

# Subject Help and Advice

## Maths

### Exam syllabus: OCR GCSE Maths (9-1) J560

The maths course consists of three papers at the end of year 11. Each paper is equally weighted, there are 2 calculator papers and one non-calculator.

**Paper 1** (1hour 30 minutes): **Calculator** - Thursday 24th May

**Paper 2** (1hour 30 minutes): **Non-calculator** - Thursday 7th June

**Paper 3** (1hour 30 minutes): **Calculator** - Tuesday 12th June

The students will be entered for either Higher (grades 9-4) or Foundation (grades 5 – 1) depending on their ability.

### Revision materials and online resources

Departmental website: [stbedesmaths.weebly.com](http://stbedesmaths.weebly.com)

Revision site: [corbettmaths.com](http://corbettmaths.com)

#### Maths PIXL App

School login: SB2185

User ID: Surnameinitial e.g.  
HOWARDA

Password: User ID followed  
by 18 e.g. HOWARDA18



#### Mathswatch



<https://vle.mathswatch.co.uk>

UserID: Surnameinitial@SBCVA

Password: Stbedes17

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## English

### Exam syllabus: Eduqas GCSE English Language

The course consists of two papers at the end of year 11.

**Paper 1** (1hour 45 minutes): Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June

Reading section – 1 hour

- Read a page and a half of fiction
- Answer 6/7 questions on it

Writing section – 45 minutes

- Write a short story (approx. 2.5/3 sides)
- **16 out of 40 marks are given for SPAG.**

**Paper 2** (1hour 30 minutes): Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June

Reading section – 1 hour

- Read a page and a half of non-fiction
- Answer 6/7 questions on it

Writing section – 1 hour

- Write two texts from letters, speeches, magazine articles, reviews etc.
- **16 out of 40 marks are given for SPAG.**

## Revision materials and online resources

Departmental website: [stbedeseng.weebly.com/](http://stbedeseng.weebly.com/)

GCSE English Language Bitesize

GCSE WJEC Eduqas English Language CGP revision guides

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## Science

**Exam syllabus: AQA GCSE Combined Science: Trilogy 8464**

**Exam syllabus: AQA GCSE Biology 8461**

**Exam syllabus: AQA GCSE Chemistry 8462**

**Exam syllabus: AQA GCSE Physics 8463**

Each course consists of three papers and are equally weighted. The students will be entered for either Higher (grades 9-4) or Foundation (grades 5-1) depending on their ability.

Exam	Time	Content	Date
<b>Biology Paper 1</b>	Trilogy : 1hr 15 mins Triple: 1hr 45 mins	B1, B2, B3 & B4	Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> May
<b>Biology Paper 2</b>	Trilogy : 1hr 15 mins Triple: 1hr 45 mins	B5, B6 & B7	Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Chemistry Paper 1</b>	Trilogy : 1hr 15 mins Triple: 1hr 45 mins	C1, C2, C3, C4 & C5	Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> May
<b>Chemistry Paper 2</b>	Trilogy : 1hr 15 mins Triple: 1hr 45 mins	C6, C7, C8, C9 & C10	Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Physics Paper 1</b>	Trilogy : 1hr 15 mins Triple: 1hr 45 mins	P1, P2, P3 & P4	Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May
<b>Physics Paper 2</b>	Trilogy : 1hr 15 mins Triple: 1hr 45 mins	P5, P6 & P7 ( <b>P8 Triple only</b> )	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> June

## Revision materials and online resources

Departmental website: [saintbedesscience.weebly.com](http://saintbedesscience.weebly.com)

Password: sbscience

### Tassomai

<https://www.tassomai.com/login>

**User ID:** students school email address

**Password:** Password12



## German

### Exam syllabus: AQA GCSE German 8668

The German course consists of 4 core skills. Speaking, listening, reading and writing each accounting for 25% of the final grade.

The speaking exams will take place in the period between 9th April and 11th May, exact week yet to be determined.

**Paper 1** (35 minutes Foundation/45 minutes Higher) – German Listening - Monday 18th June

**Paper 2** (45 minutes Foundation/1hour Higher) – German Reading - Monday 18th June

**Paper 3** (1hour Foundation/ 1hour 15 minutes) – German Writing - Thursday 21st June

### Revision materials and online resources

Departmental website: <https://sites.google.com/site/stbedesyear11german/home>

Vocabulary acquisition: [www.kerboodle.com](http://www.kerboodle.com)

Recall: [www.memrise.com](http://www.memrise.com)

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## History

### Exam syllabus: AQA GCSE History (8145)

The History course consists of two papers which are equally weighted.

**Paper 1** (1hour 45 minutes) – Understanding the Modern World - Monday 4th June

**Section A:** Conflict and Tension 1918-1939

**Section B:** Germany 1890-1945- Democracy and Dictatorship

**Paper 2** (1 hour 45 minutes) – Shaping the Nation - Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June

**Section A:** Britain, Health & the People

**Section B:** Elizabethan England

### Revision materials and online resources

Departmental website: <https://sites.google.com/site/stbedesks4historyrevision/>

BBC GCSE Bitesize- Germany Unit- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/education/topics/zskcg82>

BBC GCSE Bitesize- Elizabeth Unit- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/education/topics/zxgvfrd>

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## Geography

### Exam syllabus: Edexcel GCSE Geography

The Geography course consists of three papers. Paper 1 and paper 2 exams are worth 37.5%, paper 3 is worth 25%.

**Paper 1** (1hour 30 minutes) – The Physical Environment - Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

**Section A:** The changing landscapes of the UK (Geology, Coasts, Rivers)

**Section B:** Weather hazards (inc. tropical cyclones & drought) and climate change

**Section C:** Ecosystems, biodiversity and management (TRF and DW)

**Paper 2** (1 hour 30 minutes) – The Human Environment - Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June

**Section A:** Changing cities (inc. Birmingham and Mexico City)

**Section B:** Global development (inc. India)

**Section C:** Resource management (Energy resource management)

**Paper 3** (1 hour 30 minutes) – Geographical Investigations and UK Challenges - Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June

**Section A:** Geographical investigations – physical environments (Coasts)

**Section B:** Geographical investigations – human environments (Rural Settlements - tourism)

**Section C:** UK challenges

### Revision materials and online resources

Departmental website:

<https://sites.google.com/site/stbedesks4geographyrevision123/home>

BBC GCSE Bitesize - <http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize/geography/>

S-cool revision\* - <http://www.s-cool.co.uk/gcse/geography>

Revision World\* - <http://revisionworld.com/gcse-revision/geography>

\*These 2 websites need students to register for free before using

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## Religious Studies

### Exam syllabus: Eduqas Religious Studies Route B

The Religious studies course consists of three papers. Paper 1 and paper 2 exams are worth 37.5%, paper 3 is worth 25%.

**Paper 1:** (1 hour 30 minutes) - Foundational Catholic Theology - Monday 14th May

Topic 1: Origins and Meanings

Topic 2: Good and Evil.

**Paper 2:** (1 hour 30 minutes) - Applied Catholic Theology – Wednesday 16th May

Topic 1: Life and Death

Topic 2: Sin and Forgiveness.

**Paper 3:** (1 hour) - Component 3: Study of a World Faith - Thursday 24th May

Topic: Judaism beliefs and practices.

### **Revision materials and online resources:**

Departmental Revision guide and work book (to be given out before February half term)

Revision Guide (Hodder) To be published March 2018

Departmental Website <https://sites.google.com/site/redepartmentbedes/>

Mr Macmillan You tube clips <https://www.youtube.com/user/MrMcMillanREvis>

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## **Art**

### **Exam syllabus: GCSE Art, Craft and Design**

The course is split into 40% exam project and 60% portfolio work.

### **Important dates and deadlines:**

10-hour exam: **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> and Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April**

### **Additional information:**

All preparatory work for the exam-project must be complete, mounted up and annotated, *before* the 10-hour exam period begins on the morning of Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> April. All prep work must be brought to the first session of the 10-hour exam period; it can be referred to during the exam but cannot be amended, added to or taken away again once the exam has started. Any forgotten work cannot be submitted late.

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## **Drama**

### **Exam syllabus: OCR GCSE Drama J316**

The Drama course consists of practical performances and exam:

- Devising Drama 30% (coursework)
- Presenting and Performing Texts 30% (practical exam with visiting examiner)
- Performance and Response 40% (written exam)

**Paper 1** (1 hour and 30 minutes) – Friday 18th May

### **Important dates and deadlines:**

Presenting and Performing Texts: Dress rehearsals on the night before the visit of the examiner (dates below). 3.15pm to 7pm.

Presenting and Performing Texts: Drama exam performance to external examiner will be on either the **6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> March (TBC)**

Performance and Response: Final Exam – **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May**

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## Revision materials and online resources

[www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize](http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize)

[www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com) (for Music and Drama performances)

<https://sites.google.com/stbedesscunthorpe.org.uk/performingarts> (school Performing Arts site)

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## Music

### Exam syllabus: Edexcel GCSE Music 1Mu0

The Music course consists of practical performances and exam:

- Performing 30%
- Composing 30%
- Appraising (exam) 40%.

**Paper 1** (1hour and 45 minutes) – Wednesday 6th June

### Important dates and deadlines:

Performance: **Monday 29<sup>th</sup> January**

Composition: **Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> February**

## Revision materials and online resources

[www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize](http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize)

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## PE

### Exam syllabus: AQA GCSE Physical Education 8582

The PE course consists of practical performances and exam.

- Practical 40%
- Exam 60% - 2 exams both equally weighted

**Paper 1** (1hour and 15 minutes) – Wednesday 16th May

**Paper 2** (1hour and 15 minutes) – Friday 18th May

### Important dates and deadlines:

Practical Moderation: **Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March**

Practical and coursework submission: **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February**

### Revision materials and online resources:

Google Classroom – revision resources and quizzes to assess knowledge

School website: Links to past papers

## Food Technology

### Exam syllabus: AQA Food preparation and nutrition 8585

Exam Is 50% and the controlled assessment coursework is 50%. (The coursework consists of 2 assignments and a 3-hour practical exam.

**Paper 1** (1hour and 45 minutes) – Thursday 14th June

#### Important dates and deadlines:

Practical exam (3 hours) **Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March**

Coursework deadline **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> April**

#### Revision materials and online resources

GCSE Bitesize, Food Technology App on Play store  
School website leaflet

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## Engineering

### Exam syllabus: Edexcel BTEC Level 1 and 2 in ENGINEERING

The Exam is worth 25% and 3 Units consisting 10 assignments all together are worth 75% of the overall assessment.

**Paper** (1hour) – Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> March

#### Important dates and deadlines:

Coursework deadline **Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March**

#### Revision materials and online resources

- BTEC ENGINEERING REVISION GUIDE
  - UNIT 1 ULTIMATE REVISION
  - YOUTUBE clips for UNIT 1 - This is a PowerPoint which has video links to areas covered on the UNIT 1 Exam.
  - School website leaflet
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## Technology – Product Design

### Exam syllabus: AQA GCSE Product Design 4555

Exam Is 40% and the controlled assessment coursework is 60%. (The coursework consists of a portfolio of work following the design process and a practical outcome. The exam duration is 2 hours.

**Paper** (2 hours) – Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June

#### Important dates and deadlines:

Hand in for practical **Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February**

Hand in for coursework **Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March**

#### Revision materials and online resources

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School website leaflet

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**NOTES:**