

Revision Guides for Key Stage 4



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The following revision guides have been recommended by departments.

If you have any doubts about which guide to purchase please ask your child to see their subject teacher.

Subject	Guides	Available from Department
Art, Photography, Graphic Communication and Textiles 3D Design	In Art and Design, staff will advise and guide students with regard to specific publications, websites, exhibitions etc. that link directly to the students GCSE coursework and examination unit.	
Computing iMedia	All students will be provided with a revision guide where necessary and other resources for the Computer Science course.	Yes
Drama	<p>AQA GCSE DRAMA STUDENT BOOK (Revised Edition) Publisher: Illuminate, Annie Fox Price: £24.99 ISBN: 9781912820504</p> <p>NOUGHTS & CROSSES PLAY GUIDE FOR AQA GCSE DRAMA Publisher: Illuminate Annie Fox Price: £13.99 ISBN: 9781912820511</p>	
Engineering	<p>In Engineering we provide revision guides/student guides in lessons however if any student would like to purchase their own copy they can do so through Amazon / Illuminate publishers.</p> <p>WJEC Level 1/2 Vocational Award Engineering (Technical Award) Student Book: Revised Edition (Autumn 2023) Publisher - Illuminate, Price £24.99</p>	

English	<p>We will be giving ALL Y11's a free general study guide using our Covid Catch-Up funding.</p> <p>The guides that students can buy through Parent Pay will all be for GCSE Literature: Macbeth, Romeo and Juliet, The Sign of Four, Jekyll and Hyde, Frankenstein, Power and Conflict Poetry, An Inspector Calls, Lord of the Flies.</p>	Yes
Food Preparation & Nutrition.	Students will be provided with a GCP FP&N Revision Guide, but they are welcome to refer to other publications as well.	
Geography	<p>In recent years, we have supplied all students with revision guides that they can take home to use. If you wish to buy any further revision guides, please ensure they are for the "GCSE AQA Geography Grades 1-9" specification. You can check with your teacher if the guide you are going to purchase is suitable.</p>	<p>Revision guides can be purchased through ParentPay and then collected from the Humanities Office.</p>
Health & Social Care	<p>BTEC Health and Social Care Exam Board Pearson/Edexcel</p> <p>Revision guides are available from the exam board website but may be available from other providers such as CGP books.</p> <p>New BTEC Tech Award in Health & Social Care: Revision Guide</p> <p>ISBN: 9781789089097</p> <p>Guide price £6.50</p>	

<p>History</p>	<p>We recommend the following revision guides for GCSE History:</p> <p>CGP Grade 9-1 GCSE History AQA Topic Guide – Conflict and Tension Between East and West, 1945-1972</p> <p>CGP Grade 9-1 GCSE History AQA Topic Guide – Germany, 1890-1945: Democracy and Dictatorship</p> <p>Oxford AQA GCSE History (9-1)- Britain: Migration, Empires and the People c. 790- Present Day</p> <p>Oxford AQA GCSE History (9-1)- Elizabethan England, c. 1569-1603</p>	
<p>Languages</p> <p>French</p> <p>German</p> <p>Spanish</p>	<p>Students are following the AQA 9-1 GCSE course in Spanish, French, German. They will sit either all Higher or all Foundation exams in listening, reading, speaking and writing. We highly recommend the following revision guides which are available to buy from Parent Pay at £6.20 for both books, and can be collected from the Languages Office.</p> <p>GCP GCSE French (9-1) The Revision Guide. 978-1-78294-537-6</p> <p>GCP GCSE French (9-1) Exam Practice Workbook 978-1-78294-538-3</p> <p>GCP GCSE Spanish (9-1) The Revision Guide 978-1-78294-546-8</p> <p>GCP GCSE Spanish Exam Practice Workbook 978-1-78294-547-5</p> <p>GCP GCSE German (9-1) The Revision Guide 978-1-78294-552-9</p> <p>GCP GCSE German (9-1) Exam Practice Workbook 978-1-78294-553-6</p> <p>Past exam papers are available online at www.aqa.org.uk or from the schools' Languages office.</p>	

<p>Maths</p>	<p>Students are following the EDEXCEL GCSE (9-1) 1MA1 at either Higher or Foundation Level. We recommend the following revision guides and workbooks which are available from the maths department via Parentpay at £2.75 each.</p> <p>978-1-4479-8804-5 Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Foundation Revision Guide</p> <p>978 -1-4479-8792-5 Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Foundation Revision Work Book</p> <p>978-1-4479-8809-0 Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Higher Revision Guide</p> <p>978-1-292-21088-9 Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Higher Revision Workbook</p>	<p>Yes</p>
<p>Music</p>	<p>Illuminate Publishing:</p> <p>WJEC/EDUQAS GCSE MUSIC REVISION GUIDE ISBN 978-1-911208-41-9</p> <p>Price £13.99</p> <p>Exam board specific with example questions, revision techniques and tips, as well as the subject specific vocabulary.</p> <p>Pupils also have access via a computer or laptop to 'Focus on Sound'; any who are unsure of their log in details should see a member of staff in the Music Department.</p>	
<p>Physical Education</p>	<p>CGP Physical Education Complete Revision and Practice for Grade 1-9 Exams (AQA Specification)</p> <p>Price £7.00</p> <p>Use of the Everlearner online or app for mobile phones</p>	

<p>RE</p>	<p>AQA Religious Studies A (code 8062)</p> <p>AQA Revision Guide – Religious Studies A, Christianity and Islam. Published by Oxford ISBN 9870198422839 – All students are provided with a copy of this revision guide in year 10.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>AQA My Revision notes AQA GCSE 9-1 Religious Studies, Specification A. Published by Hodder ISBN 9781510404793.</p> <p>Revision resources from Zig Zag Education – ‘topic on a page’ summaries are issued on satchel for assessments and Mock Exam.</p>	
<p>Science</p>	<p>Triple Science:</p> <p>Biology: AQA (specification code 8461)</p> <p>CGP GCSE Biology for AQA (Grade1-9) ISBN 978 1 78294 556 7</p> <p>CGP GCSE Biology for AQA (Foundation Level) ISBN 978 1 78908 324 8</p> <p>Chemistry: AQA (specification code 8462)</p> <p>CGP GCSE Chemistry for AQA (Grade1-9) ISBN 978 1 78294 557 4</p> <p>CGP GCSE Chemistry for AQA (Foundation Level) ISBN 978 1 78908 322 4</p> <p>Physics: AQA (specification code 8463)</p> <p>CGP GCSE Physics for AQA (Grade1-9) ISBN 978 1 78294 558 1</p> <p>CGP GCSE Physics for AQA (Foundation Level) ISBN 978 1 78908 323 1</p>	<p>Yes</p>