

GCSE ASSESSMENTS AND KEY DATES

2022 – 2023

Please note that these dates are provisional. Parents should regularly check the school calendar or weekly bulletin or contact departments to confirm details if required.

BUSINESS & ECONOMICS

Assessments at the end of each unit and assessments during the mock exam period.

DRAMA

Y11

Technical and Dress rehearsals: Thursday 29th September 2022 All Day

Assessed Performance and Moderation: Friday 30th September 2022 All Day

Devised Performance Written Coursework deadline: Friday 6th January 2023

Y10

Dress rehearsals: Summer term 2023 Dates TBC

Assessed Performance and Moderation: Summer term 2023 Dates TBC

Component three – Texts in Practice – NEA – 30% of Final Grade

Y11

Technical and Dress Rehearsals x 2 days: week commencing Monday 27th March 2023 (TBC by AQA)

Performance assessed by External Examiner: week commencing Monday 27th March 2023 (TBC by AQA)

ENGINEERING

Y10 Engineering 1/2 – Unit 1

May 2023 Unit 1 Evidence portfolio hand in

Y11 Engineering BTEC – Component 3

Y10 WJEC Engineering Award 1/2 – Unit 1

May 2023 Unit 1 Evidence portfolio hand in

Y11 WJEC Engineering Award 1/2 – Unit 2

May 2023 Unit 2 Evidence Portfolio hand in

Y11 WJEC Engineering Award 1/2 – Unit 3

June 2023

Unit 3 Exam

ENGLISH

Y10

Week Commencing Monday 26th September 2022	Y10 English Literature Paper (Unseen Poetry)
Week Commencing Monday 28th November 2022	Y10 English Literature (Modern Text) Paper 2
Week Commencing Monday 6th February 2023	Y10 English Language Test: Paper 2 Section A
Week Commencing Monday 20th March 2023	Y10 Trial Exams

Y11

Week Commencing January 23 16 th OR 23 rd January	Y11 Shakespeare
Week Commencing Monday 20 th February	Y11 Trial Exam
March onward timed essay in class	

GEOGRAPHY

The original fieldwork requirements for GCSE Geography have been changed by OFQUAL due to the COVID-19 pandemic. However, there may still be some opportunities to complete fieldwork exercises during this academic year. Dates to be confirmed.

HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE

Y10 Component 1

Controlled assessment each worth 30% of the final grade.

Component 1: Human Lifespan	To be completed by May 2023
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Y11 Component 2

Controlled assessment each worth 30% of the final grade.

Component 2: Health and Social Care Services and Values	To be completed by May 2023
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Component 3:

Health and Wellbeing	2-hour external exam worth 40% of the final grade. The exam is A written synoptic and incorporates content from component 1 and 2. The exam is February 2023 (exact date to be confirmed).
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HISTORY

Y10

Ongoing small assessments throughout the year.

Y11

Week commencing Monday 14th November: **Trial Exam**

Paper 1: Understanding the Modern World:
Germany 1890-1945: Democracy and Dictatorship,
Conflict and Tension 1945-1972

Week commencing Monday 20th February: **Trial Exam**

Paper 2: Shaping the Nation:
Health and the People c1000 – present and
Elizabethan England 1568 – 1603

May/June 2023: Formal GCSE Examinations: Paper 1 and Paper 2.

MATHEMATICS

Y10

Thursday 13 th October 2022	Maths assessment
Thursday 8 th December 2022	Maths assessment
Thursday 2 nd February 2023	Maths assessment
Thursday 22 nd June 2023	Maths assessment

Y11

Friday 30th September 2022 Maths assessment

MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Y10

Week Commencing Monday 10 th October 2022	Y10 Reading/Writing Assessment
Week Commencing Monday 5 th December 2022	Y10 Listening/Writing Assessment
2 weeks Commencing Monday 6 th March 2023	Y10 Speaking Mock Exams
2 weeks Commencing Monday 20 th March 2023	Y10 Reading, Listening and Writing Exams

Y11

Week commencing Monday 31 st October 2022	Y11 Speaking Exams
2 weeks commencing 30 January 2023	Y11 Speaking Exams

MUSIC

Y10

Week Commencing Monday 5th June 2023: Composition Coursework
Deadline composition 1: Friday 23rd June 2023

Y11

Week Commencing Monday 9th January 2023 Composition Coursework
Week Commencing Monday 30th January 2023 Performance Recordings
Deadline for BOTH compositions: Friday 31st March 2023

PHOTOGRAPHY

September - December 2022 Project for Coursework 60% overall grade.

January 2022 - April 2023
in exam conditions.

Exam unit 40% of grade including 10 hours-controlled assessment

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100% Exam

Y10

Assessments completed at the end of each rotation (two in total for the year)

Y11

Week commencing Monday 14th November

Trial exam

Paper 2: Thematic studies
Religion and life
Relationships and families
Crime and punishment
Human rights and social justice

Week commencing Monday 20th February

Trial exam

Paper 1: Beliefs, teachings and practices

May 2023: **Formal GCSE Examinations:** Paper 1 and Paper 2

SCIENCE

Assessments at the end of each unit and assessments during the mock exam period.

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE:

YEAR 10 Information Evening
YEAR 10 Parents Evening

Tuesday 13th September 2022
Thursday 23rd February 2023

YEAR 11 Information Evening
YEAR 11 Parents Evening
YEAR 11 Certificate Evening
YEAR 11 Revision Evening

Thursday 29th September 2022
Thursday 20th October 2022
Thursday 8th December 2022
Wednesday 8th March 2023

YEAR 10 Review 1
YEAR 10 Review 2
YEAR 10 Review 3

Week Commencing Monday 7th November 2022
Week Commencing Monday 16th January 2023
Week Commencing Monday 29th May 2023

YEAR 11 Review 1
YEAR 11 Review 2
YEAR 11 Review 3

Week Commencing Monday 3rd October 2022
Week Commencing Monday 2nd January 2023
Week Commencing Monday 27th March 2023

YEAR 10 Trial Examinations
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Monday 16th January 2023 to Friday 20th January 2023
Monday 20th March 2023 to Friday 31st March 2023

YEAR 11 Trial Examinations	Monday 14 th November 2022 to Friday 25 th November 2022
YEAR 11 Trial Examinations	Monday 20 th February 2023 to Friday 3 rd March 2023
Year 11 External Examinations	Monday 15 th May 2023 to Friday 26 th May 2023
Year 11 External Examinations	Monday 5 th June 2023 to Friday 23 rd June 2023
YEAR 10 Work Experience	Monday 26 th June 2023 to Friday 7 th July 2023
YEAR 11 Prom	To be advised nearer summer 2023
KES Sports Day 2023	Friday 7 th July 2023
GCSE Results Day 2023	To be advised nearer summer 2023