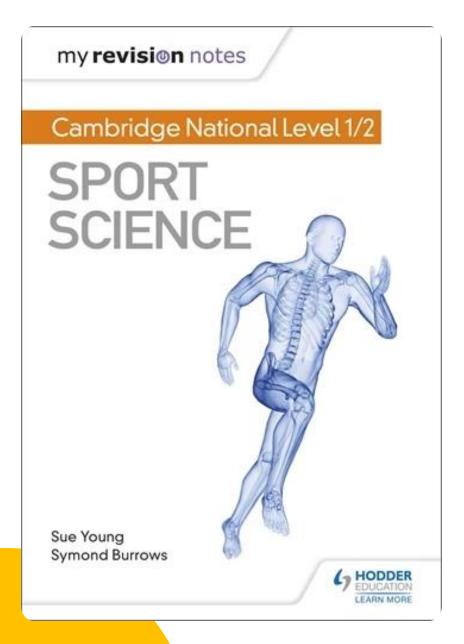
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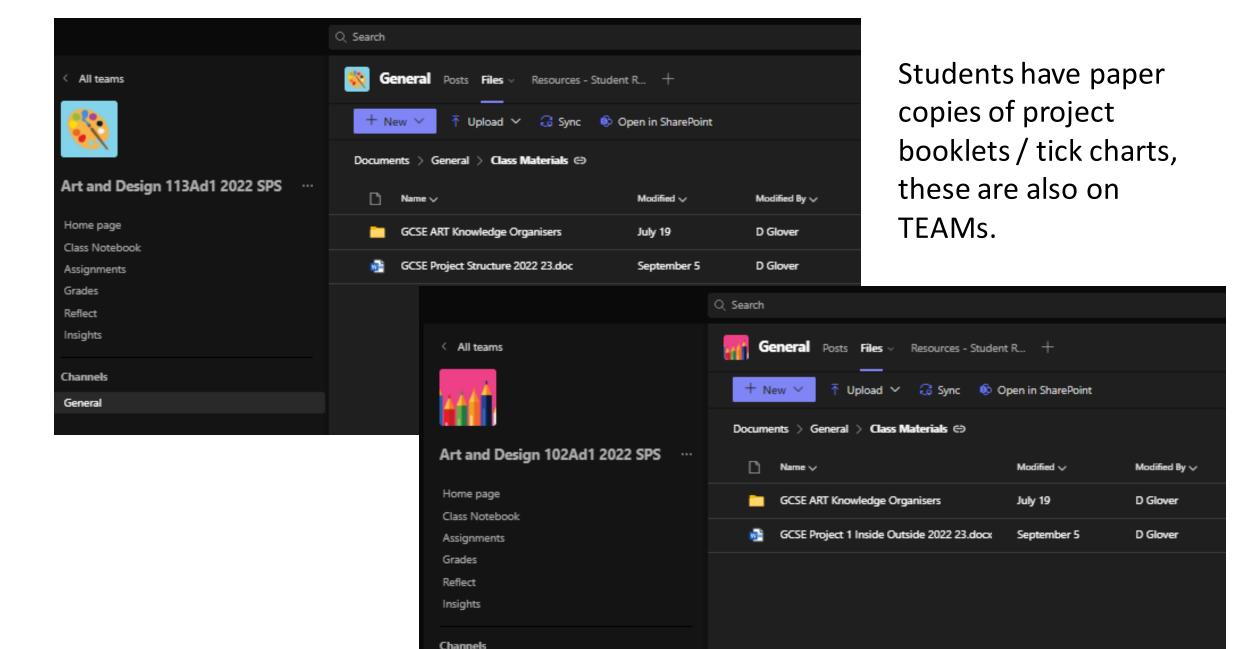
Course Structure

Component 1: Portfolio 60% of GCSE

• The portfolio is internally set and marked through 3 projects, two in Year 10 & one in Year 11 to be completed by Christmas 2022.

Component 2: Externally Set Assignment 40% of GCSE

- Externally set theme and internally marked.
- The exam paper is released January 2nd 2023, the evidence created in the preparation period takes the same form as a portfolio project.
- The final outcome is produced over a 10 hour period (2 school days) before the Easter holiday.
- * Both components are moderated by Eduqas.



General

The knowledge organisers on TEAMs give top tips from the exam board for successfully meeting the assessment criteria & achieving your best!

KO Achieving your best.pdf

GCSE Art & Design: Resource Sheet 8



KO A01.pdf

The 4 assessment objectives apply to Component 1 & 2

AO1 Develop ideas through investigations, demonstrating critical understanding of sources.

AO2 Refine work by exploring ideas, selecting and experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes.

AO3 Record ideas, observations and insights relevant to intentions as work progresses.

AO4 Present a personal and meaningful response that realises intentions and demonstrates understanding of visual language.

GCSE Art & Design: Resource Sheet 1



A01 - Contextual understanding: Develop ideas through investigations, demonstrating critical understanding of sources. Helpful definition: Critical understanding can mean understanding that is the result of making careful judgements.

What's the purpose of this AO

In the same way that you develop writing abilities by studying novels, poems and other kinds of written material, the purpose of this AO requires that you study different visual sources to promote your art & design abilities.

This should help to

- increase your knowledge and understanding of works of art & design produced in different times and places
- · raise awareness of the methods and approaches used by artists and designers
- reflect on their intentions (why they produced their work) and purposes (what it was made for)
- enable close analysis of selected works of art and design.

This can

- · provide starting points for generating creative ideas and inform further development
- · start a search for connections between contextual sources and your own work
- · allow comparisons and contrasts to be made
- prompt research and development of more refined approaches.

What sources should be explored?

These can be artefacts, images and other visual and written references. There are lots of examples that you can access on the internet and through TV programmes, but the best sources are found in museums, galleries, craft and design workshops and even specialist shops. Whenever possible, try to explore sources at first hand because this will make it easier to make authentic personal observations in developing your critical skills.

What are critical skills?

These are sometimes mistakenly thought to be about making negative observations. Critical skills are used to ask the right questions and probe deeply to find answers. It also means considering different kinds of information, such as those that are biographical, descriptive and evaluative, in order to reach well informed judgements. These skills are also developed in other subjects, such as in your language lessons and by asking and responding to higher order questions.

Tip: Practise your critical skills by reviewing the work of a past student, trying to arrive at fair and balanced judgements, giving reasons for your decisions. Apply to your own work what you learn from doing this.

Achieving your best in this AO

This is best shown by:

- . thoughtfully using images and words together to demonstrate that you have understood, in some depth, relevant works of art and design
- · investigating why and how they were produced
- analysing selected examples, using methods such as Content, Form, Process and Mood
- making evident why you chose to study selected examples and how they inform your own approach.

Top Tips from students & teachers

- Be organised!
- Put EVERYTHING in your sketchbook/flip-folder or digital sketchbook, it shows the time you have taken and the process that has led you to your final piece
- Take lots of your own photos, this gives you choice to inspire your ideas and are evidence for AO3.
- Take ownership of your project and how you respond to the theme
- Work on your project outside of lesson every week
- Experiment with new media and styles. Use both manual manipulation techniques as well as digital.
- Analyse everything it is really important to write about your work and the work of other artists to show your understanding. Analysing also gives you the chance to explain what went well but also what didn't go to plan if you are worried that a piece of art isn't your best, this is your chance to tell the examiner why you don't like it and what you would do differently.
- Carefully choose your artists / contextual references to ensure you are interested in them which will make your work more interesting to you.
- Complete annotations as you go along!

Intervention available in the Art Department at tutor time (students selected) & after school Wednesday and Thursday

and finally ...
we exhibit all student
work at the GCSE & A
Level Art Exhibition in
the Summer term of
Year 11 for Parents /
carers & friends to
attend.

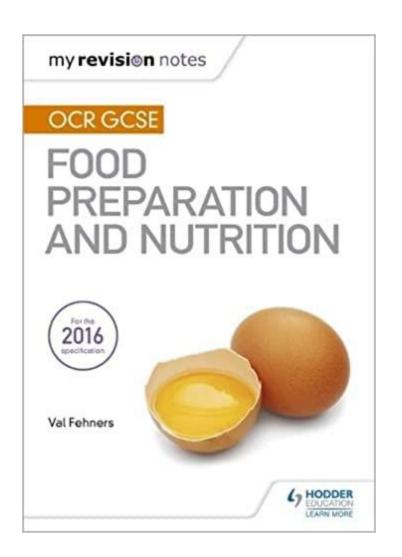
GCSE Food Preparation and Nutrition (OCR)

Assessment Component	Time and Marks	% of Qualification
Written examination paper	100 marks 1 hour 30 minutes	50%
NEA 1: Food investigation task	45 marks	15%
NEA 2: Food preparation task	105 marks	35%

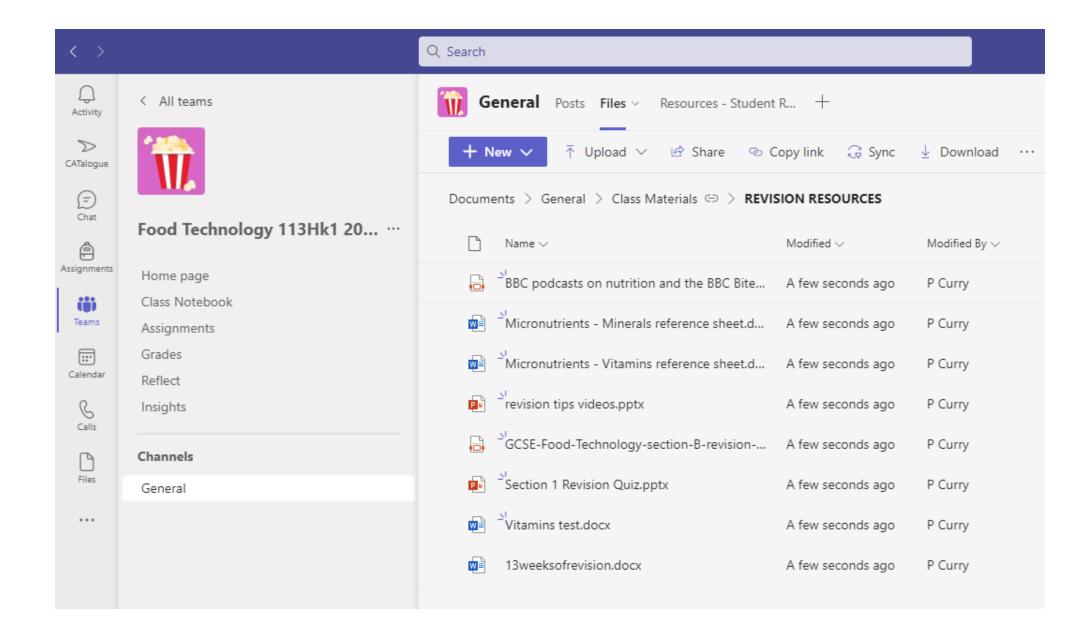
Written Examination Paper Breakdown:

- Section A: Nutrition
- Section B: Food provenance, production and choice
- Section C: Cooking and food preparation
- Section D: Skill requirements preparation and cooking techniques

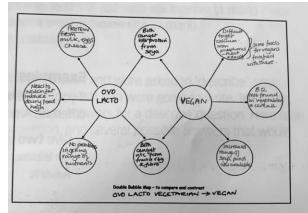
There will be a variety of question styles. Some will be short-answer questions and others will require a longer answer. If the quality of writing in a response will be marked an asterisks (*) will be present.



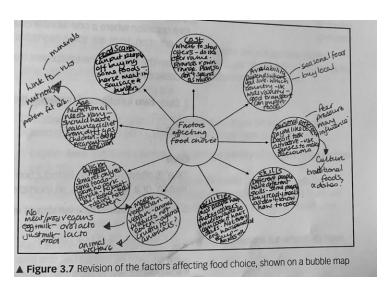
Revision Guide: students have been loaned a revision guide.



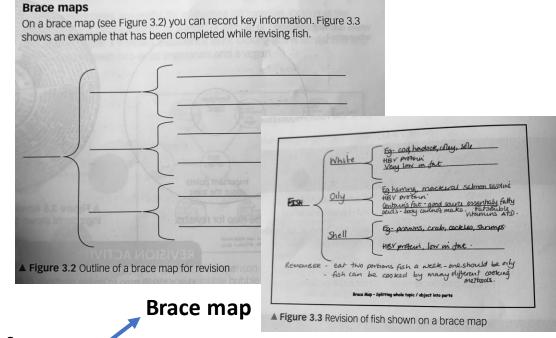
Double bubble map



▲ Figure 3.9 Comparison of two vegetarian diets, shown on a double bubble map

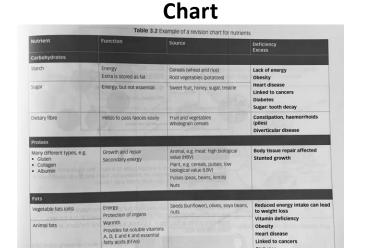


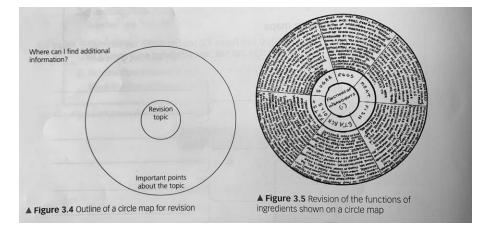
Bubble map



Revision Techniques

Flash cards





Circle map

Design and Technology - Product Design Course content

Theory Exam

NEA 50% of GCSE final mark Non Examined Assessment 50% of GCSE final mark

- Core technical principles
- Specialist technical principles
- Designing and making principles

 Substantial design and make task

How to revise

- Avoid passive revision and embrace active revision techniques
- Revise multiple subjects across the day
- Test yourself
- Make effective notes
- Write down a summary of the topic
- Create flashcards
- Draw mind maps
- Practice along with educational videos
- Discuss your ideas
- Answer practise questions
- Do past papers

Pitfalls in revising

- Starting too late. ...
- Not having a plan. ...
- Spending too long reading. ...
- Spending too long writing notes. ...
- Not doing practice papers. ...
- Not targeting your weaknesses. ...
- Not reviewing your mistakes. ...
- Passively reading instead of actively testing yourself.

How to plan your revision

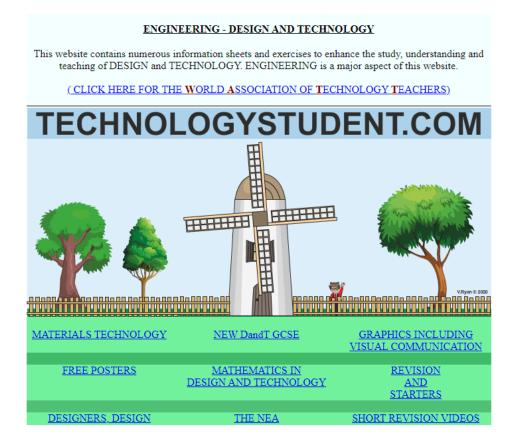
- Look up exam dates
- Work out what subjects you want to prioritise
- Create a revision timetable
- Plan one week at a time
- Keep your day varied

When to revise

- If you're revising after school, you won't have much productive time left in your day. But, you should be able to fit in 1-2 hours.
- It's when you're in the holidays, or on the weekends leading up to your exams, that you should put in the most revision time. During these periods, we suggest students should aim for 6 hours per day of revision.
- At a minimum, make sure you're keeping up a regular amount of revision time every week to keep your brain ticking over.

Design and Technology Revision Website

https://www.technologystudent.com/

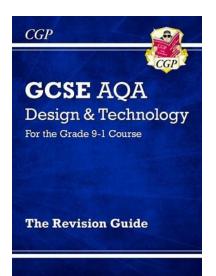


Revision available from school

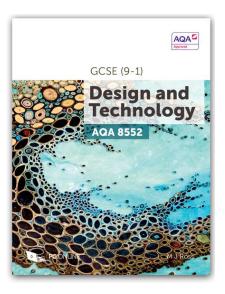
All revision materials are available in your teams class folder

- All theory content from all 7 required units including worksheets and homework sheets
- NEA help and markscheme
- Exemplar NEA

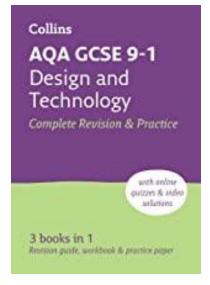
Textbooks and Revision guides

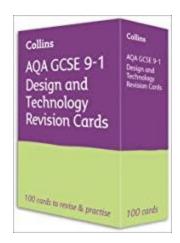


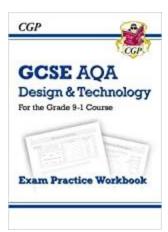


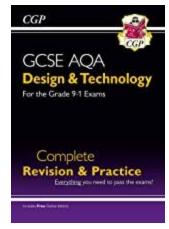






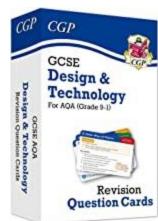












Intervention days & times

Intervention will available at the following days and times;

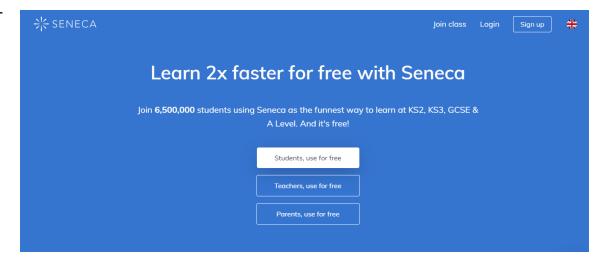
- Monday afterschool 3.05 to 4.05
- Wednesday afterschool 3.05 to 4.05
- Lunchtimes Monday to Friday

Revision Websites

https://www.lovelearningtutors.
 com/main-blog/how-to-revise

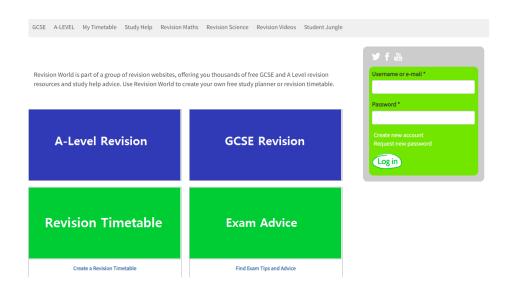
How to revise: the ultimate guide for GCSEs and A Levels

How to revise for (and ace) your GCSE, IGCSE. A Level https://senecalearning.com/en-GB/

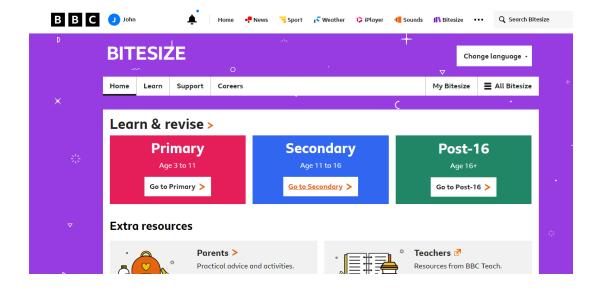


Revision websites

https://revisionworld.com/



 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ levels/z98jmp3



VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Hairdressing & Beauty Therapy (VRQ) (Year 11)

This qualification includes two core units and two optional

- Understanding the hair and beauty sector (Mandatory)
- Hair and beauty research project (Mandatory)
- Hair and beauty science (Optional)
- Responding to a hair and beauty design brief (Optional)

Course Plan

- In year 10 students completed 2 assignments.
- In year 11 the students will complete their last assignment by October and take the external examin January, with a resit is necessary in May
- The External exam will be 1 hour 30 minutes and makes up 40% of their overall grade. The exam will assess the student's knowledge on UV21578 Understanding the hair and beauty sector.
- There will be a combination of short and long answer questions

VTCT AM20530 Specification

VTCT Level 1/2 Technical Award in the Study of Hair and Beauty (Year 10)

This qualification includes 3 core units:

- Business and entrepreneurship in the hair and beauty sector
- Anatomy, physiology and cosmetic science
- Design in the hair and beauty sector

Course Plan

- In Year 10 students will gain all knowledge and understanding of the 3 units ready for the external exam and synoptic assignment.
- In Year 11 the students will start the assignment (Design in the hair and beauty sector) in January and complete by March.
- The external exam will be in May of Year 11
- The External exam will be 1 hour 30 minutes and makes up 40% of the overall grade.
- The exam will assess the student's knowledge on

UCO90 – Business and entrepreneurship in the hair and beauty sector

UCO91 – Anatomy, physiology and cosmetic science

VTCTSpecification/CO2A5

How and when to revise

- *A Revision guide which has been given to each student at the beginning of the course and all revision material is on TEAMS.
- Create a timetable of when you are going to revise, this can be done on a weekly basis
- Intervention is offered on Mondays and Wednesdays after school
- There is also the opportunity for revision during form time
- Read through the course specifications to familiarise yourself with the key and descriptive words
- RAG each topic and revise starting with red topics/areas and work your way up to green
- Create flash cards, poster or mind maps
- Test yourself and get others to test you

Music Department

BTEC Music Technology Level 2 Award Year 11

BTEC First Award in Music Technology - Level 2

This course involves the study of four units.

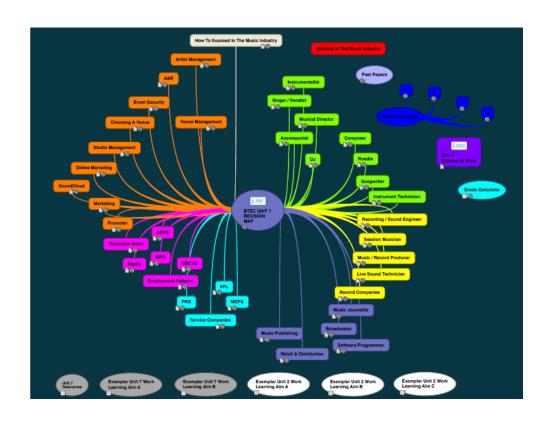
• Unit 1 : The Music Industry.

(This is the only written examination in the course. It has a duration of 1 hour and is out of 50 marks.)

- Unit 2: Managing A Music Product
- Unit 6: Introducing Music Recording
- Unit 7: Introducing Music Sequencing

Revising For Unit One

- Students have access to a revision card and a mind map to assist with their revision
- Past papers can be found on the Pearson/BTEC website
- Students can 'RAG' the sections of the mind map to ensure they have understanding of each area
- Students will sit past papers at regular intervals during the Autumn Term and sit the real written exam in January '23.



Music Department

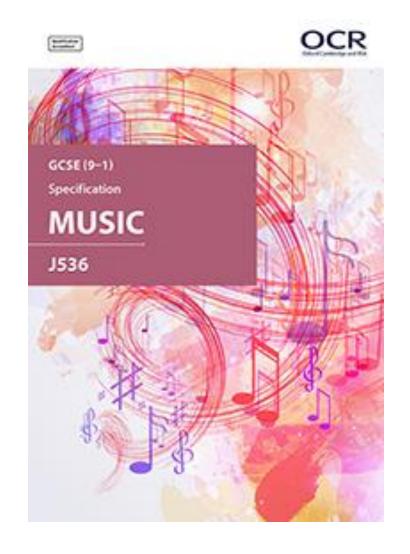
OCR GCSE Music Level 2 Year 10

OCR GCSE Music - Level 2

 This course involves the completion of four pieces of coursework. A Solo Performance, Ensemble Performance, Composition 1 & Composition 2. (120 marks in total).

Listening and Analysing Paper .

(This is the only written examination in the course. It has a duration of 1 hour & 30 mins and is out of 80 marks.)



OCR GCSE in Music - Level 2 Listening & Analysing Paper

- Students have access to knowledge organisers for each area of study
- Any exposure students can get to these four 'styles' of Music will develop their knowledge and understanding:
 - ✓ The Concerto Through Time
 - ✓ Rhythms of the World
 - ✓ Film Music
 - ✓ Conventions of Pop
- The school provides Rhinegold GCSE Music revision guides to all students taking the course.
- Past exam papers can be found on the OCR website
- Students have singing lessons weekly to help with their knowledge of Music and can be assisted in practising at home



AQA GCSE GEOGRAPHY

Geographical
Skills are tested
across all 3
papers

Exams

Paper 1
Living with the physical environment

The challenge of natural hazards

The living world

Physical landscapes – Coasts and Glaciers

35% - 1 hour 30 minutes

Paper 2
Challenge in the human environment

Urban issues and challenges

The changing economic world

The challenge of resource management - Food

35% - 1 hour 30 minutes

Paper 3
Geographical
Applications

Issues Evaluation
Fieldwork
30% - 1 hour and 15 minutes

Resources available

1) Teams

All pupils have access to their class teams account, where teachers put revision resources and presentations on there



2) Key websites

BBC Bitesize

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zy3ptyc

Internet Geography

https://www.internetgeography.net/



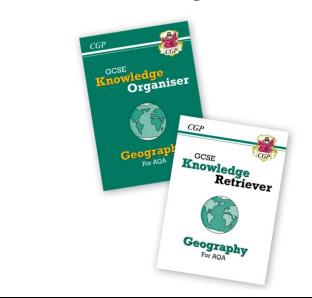
Seneca

https://senecalearning.com/en-GB/



3) Revision guides

All Year 11 students have been provided with a knowledge organiser and retriever free of charge



Revision Plans

GCSE Geography is content heavy and recent mocks have shown that pupils are not revising enough **throughout** the course to confidently approach the case study/example questions.

We have created a revision plan for students to use so that they revise each week instead of just before their exams. Students are expected to complete these tasks weekly as homework.

Week beginning	Topic to be covered	Paper	Revised
	Paper 1		
	Section B – The Living World (Malaysia and Svalbard)		
	Example of a pond as a small-scale ecosystem		
5/9	How does change affect the different parts of an	1	
	ecosystems?		
12/9	Exam Question	1	
	What are the environmental characteristics of		
10/0	rainforests?		
19/9	How have plants and animals adapted to live in	1	
	rainforests?		
26/9	Exam Question	1	
	Case Study of a Tropical Rainforest – Malaysia		
3/10	• What are the causes of deforestation in Malaysia?		
	 What are the impacts of deforestation in Malaysia? 		
10/10	Exam Question	1	
·	Case Study of a Tropical Rainforest – Malaysia		
17/10	 Why should rainforests be protected? 		
	·	1	
	What are the different strategies for managing wainfarents?		
rainforests? October Half Term			



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GCSE GEOGRAPHY

Paper 1 Living with the physical environment

Tuesday 22 May 2018 Afternoon Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

Materials

For this paper you must have:

- · the insert (enclosed)
- a pencil
- a rubber
- a ruler.

You may use a calculator.

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.

Answer <u>all</u> questions in Section A and Section B.

Answer <u>two</u> questions in Section C.

For Examiner's Use			
Section	Mark		
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
TOTAL			

You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write outside the box around each
page or on blank pages. Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to
be marked.

Information

- The marks for guestions are shown in brackets.
- . The total number of marks available for this paper is 88.
- Spelling, punctuation, grammar and specialist terminology will be assessed in Question 01.12.



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CAMBRIDGE NATIONAL ENTERPRISE AND MARKETING: Level 1 and 2. Year 11 Only **Exam board: OCR**

Course Structure: R064 Enterprise and marketing concepts.

R065 Design a business proposal

R066 Market and pitch a business proposal

R064

R064: Exam is externally marked and is 90 minutes long, and has a total of 80 marks.

Exam element is worth 50% of the qualification, it comprises of one paper divided into two parts.

Part 1 is multiple choice

Part 2 includes larger marked questions referring to one particular business throughout the paper, which will be unique to this paper.

Topics covered in the syllabus:

LO1: Understanding how to target a market

LO2: Understanding what makes a product or service financially viable.

LO3: Understand product development.

LO4: Understand how to attract and retain customers

LO5: Understand the factors for consideration when starting up a businsess

LO6: Understand different functional activities needed to support a business start up.

R065

R065: is a NEA (coursework) element of the qualification and worth 25%.

This Unit is marked internally and is out of 60 marks.

This unit focuses on a business challenge provided by OCR, on this occasion it is a hat business and covers:

LO1: Be able to identify the customer profile for a business challenge. (Hat Business)

LO2: Be able to complete market research to aid decisions relating to a business challenge.

LO3: Ber able to develop a design proposal for a business challenge.

LO4: Be able to review whether a business proposal is viable.

R066

R066: is a NEA (coursework) element of the qualification and worth 25%.

This Unit is marked internally and is out of 60 marks.

This unit focuses on a business challenge provided by OCR, on this occasion it is a hat business and covers:

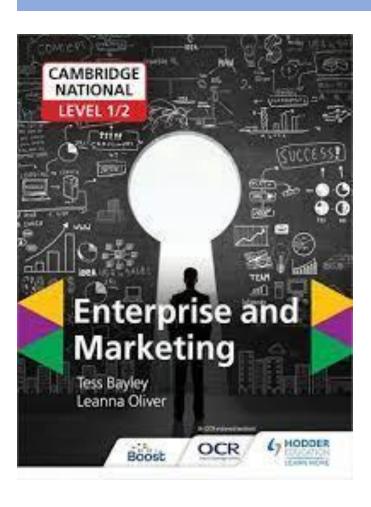
LO1: Be able to develop a brand identity and promotional plan to target a customer profile.

LO2: Be able to plan a pitch for a proposal

LO3: Be able to pitch a proposal to an audience

LO4: Be able to review the strengths and weaknesses of a proposal and Pitch.

Course Resources



OCR Text Book

This text book is only for this course, and therefore all of the information students need to succeed in this qualification is this text book:

R064: Chapter 1, Pages 3 to 68

R065: Chapter 2, Pages 69 to 118

R066: Chapter 3, Pages 119 to 184

Exam Hints and Tips

- Read and re- read all 68 pages of Chapter 1 of the text book.
- Any questions in the exam will come from this chapter.
- The vocabulary will be the same.
- Use the past papers and mark schemes to help you fully understand how to achieve the maximum marks for each type of question.
- Pay particular attention to the command verbs.

Command Verb	Meaning
Identify	List or name something (lower mark questions)
Describe	Give a clear account of the main features of something. (mid- mark questions)
Explain	Set out the main points or reasons for something. (mid mark questions)
Analyse	Explain both pros/benefits/strengths and cons/drawbacks/weaknesses of the topic.
Evaluate/Justify and recommend	Draw conclusions, using evidence to justify your decision.
ALWAYS CONTEXTUALISE YOUR ANSWERS	Link your answers to the business that the questions are about, to make sure you gain maximum marks.

Interventions and Past Papers.

Business Studies Interventions are available after school.

Day	Time	Teacher	Room
Monday	3:05 - 4:05	Mr Robson	B24
Thursday	3:05 - 4:05	Mr Gregory	S24
Friday	3:05 – 4:05	Mr Robson/Mr Gregory	B24/S24

Past papers and mark schemes will be available in Teams, under Files, Classroom Materials – R064 Past Papers

They are also available on the OCR Website: www.ocr.org.uk making sure you are looking at

www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/cambridge-nationals/enterprise-and-marketing-level-1-and-2-certificate-j819/assessment/

CAMBRIDGE NATIONAL ENTERPRISE AND MARKETING: Level 1&2. Current Year 10. (2022 suite)

Exam board: OCR

Course Structure:

R067 Enterprise and marketing concepts. Exam assessed 40% of overall qualification.

R068 Design a business proposal.

NEA (Coursework) Internally assessed, 30% of overall qualification.

R069 Market and pitch a business proposal.

NEA (Coursework) Internally assessed, 30% of overall qualification.

R067 – Enterprise and Marketing Concepts

- R067 is assessed by an exam.
- The exam is 1 hr and 15 minutes.
- It has two sections:
- Section A has 10 marks
- Section B has 60 marks
- The exam has 70 marks in total
- The contributes 40% to the overall grade.
- TA1: Characteristics, risk and reward for enterprise.
- TA2: Market research to target a specific customer
- TA3: What makes a product financially viable?
- TA4: Creating a marketing mix to support a product.
- TA5: Factors to consider when starting up and running an enterprise.

- Section A is multiple Choice
- Section B is:
- This will have context based questions.
- Students will be presented with a short scenario and will apply their knowledge to the questions provided.
- It will include short/medium answer questions, extended response analysis and evaluation questions.
- The extended response evaluation question will assess content from TOPIC 4 only.
- Which is: Creating a marketing mix to support a product.

R068 Design a Business Proposal

R068: is a NEA (coursework) element of the qualification and worth 30%

This Unit is marked internally and is out of 60 marks.

This unit focuses on a business challenge provided by OCR, on this occasion it is a backpack business and :

TA1: Market Research

TA2: How to identify a customer profile.

TA3: Develop a business proposal

TA4: Review whether a business proposal is financially viable

Review the likely success of the business proposal.

R069 Market and Pitch a Business Proposal

R069: is a NEA (coursework) element of the qualification and worth 30%.

This Unit is marked internally and is out of 60 marks.

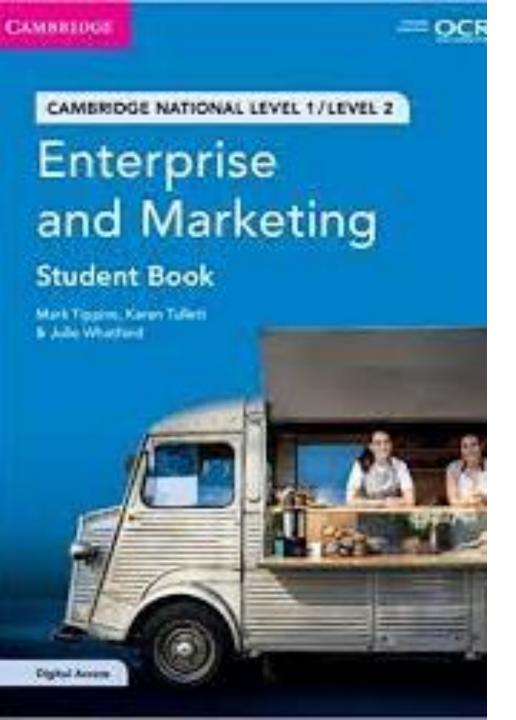
This unit focuses on a business challenge provided by OCR, on this occasion it is a backpack business and covers:

TA1: Develop a brand identity to target a specific customer profile.

TA2: Create a promotional campaign for a brand and product.

TA3: Plan and pitch a proposal.

TA4: Review a brand proposal, promotional campaign and professional pitch.



Course Resources

Cambridge University Press Text Book

This text book is only for this course, and therefore all of the information students need to succeed in this qualification is this text book:

R067: Chapter 1, Pages 9 to 152

R068: Chapter 2, Pages 153 to 237

R069: Chapter 3, Pages 238 to 333

Resources available

1) Teams

All pupils have access to their class teams account, where teachers put all resources and presentations on there



2) Key websites

BBC Bitesize

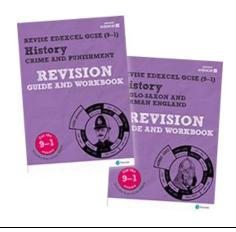
https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/exams pecs/zw4bv4.j

YouTube- Norman conquest BBC Teach

Spotify - Norman Conquest, Cold War conversation podcast, GCSE History Revision -Nazi Germany

3) Revision guides

£2.75 each. Outstanding resource to help prepare students by outlining the key information and then applying it to the practise questions at the back.



Revision Plans

Recent mocks have shown that pupils are not revising enough to confidently approach large mark questions.

In each exam paper, there will be 16 mark questions, which requires pupils to have sound knowledge of the topics we have covered.

We have created a revision plan for parents to take home, whereby if pupils follow this carefully they will be prepared for their exam. You can collect this at the end to take home. Students are expected to complete these tasks weekly as homework.

Week beginning	Topic to be covered	Important information	Paper	Revised
21/9	Crime and punishment 1000-1500: Crimes and law enforcement		1	
28/9	Crime and punishment 1000-1500: Punishment and role of Church		1	
5/10	Crime and punishment 1500-1700: Crimes and law enforcement		1	
12/10	Crime and punishment 1500-1700: Punishment, Gunpowder plotters and Matthew Hopkins case studies		1	
19/10	Crime and punishment 1700-1900: Crimes and law enforcement Crime and punishment 1700-1900: Punishment, Pentonville Prison, Peel		1	

Podcasts on Spotify and videos on Youtube

BBC Teach Youtube videos on Anglo-Saxon/Normans

Spotify: Norman Conquest, Cold War conversation podcast, GCSE History Revision - Nazi Germany





Annotating/highlighting your revision guide

A great way to highlight key points and develop them further



Mind maps on the different topics

A good way to summarise an entire topic, for example Punishments in the Norman period, Battle of Hastings



People profiles

A fantastic way to learn about the key facts of each person and to analyse their role within the wider



Revision strategies

Practise Questions

This is a way for you to APPLY your knowledge, and build your confidence in approaching GCSE exams. You will find questions at the back of your revision guides



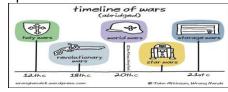
Battle plans

Create maps and annotate them to familiarise yourself with key battles. Don't forget to look at the CAUSES and CONSEQUENCES



Create timelines

This is a great way to learn dates of key events, and analyse the changes and continuities that took place. You could do separate ones based crimes, punishments and law enforcement



Flash cards

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OCR GCSE Ancient History

Paper 1 The Persian Empire 559-465BC

Alexander the Great 356-323BC

1 hour 45 minutes

Paper 2 The foundations of Rome: from kingship to republic 753-440BC

Britannia; from conquest to province, AD 43-c.84

1 hour 45 minutes

Resources available

1) Teams

All pupils have access to their class teams account, where teachers put all resources and presentations on there



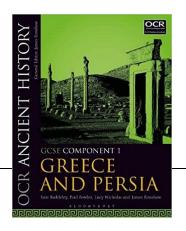
2) Practise Questions

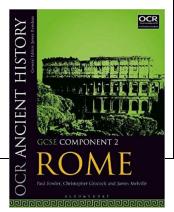
Ancient History Practise Questions Booklet

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Question Style	Topics	Marks
'Outline the main features of'	Persia/ Rome	6 marks
'Using details from passage A	Persia/Rome	10 marks
and your own knowledge,		
what can you learn about		
'Using details from passage A	Persia/Rome	15 marks
and your own knowledge		
SECOND ORDER CONCEPT		
(causes, consequences,		
significant, similarity,		
difference)		
'Statement'. How far do you	Persia/Rome	20 marks and 5 marks SPaG
agree?		
What can we learn from	Alexander/ Cleopatra	5 marks
Passage D		
Using details from Passage	Alexander/Cleopatra	5 marks
Devaluate accuracy		
Second order concept	Alexander/Cleopatra	10 marks
question: (causes,		
consequences, significant,		
similarity, difference)		

3) Textbooks (optional)

You can purchase via World of Books (£11.79) or Amazon (£14.29). These are optional but a fantastic resource for students who may have missed content or wish to use it for revision





Revision Plans

Recent mocks have shown that pupils are not revising enough to confidently approach large mark questions.

In each exam paper, there will be 16 mark questions, which requires pupils to have sound knowledge of the topics we have covered.

We have created a revision plan for parents to take home, whereby if pupils follow this carefully they will be prepared for their exam. You can collect this at the end to take home. Students are expected to complete these tasks weekly as homework.

Week beginning	Topic to be covered	Challenge yourself!	Paper	Revise d
19/09	 The background and accession of Cyrus The conquest of the Medes The conquest of Lydia 		1	
27/09	 The conquest of Babylon 	Outline the main features of the conquest of Babylon	1	
04/10	 Cyrus' attitude towards conquered peoples and his liberation of the Jews Construction of Pasargadae 		1	
11/10	• Cambyses' conquest of Egypt	Using details from Passage A and your own knowledge, what can we learn about Cyrus' policy towards foreign religions?	1	

Podcasts on Spotify

'History of Rome'

'History of Ancient Greece' episode 30-41



Annotating source booklet

Part of your exam requires you to remember the work of ancient writers such as Plutarch. You don't need to remember it word for word, but its important to know their views and their accuracy



Mind maps on the different topics

A good way to summarise an entire topic, for example Cyrus the Great, or the Battle of Salamis



People profiles

A fantastic way to learn about the key facts of each person and to analyse their role within the wider topic



Miss K's Ancient History Revision menu

Practise Questions

This is a way for you to APPLY your knowledge, and build your confidence in approaching GCSE exams.



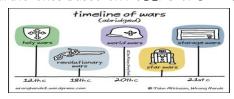
Battle plans

Create maps and annotate them to familiarise yourself with key battles. Don't forget to look at the CAUSES and CONSEQUENCES



Create timelines

This is a great way to learn dates of key events, and analyse the changes that took place. You could do separate ones based on RULERS or BATTLES



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Interventions

Over the year, there will be opportunities for students to attend intervention. There will be set interventions for specific students on a 4 week rotating cycle, in addition to an open intervention for any students who wish to attend. These will take place mostly on Wednesdays

French GCSE exam

Exam board: AQA

French (8658)

Specification at a glance: this qualification is linear. Linear means that students will sit the different components of the exam at the end of the course.

What is assessed:

Speaking exam:

- > This is normally the first examination and is generally sat in April.
- >7-9 minutes (Foundation Tier) + preparation time
- >10-12 minutes (Higher Tier) + preparation time
- >60 marks (for each of Foundation Tier and Higher Tier) 25% of GCSE
- The format is the same at Foundation Tier and Higher Tier, but with different stimulus questions for the Photo card and different stimulus materials for the Roleplay. The timings are different too:
- >Role-play 15 marks (2 minutes at Foundation Tier; 2 minutes at Higher Tier)
- >Photo card 15 marks (2 minutes at Foundation Tier; 3 minutes at Higher Tier)
- ➤ General conversation 30 marks (3-5 minutes at Foundation Tier; 5-7 minutes at Higher Tier)

Specification at a glance: this qualification is linear. Linear means that students will sit the different components of the exam at the end of the course.

What else is assessed:

Listening exam: 35 minutes (Foundation Tier), 45 minutes (Higher Tier)

>40 marks (Foundation Tier), 50 marks (Higher Tier) 25% of GCSE

Reading exam: 45 minutes (Foundation Tier), 1 hour (Higher Tier)

>60 marks (for each of Foundation Tier and Higher Tier) 25% of GCSE

Writing exam: 1 hour (Foundation Tier), 1 hour 15 minutes (Higher Tier)

>50 marks at Foundation Tier and 60 marks at Higher Tier 25% of GCSE

What can you do to get that top grade?

- ☐ You can come to interventions. Mrs Hill and Miss Leconte will run intervention during tutor time and on Thursday afternoon from 3.15 to 4.15 PM.
- □ You can look at past paper on the AQA website:

https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/languages/gcse/french-8658/assessment-resources?f.Resource+type%7C6=Question+papers&sort=title&num_ranks=10

You can use your revision cards which you have done since last year and the vocabulary sheets on teams.

☐ You can use revision websites such as:

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zr8bmfr https://www.languagesonline.org.uk/Hotpotatoes/frenchindex.html What else can you do: Remember Knowing your vocabulary and grammar is the key!

Vocabulary

You have access to teams and the vocabulary you need for each topic, that is tested every week. Keep revising and testing yourself so that your knowledge is always expanding.

Flashcards

Create flashcards with vocabulary in English on one side and French on the other. You can use them to test yourself or ask others to test you. Youtube has tips for using flashcards effectively.

Mindmaps & Tree diagrams

Mindmaps - use plenty of colour and images, focus on items of vocabulary from topics you found tricky. Check back through resources and revision guides to review that vocabulary.

Tree diagrams - categorise vocabulary into nouns, verbs and adjectives from a specific topic.

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I Deliberate practice

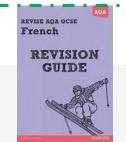
Set aside a little time each day for dedicated vocabulary and grammar practice. Use your revision guides for support with this.

Spend your time wisely - on areas you are less confident on, NOT on what you already know.

Complete any Listening, Reading and Writing activities in a time limit.

Revision Guide

Get a revision guide and work through some of the I tasks, which you can get some feedback on from ; your teacher.



Success in MFL

Make sure that you do all your homework and start to revise now. The more you go over grammar and vocabulary on a regular basis the more you will remember.

Interlearning:

Don't attempt to revise everything all at once! It should be spaced out over days and weeks.

Create a revision timetable where you go through all topics and review ones you are less confident on more frequently.

Other useful websites and apps to revise.

Activelearn (on TEAMS)

News in Slow French (listening)

Illini (videos for listening practice)

1 jour1actu (listening practice)

Coffee break French (listening practice)

Lyrics training (listening practice)

Collins French revision (listening practice)

BBC.co.uk/bitesize (general revision)

Revisionworld.com/gcse-revision/French (useful for basics)

Success in MFL

Good luck with your revision and remember it is never too early to start to revise.

COURSES

- IT OCR Cambridge Nationals in Creative iMedia
 - Equips students with the wide range of knowledge and skills needed to work in the creative digital media sector.
- Computer Science AQA GCSE year 10/11
 - The fundamentals of coding and how computers work.



COMPUTER SCIENCE AQA GCSE

TOPICS

- 3.1 Fundamentals of algorithms
- 3.2 <u>Programming</u>
- 3.3 Fundamentals of data representation
- 3.4 <u>Computer systems</u>
- 3.5 <u>Fundamentals of computer networks</u>
- 3.6 Cyber security
- 3.7 Relational databases and structured query language (SQL)
- 3.8 Ethical, legal and environmental impacts of digital technology on wider society, including issues of privacy

EXAMS

Paper 1 Computational thinking and programming skills (3.1 and 3.2)

2 hours

90 marks

50% of GCSE

Paper 2 Computing concepts (3.3 to 3.8)

1 hour 45 minutes

90 marks

50% of GCSE

REVISION RESOURCES

- https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/computer-science-and-it/gcse/computer-science-8525/specification-at-a-glance-specification
- https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zkwsjhv BBC bitesize for AQA computer science
- https://www.aqa.org.uk/find-past-papers-and-mark-schemes past papers
- https://www.w3schools.com/python/
- https://www.practicepython.org/
- https://www.python.org/about/gettingstarted/
- https://pythonbasics.org/

Best revision technique is to practice your python code!

CREATIVE IMEDIA

MODULES

- RO81 pre production skills (compulsory)
- RO82 creating digital graphics (compulsory)
- RO87 creating interactive multimedia products (optional)
- RO91 Designing a game concept (optional)

EXAM

- Only RO81 is examined in January (all others coursework done in year 10)
- 1 hour 15 minutes
- 60 marks

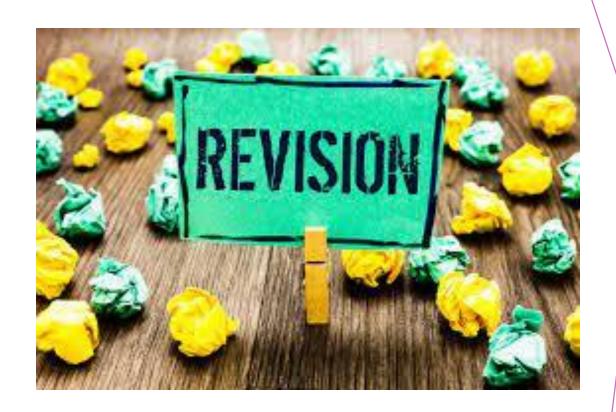
REVISION RESOURCES

- Year 11 Teams (all lessons for exam unit uploaded there)
- https://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/cambridge-nationals/creative-imedia-level-1-2-award-certificate-j807-j817/assessment/ past papers
- https://www.cansfield.wigan.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/Year-9-iMedia-Revision-Booklet.pdf free revision guide
- https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL7wOg_LGPNOLXP5Gb9d1DhvYKnCqxDaBx YouTube revision guides

RO81

You only need to revise the RO81 content as all others are coursework

Past papers, flashcards, mind maps and the linked YouTube tutorials are all good methods





OCR Cambridge Nationals Level 2 in Child Development



Units

RO57
Health and well-being for child development

ExamSat at the end of Yr. 11
Studied throughout Yr. 10 and 1

Lhour 15 minutes

Understand the development of a child from one to five years

Coursework (NEA)
Completed in Yr.11

RO58

Create a safe environment and understand the nutritional needs of children from birth to five years

Coursework (NEA)

Completed in Yr.10

ASSESSMENT

What do I need to know?

- Coursework is classed as Non-Exam Assessment (NEA).
- OCR produce a set assignment for each NEA unit:
 - Expires at the end of the year New set assignment is given for the following year.
 - Set assignments are broken down into Tasks completed in stages throughout the year.
 - All learners have a copy in their folders and online
- Guidelines must be met when completing these set assignments, so we refer to this time as a controlled assessment.
- All learners are made fully aware of the guidelines before beginning any coursework.
- Saved in learners one-drive

How can you help with NEAs?

Parents <u>cannot</u> help with assignment writing - this must be completed in school, under <u>controlled conditions</u>.

Parents <u>cannot</u> say or write what should be <u>included</u> in any additional note taking or preparation made at home.

However, parents could ask learners about their assignment, for example:

- How are they feeling Are they prepared for their controlled assessment?
- Do they feel they have the resources they need?
- Are they aware of the rules and expectations, and how to meet them?
- Are there any worries or concerns?
- · Do they have an idea about how they would like to set their work out?

If learners have dyslexia, please encourage them to keep their coloured lens glasses with them.

Learners are allowed to take lesson work and notes into the controlled assessment with them, therefore...

- They can produce additional plans at home
 - This may include some ways in which they would like their work to look like
- Add further detail to class notes



Intervention

- Opportunities for learners to attend intervention if they have missed controlled assessment hours or have had absence from school.
- Approaching exam time, intervention sessions will be open to whole class and become revision quick tips.
- Revision guides are being investigated and details for students will be given in class shortly.

Exam support

Encourage learners to revise weekly
We will demonstrate and teach the group various
way of revising to support all learners and their
preferences at home

- Help them create a revision timetable to follow that also fits in around their hobbies.
 - For practice papers completed at home, help them to check their spelling, punctuation and grammar, and correct errors.