



Key Stage 4 Resources 2021-22

General Resources



GCSEPod:

This was introduced to your son in Year 10. Your son can use this to watch podcasts in all subjects. It covers various topics and is a great way to review content from Years 9 and 10.

Students should call the **helpline number** if they have any problems logging in: **01913387830**.



GCSE Bitesize:

This resource includes quizzes, videos and catch up lessons.

www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/z98jnp3

English Language and Literature

Absolute Essentials:

- **A copy of the AQA Poetry anthology**
- **A copy of Macbeth**
- **A copy of An Inspector Calls**

Useful Additional Resources:

- **CGP Guides** for AQA anthology of poetry Love and Relationships/ CGP English AQA Language revision guide books and work books for GCSE Level 9-1/ CGP English Literature study guides for set texts (Macbeth/ An Inspector Calls). All available on Amazon.
- **Collins Snap Revision Guides**. Available for all the above Language and Literature components on Amazon.

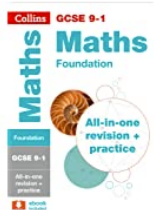
Websites and Online Resources:

- Mr Bruff (just search the required component on YouTube)
- GCSEPod (students have login details)
- <http://www.aqa.org.uk> for past papers, mark schemes etc.

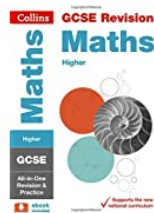


Mathematics

Revision Guides:

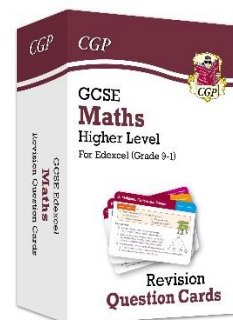
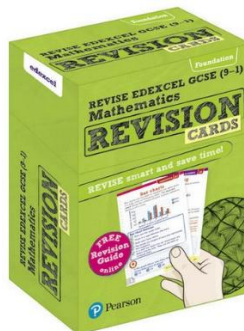
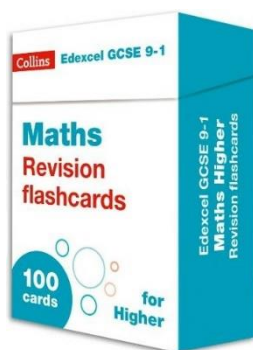


GCSE 9-1 Maths Foundation All-in-One Complete Revision and Practice: For the 2022 exams (Collins GCSE Grade 9-1 Revision) by Collins GCSE
Paperback



GCSE 9-1 Maths Higher All-in-One Complete Revision and Practice: For the 2022 exams (Collins GCSE Grade 9-1 Revision) by Collins GCSE
Paperback

Flashcards:



Additional:

Students should regularly be using www.mathsgenie.co.uk and www.corbettmaths.com, which are both free and do not require log in details.

Science (Combined and Triple)

- Online access to EzyScience website. Students have their logins and passwords.
- Snapshot Revision guides by EzyScience
- OUP Revision Guides purchased through the school. These will be available for parents to purchase on ParentPay.

Geography

- Edexcel Revision Guide: www.amazon.co.uk/Revise-Edexcel-Geography-Revision-Guide/dp/1292133775
- Visit Pupil shared drive to access the following:
 1. Lessons on Resource Management
 2. Lessons on UK Challenges
 3. Key Words List
 4. Knowledge Organisers for Paper 1, 2 and 3
 5. Personalised Learning Checklists



History

Textbooks:

Cold War (Year 11 revision)

Williams T., Oxford AQA GCSE History: Conflict and Tension between East and West 1945- 1972 Student Book.

Elizabethan England (Year 11 revision)

Waterson, L., Oxford AQA History for GCSE: British Depth Studies c1066-1685 (Norman, Medieval, Elizabethan and Restoration England).

Revision Guides:

Cold War

Williams, T., Oxford AQA GCSE History (9-1): Conflict and Tension between East and West 1945-1972 Revision Guide

Elizabethan England

Williams, T., Oxford AQA GCSE History: Elizabethan England c1568-1603 Revision Guide (9-1)

Tsardom to Communism

Fearn-Davies, M., My Revision Notes: AQA GCSE (9–1) History: Russia, 1894–1945: Tsardom and communism

And

Mr Tysall's "Russia: Tsardom to Communism Revision Booklet"

German and French

www.vocabexpress.com - Students have been given their logins and should check with their teachers again if unsure.

Theme 1 and Theme 2 '**speaking sheets**' - these have been worked on throughout Y9 and Y10 and Theme 3 will be worked on this year too. Traditionally these have been used for speaking as well as writing, so even though there is NO speaking exam, these are still very useful for the writing exam. All three themes can be found on OneDrive (links below) - both just the questions and exemplar answers.

Link to Speaking Sheets:

[OneDrive – Speaking Sheets](#)

Link to Knowledge Organisers:

[OneDrive – Knowledge Organisers](#)

Link to Other KS4 Revision Resources:

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You can also refer to your AQA vocabulary booklet given to you at the start of the year.

We recommend the AQA revision guide and workbook: www.amazon.co.uk/Revise-GCSE-German-Revision-Guide/dp/1292131438/



Design Technology

- Link to Design Technology Revision Guide:

www.pgonline.co.uk/resources/design-and-technology/gcse-aqa/?tab=textbooks

- Visit pupil shared drive for the following:
 1. Theory PowerPoint slides on all topics
 2. Access to exemplar NEA work
 3. NEA Checklists

Computer Science

Textbooks:

- CR GCSE (9-1) Computer Science - by PG online

Additional:

- For additional resources: https://en.wikibooks.org/wiki/GCSE_Computer_Science

Music

Study Guides:

- AQA GCSE Music Study Guide (Rhinegold)
- AQA GCSE Music Revision Guide (Rhinegold)

Other Resources:

- Haydn Symphony 101 'The Clock' movement 2 score (annotated EPH)
- Beatles resource booklet for set works 'With a little help from my friends', 'Lucy in the sky with diamonds' and 'Within you without you'.

Media Studies

Revision Guides:

- **Hodder GCSE Revision Guide:** [www.hoddereducation.co.uk/subjects/media-studies/products/14-16/my-revision-notes-ocr-gcse-\(9%e2%80%93\)-media-studies](http://www.hoddereducation.co.uk/subjects/media-studies/products/14-16/my-revision-notes-ocr-gcse-(9%e2%80%93)-media-studies)

Other Resources:

- Link to various Media Studies past papers: <http://rwsmedia.weebly.com/gcse-media.html>
- Various Knowledge Organisers on the RWS OneDrive



Art and Design

- Visit RWS shared drive (S: drive) for access to:
 - Lessons on development of NEA identity
 - PLC to help prepare for final exam

Revision Guides:

- GCSE Art Revision Guide: www.amazon.co.uk/Bitesize-Design-Complete-Revision-Practice/dp/1406654361

Physical Education

Revision Guides:

- PE Hodder Revision Guide - AQA GCSE (9-1) PE - Ross Howitt, Mike Murray

Other Resources:

- The EverLearner: [TheEverLearner - We use technology to humanize every classroom](#) – Linked to student's school email account.

Further Information:

- Download the Microsoft PowerPoint app on your smart phone and login to your school Microsoft account using school email address and password. This will be used to complete your digital portfolio for the NEA component of the course.

Drama

Revision Guides:

- Drama Revision Guide: www.amazon.co.uk/Grade-GCSE-Drama-Revision-Guide/dp/1782949623

Guide on Blood Brothers:

- Visit RWS shared drive (S:) for access to:
 - Theatre review templates
 - Theatre review PowerPoint on Blood Brothers

Business BTEC

- Vocabulary Organisers in assessment folders and on the RWS OneDrive
- Personalised Learning Checklists in assessment folders
- Bank of phrases for assessment sheets
- Lessons on the Shared Drive (S:)
- Revision Mats - Component 3 - Y11
- Formula Revision Retrieval Test
- Revision booklet



Religious Studies

Revision Guides and Workbooks:

- www.hoddereducation.co.uk/gcsers/wjeceduqas

Other Resources:

- The following are available for students on the shared drive:
 - Knowledge Organisers for all RS topics
 - Personalised Learning Checklists for all RS topics

RS Topics:

- Christianity
- Good and Evil
- Human Rights
- Islam
- Life and Death

Heads of Department

If you have any questions regarding GCSE subject resources then please do contact the relevant Head of Department.

Subject	Exam Board	Grading for 2021/21	Head of Department Email
English Language	AQA	1-9	Miss De Frayne: sdf@rws.uk.net
English Literature	AQA	1-9	Miss De Frayne: sdf@rws.uk.net
Mathematics/Statistics	Edexcel	1-9	Miss Franz: njf@rws.uk.net
Science	AQA	1-9	Mrs Bristow: sjb@rws.uk.net
Geography	Edexcel	1-9	Mr Galler: lg@rws.uk.net
History	AQA	1-9	Mr Tysall: grt@rws.uk.net
Design Technology	AQA	1-9	Mr Hunt: gh@rws.uk.net
Music	AQA	1-9	Ms Potter Hicks: eph@rws.uk.net
Physical Education	AQA	1-9	Mr Freds: nef@rws.uk.net
French	AQA	1-9	Ms Millar: dmi@rws.uk.net
German	AQA	1-9	Mrs Jackson-Man: cj@rws.uk.net
Art and Design	AQA	1-9	Mrs Hemmings: trh@rws.uk.net
Religious Studies	WJEC	1-9	Mr Baker: lb@rws.uk.net
Media Studies	OCR	1-9	Mr Southworth: bes@rws.uk.net
Computer Science	OCR	1-9	Mr Marriot: dmt@rws.uk.net
Business Studies	Edexcel	BTEC (Pass/Merit/Distinction)	Mrs Walters: ewa@rws.uk.net