



## Year 12 Exams – Overview – May 2024

Subject	Test Format	Test Topics	How to Revise
English Literature	Three essay-based exams- Love Through The Ages	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Gatsby/Poetry (open book)</li><li>▪ Othello (closed book)</li><li>▪ Unseen poetry</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Re-read the texts</li><li>▪ Practise essay writing skills</li><li>▪ Comparison tables of poetry and Gatsby</li><li>▪ E-Mag</li><li>▪ Massolit</li><li>▪ Course handbook</li><li>▪ Revision guides</li></ul>
Maths	1x Pure paper (1 hour10 mins)  1x Applied paper comprising of Statistics and Mechanics (1 hour 10 mins)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Pure – All topics from Pure 1 except Chapter 14 (Exponentials and Logarithms)</li><li>▪ Applied – All topics from Statistics and Mechanics 1</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Complete questions from mixed exercises in the text- books.</li><li>▪ Complete past papers under timed conditions</li><li>▪ Use the following websites to practise past exam questions:</li><li>▪ Maths Genie</li><li>▪ Physics and Maths tutor</li><li>▪ Exam solutions</li></ul>
Further Maths	1x Further Core paper (1 hour 10 mins)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Further Core 1 – All topics from Pure 1</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Complete questions from mixed exercises in the text- books.</li><li>▪ Complete past papers under timed conditions</li><li>▪ Use the following websites to practise past exam questions:</li><li>▪ Maths Genie</li><li>▪ Physics and Maths tutor</li></ul>



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Biology	AS Exam – Breadth AS Exam – Depth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Module 1: Development of practical skills in biology</li><li>▪ Module 2: Foundations in biology</li><li>▪ Module 3: Exchange and transport</li><li>▪ Module 4: Biodiversity, evolution and disease</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Practise questions from the textbook</li><li>▪ Past papers from Physics and Maths Tutor</li></ul>
Chemistry	AS Exam – Breadth AS Exam – Depth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Module 1 – Development of practical skills in chemistry</li><li>▪ Module 2 – Foundations in chemistry</li><li>▪ Module 3 – Periodic table and energy</li><li>▪ Module 4 – Core organic chemistry</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Practise questions from the textbook</li><li>▪ Past papers from Physics and Maths Tutor</li></ul>
Physics	AS Exam – Breadth AS Exam – Depth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Module 1: Development of practical skills in physics</li><li>▪ Module 2: Foundations in physics</li><li>▪ Module 3: Forces and motion</li><li>▪ Module 4: Electrons, waves and photons</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Practise questions from the textbook</li><li>▪ Past papers from Physics and Maths Tutor</li></ul>
Geography	3 x 40 minute papers, no more than 30 marks per paper.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ A combination of AS and A level questions on Tectonics, Coasts, Globalisation and Regenerating Places.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Your course file of notes.</li><li>▪ Your textbook.</li><li>▪ Practise paragraph planning and essay writing in timed conditions.</li><li>▪ Hodder Revision Notes</li><li>▪ Hodder Student Guides</li><li>▪ Hodder Workbooks</li></ul>



			<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Seneca.</li></ul>
History	Paper 1 – 1 hour 30 minutes [Sections A & B]  Paper 2 – 1 hour 30 minutes [Sections A & B]	Paper 1 - USA 1917-1980: In Search of the American Dream Theme 1: The changing political environment, 1917–80 Theme 2: The quest for civil rights, 1917–80 Theme 3: Society and culture in change, 1917–80  Paper 2 - South Africa, 1948–94: from apartheid state to ‘rainbow nation’ 1. The response to apartheid, c1948–59 2. Radicalisation of resistance and the consolidation of National Party power, 1960–68 3. Redefining resistance and challenges to National Party power, 1968–83	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Complete the knowledge-based checklists for Paper 1 and Paper 2 in your course guides [x2].</li><li>▪ Use classwork, knowledge tests and revision activities we have completed to revise content.</li><li>▪ Use the planning grids to complete past paper questions and practice questions, listed in the question banks in your course guides. Past papers can also be found on the exam board website.</li><li>▪ All lesson and revision resources can be found in our class team in Teams.</li><li>▪ Further resources and revision can be found at <a href="http://www.klshistory.co.uk">www.klshistory.co.uk</a></li></ul>
French	2 x end of unit test paper. 2 x grammar paper 2 x translation tasks 1 x speaking practice assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Unit assessments for unit 3 and unit 6.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Your course notes</li><li>▪ Past papers</li><li>▪ Exercises on Boost Learning</li></ul>



Spanish	2 x end of unit test paper. 2 x grammar paper 2 x translation tasks 1 x speaking practice assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Unit assessments for unit 3 and unit 6.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Your course notes</li> <li>▪ Past papers</li> <li>▪ Exercises on Boost Learning</li> </ul>
Drama	1 Paper – 2 hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Section A:</b> One question on Accidental death of an Anarchist</li> <li>▪ <b>Section C:</b> One question on Live Theatre</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Folders and class notes</li> <li>▪ Teams files section for revision resources (class PowerPoints and notes)</li> <li>▪ Reread set text</li> <li>▪ Read theatre reviews</li> <li>▪ Practice questions and key paragraphs</li> <li>▪ Character studies</li> <li>▪ Key moments - notes</li> </ul>
PE	x3 Exam Papers 60 Minutes each 60 marks each	<p><b>Paper 1 – Mr Benson</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Cardiovascular and Respiratory Systems, Muscular System, Skeletal System, Diet and Nutrition, Preparation and Training Methods</li> </ul> <p><b>Paper 2 – Mr Higgins</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Skill Acquisition - Classifications of skills, types and methods of practice, transfer of skills, Principles and theories of learning movement skills, stages of learning, guidance and feedback</li> </ul> <p><b>Paper 3 – Mr Annett</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Sport and Society (all 4 time frames)</li> <li>▪ Global sporting events (Olympic Games, Political exploitation and Hosting global sporting events)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Folders – class notes</li> <li>▪ Flash Cards/Mind Maps/Brain dumps</li> <li>▪ Youtube – <i>WannaTeachPE, Everlearner, The PE Tutor</i></li> <li>▪ Class PowerPoints (on TEAMS)</li> <li>▪ Class Notebook – Skill Acquisition</li> </ul>



Product Design	1 Paper 2 hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Materials, processes, key design movements, form vs function, manufacturing strategies, six sigma, quality control and consumer rights.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Folders – Class notes</li> <li>▪ Flash Cards/Mind Maps/Brain dumps</li> <li>▪ Class powerpoints (on TEAMS)</li> <li>▪ Edexcel revision guide</li> <li>▪ Past exam papers</li> </ul>
Business	x2 Exam Papers 90 mins	<p><u>Paper 1 and Paper 2:</u> All content from</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ What is business?</li> <li>▪ Managers, leadership and decision making</li> <li>▪ Decision making to improve marketing performance</li> <li>▪ Decision making to improve operational performance</li> <li>▪ Decision making to improve financial performance</li> <li>▪ Decision making to improve human resource performance</li> <li>▪ Analysing the strategic position of a business</li> <li>▪ Choosing strategic direction</li> <li>▪ Strategic methods: how to pursue strategies</li> <li>▪ Managing strategic change</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Folders – class notes</li> <li>▪ Flash cards</li> <li>▪ Mind maps</li> <li>▪ Tutor2u</li> <li>▪ Past exam papers</li> <li>▪ Worksheets on TEAMS</li> <li>▪ 24 revision pack</li> <li>▪ 24 models pack</li> <li>▪ Mark structure revision guide</li> </ul>
Computer Science	1 Exam paper 90 Minutes	<p><u>Component 2:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <u>Algorithms and Problem solving</u></li> <li>▪ <u>2.1.1 Thinking Abstractly</u></li> <li>▪ <u>2.1.2 Thinking Ahead</u></li> <li>▪ <u>2.1.3 Thinking Procedurally</u></li> <li>▪ <u>2.1.4 Thinking Logically</u></li> <li>▪ <u>2.2.1 Programming Techniques</u></li> <li>▪ <u>2.2.2 Software Development</u></li> <li>▪ <u>2.3.1 Algorithms</u></li> </ul>	<p>Revision Resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Teams / Classroom [Lesson presentations]</li> <li>▪ Teams / Assignments / OCR Computer Science Revision Check List</li> <li>▪ <u>Ada Computer Science</u></li> <li>▪ <u>Teach-ICT OCR H446 A level Syllabus</u></li> <li>▪ (Login: username: SE41LE password: Gateway2)</li> </ul>



PRE	3 exam papers 1hr 20 minutes each	<p><u>Paper 1 Philosophy of religion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Ancient philosophical influences</li><li>▪ Soul, mind, and body</li><li>▪ Arguments based on observation</li><li>▪ Arguments based on reason</li><li>▪ Religious experience</li></ul> <p><u>Paper 2 Developments in Christian thought</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Knowledge of God's existence</li><li>▪ Christian moral principles</li><li>▪ Christian moral action</li></ul> <p><u>Paper 3 Religious Ethics</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Natural Law</li><li>▪ Situation ethics</li><li>▪ Kantian ethics</li><li>▪ Utilitarianism</li><li>▪ Euthanasia</li><li>▪ Business ethics</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Class notes</li><li>▪ Textbook and Revision guides (available in G107)</li><li>▪ Mind maps/flash cards/posters</li><li>▪ <a href="https://www.massolit.io/subjects/philosophy">https://www.massolit.io/subjects/philosophy</a></li><li>▪ <a href="https://georgeteaches.simplero.com/">https://georgeteaches.simplero.com/</a></li><li>▪ Exam papers <a href="https://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/as-and-a-level/religious-studies-h173-h573-from-2016/assessment/">https://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/as-and-a-level/religious-studies-h173-h573-from-2016/assessment/</a></li></ul>
Economics	X1 paper (theme 1 and theme 2) 100 minutes	<p>Theme 1:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ All content</li></ul> <p>Theme 2:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ All content</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Folders – class notes</li><li>▪ Flash cards</li><li>▪ Mind maps</li><li>▪ Tutor2u</li><li>▪ <a href="#">Jacob Clifford - YouTube</a></li><li>▪ <a href="#">EconplusDal - YouTube</a></li></ul>



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Politics	<p>Paper 1 – 1 hour 30 minutes [Q1a or Q1b source question &amp; Q2a or Q2b non-source question]</p> <p>Paper 2 – 1 hour 30 minutes [Q1a or Q1b source question &amp; Q2a or Q2b non-source question]</p>	<p>Paper 1 Section A: Political Participation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Democracy and participation</li><li>▪ Political parties</li><li>▪ Electoral systems</li><li>▪ Voting behaviour and the role of the media.</li></ul> <p>Paper 2 Section A: UK Government</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ The constitution</li><li>▪ Parliament</li><li>▪ [UNITS 3&amp;4 NOT TESTED]</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Complete the knowledge-based checklists for Paper 1 and Paper 2 in your course guide.</li><li>▪ Use our knowledge tests for each topic and your textbook to revise content.</li><li>▪ Use the planning grids to complete past paper questions and practise questions, listed in the question banks in your course guide. Past papers can also be found on the exam board website.</li><li>▪ All lesson and revision resources can be found in our class team in Teams.</li><li>▪ Further resources and revision can be found at <a href="http://www.klshistory.co.uk">www.klshistory.co.uk</a>, <a href="http://www.Tutor2U.co.uk">www.Tutor2U.co.uk</a> as well as the A Level Politics Show podcast series.</li></ul>
Psychology	<p>Paper 1 – 1 hour Paper 2 – 1 hour Paper 3 – 1hour</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Paper 1 – Social Influence and Memory (1 hour)</li><li>▪ Paper 2 – Attachment and Approaches (1 hour)</li><li>▪ Paper 3 – Research Methods (1hour)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Folders – class notes</li><li>▪ Flash Cards/Mind Maps – memorise</li><li>▪ Past paper practise to test memory and practise exam technique <a href="https://www.aqa.org.uk/find-past-papers-and-mark-schemes">https://www.aqa.org.uk/find-past-papers-and-mark-schemes</a></li><li>▪ Lesson power point slides on Teams</li><li>▪ Textbook</li></ul>



Sociology	Paper 1 – 1.5 hours Paper 2 – 1.5 hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Paper 1 – Education (1.5 hours)</li><li>▪ Paper 2 – Methods in Context (30 mins)</li><li>▪ Families and Households (1 hour)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Folders – class notes</li><li>▪ Flash Cards/Mind Maps – memorise</li><li>▪ Past paper practise to test memory and practise exam technique <a href="https://www.aqa.org.uk/find-past-papers-and-mark-schemes">https://www.aqa.org.uk/find-past-papers-and-mark-schemes</a></li><li>▪ Lesson power point slides on Teams</li><li>▪ Textbook</li><li>▪ <a href="https://revisesociology.com">https://revisesociology.com</a></li></ul>
Art	There are no written exams A level Art as it is examined entirely through a Non-Examined Assessment (similar to old-style coursework) which students complete over the two-year course.		
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