

FACULTY & SUBJECTS	CHANGES for 2022
BEC	<p>Computer Science – Advanced Information released and has been issued to students. Practice exam papers reflecting changes to content will be issued. Revision website can be filtered to reflect changes to content. Changes affect Paper 1 – Computer Systems only. Paper 2 (programming exam) will remain unchanged. Pearson – Computer Science</p> <p>Business Studies also Feb 7th 2022. Advanced information has been released and shared with students. Reduced topic content for Paper 1 and 2. Pearson – Business Studies</p>
DT	<p>DT Subjects – Making 20% down to 10%. Evaluation 20% down to 15%. Food Preparation & Nutrition – no NEA 1 this year.</p>
ENGLISH	<p>No changes to English Language. For English Literature students don't have to study one text, which is Jekyll and Hyde.</p>
HUMANITIES	<p>Geography - Examinations in: Paper 1 – Natural Hazards, UK Landscapes, Living World; Paper 2 – Urban Challenges, Economic World, no Resource Management; Paper 3 – Geographical Investigations (Pre-Release) and Fieldwork (only unseen, no reference to own fieldwork)</p> <p>History - Examinations in: Paper 3 - Weimar and Nazi Germany. Paper 2 – Superpower Relations, the Cold War and Early Elizabethan England. NO Paper 1 – Medicine through time.</p>
LANGUAGES	<p>Writing - the examination time has been extended (Foundation 1hr 5 mins/Higher 1hr 20 mins) to reflect that there are more options for the writing tasks (3 not 2). Students are allowed more time to consider which question they answer. There is advance information for the writing paper which is on the links below.</p> <p>Vocabulary - the specification publishes lists of vocabulary used in examinations. There will be no extra vocabulary outside these lists.</p> <p>French: AQA Spanish: AQA German: AQA</p>

MATHS

A formulae sheet will be given to all students.
Advanced information has been released and has been shared with students.
Details of the advanced information for Papers 1, 2 and 3 may be found here:
[Advanced information Maths](#)
Information for both higher and foundation tiers are shown here, so do make sure you refer to the appropriate tier.

PEA

MUSIC

Comp 1
No change
Comp 2
Reduced time – 1 performance only
Comp 3
Reduced time – 1 performance only

ART

In Art, the coursework Portfolio will be assessed for 100% of the marks / grade, as there is no exam project this year.
This applies to GCSE and A level, all art subject titles.
This is the same as for last year.
The exam board need the marks to be submitted 3 weeks earlier than in previous years however, so deadlines will be brought forward.

DANCE

Performance;

One set phrase **AND** trio = combined minimum of two minutes

The single set phrase will be marked out of 12.

The duet or trio will consist of the remaining **two** set phrases.

Both assessment grids being adapted for this.

Choreography;

A solo = minimum of one and a half minutes – maximum of two and a half minutes

OR

A group dance = minimum of two minutes – maximum of three and a half minutes

Dance Appreciation;

The three six-mark question from Section B will be adapted in relation to changes of performance and choreography

DRAMA

Comp 1 – Devising - Reduced time requirements and option to just do a monologue
Comp 2 – Performance from text – Practical Exam – Reduced time requirements
Comp 3 – Option for the written exam for students to use a streamed performance for the Theatre Live section.

Advance information given regarding written text extracts. All information is on Teams.

Pearson - Drama

Text: An Inspector Calls, J B Priestley This play had its first performance at the Kemerny Theatre in Moscow in 1945. The first performance in Britain was at the New Theatre, London in October 1946. This extended extract is taken from Act 2.
STARTS: p.38 MRS B. I don't think we want any further details of this disgusting affair
– ENDS: p.48 SHEILA (with sudden alarm) Mother – stop – stop!

PE

GCSE PE - Students will be assessed in two activities rather than three.

The major focus of the 2022 exams will focus on the following areas:

Paper 1 – The human body and movement in physical activity & sport:

- **The structure & function of the musculoskeletal system** - How the major muscles work antagonistically on the major joints of the skeleton to affect movement in physical activity.
- **The structure & function of the cardio-respiratory system** – blood vessels / mechanics of breathing / Interpretation of a spirometer trace.
- **Anaerobic & aerobic exercise** – practical examples in differing intensities.
- **The short & long term effects of exercise** – long term effects of exercise.
- **Lever systems** – analysis of basic movements in sporting examples.
- **Components of fitness** - Linked sport & physical activity to the required components of fitness / reasons and limitations of fitness testing.
- **Effective use of warming up & cooling down.**

Paper 2 – Socio-cultural influences & well-being in physical activity & sport:

- **Classification of skills.**
- **Basic information processing model.**
- **Engagement patterns of different social groups in sport** – factors affecting participation.
- **Commercialisation in sport** – positive & negative impacts of sponsorship & the media / positive & negative impacts of technology.
- **Ethical & socio-cultural issues in sport** – Prohibited substances / reasons why hooliganism occurs / strategies to combat hooliganism.
- **Energy use, diet, nutrition, & hydration** – Nutrition: the role of fats, carbohydrates, protein, vitamins & minerals / reasons for maintaining water balance (hydration).

Cambridge - Students will only be assessed in three activities rather than four

PSRE

Religious Studies - Changes relate **only** to Paper 1; Paper 2 remains unchanged.

The following link shows what will be covered in the exam.

[Sheldon SharePoint](#)

SCIENCE

Physics papers only – no equation recall needed, and equation sheet will be given.

The exam board have provided information on content that will and will not be covered. This is different for each tier and for Trilogy and Separate.

Trilogy (double science)

[AQA](#)

Separate (triple)

Biology

[AQA](#)

Chemistry

[AQA](#)

Physics

[AQA](#)