

25 September 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Firstly, we would like to share with you how proud we are of Year 11 upon their return to the Academy. Students are prepared for learning, engaging with lessons and motivated to achieve success. This is something we will continue to support students with as they move towards their GCSE journey.

To support students with their GCSE journey there are two aspects to this letter. Firstly, information about the Year 11 revision timetable that has begun. Secondly, links and information to revision books for all subjects.

To support students further we have put together a comprehensive after school intervention timetable for the school year. This will begin by focusing on students' option subjects, allowing them to recap any content covered during lockdown, as well as allowing time for coursework to take place. Option afterschool intervention will run from September until February half term.

Every week there will be 3 sessions for each student to attend. All sessions will take place within the Year 11 Pod, with their usual teaching group. If students are unsure which option block their subject is in they should ask their class teacher. All sessions will run from 3-4pm. Students should make their own way home either by foot or can be picked up by car on Greening Road.

With regards to the after school intervention there will be a rewards system in place. In addition to ERA points for attendance and participation with the relevant ERA rewards being provided, we are also holding a weekly raffle. When a student attends all 3 of their sessions each week they will be placed into a prize draw for a £10 voucher.

The timetable has been shared with students, but the allotted days are below:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Option B Subjects	Option C Subjects	Option A Subjects	Food Students
Music	Sports Studies	Computer Science	Food Group B
Photography	GCSE PE	IT	Food Group C
Product Design	Business	Drama	
Health & Social Care	Photography	Business VCert	
French	Dance	Ethics and Philosophy	
	Single Sciences	Single Sciences	
		Art	

Please find in the pages overleaf information and links for each subject for revision materials.

If you have any questions please email your student's form tutor in the first instance.

Yours faithfully



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Year 11 Revision Guide and Exam Board Information

Please find information regarding relevant revision and course books, as well as other information around revision for individual subjects below. If you have any specific questions please email your student's form tutor who can direct you to the Head of Department.

CORE SUBJECTS

English Literature - AQA

Literature Paper 1

Poetry Anthology: https://www.amazon.co.uk/GCSE-English-Literature-Poetry-Guide/dp/1782943617/ref=sr_1_1?crd=2D99LOD7G79P5&dchild=1&keywords=power+and+conflict+poetry+revision+guide&qid=1600512458&sprefix=power+and+%2Caps%2C303&sr=8-1

A Christmas Carol: https://www.amazon.co.uk/Grade-GCSE-English-Text-Guide/dp/1782943099/ref=sr_1_4?crd=11UYGU4JOIGF7&dchild=1&keywords=a+christmas+carol+gcse&qid=1600512578&sprefix=a+christmas+carol+%2Caps%2C280&sr=8-4

Literature Paper 2

Romeo and Juliet: https://www.amazon.co.uk/Grade-GCSE-English-Shakespeare-Guide/dp/1841461180/ref=sr_1_1?crd=39BQYSW91JZ0C&dchild=1&keywords=romeo+and+juliet+revision+guide+9-1&qid=1600512649&sprefix=romeo+and+ju%2Caps%2C183&sr=8-1

Unseen Poetry: https://www.amazon.co.uk/Grade-English-Literature-Unseen-Poetry/dp/1782943641/ref=sr_1_6?dchild=1&keywords=unseen+poetry+aqa+revision&qid=1600512740&sr=8-6

In addition to the above revision guides, the below links to revision cards are a great way to consolidate understanding of plot, character and theme as well as promote recall of key quotations.

Poetry Anthology: https://www.amazon.co.uk/New-9-1-GCSE-English-Anthology/dp/1789083699/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=cgp+acc+revision+cards&qid=1600513065&sr=8-1

A Christmas Carol: https://www.amazon.co.uk/New-Grade-9-1-GCSE-English/dp/1789083486/ref=rtpb_5/260-2440965-1020556?encoding=UTF8&pd_rd_i=1789083486&pd_rd_r=74d8e4ad-390e-4a3d-aada-55a0477a0df1&pd_rd_w=D2dj1&pd_rd_wg=64Fn9&pf_rd_p=efeabfe0-1c83-4a3f-b509-7abd424941d1&pf_rd_r=2PYKECG131GG8H015BW7&pvc=1&refRID=2PYKECG131GG8H015BW7

Romeo and Juliet: https://www.amazon.co.uk/New-Grade-GCSE-English-Shakespeare/dp/178908346X/ref=rtpb_4/260-2440965-1020556?encoding=UTF8&pd_rd_i=178908346X&pd_rd_r=58751b3a-b4bb-4773-a5db-1dba2896f20c&pd_rd_w=sblCB&pd_rd_wg=hggkc&pf_rd_p=efeabfe0-1c83-4a3f-b509-7abd424941d1&pf_rd_r=HPNF87PKQCMPB99BSDPD&pvc=1&refRID=HPNF87PKQCMPB99BSDPD

English Language - AQA

Language Paper 1 & Language Paper 2

https://www.amazon.co.uk/English-Language-Complete-Revision-Practice/dp/1782944141/ref=sr_1_6?crd=GUODLSEJGFVH&dchild=1&keywords=aqa+language+paper+1&qid=1600512812&sprefix=language+paper+1+%2Caps%2C167&sr=8-6

https://www.amazon.co.uk/New-Grade-GCSE-English-Shakespeare/dp/178908346X/ref=rtpb_4/260-2440965-1020556?encoding=UTF8&pd_rd_i=178908346X&pd_rd_r=58751b3a-b4bb-4773-a5db-1dba2896f20c&pd_rd_w=sblCB&pd_rd_wg=hggkc&pf_rd_p=efeabfe0-1c83-4a3f-b509-7abd424941d1&pf_rd_r=HPNF87PKQCMPB99BSDPD&psc=1&refRID=HPNF87PKQCMPB99BSDPD

Maths – AQA

Higher Tier Revision Guide

Product code: MQHR46 ISBN: 9781782943952

<https://www.cgpbooks.co.uk/secondary-books/gcse/maths/mqhr46-gcse-maths-aqa-revision-guide-higher-f>

Buy from Amazon on: https://www.amazon.co.uk/GCSE-Maths-AQA-Revision-Guide/dp/1782943951/ref=tmm_pap_swatch_0?encoding=UTF8&qid=&sr=

Higher Tier workbook

Product code: MXHW46 ISBN: 9781782944065

<https://www.cgpbooks.co.uk/secondary-books/gcse/maths/mqhw46-gcse-maths-aqa-workbook-higher-for-the>

Buy from Amazon on: [https://www.amazon.co.uk/GCSE-Maths-AQA-Workbook-](https://www.amazon.co.uk/GCSE-Maths-AQA-Workbook-Revision/dp/1782943978/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=9781782943976&qid=1600878162&s=books&sr=1-1)

[Revision/dp/1782943978/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=9781782943976&qid=1600878162&s=books&sr=1-1](https://www.amazon.co.uk/GCSE-Maths-AQA-Workbook-Revision/dp/1782943978/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=9781782943976&qid=1600878162&s=books&sr=1-1)

Foundation Tier Revision Guide

Product code: MQFR46 ISBN: 9781782943914

<https://www.cgpbooks.co.uk/secondary-books/gcse/maths/mqfr46-gcse-maths-aqa-revision-guide-foundation>

Buy from Amazon on: [https://www.amazon.co.uk/GCSE-Maths-AQA-Revision-Guide-](https://www.amazon.co.uk/GCSE-Maths-AQA-Revision-Guide-ebook/dp/B00UVLQTSK/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=ISBN%3A+9781782943914&qid=1600878495&s=books&sr=1-1)

[ebook/dp/B00UVLQTSK/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=ISBN%3A+9781782943914&qid=1600878495&s=books&sr=1-1](https://www.amazon.co.uk/GCSE-Maths-AQA-Revision-Guide-ebook/dp/B00UVLQTSK/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=ISBN%3A+9781782943914&qid=1600878495&s=books&sr=1-1)

Foundation Tier Workbook

Product code: MQFW46 ISBN: 9781782943921

<https://www.cgpbooks.co.uk/secondary-books/gcse/maths/mqfw46-gcse-maths-aqa-workbook-foundation-for>

Buy from Amazon on: [https://www.amazon.co.uk/GCSE-Maths-AQA-Workbook-](https://www.amazon.co.uk/GCSE-Maths-AQA-Workbook-Foundation/dp/1782943927/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=9781782943921&qid=1600878666&s=books&sr=1-1)

[Foundation/dp/1782943927/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=9781782943921&qid=1600878666&s=books&sr=1-1](https://www.amazon.co.uk/GCSE-Maths-AQA-Workbook-Foundation/dp/1782943927/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=9781782943921&qid=1600878666&s=books&sr=1-1)

Science – AQA

All science revision guides, both for combined science and single sciences (as part of your option block), are on the link below. Ensure you are aware if you are looking for foundation or higher books too. Ask your teacher if needed.

https://www.cgpbooks.co.uk/secondary-books/gcse/science?sort=best_selling&quantity=36&page=1&view=grid¤tFilter=ExamBoard_140&filter_exam%20board=ExamBoard_140

Geography – Eduqas

Geography revision guide: https://www.amazon.co.uk/My-Revision-Notes-Eduqas-Geography/dp/1471887375/ref=sr_1_3?dchild=1&keywords=eduqas+b+geography+gcse+revision&qid=1600957686&sr=8-3

Geography revision workbook: https://www.amazon.co.uk/WJEC-Eduqas-GCSE-Geography-Workbook/dp/1510453547/ref=sr_1_4?dchild=1&keywords=eduqas+b+geography+gcse+revision&qid=1600957686&sr=8-4

History - Edexcel

Paper 1: Western Front and Medicine https://www.amazon.co.uk/Pearson-Edexcel-Medicine-c1250presentPractice/dp/1292310162/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=edexcel+medicine+paper+1&qid=1600353458&sr=8-1

Paper 2: Revise GCSE Edexcel History Anglo-Saxon and Normans
https://www.amazon.co.uk/My-Revision-Notes-Anglo-Saxon-c1060-88/dp/1510403221/ref=sr_1_8?dchild=1&keywords=edexcel+history+gcse+9-1+anglo-saxon+revision&qid=1600353745&sr=8-8

Paper 3: Revise GCSE Edexcel History Russia and the Soviet Union
<https://www.amazon.co.uk/Revise-Edexcel-History-Revision-Workbook/dp/1292176431>

Revision APPS: PIXL History App, an interactive software which can be accessed through computers, tablets and smart phones. The software tests pupils' knowledge with a range of activities, from multiple choice testing to sequencing events in order.

Other Resources: History is one of the best resourced subjects, there are a range of textbooks to support the teaching of the course; as mentioned each unit has its own revision guide. On YouTube there are many GCSE specific documentaries and video clips which support our GCSE course. Finally the History Department has a vast amount of resources which are shared with pupils via Teams, Go4Schools and through email.

For more information and access to exam questions, schemes of learning and advice form the exam board please go to the Edexcel website - <https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/history-2016.html>

OPTION SUBJECTS

Computer Science

https://www.amazon.co.uk/Computer-Science-Complete-Revision-Practice/dp/1789085586/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=ocr+gcse+computer+science&qid=1600701599&sr=8-1

Information Technology (IT) – Cambridge National Qualification

https://www.amazon.co.uk/Revision-Notes-Certificate-Information-Technologies/dp/1510423281/ref=sr_1_7?dchild=1&keywords=cambridge+nationals+in+ICT&qid=1600701651&sr=8-7

Drama - AQA

https://www.amazon.co.uk/Grade-GCSE-Drama-Play-Guide/dp/1782949666/ref=sr_1_21?crd=3H816MAEH8S1&dchild=1&keywords=gcse+drama+revision+guide+s+2020&qid=1600438082&srefix=GCSE+drama%2Caps%2C139&sr=8-21#
https://www.amazon.co.uk/dp/1782949623/ref=emc_b_5_i

https://www.amazon.co.uk/Blood-Brothers-Methuen-Modern-Classics/dp/0413767701/ref=sr_1_1?crd=1JP7I19XEI42V&dchild=1&keywords=blood+brothers+willie+russell+book&qid=1600438467&srprefix=blood+brothers%2Caps%2C168&sr=8-1

Business VCertificate

https://www.amazon.co.uk/My-Revision-Notes-Technical-Enterprise/dp/1510474307/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=vcert+business&qid=1600699486&sr=8-1

Business GCSE

https://www.amazon.co.uk/My-Revision-Notes-GCSE-Business/dp/1510423699/ref=sr_1_3?dchild=1&keywords=ocr+gcse+business&qid=1600699443&sr=8-3

Ethics and Philosophy - AQA

https://www.amazon.co.uk/AQA-GCSE-Religious-Studies-Christianity/dp/0198422857/ref=sr_1_8?dchild=1&keywords=gcse+religious+education+buddhism+christianity+revison+BOOKS&qid=1600894418&sr=8-8

<https://www.cgpbooks.co.uk/secondary-books/gcse/humanities/religious-studies/racbf41-new-9-1-gcse-aqa-a-religious-studies-ch>

Sports Studies – Cambridge National Qualification

https://www.amazon.co.uk/My-Revision-Notes-Cambridge-National/dp/1510478582/ref=asc_df_1510478582/?tag=googshopuk-21&linkCode=df0&hvadid=430902675017&hvpos=&hvnetw=g&hvrnd=7348432533959914064&hvpone=&hvptwo=&hvqmt=&hvdev=c&hvdvcmdl=&hvlocint=&hvlocphy=1006967&hvtargid=pla-921226828212&psc=1&th=1&psc=1&tag=&ref=&adgrpid=101598703098&hvpone=&hvptwo=&hvadid=430902675017&hvpos=&hvnetw=g&hvrnd=7348432533959914064&hvqmt=&hvdev=c&hvdvcmdl=&hvlocint=&hvlocphy=1006967&hvtargid=pla-921226828212

GCSE PE - OCR

Exam question practice guide:

<https://www.cgpbooks.co.uk/secondary-books/gcse/physical-education/jrq41-gcse-physical-education-ocr-exam-practice>

Revision guide:

https://www.amazon.co.uk/My-Revision-Notes-OCR-GCSE/dp/1510405259/ref=asc_df_1510405259/?tag=googshopuk-21&linkCode=df0&hvadid=311004742540&hvpos=&hvnetw=g&hvrnd=156665686913184714&hvpone=&hvptwo=&hvqmt=&hvdev=c&hvdvcmdl=&hvlocint=&hvlocphy=1006967&hvtargid=pla-564285761005&psc=1&th=1&psc=1

Dance

GCSE Dance Revision Guide – Uploaded to all dance students on Go4Schools.

Links to professional works:

Emancipation of Expressionism: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p1thJqQrxYk>

Infra: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QUspTHgCtG0>

Artificial Things: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wNs8IpkQLmk>

A Linha Curva: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z_yqDn_20PQ

Shadows: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bHmICKqjzQU&index=8&list=PLBhgvcteMlthpNdpVUZjOMSoJxwSXS6l>

Within Her Eyes: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uvC58t5JwhM>

Music

<https://www.amazon.co.uk/Rhinegold-Education-Eduqas-Music-Revision/dp/1785582151>

Product Design - OCR

OCR GCSE (9-1) Design and Technology My Revision Notes ISBN 978-1-5104-3228-4

This book contains a full range of revision materials to support the preparation for the OCR GCSE (9-1) examination next summer.

We have been using this for initial revision topics, we are recommending this book to support learning – All learners have been issued a copy.

In addition we have issued all learners the course Text book containing NEA full guidance for completion and mark schemes

This book is also available through

www.hoddereducation.co.uk/myrevisionnotes

[https://www.hoddereducation.co.uk/subjects/art-design-technology/products/general/my-revision-notes-ocr-gcse-\(9-1\)-design-and-techn](https://www.hoddereducation.co.uk/subjects/art-design-technology/products/general/my-revision-notes-ocr-gcse-(9-1)-design-and-techn)

Health and Social Care

Revision guide for key skills and all essential content for the exam unit – plenty of knowledge checks and exam technique help throughout

https://www.amazon.co.uk/Revise-Award-Health-Social-Revision/dp/1292245611/ref=pd_bxgy_img_2/258-0651479-5398822?encoding=UTF8&pd_rd_i=1292245611&pd_rd_r=6f2f2fdf-69b6-4d25-aed0-e6ac1ee5c2b0&pd_rd_w=uGUG1&pd_rd_wg=HOJjh&pf_rd_p=dcf35746-0212-418b-a148-30395d107b2d&pf_rd_r=61277XVTK9DK6ZX2DFHF&pvc=1&refRID=61277XVTK9DK6ZX2DFHF

A guide for the exam component featuring practice assessments but less in terms of content to revise.

[https://www.amazon.co.uk/Revise-Health-Social-Practice-](https://www.amazon.co.uk/Revise-Health-Social-Practice-Assessments/dp/1292306998/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=health+and+social+care+BTEC+Component+3&qid=1600602384&sr=8-1)

[Assessments/dp/1292306998/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=health+and+social+care+BTEC+Component+3&qid=1600602384&sr=8-1](https://www.amazon.co.uk/Revise-Health-Social-Practice-Assessments/dp/1292306998/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=health+and+social+care+BTEC+Component+3&qid=1600602384&sr=8-1)

French

CGP General Revision for GCSE French (Edexcel) – includes CD for listening practice - £10.99

General Revision practice

CGP Exam Practice workbook – includes the answers to listening and reading papers as well as model answers for the writing paper at both tiers - £5.77

Exam Practice workbook

Edexcel Exam Practice workbook – specific to the board we are following - £5.99

Edexcel GCSE French Exam Practice workbook

Studio Edexcel Grammar and Translation Practice Booklet - £5.99

https://www.amazon.co.uk/Studio-Edexcel-Grammar-Translation-Workbook/dp/129213299X/ref=sr_1_7?dchild=1&keywords=studio+french&qid=1600403073&sr=8-7

Food

https://www.amazon.co.uk/s?k=ISBN%3A+9781471887000&i=stripbooks&ref=nb_sb_noss