

# Ysgol Bae Baglan



## **Year 10 Information Pack**

### **Key Stage 4, 2022 – 2024**



## Key Stage 4 at Ysgol Bae Baglan



Over the last four years, standards in Key Stage 4 have improved year on year. A positive learning culture is embedded in the school, and this, along with the consistently high-quality teaching and learning enables pupils of all levels to make excellent progress. Pupils in Ysgol Bae Baglan demonstrate high levels of engagement and motivation in their learning.

During Key Stage 4, parents and carers will be kept up to date with their child's progress with interim and full reports and parents' evenings. All pupils studying GCSE, BTEC or vocational subjects in school will have many different assessments throughout Key Stage 4, including internal and external examinations and controlled assessment tasks. This information booklet will help pupils, parents and carers to organise and plan the Key Stage 4 learning experience.

Every pupil in Key Stage 4 will follow a broad and balanced curriculum that is suited to their own needs. All pupils will study English, Mathematics, Science, Skills Challenge Certificate, Welsh, Physical Education and Religious Studies: Equality and Diversity. Pupils also study subjects from their free choice option selection which have now been placed into Option blocks A, B and C, which can be a GCSE, BTEC or vocational qualification. This booklet provides information on assessments, controlled assessment tasks and examinations for each subject. Information with helpful websites and revision guides are also included in this booklet and these will provide pupils with additional support when studying courses in Key Stage 4.

A copy of this booklet has also been placed on our website. It can be accessed in the Exam section via the Pupil drop down menu.

### Assessment Task, controlled Assessments and Examinations 2021-2023.

The table below is for guidance only with the information given subject to change.

Subject	Year 10			Year 11		
	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
GCSE English Language			Unit 1 – Individual Presentation (10%)	Unit 1 – Group Discussion (10%)		External GCSE exam Unit 2 written paper (40 %) External GCSE exam Unit 3 written paper (40%)
GCSE English Literature		English Literature Unit 3 NEA: Welsh Writing in English - Comparing Poems (12.5%)	External GCSE exam Unit 1 written paper Of Mice and Men & Unseen Poetry (35%)	English Literature Unit 3 NEA: Shakespeare (12.5)		External GCSE exam Unit 2 written Paper (40%)
GCSE Maths				Possibility of early entry for some pupil's External examination (100%)		External GCSE exam 2 written papers (100%)
GCSE Maths - Numeracy				Possibility of early entry for some pupil's External examination 100%)		External GCSE exam 2 written papers (100%)
GCSE Additional Mathematics			External GCSE Statistics Exam 1 written paper (100%)		External award in Algebra (Pearson exam board – written paper 100% )	External examination in Additional Mathematics written papers (100%)
Mathematics Entry Level				Module's 1 & 2 coursework (7.5%) 2 Stage tests (30%)	Module's 3 & 4 coursework (7.5%) 2 Stage tests (30%)	External exam 1 written paper calculator allowed (25%)

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GCSE Science (Double Award)			3 External GCSE exams: Biology 1 – Unit 1 Sections 1.1 – 1.6 (15%) Chemistry 1 – Unit 2 Sections 2.1 – 2.5 (15%) Physics 1 – Unit 3 Sections 3.1 – 3.5 (15%)		Controlled Assessment Unit 7 (10%)	3 External GCSE exams: Biology 2 – Unit 4 Sections 4.1 – 4.6 (15%) Chemistry 2 – Unit 5 Sections 5.1 – 5.5 (15%) Physics 2 – Unit 6 Sections 6.1 – 6.6 (15%)
GCSE Biology (Triple Award)			1 External GCSE exam: Biology – Unit 1 Sections 1.1 – 1.6 (45%)		Controlled Assessment: Unit 3 (10%) 1x practical assessment.	1 External GCSE exam: Biology – Unit 2 Sections 2.1 – 2.8 (45%)
GCSE Chemistry (Triple Award)			1 External GCSE exam: Chemistry – Unit 1 Sections 1.1 – 1.6 (45%)		Controlled Assessment: Unit 3 (10%) 1x practical assessment.	1 External GCSE exam: Chemistry – Unit 2 Sections 2.1 – 2.6 (45%)
GCSE Physics (Triple Award)			1 External GCSE exam: Physics – Unit 1 Sections 1.1 – 1.9 (45%)		Controlled Assessment: Unit 3 (10%) 1x practical assessment.	1 External GCSE exam: Physics – Unit 2 Sections 2.1 – 2.9 (45%)
GCSE Single Applied Science	Controlled Assessment Unit 3 (20%)	Controlled Assessment: Unit 4 (10%) 1x practical assessment.	1 External GCSE exam: Unit 2 – Science to support our lifestyle (30%)			1 External GCSE exam: Unit 1 – Science in the modern world (40%)
Skills Challenge Certificate	Community Challenge 15%	Enterprise Challenge 20%	Enterprise Challenge/Global Challenge 15%	Global Challenge/Individual Project 50%	Individual Project	
GCSE RE			External GCSE exam Unit 1 (50%)			External GCSE exam Unit (50%)

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GCSE Cymraeg Welsh Second Language			Unit 1- internal speaking examination 25%			Unit 2 – Internal speaking examination 25% Unit 3 – Reading and writing examination 25% Unit 4 – Reading and writing examination 25%
GCSE Art & Design	Coursework (60% of final GCSE)	Coursework (60% of final GCSE)	Coursework (60% of final GCSE)	Coursework (60% of final GCSE)	Exam preparation and external controlled assessment (40% of final GCSE)	
GCSE Art - Photography	Coursework (60% of final GCSE)	Coursework (60% of final GCSE)	Coursework (60% of final GCSE)	Coursework (60% of final GCSE)	Exam preparation and external controlled assessment (40% of final GCSE)	
GCSE Art - Textiles	Coursework (60% of final GCSE)	Coursework (60% of final GCSE)	Coursework (60% of final GCSE)	Coursework (60% of final GCSE)	Exam preparation and external controlled assessment (40% of final GCSE)	
BTEC Business and Enterprise	Internal Coursework – The Entrepreneurial Mindset (20%)		Internal Coursework – Business Planning (20%)	Internal Coursework – Finance (20%)	Internal Coursework – Marketing (20%)	Internal Coursework – Business Pitch (20%)
GCSE Digital Technology	Coursework (Unit 2) Digital Practices (40%)	Coursework (Unit 2) Digital Practices (40%)	Coursework (Unit 3) Communicating in the Digital World (20%)	Coursework (Unit 3) Communicating in the Digital World (20%)	External Exam (Unit 1) The Digital World (40%)	External Exam (Unit 1) The Digital World (40%)
BTEC I&CT	Unit 3 – Digital Portfolio Design and Production	Unit 3 – Digital Portfolio Design and Production	External Exam – Unit 1 (On Screen) 25% Unit 3 – Digital Portfolio Testing and Evaluation	External Exam – Unit 1 (On Screen) 25% Unit 3 – Digital Portfolio Testing	Unit 10 – Database Development	Unit 10 – Database Development

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Pathways Certificate for IT Users	Internal Unit - IT Fundamentals	Internal Unit - Using Email	Internal Unit - Presentation Software	Internal Unit - Improving Productivity		
WJEC Award in Construction	Unit 2- Carpentry assessment	Unit 1 preparation leading to examination	Unit 2 – Brickwork assessment.  External exam 25% Unit 1- Safety and security in Construction.	Unit 2 – Brickwork assessment continued. Unit 1 preparation leading to mock examination.	Unit 3 – 25% Planning construction projects assessment.	Unit 2 – Electrical assessment. Unit 1 – RESIT (if required)
GCSE Drama				Controlled Assessment Unit 1 (40%)	External Examination. Practical Examination. Unit 2 (20%)	External Examination. Written paper. Unit 3 (40%)
Level 1 / 2 Engineering	Coursework tasks: Mobile Phone Stand Soft Jaws Thread Clamp Knowledge unit 001  (100% coursework)	Coursework tasks: Lipped tray Toolmakers clamp Knowledge unit 002  (100% coursework)	Coursework tasks: Toolbox. Knowledge unit 003 Aluminium disc Knowledge unit 005  (100% coursework)	Coursework tasks: Engineers square Knowledge unit 022 Cylinder  (100% coursework)	Coursework tasks: Mechanical assembly -bench vice. Knowledge unit 006  (100% coursework)	Coursework task: Wrench  (100% coursework)
GCSE Spanish						External GCSE (100%) Speaking 25% Reading 25% Writing 25% Listening 25%
GCSE Geography			Start Controlled Assessment	Controlled Assessment Unit 3 (20%)		External GCSE exams x2 Unit 1 and Unit 2 (80%)
Level 1 / 2 Certificate in Hair Services		Ongoing theory and practical assessments	Ongoing theory and practical assessments	Ongoing theory and practical assessments	Ongoing theory and practical assessments	Ongoing theory and practical assessments

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GCSE Health and Social Care			External exam 40% Unit 1 - Human growth, development and wellbeing.	Unit 2 (60%)– Non examined Assessment. Task 1	Unit 2 (60%)– Non examined Assessment. Task 2	External exam 40% Unit 1 - Resit (if required)
GCSE History			External GCSE exam Unit 2 – Germany in Transition 1919-1939 25%	Controlled Assessment (20%)		External GCSE exam Unit 1 – Depression War and Recovery 25% Unit 3– Crime and Punishment 30%
GCSE Hospitality & Catering			External exam 40% - Unit 1	Unit 2: Internal Assessment Planning	Unit 2: (60%) Internal assessment Practical exam	External exam 25% Unit 1 – RESIT (if required)
GCSE Music					Unit 1 Performing Final performance s and Programme note Unit 2 Composing Completed compositions and evaluation	External Exam – 30% Appraising
GCSE Physical Education		Internal examination	Start controlled assessment (PFP).	Mock exam  Moderation of controlled assessment (PFP - 8%)	External practical moderation (42% of marks)	External written examination (2 hours – 50%)
GCSE D&T Product Design			June 1 <sup>st</sup> Unit 2 -Non-Examined Assessment: (ongoing)	Unit 2 -Non-Examined Assessment: (ongoing)	Unit 2 -Non-Examined Assessment: (50%)	Unit 1: External GCSE examination (50%)
BTEC Level 2 - Vehicle Technology	Unit 12 Operation and Maintenance of a Braking system- Assignment 1	Unit 13 Operation and Maintenance of an Exhaust system Assignment 1	Unit 5 – Engine cycles and operation of the engine- Assignment 1	Unit 5 Engine systems Assignment 3	Unit 6 – Car body systems Assignment 1. Unit 9 Car servicing assignment 1	Unit 6 – Car body systems Assignment 2. Unit 9 Car servicing assignment 2

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Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Sport & Coaching Principles (Technical Award)			<b>Unit 2</b> Improving Sporting Performance Internal Assessment (25%)		<b>Unit 3</b> Coaching Principles Internal Assessment (35%)	<b>Unit 1</b> Fitness For Sport External Exam (40 %)
















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GCSE English	<p><b>Textbooks</b></p> <p>WJEC GCSE English Language ISBN: 9781471868351  WJEC GCSE English Language Student's book ISBN-10: 1471868354  My revision notes: WJEC GCSE English Language ISBN-10: 147186829X  WJEC GCSE English Language: For Wales ISBN-10: 0198367139  York Notes for GCSE: Of Mice and Men ISBN-10 : 1408248808  York Notes for GCSE: An Inspector Calls ISBN-10 : 1408248735  York Notes for GCSE: Heroes ISBN-10 : 140827003X</p> <p><b>Websites</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.hwb.wales.gov.uk">www.hwb.wales.gov.uk</a>  <a href="http://www.englishbiz.co.uk/">http://www.englishbiz.co.uk/</a>  <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize/english">www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize/english</a></p>
GCSE Mathematics  ISBN: 9781471882531 9781471882982 9781471882524	<p><b>Textbooks</b></p> <p>Mastering Mathematics for WJEC GCSE - Higher (Hodder Education) ISBN: 9781471856525  Mastering Mathematics for WJEC GCSE - Intermediate (Hodder Education) ISBN: 9781471856518  Mastering Mathematics for WJEC GCSE - Foundation (Hodder Education) ISBN: 9781471856372</p> <p><b>Revision Guides</b></p> <p>WJEC GCSE Maths Higher: Mastering Mathematics Revision Guide (Hodder Education)  WJEC GCSE Maths Intermediate: Mastering Mathematics Revision Guide (Hodder Education)  WJEC GCSE Maths Foundation: Mastering Mathematics Revision Guide (Hodder Education)  It should be noted that despite the name of the title of each of the above:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• for a pupil studying Intermediate Tier they would need to have a copy of both the Intermediate and Foundation textbooks and/or revision guides</li> <li>• for a pupil studying Higher Tier they would need to have a copy of both the Higher and Intermediate textbooks and/or revision guides to ensure complete coverage of the syllabus.</li> </ul> <p>Due to this reason, the high cost and practicality of these books, the Maths department recommends pupils use the Maths Watch interactive site to which all pupils have access. The department also provides an abundance of past paper booklets free of charge in the build up to the examinations.</p> <p><b>Websites and online resources</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/mathematics-gcse/#tab_overview">https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/mathematics-gcse/#tab_overview</a>  <a href="http://www.wjec.co.uk/question-bank/question-search.html">www.wjec.co.uk/question-bank/question-search.html</a> for practise on particular topics  <a href="http://www.jonesthesum.co.uk">www.jonesthesum.co.uk</a>  <a href="http://www.mymaths.co.uk">www.mymaths.co.uk</a>  <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/education/subjects/zc8tfrd">www.bbc.co.uk/education/subjects/zc8tfrd</a> for Maths - Numeracy  <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/education/subjects/zg9xnbk">www.bbc.co.uk/education/subjects/zg9xnbk</a> for Maths  <a href="http://www.hwb.wales.gov.uk">www.hwb.wales.gov.uk</a>  <a href="http://www.hegartymaths.com">www.hegartymaths.com</a>  <a href="https://corbettmaths.com/">https://corbettmaths.com/</a></p>

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GCSE Science	<p><b><u>Textbooks</u></b>  <u>Double and Triple Award Science:</u>  WJEC GCSE Biology – ISBN 9781471868719  WJEC GCSE Chemistry – ISBN 9781471868740  WJEC GCSE Physics – ISBN – 9781471868771</p> <p><b><u>Revision Guides</u></b>  <u>Double Award Science:</u>  WJEC GCSE Science Double Award – ISBN 9781471883590  Or  CGP GCSE Science for WJEC – ISBN 9781789080810</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision guides will also be available to purchase from the Science Department for £1.</li> </ul> <p><u>Triple Science:</u>  WJEC GCSE Biology – ISBN 9781471883507  WJEC GCSE Chemistry – ISBN 9781398314825  WJEC GCSE Physics – ISBN 9781471883569  Or  CGP GCSE WJEC Biology – ISBN 9781789083415  CGP GCSE WJEC Chemistry – ISBN 9781789083422  CGP GCSE WJEC Physics – ISBN 9781789083439</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision guides will also be available to purchase from the Science Department for £1.</li> </ul> <p><u>Single Applied Science:</u>  <a href="https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceSingle.aspx?rlid=2135">https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceSingle.aspx?rlid=2135</a>  <a href="https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceSingle.aspx?rlid=2255">https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceSingle.aspx?rlid=2255</a>  <a href="https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceSingle.aspx?rlid=2324">https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceSingle.aspx?rlid=2324</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision guides will also be available to purchase from the Science Department for £1.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Websites and online resources</u></b>  <u>Double Award Science:</u>  <a href="https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/science-double-gcse-award/#tab_overview">https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/science-double-gcse-award/#tab_overview</a>  For past papers, mark schemes, specifications and guidance, digital resources and specimen assessment materials.</p> <p><u>Triple Award Science:</u>  <a href="https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/biology-gcse/#tab_overview">https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/biology-gcse/#tab_overview</a>  <a href="https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/chemistry-gcse/#tab_overview">https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/chemistry-gcse/#tab_overview</a>  <a href="https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/physics-gcse/#tab_overview">https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/physics-gcse/#tab_overview</a>  For past papers, mark schemes, specifications and guidance, digital resources and specimen assessment materials.</p> <p><u>Single Applied Science:</u>  <a href="https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/applied-science-gcse-single-award/#tab_overview">https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/applied-science-gcse-single-award/#tab_overview</a>  For past papers, mark schemes, specifications and guidance, digital resources and specimen assessment materials.</p>

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GCSE RE	<p><b>Textbooks</b>  WJEC Religious Studies – Unit 1- Religion and Philosophical Themes (Hodder Education)  ISBN: 9781510423435  WJEC Religious Studies – Unit 2- Religion and Ethical Themes (Hodder Education)  ISBN: 9781510423442</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pupils study unit 1 in year 10 and unit 2 in year 11.</li> </ul> <p><b>Websites and online resources</b>  <a href="http://www.wjec.co.uk">www.wjec.co.uk</a> Religious Studies GCSE units 1 and 2, Christianity and Judaism.</p>
GCSE Cymraeg Welsh Second Language	<p><b>Textbooks</b>  Textbooks are created in house so are not available to purchase but are given to the pupils free of charge. The department also provides past papers.</p> <p><b>Websites and online resource</b>  <a href="http://www.duolingo.com">www.duolingo.com</a>  <a href="http://www.bbc.bitesize">www.bbc.bitesize</a>  <a href="http://www.linguascope.com">www.linguascope.com</a> log in – ybb password- ybblunes</p>
GCSE Art & Design	<p><b>Textbooks:</b>  The Essentials of GCSE Art &amp; Design ISBN-10 : 1903068908</p> <p><b>Online resources:</b>  <a href="https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/art-and-design-gcse/#tab_overview">https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/art-and-design-gcse/#tab_overview</a>  <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z6hs34j">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z6hs34j</a>  <a href="https://www.tate.org.uk/">https://www.tate.org.uk/</a>  <a href="https://www.pinterest.co.uk/">https://www.pinterest.co.uk/</a>  <a href="https://www.studentartguide.com/">https://www.studentartguide.com/</a>  <a href="https://hwb.gov.wales/">https://hwb.gov.wales/</a>  <a href="https://www.glynnvivian.co.uk/">https://www.glynnvivian.co.uk/</a></p> <p><b>Apps:</b>  <b>Prisma</b> is a free app which supports student learning and outcomes.</p>
GCSE Art - Photography	<p><b>Textbooks:</b>  The Essentials of GCSE Art &amp; Design ISBN-10 : 1903068908  Digital Photography Complete Course: Learn Everything You Need to Know in 20 Weeks ISBN-10 : 0340627212</p> <p><b>Online resources:</b>  <a href="https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/art-and-design-gcse/#tab_overview">https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/art-and-design-gcse/#tab_overview</a>  <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z6hs34j">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z6hs34j</a>  <a href="https://www.tate.org.uk/">https://www.tate.org.uk/</a>  <a href="https://www.pinterest.co.uk/">https://www.pinterest.co.uk/</a>  <a href="https://www.studentartguide.com/">https://www.studentartguide.com/</a>  <a href="https://hwb.gov.wales/">https://hwb.gov.wales/</a>  <a href="https://www.lensculture.com/photography-free-guides">https://www.lensculture.com/photography-free-guides</a>  <a href="https://www.glynnvivian.co.uk/">https://www.glynnvivian.co.uk/</a>  <a href="https://expertphotography.com/a-beginners-guide-to-photography/">https://expertphotography.com/a-beginners-guide-to-photography/</a>  <a href="https://www.outdoorphotographyguide.com/">https://www.outdoorphotographyguide.com/</a></p> <p><b>Apps:</b>  All students are encouraged to download <b>Snapseed</b> for their mobile device. This is a free app which support their lessons and photography. Various other photography apps are also encouraged to download.  Adobe Photoshop  FreePrints and Collage maker</p>

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GCSE Art - Textiles	<p><b>Textbook:</b>  Mixed Media Collage – holly Harrison  Techno Textiles – Sarah Braddock Clarke and Marie O’Mahony  Embroidery Stitches – Lucinda Ganderton  Fusing Fabric – Margaret Beal  Experimental Textiles – Kim Thittichai  Creative Textiles Art = Karen Woods</p> <p><b>Website and Resources</b>  <a href="http://www.beckyadams.co.uk">www.beckyadams.co.uk</a>  <a href="http://www.casholmes.co.uk">www.casholmes.co.uk</a>  <a href="http://www.queenstreetgalleryneath.co.uk/bethan-ash">www.queenstreetgalleryneath.co.uk/bethan-ash</a>  <a href="http://www.mandynash.co.uk">www.mandynash.co.uk</a>  <a href="https://fashiontextilemuseum.org/exhibitions">https://fashiontextilemuseum.org/exhibitions</a>  <a href="http://www.kimthittichai.com">www.kimthittichai.com</a></p>
BTEC Business and Enterprise	<p><b>Textbook:</b>  BTEC Tech Award Enterprise Student Book 2nd edition (Pearson) ISBN-10: 1292279346</p> <p><b>Website and Resources</b>  <a href="https://www.twoteachers.co.uk/">https://www.twoteachers.co.uk/</a>  <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z8c9jxs/revision/1">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z8c9jxs/revision/1</a></p>
GCSE Digital Technology	<p><b>Specification:</b>  <a href="http://www.wjec.co.uk">GCSE Digital Technology (wjec.co.uk)</a></p>
Pathways Certificate for IT Users	<p><b>Textbook:</b>  BTEC First in Information and Creative Technology Student Book (BTEC First IT) ISBN-10: 1446901874  REVISE BTEC INFORMATION AND CREATIVE TECHNOLOGY: REVISION WORKBOOK (BTEC FIRST IT) PAPERBACK  BTEC FIRST IN I&amp;CT REVISION GUIDE (BTEC FIRST IT) PAPERBACK</p> <p><b>Website and Resources</b>  <a href="https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/btec-firsts/information-and-creative-technology-2012-nqf.html">https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/btec-firsts/information-and-creative-technology-2012-nqf.html</a></p>
WJEC Award in Construction	<p><a href="http://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/construction-and-built-environment/">http://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/construction-and-built-environment/</a></p>
GCSE Drama	<p>WJEC/Eduqas GCSE Drama ISBN: 9781908682888  100 - The Imaginary Body ISBN 978-1-85459-737-3</p> <p><b>Websites</b>  <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize/drama/EDExcel">www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize/drama/EDExcel</a> or  <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize/drama/other">www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize/drama/other</a>  YouTube Blood Brothers</p>
Level 1 / 2 Engineering	<p><a href="https://www.eal.org.uk/">https://www.eal.org.uk/</a>  <a href="https://eal.org.uk/record/2674-eal-level-2-diploma-in-engineering-operations-skills">https://eal.org.uk/record/2674-eal-level-2-diploma-in-engineering-operations-skills</a></p>

GCSE Spanish	<p><b>Websites and online resources:</b>  <a href="https://resources.wjec.co.uk/">https://resources.wjec.co.uk/</a> - Select <b>Spanish KS4</b>  <a href="#">GCSE Spanish - BBC Bitesize</a> - Choose Eduqas  <a href="https://www.linguascope.com/">https://www.linguascope.com/</a> - user name <b>ybb</b> password <b>ybb</b>lunes - Choose <b>Intermediate</b>  <a href="https://www.atantot.com/">https://www.atantot.com/</a> - user name <b>YBB</b> password <b>3605</b>  <a href="https://www.duolingo.com/learn">https://www.duolingo.com/learn</a></p> <p><b>Revision guide:</b>  WJEC GCSE Spanish Revision Guide ISBN-13: 978-1785832734</p>
GCSE History	<p>Revision Guide covers all examined units  My Revision Notes WJEC GCSE History R.P Evans and Rob Quinn (Hodder Education)  ISBN 978-1-5104-0383-3  <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zj26n39">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zj26n39</a></p>
<b>Subject</b>	<b>Publication / Website</b>
GCSE Geography	<p><b>Textbook:</b>  WJEC GCSE Geography Second Edition (Hodder Education) – ISBN: 9781510477551</p> <p><b>Revision Guide</b>  My Revision Notes: WJEC GCSE Geography Paperback (Hodder Education) – ISBN: 9781471887406</p> <p><b>Revision Websites</b>  <a href="http://www.hwb.wales.gov.uk">www.hwb.wales.gov.uk</a>  <a href="https://revisionworld.com/gcse-revision/geography/geography-gcse-past-papers/wjec-gcse-geography-past-papers">https://revisionworld.com/gcse-revision/geography/geography-gcse-past-papers/wjec-gcse-geography-past-papers</a>  <a href="https://gcseguide.co.uk/papers/wjec/geography/">https://gcseguide.co.uk/papers/wjec/geography/</a>  <a href="https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceByArgs.aspx?subId=13&amp;lvlId=2">https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceByArgs.aspx?subId=13&amp;lvlId=2</a></p>
GCSE Health and Social Care	<p><a href="https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/gcse-health-and-social-care-and-childcare/#tab_overview">https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/gcse-health-and-social-care-and-childcare/#tab_overview</a></p>
GCSE Hospitality & Catering	<p><a href="http://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/hospitality-and-catering/hospitality-and-catering-level-1-2-award.html">http://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/hospitality-and-catering/hospitality-and-catering-level-1-2-award.html</a>  <a href="https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/hospitality-and-catering-level-1-2/#tab_overview">https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/hospitality-and-catering-level-1-2/#tab_overview</a></p>
GCSE Music	<p><b>Books</b>  <a href="#">WJEC eduqas GCSE music (revised edition) by Jan Richards ISBN 978-1-912820-78-8</a>  <a href="#">WJEC eduqas GCSE Music Revision Guide (revised edition) by Jan Richards ISBN 978-1-912820-69-6</a>  <a href="#">CGP GCSE Music Core Content Revision Guide ISBN 1-84146-789-8</a>  <a href="#">CGP GCSE Music Complete Revision and Practice (with Audio CD) ISBN 978-1-84146-378-0</a></p> <p><b>Websites</b>  <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zpf3cdm">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zpf3cdm</a> - There isn't an area specifically for WJEC, but the sections on theory, performing, composing, etc are all relevant.  <a href="https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceSingle.aspx?rId=3257">https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceSingle.aspx?rId=3257</a> – WJEC site  <a href="https://hwb.gov.wales/repository/discovery?fields=resources&amp;language=en&amp;nodeId=a4171a91-9119-42c1-920b3557beaf25d&amp;query=GCSE%20music&amp;sort=recommendation&amp;tags=Music&amp;tags=Key%20Stage%204">https://hwb.gov.wales/repository/discovery?fields=resources&amp;language=en&amp;nodeId=a4171a91-9119-42c1-920b3557beaf25d&amp;query=GCSE%20music&amp;sort=recommendation&amp;tags=Music&amp;tags=Key%20Stage%204</a> – HWB resources</p>

	<a href="https://resource.download.wjec.co.uk/vtc/2015-16/15-16_22/website/eng/index.html#">https://resource.download.wjec.co.uk/vtc/2015-16/15-16_22/website/eng/index.html#</a> - WJEC listening examples for theory (quite tricky) <a href="https://quizlet.com/en-gb/content/gcse-music-revision">https://quizlet.com/en-gb/content/gcse-music-revision</a> - hints on how to prepare for GCSE music <b>Youtube videos</b> <a href="https://youtu.be/lAMjMgHSMNO">https://youtu.be/lAMjMgHSMNO</a> - Identifying Time Signatures <a href="https://youtu.be/XJS6iYJvoY">https://youtu.be/XJS6iYJvoY</a> – Key Vocabulary part 1 <a href="https://youtu.be/WsI6O6G6Jsg">https://youtu.be/WsI6O6G6Jsg</a> - Key Vocabulary part 2 <a href="https://youtu.be/P_UeHXkpzfU">https://youtu.be/P_UeHXkpzfU</a> - Key Vocabulary part 3 <a href="https://youtu.be/4QsOsWcMsB8">https://youtu.be/4QsOsWcMsB8</a> - Key Vocabulary part 4 <a href="https://youtu.be/ex5O1iN1xOE">https://youtu.be/ex5O1iN1xOE</a> - Key Vocabulary part 5 <a href="https://youtu.be/H7KJsEz9qMg">https://youtu.be/H7KJsEz9qMg</a> - Key Vocabulary part 6 <a href="https://youtu.be/nq1yUQmo2Lg">https://youtu.be/nq1yUQmo2Lg</a> - Cadences
Subject	Publication / Website
BTEC Level 2 - Vehicle Technology	Websites <a href="https://youtu.be/bMg_j5_AGMg">https://youtu.be/bMg_j5_AGMg</a> - Good for Task 1 in Unit 12 <a href="http://www.animatedengines.com">www.animatedengines.com</a> <a href="https://www.howacarworks.com/">https://www.howacarworks.com/</a> Most tasks set on one note will have links to webpages or PPT on the task
GCSE D&T Product Design	<a href="http://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/design-and-technology/r-design-and-technology-gcse-from-2017/">http://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/design-and-technology/r-design-and-technology-gcse-from-2017/</a> <a href="https://hwb-content.s3-eu-west-1.amazonaws.com/VTC/2017/Dylunio_a_Thechnoleg/index.html">https://hwb-content.s3-eu-west-1.amazonaws.com/VTC/2017/Dylunio_a_Thechnoleg/index.html</a> <a href="https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceByArgs.aspx?subId=8&amp;lvlId=2">https://resources.wjec.co.uk/Pages/ResourceByArgs.aspx?subId=8&amp;lvlId=2</a>
GCSE Physical Education	<p><b><u>GCSE P.E. REVISION MATERIALS</u></b></p> <div>  1.Healthtrainingand exercise notes.pdf  2.Exercise-physiology notes.pdf  3.Movement-analysis notes.pdf  4.Psychology-of-sport notes.pdf  5.Socio-cultural-factors-in-sport notes.pdf </div> <p><b><u>GCSE P.E. BITESIZE LINK</u></b>  <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zqfysg8">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zqfysg8</a></p> <p><b><u>GCSE P.E INDEX</u></b>  <a href="http://resource.download.wjec.co.uk.s3.amazonaws.com/vtc/2015-16/15-16_21/eng/index.html">http://resource.download.wjec.co.uk.s3.amazonaws.com/vtc/2015-16/15-16_21/eng/index.html</a></p> <p><b><u>PAST PAPERS</u></b></p> <div>  2016 Paper.pdf  2016 Marking scheme.pdf  2017 Paper.pdf  2017 marking scheme.pdf  2018 paper.pdf </div> <div>  2018 mark scheme.pdf  2019 paper.pdf  2019 mark scheme.pdf </div>

Level 1 / 2 Award in Sport	<p>Bitesize  <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zqfyysg8">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zqfyysg8</a></p> <p>PE Index  <a href="http://resource.download.wjec.co.uk.s3.amazonaws.com/vtc/2015-16/15-16_21/eng/index.html">http://resource.download.wjec.co.uk.s3.amazonaws.com/vtc/2015-16/15-16_21/eng/index.html</a></p>
Skills Challenge Certificate	<p>Individual Project Guidance  <a href="https://nptlg-my.sharepoint.com/:b:/g/personal/gjw_npt_school/EVR0bRJ5IDFMmHapZFPSSC8BG1gYKGVogQITCZFD0t9zuA?e=DIERSO">https://nptlg-my.sharepoint.com/:b:/g/personal/gjw_npt_school/EVR0bRJ5IDFMmHapZFPSSC8BG1gYKGVogQITCZFD0t9zuA?e=DIERSO</a></p> <p>Enterprise Candidate booklet  <a href="https://nptlg-my.sharepoint.com/:w:/g/personal/gjw_npt_school/Efa9M_jP7RILoBp646Az_nlBz3bBfG0wiDZpgxd2zGP0YA?e=EKAfO2">https://nptlg-my.sharepoint.com/:w:/g/personal/gjw_npt_school/Efa9M_jP7RILoBp646Az_nlBz3bBfG0wiDZpgxd2zGP0YA?e=EKAfO2</a></p> <p>National Global Candidate Booklet  <a href="https://nptlg-my.sharepoint.com/:w:/g/personal/gjw_npt_school/EXEtO3TfYTICmYUOocmP3ZMBfSuayIEvNpTMI1N-u02tRA?e=DbXxO5">https://nptlg-my.sharepoint.com/:w:/g/personal/gjw_npt_school/EXEtO3TfYTICmYUOocmP3ZMBfSuayIEvNpTMI1N-u02tRA?e=DbXxO5</a></p>

## Pupil Progress Reporting to Parents / Carers

Year 10		
Autumn Term 2022	Spring Term 2023	Summer Term 2023
November 2022 Interim Report 1 issued.	January 2022 Interim Report 2 issued. Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> Feb Year 10 Parents' Evening March 20 <sup>th</sup> – March 31 <sup>st</sup> Internal exams	April/ May 2023 Full Reports Issued May and June 2023 GCSE External exams. Dates to be confirmed

Year 11		
Autumn Term 2023	Spring Term 2024	Summer Term 2024
September 2023 Interim Report 1 issued. October 2023 Year 11 Parents' Evening December 2023 Internal mock examinations	January 2024 full reports issued February 2024 Year 11 Parents' Evening March 2024 Interim Reports issued	May and June 2024 GCSE external exams. Dates to be confirmed.

Helping your child to cope with exam pressure and stress.

Tests and examinations can be a very challenging part of school life for both pupils and parents but there are ways to reduce this stress and anxiety. Please remind your child that feelings like this are normal. Nervousness is a natural reaction to exams. The key is to put these nerves to positive use. Being reminded of what they do know and the hard work and time they have put into study and preparing for these situations can boost their confidence.

If your child is feeling stressed and anxious about exams please speak to their teachers, form tutor or Wellbeing Director. We have a team of staff who can help and support pupils through these stressful periods. Useful advice can be found at:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/stress-anxiety-depression/coping-with-exam-stress/>

<https://www.qualificationswales.org/english/information-for-stakeholders/press-and-media/blogs-and-articles/mind-cymru/>

<https://www.wjec.co.uk/articles/conquer-your-exams-with-confidence/>

[Revision Guide; Handling Anxiety.](#)

[Revision Guide; Revision Techniques for pupils.](#)

[Revision guide; How to revise – a guide for parents and pupils.](#)



