

Year 11 GCSE Subject Exam Information

Subject	Exam Board	Name of each exam & time for each paper	Recommended text books (Title & ISBN)	Recommended Revision Guides (Title & ISBN)	Exam Website	Grading
Sociology	AQA	<p>Unit 1: Families & Education Exam= 1 hour 45 mins</p> <p>Unit 2: Crime and Deviance & Social Stratification Exam= 1 hour 45 mins</p>	<p>AQA GCSE 9-1 Sociology. Student Book – Wilson, Kidd and Addison. ISBN-978-0-00-822014-3</p>	<p>My Revision Notes ISBN: 9781510423237</p> <p>Workbook Paper 1 ISBN 9781510435186</p> <p>Workbook Paper 2 ISBN 9781510435193</p>	<p>https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/sociology/gcse/sociology-8192</p>	9-1
Science (Combined)	AQA	<p>Paper 1: Biology 1 Exam = 1 hour 15 mins</p> <p>Paper 2: Biology 2 Exam = 1 hour 15 mins</p> <p>Paper 3: Chemistry 1 Exam = 1 hour 15 mins</p> <p>Paper 4: Chemistry 2 Exam = 1 hour 15 mins</p>	<p>1. AQA Science (9-1) Combined Science trilogy student book ISBN: 9781471883286</p>	<p>CGP Revision Guides called New 9-1 GCSE Combined Science complete revision and practice. Separate guides are available for Combined Biology, Chemistry and Physics and purchaser should select Higher or Foundation</p>	<p>https://www.awa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/combined-science-trilogy-8464</p>	9-1

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		<p>Paper 5: Physics 1 Exam = 1 hour 15mins</p> <p>Paper 6: Physics 2 Exam = 1 hour 15 mins</p>				
Biology	AQA	<p>Paper 1 Exam = 1 hour 45 mins</p> <p>Paper 2 Exam = 1 hour 45 mins</p>	<p>1. AQA GCSE (9-1) Biology Student Book ISBN: 9781471851339</p>	<p>CGP Revision Guides called New 9-1 GCSE Combined Science complete revision and practice. Separate guides are available for Combined Biology, Chemistry and Physics and purchaser should select Higher or Foundation</p>	<p>https://www.awa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/biology-8461</p>	9-1
Chemistry	AQA	<p>Paper 1 Exam = 1 hour 45 mins</p> <p>Paper 2 Exam = 1 hour 45 mins</p>	<p>1. Pearson Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Chemistry student book ISBN: 9781292120218</p>	<p>CGP Revision Guides called New 9-1 GCSE Combined Science complete revision and practice. Separate guides are available for Combined Biology, Chemistry and Physics and purchaser should select Higher or Foundation</p>	<p>https://www.awa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/Chemistry-8462</p>	9-1

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Physics	AQA	<p>Paper 1 Exam = 1 hour 45 mins</p> <p>Paper 2 Exam = 1 hour 45 mins</p>	<p>1. Pearson Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Physics student book ISBN: 9781292120225</p>	<p>CGP Revision Guides called New 9-1 GCSE Combined Science complete revision and practice. Separate guides are available for Combined Biology, Chemistry and Physics and purchaser should select Higher or Foundation</p>	<p>https://www.awa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/physics-8463</p>	9-1
English Language	AQA	<p>Paper 1: Explorations in creative reading and writing Exam- 1 hour 45 mins</p> <p>Paper 2 Writers' viewpoints and perspectives Exam- 1 hour 45 mins</p>	<p>1. AQA English Language and Literature Revision and Exam Practice: York Notes for GCSE (9-1) ISBN-13: 978-1292169781</p>			9-1

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English Literature	AQA	Paper 1 Shakespeare and the 19 th Century novel Exam= 1 hour 45 mins Paper 2 Modern texts and poetry Exam= 2 hours 15mins	We highly recommend that students purchase their own copies of the set texts. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Macbeth by William Shakespeare• An Inspector Calls by J.B Priestley• A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens	York notes study guides and workbooks for the set texts: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Macbeth• An Inspector Calls• A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens• AQA Power and conflict poetry	http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/english/gcse/english-literature-8702	9-1
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Maths	Edexcel For HIGHER	<p>Mathematics Paper 1 Non Calculator</p> <p>Mathematics Paper 2 Calculator</p> <p>Mathematics Paper 3 Calculator</p>	<p>Collins GCSE Maths - Edexcel GCSE Maths Higher Student Book Fourth edition</p> <p>Publisher: Collins Author: Kevin Evans, Keith Gordon, Brian Speed and Michael Kent Book ISBN: 9780008113810</p>	<p>Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Mathematics: Higher Practice, Reasoning and Problem-solving Book</p> <p>Publisher: Pearson Author: ISBN: 9781447983606</p>	<p>http://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/mathematics-2015.html</p>	9-1
	AQA for FOUNDATION	<p>Mathematics Paper 1 Non Calculator</p> <p>Mathematics Paper 2 Calculator</p> <p>Mathematics Paper 3 Calculator</p>	<p>Authors: Karen Morrison, Julia Smith, Pauline McLean, Rachael Horsman, Nick Asker Publisher: Cambridge University Press ISBN-13: 978-1-107-44804-9 Price: £20.00 Publication date: April 2015 - out now Digital version - out now; Digital ISBN: 978-1-107-44795-0</p>	<p>GCSE Maths AQA Revision Guide: Foundation - for the Grade 9-1 Course (with Online Edition) (CGP GCSE Maths 9-1 Revision) Paperback – 1 Apr 2015 by CGP Books (Author, Editor)</p>	<p>https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/mathematics</p>	9-1

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Geography	AQA	<p>Unit1 – Living with the physical environment. Exam= 1 hour 30 mins</p> <p>Unit2- Challenges in the human environment. Exam= 1 hour 30 mins</p> <p>Unit3-Geographical applications and skills. Exam= 1 hour 15 mins</p>	Textbook- GCSE Geography AQA- Oxford university press. ISBN978-0-19-836661-4	Revision Guide- GCSE9-1 Geography AQA- Oxford University press. ISBN-978-019-842346-1. GCSE AQA Geography- CGP books. ISBN 9781782946106	http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/gcse/geography	9-1
Food Preparation and nutrition	AQA	Food preparation and nutrition Exam – 1 Hour 45 mins	1. AQA GCSE Food preparation and Nutrition. Hodder Education. Authors: Alexis Rickus, Bev Saunder and Yvonne Mackey. ISBN 978-1-4718-6364-6	AQA Food Preparation and Nutrition Revision Guide. Illuminate Publishing. Author: Anita Tull. ISBN: 978-1-911208-80-2	http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/food/gcse/food-preparation-and-nutrition-8585	9-1
Computer Science	OCR	<p>Paper 1 – Computer Systems Exam 1 hour 30 mins</p> <p>Paper 2 – Computational Thinking, Algorithms and Programming Exam 1 hour 30 mins</p>	1. GCSE Computer Science for OCR Student Book ISBN: 9781316504031	New GCSE Computer Science OCR Complete Revision & Practice - Grade 9-1 ISBN-13: 978-1782948605	https://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/gcse/computer-science-j276-from-2016/assessment/	9-1

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Media	AQA	<p>Unit 1: Introduction to the Media (Serial TV drama) Exam = 1 hour 30 mins Controlled Assessment: 3 pieces of assessed work</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moving Image • Magazine Cross Media Production • Advertising and Marketing 	<p>Resources for serial TV drama revision are on the shared area (no text book) Useful website for revision of concepts for the examination: https://media.edusites.co.uk/category/c/television/</p>	<p>Revision guides for Serial TV Drama (set topic) will be produced to use as revision at home)</p>	<p>http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/media-studies/gcse/media-studies-4810/teaching-and-learning-resources</p>	Pass - Distinction
Spanish	AQA	<p>GCSE Spanish 8698 Paper 1 Listening Exam= Foundation 35 mins Higher 45 mins</p> <p>Paper 2 Speaking Removed 2021 only</p> <p>Paper 3 Reading Exam= Foundation 45 minutes; Higher 1 hour.</p>	<p>Higher: <u>Viva! AQA GCSE Spanish series</u> ISBN: 9781292118963</p> <p>Foundation: <u>Viva! AQA GCSE Spanish series</u> ISBN: 9781292118956</p>	<p>New GCSE Spanish AQA Complete Revision & Practice (with CD & Online Edition) - Grade 9-1 Course ISBN: 978 1 78294 548 2</p>	<p>http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/languages/gcse/spanish-8698/specification-at-a-glance</p>	9-1

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		<p>Paper 4 Writing Exam= Foundation 1 hour; Higher 1 hour 15 mins</p>				
History	Edexcel	<p>Paper 2: International Relations: The Cold War and Anglo-Saxon and Norman England Exam= 1 hour 45mins</p> <p>Paper 3: Weimar and Nazi Germany 1918-1939 Exam= 1 hour 20mins</p>	<p>1. Edexcel GCSE (9-1) History Superpower relations and the Cold War, 1941–91 Student Book ISBN 9781292127279</p> <p>2. Edexcel GCSE (9-1) History Anglo-Saxon and Norman England, c1060–1088 Student Book ISBN 9781292127231</p>	<p>ISBN 9781292169705</p> <p>1. Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) History Superpower relations and the Cold War Revision Guide and Workbook ISBN 9781292169750</p> <p>2. Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) History Anglo-Saxon and Norman England Revision</p>	<p>https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/history-2016.html</p>	9-1

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		Paper 1 removed 2021 only	3. Edexcel GCSE (9-1) History Weimar and Nazi Germany, 1918–1939 Student ISBN 9781292127347	Guide and Workbook ISBN 9781292169743 3. Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) History Weimar and Nazi Germany Revision Guide and Workbook ISBN 9781292169736		
Art	AQA	<u>Component 1: Personal Portfolio</u> 60% Mock Exam =10 hours <u>Component 2: Externally Set Assignment</u> 40% Final Exam =10hours	Useful places to visit www.designmuseum.org www.tate.org.uk www.royalacademy.org.uk www.courtauld.ac.uk www.nationalgallery.org.uk	AQA GCSE Art & Design Student Handbook (Paperback) by Frank Barnes, Anne Stewart Cambridge IGCSE™ Art and Design Student's Boo... (Paperback) by Whitehead, Garry	https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/resources/art-and-design/specifications/AQA-ART-SP-2015.PDF	9-1

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Business Studies	Edexcel	<p>Theme 1: Investigating Small Business 50% of GCSE – 1 hr 30 mins</p> <p>Theme 2: Building a Business 50% of GCSE – 1 hr 30 mins</p>	<p>Business Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Hodder Education ISBN 9781471899355</p>	<p>CGP GCSE Edexcel Business Grade 9-1 – The Revision Guide ISBN 9781782946908</p> <p>CGP GCSE Edexcel Business Grade 9-1 –Exam Practice Workbook ISBN 9781782946939</p> <p>(Both guides have been given to all students)</p>	<p>https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/business-2017.html</p>	9-1
Child Development	NCFE/cache	<p>Unit 1- Coursework format, title: Introduction to working with children aged 0-5 years.</p> <p>Unit2- Coursework format, title: Development and well being of 0-5 years olds.</p> <p>Unit3- Exam format, title: Scenario based short answer exam. 1hour 30 mins.</p>	<p>Award in Child Development and Care. Hodder Education ISBN9781510416529</p>		<p>https://ncfe//qualshyb/org.uk</p>	A*-D
Level 2 BTEC Sport	Pearson	<p>Unit 1: Fitness for Sport and Exercise EXAM Yr10</p>	<p>BTEC First Award Sport Student Book</p>	<p>EXAM ONLY BTEC First in Sport Revision Guide</p>	<p>https://www.topendsports.com/ https://www.brianmac.co.uk/</p>	Pass, Merit, Distinction & Distinction*

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	Unit 2: Practical Performance in Sport Yr9 Coursework Unit 3: Applying The Principles of Personal Training Yr11 Coursework Unit 6: Leading Sports Activities Yr10 Coursework	ISBN 9781446905555	ISBN 9781446906705 BTEC First in Sport Revision Workbook ISBN 9781446906712	https://www.teachpe.com/	
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Standard Equipment list required:

- An appropriate school bag big enough to carry an A4 folder
- Black Pens
- Red pens
- Pencils
- Scientific calculator
- Geometry set
- Ruler
- Rubber
- Sharpener