



Year 11 Assessment & Homework Overview

This booklet sets out the assessment and homework schedule for each of the subjects taught in Year 11. It gives an overview of each half-term and the type of assessment and homework that could be set. The schedule is regularly reviewed and is subject to change. In each subject area, students are formally assessed a minimum of three times over the school year, after which they will undertake a formal review and feedback process in each subject area. As well as the formal assessments, students will be provided with regular feedback in lessons, known as live marking, as well as undertaking peer and self-assessment tasks.

English Language: at GCSE, students will have GCSE a revision homework task one per fortnight. The focus will be set on EduLink and students will have a menu of options to choose from. The other homework will be knowledge organiser based and students will have quizzes in lessons to assess their learning.

Mathematics: for KS4 Maths homework is set through Sparx, this links to our scheme of work and sets differentiated homework to each student once a week for between 30 minutes and one hour. The homework consists of 60% of the work students are currently completing and 40% on work students have completed previously that year/during their course. This is based on their previous homework's and topics they may have struggled on. Each week, following completion of the homework, staff use up to five insights provided by Sparx to feedback on homework and support with topics the class struggled with.

Science: students will have eight lessons of Science per fortnight. Students will receive one homework from each teacher every three weeks (equalling one per week for "science" overall). This will be based around examination questions. Students will be able to use the revision resources that they have created to help them answer the examination questions. This will provide students with practice of examination style questions and allow them to focus their revision on areas of study that they have struggled with. Questions set for homework will not necessarily match up with the area of study in lesson, to encourage students to revise areas of the specification that they studied at the start of KS4.

Geography: At KS4: students supplement their learning through independent research at home, online Google assessments, essay writing and revision. Homework should be set approximately every 4-6 lessons depending on timetabled time, rotate between key terms/vocabulary tasks and examination question practice.

History: Year 10 students have eight lessons of History a fortnight. They are set homework in two of these lessons (once per week). One week, homework set will be using a knowledge organiser to learn key facts. This is assessed at the start of each lesson through a quiz and is peer assessed. On the alternate week, homework set will be in a variety of different forms including research tasks and examination questions.

MFL French: GCSE French students are taught five lessons per fortnight. They are set one 45-minute homework per week. This may be made up of more than one task, and could include vocabulary learning, written task, or research.

MFL Spanish: GCSE Spanish students are taught five lessons per fortnight. They are set one 45-minute homework per week. This may be made up of more than one task, and could include vocabulary learning, written task, or research.

Acting: In Year 11, students studying RSL Acting will have 5 hours of lesson time a week. Students will be given weekly Drama homework which will include a range of activities such as practical rehearsal, learning lines, research, writing scripts, analysing and evaluating the work they have created and performed in their lesson, and completing coursework.

Design – Unit Award Scheme: current unit-based work tasks set for evidence collection.

Digital IT - BTEC students have five lessons of Digital Information Technology a week. They are set homework once every two weeks. Homework is set using a variety of different forms including creating a knowledge organiser of the keywords /topics, research tasks and examination questions. This is peer or teacher assessed.

Media Studies - In Year 11 students on the one-year course have five lessons per week. From September, students will work on their NEA for homework, and from December homework will be alternate weeks, using the knowledge organisers and terminology booklets, as above.

Music: Students will have five lessons of Music per week. Students will be given weekly music homework for KS4 and will include a range of activities, such as practical rehearsal, composition, Focus on Sound learning/quizzes, Area of Study (Aos) based homework and knowledge organisers.

Sociology: In Year 11, students have ten lessons per fortnight. They are set homework once a week and will often take the form of revision tasks and formative assessments recapping key knowledge via MSTeams Forms functionality. These will be summatively assessed in class through examination questions which will be either be teacher, self or peer assessed.

Statistics: Statistics homework is set through Sparx, this links to our scheme of work and sets differentiated homework to each student once a week for between 30 minutes and one hour. The homework consists of 60% of the work students are currently completing and 40% on work students have completed previously that year/during their course. This is based on their previous homework's and topics they may have struggled on. Each week following completion of the homework staff use up to 5 insights provided by Sparx to feedback on homework and support with topics the class struggled with.

Autumn Half-Term 1

Subject	Assessment	Homework
English	Baseline Assessment Paper 1	GCSE revision homework task one per fortnight. The focus will be set on EduLink and students will have a menu of options to choose from. The other homework will be knowledge organiser based and students will have quizzes in lessons to assess their learning.
Mathematics	Baseline wc 05/09/2022	Homework is set through Sparx, this links to our scheme of work and sets differentiated homework to each student once a week for between 30 minutes and 1 hour.
Science		Cells, Atomic Structure, Energy, Health Matters II, Energy Changes, Atomic Structure
Geography	Baseline assessment	Key terms Google quiz Examination question Google quiz Examination question
History		One week, homework set will be using a knowledge organiser to learn key facts. This is assessed at the start of each lesson through a quiz and is peer assessed. On the alternate week, homework set will be in a variety of different forms including research tasks and examination questions.
French	Part time work and pocket money	Pronunciation practice, vocabulary learning, reading task, translation, watch video clip, research, reference page, puzzle, writing task, oral examination preparation.
Spanish	Part time work and pocket money	Pronunciation practice, vocabulary learning, reading task, translation, watch video clip, research, reference page, puzzle, writing task, oral examination preparation
Acting	Begin Unit 212: Performing Texts	Research, additional rehearsal, character development, evaluation, competition of coursework.
Design	Assessment of CAD Maze project evidence and 3D printing project unit.	Current unit-based work tasks set for evidence collection.
Digital IT	Assessment of previous learning in Year 10 Summer Term 2	They are set homework once every two weeks. Homework is set using a variety of different forms including creating a knowledge organiser of the keywords/topics, research tasks and examination questions. This is peer or teacher assessed.

Media Studies	NEA Assessment by 7 th October	All students are set homework once per week. One week, homework set will be using a knowledge organiser to learn key facts. This is assessed at the start of each lesson through a quiz and is peer assessed. On the alternate week, homework is to learn key terminology using a terminology booklet. This is also peer assessed following a quiz in class.
Music		Rehearsal, Focus on Sound, Composition, AoS based learning / Internal Assessment
Sociology	AP1 Key Concepts baseline assessment AP2: Families end of topic assessment (October)	They are set homework once a week. These will often take the form of revision tasks and formative assessments recapping key knowledge via MSTeams Forms functionality. These will be summatively assessed in class through examination questions which will be either be teacher, self or peer assessed.
Statistics	Baseline w/c 05/09/2022	Homework is set through Sparx, this links to our scheme of work and sets differentiated homework to each student once a week for between 30 minutes and one hour.
Travel & Tourism	Unit 2: UK Travel and Tourism Destinations LAA - UK travel and tourism destinations. Students to complete maps of popular travel destinations of the UK. (Internal) Unit 2: UK Travel and Tourism Destinations LAB - The Appeal of UK destinations. 3 presentations to be completed by students. (Internal)	Google Form Quiz Students to research the tourism destinations they have chosen to do their presentations on

Autumn Half-Term2

Subject	Assessment	Homework
English	Mocks Paper 1 and 2	GCSE revision homework task one per fortnight. The focus will be set on EduLink and students will have a menu of options to choose from. The other homework will be knowledge organiser based and students will have quizzes in lessons to assess their learning.
Mathematics	Y11 Mocks wc 7 th -14 th Nov	Homework is set through Sparx, this links to our scheme of work and sets differentiated homework to each student once a week for between 30 minutes and one hour.
Science	Year 11 Mock 1 Students will sit 2 full papers for each of Biology, Chemistry and Physics.	Photosynthesis, Periodic Table, Circuits, Homeostasis, Chemical Changes II, Radioactivity
Geography	Mocks 1	Google quiz Examination question
History	Mock examinations Paper 1 Crime & Punishment Paper 2 - Elizabeth	One week, homework set will be using a knowledge organiser to learn key facts. This is assessed at the start of each lesson through a quiz and is peer assessed. On the alternate week, homework set will be in a variety of different forms including research tasks and examination questions.
French	Mock examination 1	Pronunciation practice, vocabulary learning, reading task, translation, watch video clip, research, reference page, puzzle, writing task, oral examination preparation
Spanish	Mock examination 1	Pronunciation practice, vocabulary learning, reading task, translation, watch video clip, research, reference page, puzzle, writing task, oral examination preparation
Acting	Complete Unit 212: Performing Texts	Research, Additional Rehearsal, Character Development, Evaluation, Competition of Coursework
Design		Current unit-based work tasks set for evidence collection.
Digital IT	Component 1 Formal Coursework Assessment	They are set homework once every two weeks. Homework is set using a variety of different forms including creating a knowledge organiser of the keywords /topics, research tasks and exam questions. This is peer or teacher assessed.

Media Studies	Mocks – one paper	All students are set homework once per week. One week, homework set will be using a knowledge organiser to learn key facts. This is assessed at the start of each lesson through a quiz and is peer assessed. On the alternate week, homework is to learn key terminology using a terminology booklet. This is also peer assessed following a quiz in class.
Music	Unit 201ta Musical Knowledge	Rehearsal, Focus on Sound, Composition, AoS based learning / Internal Assessment
Sociology	AP3: Mock examination week 14 th -18 th Nov: Modified component 1 (Key Concepts, Families & Education)	They are set homework once a week. These will often take the form of revision tasks and formative assessments recapping key knowledge via MSTeams Forms functionality. These will be summatively assessed in class through examination questions which will be either be teacher, self or peer assessed.
Statistics	Y11 Mocks wc 7 th -14 th Nov	Homework is set through Sparx, this links to our scheme of work and sets differentiated homework to each student once a week for between 30 minutes and one hour.
Travel & Tourism	Unit 1: The UK Travel and Tourism Sector Mock (Internal)	Google form quiz knowledge check. Key word booklet to fill in.

Spring Half-Term 1

Subject	Assessment	Homework
English		GCSE revision homework task one per fortnight. The focus will be set on EduLink and students will have a menu of options to choose from. The other homework will be knowledge organiser based and students will have quizzes in lessons to assess their learning.
Mathematics		Homework is set through Sparx, this links to our scheme of work and sets differentiated homework to each student once a week for between 30 minutes and 1 hour.
Science	Mini mocks (2 nd week back after Christmas) - 3x 30 minute in class assessments on paper 1 topics.	Cell Division, Bonding, Energy Transfers, Genetics, Rate of Reaction, Forces I
Geography	Weather end of topic assessment	Key terms Google quiz Exam question
History		One week, homework set will be using a knowledge organiser to learn key facts. This is assessed at the start of each lesson through a quiz and is peer assessed. On the alternate week, homework set will be in a variety of different forms including research tasks and exam questions.
French	Jobs and future plans	Pronunciation practice, vocabulary learning, reading task, translation, watch video clip, research, reference page, puzzle, writing task, oral examination preparation.
Spanish	Environment	Pronunciation practice, vocabulary learning, reading task, translation, watch video clip, research, reference page, puzzle, writing task, oral examination preparation.
Acting	Begin Unit 201E	Research, Additional Rehearsal, Character Development, Evaluation, Competition of Coursework.
Design	Unit assessment for certification	Current unit-based work tasks set for evidence collection.
Digital IT	Component 3 Mock Assessment	They are set homework once every two weeks. Homework is set using a variety of different forms including creating a knowledge organiser of the keywords/topics, research tasks and examination questions. This is peer or teacher assessed.
Media Studies		All students are set homework once per week. One week, homework set will be using a knowledge organiser to learn key facts. This is assessed at the start of each lesson through a quiz and is peer

		assessed. On the alternate week, homework is to learn key terminology using a terminology booklet. This is also peer assessed following a quiz in class.
Music	Unit 201ta Musical Knowledge	Rehearsal, Focus on Sound, Composition, AoS based learning/Internal Assessment
Sociology	AP4: End of topic assessment: Research Methods (end of January)	They are set homework once a week. These will often take the form of revision tasks and formative assessments recapping key knowledge via MSTEams Forms functionality. These will be summatively assessed in class through examination questions which will be either be teacher, self or peer assessed.
Statistics		Homework is set through Sparx, this links to our scheme of work and sets differentiated homework to each student once a week for between 30 minutes and one hour.
Travel & Tourism	<p>Unit 1: The UK Travel and Tourism Sector Examination (External)</p> <p>Unit 2: The UK Travel and Tourism Destinations. LAC – UK Holiday Planning 2 itineraries to be completed by students. (Internal)</p> <p>Unit 4: International Travel and Tourism Destinations. LAB – Tourism Destinations. Map booklet to be completed by students. (Internal)</p>	Revision for examination. Students to research the tourism destinations they have chosen to do their itineraries on. Google form quiz.

Spring Half-Term2

Subject	Assessment	Homework
English	Mocks Paper 1 and 2	GCSE revision homework task one per fortnight. The focus will be set on EduLink and students will have a menu of options to choose from. The other homework will be knowledge organiser based and students will have quizzes in lessons to assess their learning.
Mathematics	Y11 Mocks w/c 20/02/2023 & w/c 03/03/2023	Homework is set through Sparx, this links to our scheme of work and sets differentiated homework to each student once a week for between 30 minutes and one hour.
Science	Year 11 Mock 2 Students will sit a full set of papers at the correct tier	Digestion, Structures, Electricity in the Home, Reproduction, Sustainable Development, Waves
Geography	Mocks 2	Key terms Google quiz Examination question
History	Mock examinations Paper 2 Elizabeth & The Cold War Paper 3 Weimar & Nazi Germany	One week, homework set will be using a knowledge organiser to learn key facts. This is assessed at the start of each lesson through a quiz and is peer assessed. On the alternate week, homework set will be in a variety of different forms including research tasks and examination questions.
French	Mock examination 2	Pronunciation practice, vocabulary learning, reading task, translation, watch video clip, research, reference page, puzzle, writing task, oral examination preparation.
Spanish	Mock examination 2	Pronunciation practice, vocabulary learning, reading task, translation, watch video clip, research, reference page, puzzle, writing task, oral examination preparation.
Acting	Unit 201E	Research, Additional Rehearsal, Character Development, Evaluation, Competition of Coursework.
Design		Current unit-based work tasks set for evidence collection.
Digital IT	Component 3 Formal External Assessment	They are set homework once every two weeks. Homework is set using a variety of different forms including creating a knowledge organiser of the keywords /topics, research tasks and examination questions. This is peer or teacher assessed.

Media Studies	Mocks P1 and P2	All students are set homework once per week. One week, homework set will be using a knowledge organiser to learn key facts. This is assessed at the start of each lesson through a quiz and is peer assessed. On the alternate week, homework is to learn key terminology using a terminology booklet. This is also peer assessed following a quiz in class.
Music		Rehearsal, Focus on Sound, Composition, AoS based learning / Internal Assessment
Sociology	AP5: Mock examination week 20 th February-3 rd March: Full Component 1 and modified Component 2 (Crime, Research Methods and Social Stratification taught to date)	They are set homework once a week. These will often take the form of revision tasks and formative assessments recapping key knowledge via MSTeams Forms functionality. These will be summatively assessed in class through examination questions which will be either be teacher, self or peer assessed.
Statistics	Y11 Mocks w/c 20/02/2023 & w/c 03/03/2023	Homework is set through Sparx, this links to our scheme of work and sets differentiated homework to each student once a week for between 30 minutes and one hour.
Travel & Tourism	<p>Unit 4: International Travel and Tourism Destinations. LAB – What’s the appeal? Three presentations to be completed by students. (Internal)</p> <p>Unit 4: International Travel and Tourism Destinations. LAC – Where in the World? 2 itineraries to be completed by students. (Internal)</p> <p>Unit 3: The Customer Experience in Travel and Tourism. LAA – What is it all about?</p>	Students to research the tourism destinations they have chosen to do their presentations on. Students to research the tourism destinations they have chosen to do their itineraries on. Students to research different travel and tourism destinations to develop an understanding of how they cater to customer needs.

	Students to create three reports on customer service in different travel and tourism organisations. (Internal)	
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Summer Half-Term 1

Subject	Assessment	Homework
English		GCSE revision homework task one per fortnight. The focus will be on EduLink and students will have a menu of options to choose from. The other homework will be knowledge organiser based and students will have quizzes in lessons to assess their learning.
Mathematics		Homework is set through Sparx, this links to our scheme of work and sets differentiated homework to each student once a week for between 30 minutes and 1 hour.
Science		Revision
Geography	UK Challenges assessment practice	Revision
History		One week, homework set will be using a knowledge organiser to learn key facts. This is assessed at the start of each lesson through a quiz and is peer assessed. On the alternate week, homework set will be in a variety of different forms including research tasks and exam questions.
French	GCSE oral examination	Pronunciation practice, vocabulary learning, reading task, translation, watch video clip, research, reference page, puzzle, writing task, oral examination preparation.
Spanish	GCSE oral examination	Pronunciation practice, vocabulary learning, reading task, translation, watch video clip, research, reference page, puzzle, writing task, oral examination preparation.
Acting	Complete Unit 201E	Research, Additional Rehearsal, Character Development, Evaluation, Competition of Coursework.
Design		Current unit-based work tasks set for evidence collection.
Digital IT	Component 2 Formal Internal Coursework Assessment – Task 1-4	They are set homework once every two weeks. Homework is set using a variety of different forms including creating a knowledge organiser of the keywords/topics, research tasks and exam questions. This is peer or teacher assessed.
Media Studies		All students are set homework once per week. One week, homework set will be using a knowledge organiser to learn key facts. This is assessed at the start of each lesson through a quiz and is peer assessed. On the alternate week, homework is to learn key terminology using a terminology booklet. This is also peer assessed following a quiz in class.
Music	Unit 204ta Instrumental Study	Rehearsal, Focus on Sound, Composition, AoS based learning / Internal Assessment

Sociology	AP6: Full Component 2 (Crime, Social Stratification and Research Methods)	They are set homework once a week. These will often take the form of revision tasks and formative assessments recapping key knowledge via MSTeams Forms functionality. These will be summatively assessed in class through examination questions which will be either be teacher, self or peer assessed.
Statistics		Homework is set through Sparx, this links to our scheme of work and sets differentiated homework to each student once a week for between 30 minutes and one hour.
Travel & Tourism	<p>Unit 3: The Customer Experience in Travel and Tourism. LAB – Who needs service anyway? Students to produce a presentation detailing how Travel and Tourism destinations attend to different types of tourists. (Internal)</p> <p>Unit 3: The Customer Experience in Travel and Tourism. LAC – Customer Service is Important Students to write a report detailing everything they have learnt about customer service in the travel sector. (Internal)</p>	Students to practice their presentations at home ready to present in class. Students to research the differing ways travel organisations advertise themselves and their customer service to potential clientele.