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Year 11

GCSE

Revision support  
booklet

2026

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# Art

## Exams:

40% AQA Component 2 Fine Art (1 hour 45 minutes).

## Exam Board:

AQA

## Revision information:

AQA FINE ART

BBC BITESIZE

EXAMPLES



# Business Studies

## Exams:

Paper 1 (1 hour 45 minutes)

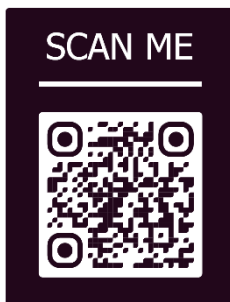
Paper 2 (1 hour 45 minutes)

## Exam Board:

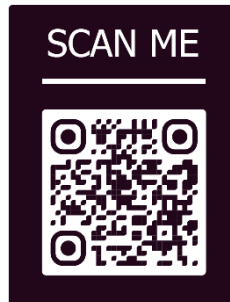
Edexcel

## Revision information:

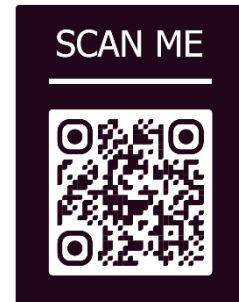
BBC Bitesize



YouTube



Past Papers



## Links

BBC Bitesize: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/z98snbk>

YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/@BusinessAsUsual>

Past Papers: <https://tinyurl.com/Business-Past-Papers>

# Computer Science

## Exams:

Paper 1 (1 hour 30 minutes)

Paper 2 (1 hour 30 minutes)

## Exam Board:

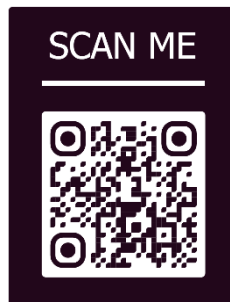
OCR

## Revision information:

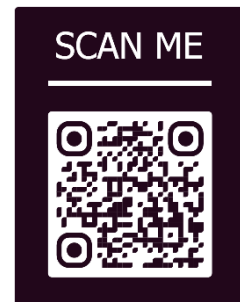
BBC Bitesize



ISAAC CS



Past Papers



## Links

BBC Bitesize: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zmtchbk>

Isaac: <https://isaacomputerscience.org/>

Past Papers: <https://tinyurl.com/Computer-Science-Past-Papers>

# English Language

## Exams:

Paper 1: Explorations in Creative Reading and Writing

1 hour 45 mins

Paper 2: Writers' Viewpoints and Perspectives

1 hour 45 mins

## Exam Board:

AQA

## Revision information:

Mr Bruff videos:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hMhQIX9DCcQ&list=PLqGFsWf-P-cAlttmXkEvJXCxgT-ZzFqAN>

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yKZ\\_Tr2Y-CE&list=PLqGFsWf-P-cB-GSeqYup7PXId4pbldQVg](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yKZ_Tr2Y-CE&list=PLqGFsWf-P-cB-GSeqYup7PXId4pbldQVg)

Use your class Padlet link to access more resources and revision tasks.

## Past Papers:

<https://www.savemyexams.com/gcse/english-language/aqa/past-papers/>

- A reminder that Paper 1: Q1, Q3 & Q4 and Paper 2: Q2 have changed slightly for the 2025 exam series. Please ensure that you are aware of these questions and use the advice given by your English teachers.

## Useful Study Guides:

CGP English Language

York Notes English Language

# English Literature

## **Exams:**

Paper 1: Shakespeare and the 19<sup>th</sup> Century Novel

1 hour and 45 mins

Paper 2: Modern Texts and Poetry

## **Exam Board:**

AQA

## **Revision information:**

Mr Bruff videos:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NmMAO82R8Cg&list=PLqGFsWf-P-cCMpq89C0yaU5scvuYiIKuL>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=de5NRZRZohE&list=PLqGFsWf-P-cBhNFidX59nQmTodoDmDQsh>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CtqICljZtcY&list=PLqGFsWf-P-cDvuiSH8SycEDh1Ugke9tmb>

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

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## **Past Papers:**

<https://www.savemyexams.com/gcse/english-literature/aqa/past-papers/>

## **Useful Study Guides:**

York Notes English Literature

CGP English Literature

# Food

**Exams:** Paper 1 (1 ½ hours)

**Exam Board:** OCR Food preparation and nutrition

**Revision information:**



## Interactive food book

This is interactive food book, includes really useful short video clips.

User name: **TBOLSOVER3**

Password: **S446XA3**



Click on  to watch the videos.



## BBC Bitesize

BBC Bitesize is free, reliable, and exam-board aligned. It breaks down topics into clear chunks with videos, quizzes, and summaries, making revision easier to understand and more engaging for students at home.

Ideal for:

- On the go
- Simple recall
- Short quizzes



## Seneca Learning

**Seneca** is a free online revision website and app that helps you revise for exams.

It teaches you topics in short sections and quizzes you straight away so the information sticks in your memory.

- On the go
- Simple recall
- Specification content



## OCR Assessment Resources

OCR Assessment Resources provide past papers, mark schemes, and examiner reports. These can be used to build confidence with timings (ideally 1 mark answered per minute), structuring answers and correct interpretation of command words.

Ideal for:

- Practising real exam questions
- Understanding what examiners look for
- Application of knowledge

# Geography

## Exams:

Paper 1 (88 marks - 1 ½ hours) – Physical Geography

Paper 2 (88 marks - 1 ½ hours) – Human Geography

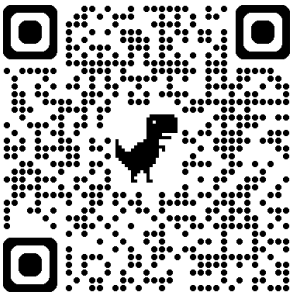
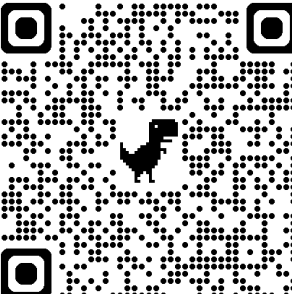
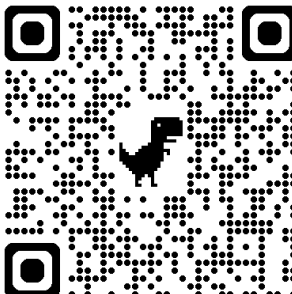
Paper 3 (76 marks - 1 ½ hours) – Issue Evaluation & Fieldwork

## Exam Board:

AQA

## Revision information:

- Use the TBS revision materials and knowledge organisers

YouTube Case Study Videos	YouTube Rivers Revision	BBC Bitesize
		

# Health & Social Care

## Exams:

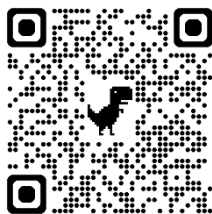
Paper 1: R032/01 Principles of care in health and social care settings

## Exam Board:

OCR – Cambridge National

## Revision information:

Paper Walk  
Throughs



R032  
YouTube



Quizlet

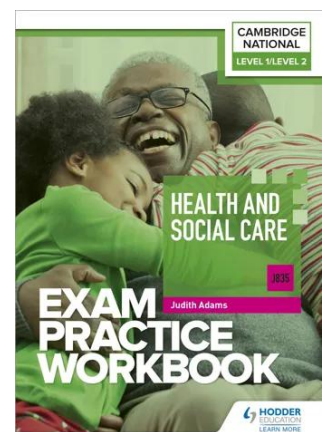


There is also the Teams channel with numerous resources in

11A – [General](#) | [11A/HS](#) | [Microsoft Teams](#)

11C - [General](#) | [11C/HS](#) | [Microsoft Teams](#)

Students already have a revision workbook and a knowledge organiser which covers the entire module being examined



# History

## Exams:

Paper 1: Medicine in Britain  
(1 hour & 20 minutes)

Paper 2: American West & Elizabethan England  
(1 hour & 55 minutes)

Paper 3: Weimar and Nazi Germany  
(1 hour & 30 minutes)

## Exam Board:

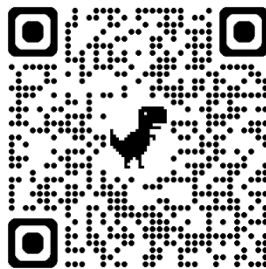
Edexcel

## Revision information:

Medicine  
Videos



Weimar & Nazi Germany  
videos



Elizabethan England  
podcasts



Elizabethan  
England videos



American  
West videos



WWI BBC Bitesize



Weimar & Nazi Germany  
podcasts



WWI  
videos



# Maths

## Exams:

Paper 1- Non Calculator 1 hour 30 minutes

Paper 2 Calculator 1 hour 30 minutes

Paper 3 Calculator 1 hour 30 minutes

## Exam Board:

Edexcel

## Revision information:

Best revision website

Math genie

Corbettmaths GCSE revision



Exam papers – maths genie



# Media Studies

## Exams:

Component 1 (1 hour 30 minutes)

Component 2 (1 hour 30 minutes)

## Exam Board:

Eduqas

## Revision information:

*A reminder that you are looking at revising for the 2026 exams.*

*Look at the set products and don't learn anything else – they are listed below.*

## Websites

Mrs Fisher	VIDEOS	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/@mrsfisher8961">https://www.youtube.com/@mrsfisher8961</a>
Media Insider	VIDEOS	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/@TheMediaInsider">https://www.youtube.com/@TheMediaInsider</a>
Eduqas	FACT SHEETS AND REVISION	<a href="https://resources.eduqas.co.uk/Pages/SearchResources.aspx">https://resources.eduqas.co.uk/Pages/SearchResources.aspx</a>
BBC Bitesize	INTERACTIVE	<a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/ztnygk7">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/ztnygk7</a>
Mastering Media	VIDEOS/ REVISION NOTES	<a href="https://www.masteringmedia.net/">https://www.masteringmedia.net/</a>
Seneca	INTERACTIVE	<a href="https://senecalearning.com/en-GB/blog/free-eduqas-media-studies-gcse-revision/">https://senecalearning.com/en-GB/blog/free-eduqas-media-studies-gcse-revision/</a>
GCSE Revision	VIDEOS	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/c/GCSEMediaRevision">https://www.youtube.com/c/GCSEMediaRevision</a>
Brainscape	INTERACTIVE	<a href="https://www.brainscape.com/packs/gcse-media-studies-19109906?origin=genome">https://www.brainscape.com/packs/gcse-media-studies-19109906?origin=genome</a>

Component	Area	Set Product(s) for 2026
C1A	Magazines	Vogue (Malala) GQ (Sterling)
C1A	Advertising	This Girl Can/ Quality Street
C1A	Film	The Man with the Golden Gun/ No Time to Die
C1A	Newspapers	The Guardian (Boris) / The Sun (Jabs Army)
C1B	Newspapers Industry	The Sun
C1B	Radio	The Archers
C2A	TV Crime Drama	Luther – S1E1
C2B	Music Videos & Online Media	Taylor Swift – The Man Stormzy – Superheroes <a href="http://www.taylorswift.com">www.taylorswift.com</a> <a href="http://www.stormzy.com">www.stormzy.com</a>

# Sports Studies

**Exams:** R184 – Contemporary issues in sport

**Paper 1** – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May – am (1 hour and 15 minutes)

**Exam Board:** OCR - Cambridge National Sports Studies

**Revision information:**

<https://pages.theeverlearner.com/hubfs/2024-revision/revision-notes/summer-2024-cnat-r184-revision-notes-v2.pdf>

<https://quizlet.com/gb/866788671/sports-studies-r184-exam-prep-flash-cards/>

# Science (Combined)

## Exams: (all 1.25 hours)

Biology Paper 1 (12<sup>th</sup> May pm)

Biology Paper 2 (8<sup>th</sup> June am)

Chemistry Paper 1 (18<sup>th</sup> May am)

Chemistry Paper 2 (12<sup>th</sup> June am)

Physics Paper 1 (2<sup>nd</sup> June am)

Physics paper 2 (15<sup>th</sup> June am)

## Exam Board:

AQA

## Revision information:

BBC Bitesize

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/z8r997h>



Save Mr Exams

<https://www.savemyexams.com/gcse/science/aqa/combined-science-trilogy/16/>



Free Science Lessons

<https://www.youtube.com/@Freesciencelessons>

Trilogy Assessment Resources

<https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/science-8464/assessment-resources>



# Science (Triple)

## Exams: (All 1.75 hours)

Biology Paper 1 (12<sup>th</sup> May pm)

Chemistry Paper 1 (18<sup>th</sup> May am)

Physics Paper 1 (2<sup>nd</sup> June am)

Biology Paper 2 (8<sup>th</sup> June am)

Chemistry Paper 2 (12<sup>th</sup> June am)

Physics paper 2 (15<sup>th</sup> June am)

## Exam Board:

AQA

**Revision information:** (see combined science also)



BBC Bitesize Biology

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zpgcbk7>



BBC Bitesize Chemistry

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/z8xtmnb>



BBC Bitesize Physics

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zsc9rdm>

# Music

## Exams:

Listening paper 1hr 15 min

## Exam Board:

Eduqas

## Revision information:

BBC Bitesize – Eduqas GCSE

Music



Eduqas revision resources



Africa You tube analysis



Bach You tube analysis



# French

## Exams:

Listening Paper (45 mins Foundation, 60 mins Higher)

Speaking Paper (7-9 mins Foundation, 10-12 mins Higher)

Reading Paper (45 mins Foundation, 60 mins Higher)

Writing Paper (1h15m Foundation, 1h20m Higher)

## Exam Board:

Edexcel

## Revision Information:

All of the links below require the password **bolsover**

Listening:



Speaking:



Reading:



Writing:



Grammar:



Full Padlet:



# German

## Exams:

Listening Paper (45 mins Foundation, 60 mins Higher)

Speaking Paper (7-9 mins Foundation, 10-12 mins Higher)

Reading Paper (45 mins Foundation, 60 mins Higher)

Writing Paper (1h15m Foundation, 1h20m Higher)

## Exam Board:

Edexcel

## Revision Information:

All of the links below require the password **bolsover**

Listening:



Speaking:



Reading:



Writing:



Grammar:



Full Padlet:



# Design Technology

## Exams:

Paper 1 (2 hours)

## Exam Board:

AQA

## Revision information:



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- Application of knowledge

## Student-recommended revision apps:

Quizlet



Seneca



Kahoot



Gojimo



Gizmo



Tried and tested applications that provide simple revision material and short quizzes with immediate feedback.

Newer, AI-powered revision tools – why not give them a try and let us know your experience!

# Drama

## Exam board AQA

### Component 1 – Written Examination 40%

#### Section A multiple choice- Theatre roles and terminology

- Types of staging
- Roles in the theatre
- Stage Positions
- Terminology

#### Section B – Study of set text

- Blood Brothers – reread the text- revise the following questions
- 4 marker - design
- 8 marker – one line
- 12 marker- shaded part of the extract
- 20 marker – extract and play as a whole

#### Section C – Live theatre production

Billy Elliot the musical LIVE

- Rewatch the performance
- 32 marker – mock questions
- Focus ON
- Set
- Costume
- Actor

### Component 2 – Devising – 40%

- Complete Devising Log and CRF form – send to Mrs Lyne

### Component 3- Scripted- 20%

- Pick a play/ 2 extracts / learn your lines. Examiner to be confirmed
- Technical rehearsal day WC 16<sup>th</sup> March
- Examiner WC 23<sup>rd</sup> March TBC
- Complete Statement of Intentions and send to Mrs Lyne prior to the examiner visit

## Revision information:

- CGP Drama GCSE
- CGP Blood Brothers
- BBC Bitesize Drama
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zrnjwty>
- Past Papers AQA
- <https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/drama/gcse/drama-8261/assessment-resources?page=3>
- Ensure all homework is completed and deadlines are met.

	Week 1			Week 2		
	Before school 8am	Lunch 12:15 – 12:55pm	After school 3:00 – 4:00pm	Before school 8am	Lunch 12:15 – 12:55pm	After 3:00 – 4:00pm
<b>Monday</b>		Drama Food Prep & Nutrition Textiles			Drama Food Prep & Nutrition Textiles	
<b>Tuesday</b>		Drama Path to Pass Geography Food Prep & Nutrition Textiles Art	History Geography (levels 5-9) Computer Science Business Studies Art Food Prep & Nutrition		Drama Textiles Art	Computer Science  Science
<b>Wednesday</b>		Music Food Prep & Nutrition Textiles Art	Geography Music Art		Music Food Prep & Nutrition Textiles Art	English
<b>Thursday</b>		Drama Food Prep & Nutrition Textiles Art	Health and Social Care MFL CNAT Sports Studies Design and Technology Further Maths Drama		Drama Food Prep & Nutrition Textiles Chemistry Art	Maths Further Maths
<b>Friday</b>	English Breakfast Club	Food Prep & Nutrition Textiles	History Geography (levels 5-9)	English Breakfast Club	Food Prep & Nutrition Textiles	History  Geography (levels 5-9)