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CAGs Information Booklet Year 11 March 2021

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Dear Students,

The first thing I want to do is congratulate you for your strength and perseverance during the last year. Your engagement with your teachers alongside your work ethic is to be commended. These are unprecedented times and you did not choose to for this to happen. As you are fully aware, the government has cancelled exams in the normal sense this year and has asked schools again to submit Centre Assessment Grades (CAGs) instead.

Last year we put an accurate, rigorous and fair system in place that fully reflected what our students would have achieved. This year we have done the same, we have put together an accurate, **rigorous and fair** system for you, a system where you have the opportunity to demonstrate what you can achieve.

We have 3 assessment points, the first being the current mocks, the second a series of class based assessments that may include practicals and NEAs and the final one being an assessment week in May. The Assessment Points have been designed to give students multiple opportunities to show the progress they have made between each point. Further detailed information from each subject is contained within this booklet.

Schools are all taking different approaches that reflect their students and situation. This is why the exams have been cancelled so that each school can put in place what is best for their year groups who were expecting to take their examinations this Summer. You have spent the last two years learning and progressing throughout all your courses and now is the time to show your learning.

This booklet will explain what each of your subjects is doing and how you are going to be assessed. Every subject is unique and they have planned what is best for each individual subject taking into account what has been learned, what needs to be assessed and any impact lockdown has had on your learning.

Your work will be assessed over the coming months, moderated internally and externally by exam trained staff to ensure full accuracy of all grades awarded. The most important thing now is for you to continue to work hard, reflect on your teacher's feedback and demonstrate what grade you deserve. JCQ will be expecting us to send all 3 pieces of evidence to them in the event of either a request as part of the QA process or an appeal from a student and when as staff we apply our final grade we may in some cases use the third Assessment Point to assist with our final decision.

Mr Thorne Headteacher



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The Assessment Points for Year 11 are outlined below:

Assessment Point	Exam Week / Assessment Points
1	12 th March to 19 th March
2	19 th April to 30 th April
3	7th May to 14 th May



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Year 11 Art

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by the students completing Component 1, a portfolio of practical work showing their personal response to a starting point. This includes four assessment objectives.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Students produced a penultimate outcome to their portfolio of practical work, this was marked in line with Assessment Objective 4.

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes, AO4 will be assessed again at Assessment Point 3.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There is another opportunity to produce a final outcome to their portfolio work, in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period. The penultimate piece will be used to support Assessment Point 3.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed? N/A How will this be assessed? N/A Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again? N/A

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG? $\ensuremath{\mathsf{N/A}}$

Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Component 1, a portfolio of practical work showing their personal response to a starting point.

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 - under examination conditions, alongside submitting their portfolio digitally and live for a final assessment covering all four objectives.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This assessment point covers all Assessment Objectives and will be used to inform your final CAG.



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Year 11 Biology

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by the students answering questions on these topics which correspond to chapters and double pages in the online text book:

Combined Biology CB1- CB7 Separate Biology SB1-SB8

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Combined Biology - Paper 1 – CB1-CB5 Separate Biology – Paper 1 – SB1-SB5

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Combined Biology - Yes, Paper 1 – CB1-CB5 will be assessed again during Assessment point 3 (but only specific topics. Students will be informed which topics these will be)

Separate Biology - Yes, Paper 1 – SB1-SB5 will be assessed again during Assessment point 3 (but only specific topics. Students will be informed which topics these will be)

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There are other opportunities to sit parts of these papers again, in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period, therefore these will be used to inform your final CAG grade.

Paper 1 will be used positively to help to inform the final CAG grade but will not be used to lower the final CAG grade.



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Biology (cont'd) Assessment Point 2 What will be assessed? Combined Biology – 45 minutes paper – Topics CB6 and CB7 only Separate Biology – 45 minute paper – Topics SB6, SB7 and SB8 only

How will this be assessed?

This will be assessed in lesson time during the Assessment Point 2 period. Students are usually expected to complete this within 45 minutes, but will be given the whole of their lesson time. Students who are entitled to access arrangements will also receive these.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes, during Assessment Point 3 but only topics not already assessed. Students will be informed of topics.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

Assessment Point 1 and Assessment Point 2 are the students' second opportunity to increase their mark on this section, therefore the combination of both assessment points will be used to inform your final CAG.

Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Combined Biology - 2 Papers of 30 minutes each. Paper 1 will assess CB1 to CB5. Paper 2 will assess CB6 and CB 7

Separate Biology - 2 Papers of 45 minutes each. Paper 1 will assess SB1 to SB5. Paper 2 will assess SB6, SB7 and SB8

How will this be assessed? Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again? No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG? This is another opportunity to increase your final CAG, therefore the mark for this paper is an opportunity to inform your final CAG.



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Year 11 Business

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by the students answering questions in Paper 1 (Theme 1) and Paper 2 (Theme 2). Paper 1 and 2 consist of section A, B and C. The skills that are assessed in both papers are the same and are transferrable between the three sections of each paper.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Paper 1 – A 90 minute paper covering section A, B and C.

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions.

Students who are entitled to access arrangements received these.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Section A and C – Yes. They will be assessed again at Assessment Point 2.

Section B – No. This will not be assessed again, but the skills required are transferrable to section C which will be assessed again. Students will also be assessed on Section B of Paper 2 in Assessment Point 2 and 3 and the skills are transferrable.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There are other opportunities to sit section A and C again, in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period, therefore it will be used to inform your final CAG grade.

Paper 1 is worth 50% of your final CAG.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

Paper 1 – Section A and C

Paper 2 – Section A and B.

How will this be assessed?

Paper 1, section A – Students will be given 40 minutes to complete during a lesson.

- Paper 1, section C Students will be given 40 minutes to complete during a lesson.
- Paper 2, section A Students will be given 40 minutes to complete during a lesson.

Paper 2, section B – Students will be given 40 minutes to complete during a lesson.

Students who are entitled to access arrangements will also receive these.



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Business (cont'd)

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Paper 1, Section A and C – No. This is the second opportunity for students to be assessed on these sections.

Paper 2 – Yes. Section A and B will be assessed again in Assessment Point 3.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

Paper 1 Section A and C – This is the student's second opportunity to increase their mark on this section, therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.

Paper 2 Section A and B – This will be compared to the mark achieved when assessed on it for a second time in Assessment Point 3. The highest mark out of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.

Paper 1 and Paper 2 are worth 50% each of your final CAG.

Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Paper 2 – Full 90 minute paper.

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week – under examination conditions.

Students who are entitled to access arrangements will also receive these.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

Section C – This is the first time of being assessed on this section for Paper 2. However, the skills used to assess section C in Paper 1 (Assessment Point 1 and 2) are transferrable to section C of Paper 2.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is your second opportunity to increase your final CAG therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.

Paper 2 is worth 50% of your final CAG.



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Year 11 Chemistry

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by the students answering questions on these topics which correspond to chapters and double pages in the online text book:

Combined Chemistry CC1 to CC13

Separate Chemistry SC 1-16 plus SC17, SC19, SC20 and SC21

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Combined Chemistry - Paper 1 – CC1-CC12

Separate Physics – Paper 1 – SC1- SC16

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Combined Chemistry - Yes, Paper 1 – CC1-CC12 will be assessed again during Assessment Points 2 and 3 (but only specific topics. Students will be informed which topics these will be)

Separate Chemistry - Yes, Paper 1 – SC1-SC16 will be assessed again during Assessment Point 3 (but only specific topics. Students will be informed which topics these will be)

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There are other opportunities to sit parts of these papers again, in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period, therefore these will be used to inform your final CAG grade.

Paper 1 will be used positively to help to inform the final CAG grade but will not be used to lower the final CAG grade.



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Chemistry (cont'd) Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

Combined Chemistry – 45 minute paper – Topics CC1 to CC13

Separate Chemistry – 45 minute paper – Topics SC 1-16 plus SC17, SC19, SC20 and SC21 Students will be informed more specifically about what will be assessed closer to the test.

How will this be assessed?

Will be assessed in lesson time during the Assessment Point 2 period. Students are usually expected to complete this within 45 minutes, but will be given the whole of their lesson time. Students who are entitled to access arrangements will also receive these.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes during Assessment Point 3 Students will be informed of specific topics on which questions will be set.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

Assessment Point 1 and Assessment Point 2 is the student's second opportunity to increase their mark on this section, therefore the combination of both assessment points will be used to inform your final CAG.

Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Combined Chemistry - 2 Papers of 30 minutes each – The Foundation Tier Papers will assess CC1 to CC7 and CC13. The Higher Tier Papers will assess CC1,4,5,6,10,11,12 and 13

Separate Chemistry - 2 papers of 45 minutes each- These papers will assess SC1-7 SC10-12 plus SC17,SC19-SC21

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week – under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is another opportunity to increase your final CAG therefore the mark for this paper is an opportunity to inform your final CAG.



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Year 11 Child Development

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by the students completing two units of coursework, R019 & R020. R018 was taught in Year 10 and was due to be sat in June 2020. Students will be awarded a grade for this exam unit.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

R019: Understand the key factors when choosing equipment for babies from birth to 12 months.

How was this assessed?

Moderated by OCR exam board.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

No

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

All units will be considered when awarding final CAGs.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

R020: Understand the development of a child from birth to five years.

How will this be assessed?

This unit will be assessed by school using completed work. The deadline for this is Friday 26th March.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again? No

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG? All units will be considered when awarding final CAGs.

Assessment Point 3

Further guidance will be available from the exam board after the Easter break.



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Year 11 Computer Science

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by two components (Paper 1 and Paper 2). Ethical and Legal issues (1.7) has not been formally taught, so will not be included in assessments, but all other content has been completed.

Each component has equal weighting and is assessed by examination.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed? Paper 1 and Paper 2. How was this assessed? During an assessment week under examination conditions. Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again? Yes. Paper 1 will be assessed again at AP2 Paper 2 will be assessed again at AP3

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

Each paper has equal weighting (50% each)

There will be one opportunity to sit each paper again.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

Paper 1

How will this be assessed?

Written examination in class for 1 hour during lesson time. This will be during the Assessment Point 2 period.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

No. This will be the final opportunity to improve Paper 1.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

Paper 1 is worth 50% of the CAG, as per the syllabus

This is your second opportunity to increase your final CAG for

Paper 1, therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.



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Computer Science (cont'd) Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Paper 2

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week – under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

Paper 2 is worth 50% of the CAG, as per the syllabus

This is your second opportunity to increase your final CAG for paper 2, therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.



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Year 11 Creative iMedia

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by three components (R081, R082 and R086). Only 50% of R086 was completed due to restrictions. Task 1 and Task 2 are the only tasks that will be assessed for R086. R081 and R082 have been fully taught. R081 is assessed by examination. R082 and R086 are NEA (non exam assessment).

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

R081

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again? Yes.

You will have one opportunity to sit R081 again, at Assessment Point 3.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

R081 will be worth 40% of your final CAG.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

R082 (complete unit) and R086 (task 1 and 2 only – final deadline for revisions Friday 26th March) *How will this be assessed?*

NEA (non exam assessment).

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

No. This is from your non exam assessment. There have been multiple opportunities to make improvements to the projects.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

R082 will be worth 40% of your final CAG.

R086 (task 1 and 2) will be worth 20% of your final CAG.



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Creative iMedia (cont'd) Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

R081

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week, under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

R081 will be worth 40% of your final CAG.

This is the second opportunity to increase your final CAG for R081, therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.



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Year 11 GCSE Drama

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by the students doing a Devised performance and NEA for Component 1, a performance for Component 2 and a written examination for Component 3. All aspects of the course have been taught with amendments to Component 2 only – being a monologue instead of a group performance.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Component 3 – Written examination based on DNA the play and a live theatre evaluation.

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes. Students will be assessed again on this in Assessment Point 3.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There is an opportunity to sit the paper again in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period, therefore will be used to inform your final CAG grade. The examination will take place again in Assessment point 3.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

Component 1 NEA (Devised performance and NEA coursework) and Component 2 performance (monologue)

How will this be assessed?

Component 1 NEA – the submission of their completed NEA has already passed and this is something they do not need to worry about. They all successfully completed the Devised Performance pieces and have been working on their coursework since the beginning of the academic year which they have now turned in. This is moderated and standardised by staff at Davenant, just as it would be every year.

Component 2 (monologue) - will be assessed in lesson time during the Assessment Point 2 period.



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Drama (cont'd)

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

NEA - No. The students have been working on their NEA since the beginning of the academic year and have already had multiple opportunities to draft and re-draft this work based on teacher feedback given.

Component 2 – (Monologue) – No. This will be used positively to help to inform the final CAG grade but will not be used to lower the final CAG grade. This is an opportunity for students to use those performance skills to be awarded marks. Just like the practical exam where there would usually be a visiting examiner, this will be examined by the drama team on the performance day. This should be considered as a positive experience (just as it would on any practical examination day). Once complete, this part of the assessment will be finished.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

Component 1 NEA – this will be worth 40% of final CAG, as per the syllabus.

Component 2 – this is worth 20% and will go towards the final CAG grade.

Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Component 3 – Written examination (1 hour 30 minutes)

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week – under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is your second opportunity to increase your final CAG therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG. This written aspect makes up 40% of the overall grade.



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Year 11 English

Introduction to course

You will be assessed on both Language Paper 1 and 2 as well as the following Literature texts: 'A Christmas Carol', 'An Inspector Calls' and 'Macbeth'. You will not be assessed on the Unseen Poetry element of the Literature course as you did not cover this extensively in class.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Language Paper 2 and both 'An Inspector Calls' and 'A Christmas Carol'.

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes, 'A Christmas Carol' will be assessed again at Assessment Point 3 in order for you to show progress.

'An Inspector Calls' will not be re-assessed as the same skills are also shown in other sections of the papers so will not be explicitly assessed twice.

Language Paper 2 will not be re-assessed as you will be given the opportunity to show progress in Language Paper 1 instead.

You will not need to continue revision of either Language Paper 2 or 'An Inspector Calls' therefore we have reduced the demand on you at Assessment Points 2 and 3.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

Language Paper 2 will be used in conjunction with Language Paper 1, at Assessment Points 2 and 3, to inform your final Language CAG grade.

'An Inspector Calls' will be used in conjunction with other Literature texts, assessed at Assessment Points 2 and 3, to inform your final Literature CAG grade.

There is an additional opportunity to sit the 'A Christmas Carol' section again and both of these assessments will be used to inform your final Literature CAG grade.



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English (cont'd) Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

Language Paper 1 and 'Macbeth'.

How will this be assessed?

Both will be assessed in lesson time during the Assessment Point 2 period.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes; both topics will be reassessed at Assessment Point 3.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

Language Paper 1 will be used in conjunction with the assessment of Language Paper 2 at Assessment Point 1 and the reassessment of Language Paper 1 at Assessment Point 3 to inform your final Language CAG grade.

'Macbeth' will be used in conjunction with other Literature texts, assessed at Assessment Points 1 and 3, to inform your final Literature CAG grade.

You will have an opportunity to show progress in both of these topics at Assessment Point 3.

Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Language Paper 1, 'Macbeth' and 'A Christmas Carol'.

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed during Assessment Point 3 assessment week – under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is your second opportunity to increase your final CAG in each of the topics covered. These assessments will be used in conjunction with the other assessments taken during Assessment Point 1 and 2 to inform your final CAG grades.



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Year 11 Hospitality & Catering

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by the students completing Unit 2 NEA

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

CAG Unit 1 completed 2020, these grades will be brought forward and included with the overall assessment of this course.

How was this assessed?

Already completed

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

The opportunity to improve on this grade was given in January 2021.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

Unit 1 is 40% of the overall grade and this will go towards the final CAG.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed? None How will this be assessed? N/A Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again? N/A What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG? N/A



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Hospitality & Catering (cont'd) Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

LO1 Understand the importance of nutrition in planning menus.

AC1.1 Describe functions of nutrients in the human body.

AC1.2 Compare nutritional needs of specific groups

AC1.3 Explain characteristics of unsatisfactory nutritional intake.

AC1.4 Explain how cooking methods impact on nutritional value

LO2 Understand menu planning

AC2.4 Plan production of dishes for a menu

LO3 Be able to cook dishes.

- AC3.1 Use techniques in preparation of commodities.
- AC3.2 Assure quality of commodities to be used in food preparation
- AC3.3 Use techniques in cooking of commodities
- AC3.4 Complete dishes using presentation techniques

How will this be assessed?

Deadline dates for each of the sections of Units will be given in class.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is your final section of the course both Unit 1 and Unit 2. The qualification grade is awarded on the basis of the aggregation of unit grades achieved.



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Year 11 French

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by the students answering questions in a listening paper, reading paper and a writing paper. The full course has been completely taught to students.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Listening paper, reading paper and writing paper.

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions. The listening paper was sat in the first lesson after exam week, under exam conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes, all three skills (listening, reading and writing) will be assessed again during Assessment Point 3, allowing students to demonstrate progress.

Additionally, part of the writing assessment will assessed in Assessment Point 2.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There are other opportunities to sit parts of / all of these papers again, in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period, therefore these will be used to inform your final CAG grade.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

Writing paper question 4 (foundation) and question 1 (higher).

How will this be assessed?

This writing question will be assessed in lesson time during the Assessment Point 2 period. Students will be given 30 minutes to complete this question. Students who are entitled to access arrangements will also receive these.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes, a full writing paper will be sat in Assessment Point 3 as well, offering students a further opportunity to demonstrate progress.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

For this writing question, this is the student's second opportunity to increase their mark, therefore the highest mark of the two opportunities will be used to inform the final CAG.



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French (cont'd) Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Listening paper, reading paper and writing paper.

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week – under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is your second opportunity to increase your final CAG therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.

Additional information regarding the Speaking Endorsement for languages.

The spoken language assessment in summer 2021 will be an endorsement reported on a 3-point scale (pass, merit, distinction). This will be reported alongside your final CAG grade, but will not form part of it.

The endorsement will be carried out against common assessment criteria and will take place during lesson time where possible. There will be no speaking exam.



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Year 11 Geography

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by the students answering questions from Paper 1 (Physical Geography) and Paper 2 (Human Geography).

Paper 1 Physical Geography - all topics have been completely taught to students:

- The Challenge of Natural Hazards
- The Living World
- River and Glacial Landscapes in the UK

Paper 2 Human Geography - students will only be assessed on the topics which have been completely taught:

- Urban Issues and Challenges
- The Challenge of Resource Management

Paper 3 Geography Applications - has not been taught to the students and therefore will not be assessed.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Paper 1 Physical Geography

- Section A The Challenge of Natural Hazards
- Section B The Living World
- Section C River and Glacial Landscapes in the UK

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes - Paper 1 Section A (The Challenge of Natural Hazards) and Section B (The Living World) will be assessed again at Assessment Point 3.

No - Paper 1 Section C (River and Glacial Landscapes in the UK) will not be re-assessed as these two topics have the least marks available and we want to reduce the amount of separate topics students need to revise going forward.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There is another opportunity to sit Section A and Section B of Paper 1 again, in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period, therefore this will be used to inform your final CAG grade.



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Geography (cont'd) Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

Paper 2 Human Geography

- Section A – Urban Issues and Challenges

- Section C – The Challenge of Resource Management

How will this be assessed?

Section A and Section C of Paper 2 will be assessed in lesson time during the Assessment Point 2 period. Students who are entitled to access arrangements will also receive these.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes - Paper 2 Section A (Urban Issues and Challenges) and Section C (The Challenge of Resource Management) will be assessed again at Assessment Point 3.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There is another opportunity to sit Section A and Section C of Paper 2 again, in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period, therefore this will be used to inform your final CAG grade.

Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Paper 1 Physical Geography

- Section A (The Challenge of Natural Hazards)

- Section B (The Living World)

Paper 2 Human Geography

- Sections A (Urban Issues and Challenges)
- Section C (The Challenge of Resource Management)

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week – under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No - this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is your second opportunity to increase your final CAG therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.



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Year 11 History

Introduction to course

This course has been fully taught to students and, in line with the Edexcel exam requirements, will be assessed using exams.

As per the Edexcel adaptations, students will not be taught or assessed in International Relations & The Cold War which is on the GCSE Specification in years not impacted by Covid.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Paper 1: Crime and Punishment and the Historic Environment-Whitechapel 1870-1900 (Full paper, Sections A +B)

Paper 2: Henry VIII and his Ministers 1509-1540

Paper 3: Weimar and Nazi Germany 1918-1939

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes, all 3 papers will be assessed again. Paper 2 will be reassessed in Assessment Point 2 and Papers 1 and 3 will be assessed in Assessment Point 3.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There are other opportunities to sit these papers again, in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period, therefore these will be used to inform your final CAG grade.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

Paper 1 Section A only: The Historic Environment- Whitechapel 1870-1900 Paper 2: Henry VIII and his Ministers 1509-1540 (Full paper)

How will this be assessed?

Paper 1 Section A: This will be assessed in class using exam conditions. Students would normally have 30 minutes to complete this section of the paper, so this can be done during lesson time and students with extra time will also be able to use their extra time during the lesson.

Paper 2: This will be assessed in class using exam conditions. Students would normally have 50 minutes to complete this paper, so this can be done during lesson time and students with extra time will also be able to use their extra time during the lesson.



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History (cont'd)

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

No. This is the second opportunity to show progress on Paper 2 and Section A of Paper 1. Students will not need to continue revision of Paper 2 or Section A of Paper 1, therefore we have reduced the demand on them at Assessment Point 3.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is the student's second opportunity to increase their mark on this section, therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.

Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Paper 1 – Crime and Punishment 1000- Present (Section B only)

Paper 3 – Weimar and Nazi Germany

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week – under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is your second opportunity to increase your final CAG therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.



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Year 11 Mathematics

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by the students answering questions in Paper 1 – Non Calculator, Paper 2 – Calculator and Paper 3 - Calculator. The full course has been completely taught to students.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Paper 1 – Non Calculator, Paper 2 – Calculator and Paper 3 - Calculator

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes, Paper 1 will be assessed again at Assessment Point 2 and Papers 2 and 3 will be assessed again at Assessment Point 3.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There are other opportunities to sit these papers again, in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period, therefore these will be used to inform your final CAG grade.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

Paper 1 – Non Calculator

How will this be assessed?

Paper 1 – will be assessed in lesson time during the Assessment Point 2 period. Students will sit two 45 min papers under exam conditions. Students who are entitled to access arrangements will also receive these.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

No

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

Paper 1 – Non Calculator, this is the student's second opportunity to sit this paper and will be combined with the results of Assessment Point 3 and will be used to inform your final CAG.



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Mathematics (cont'd)

Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Paper 2 – Calculator

Paper 3 – Calculator

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week – under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is your second opportunity to increase your final CAG therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.



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Year 11 Music

Introduction to course

This course is assessed in three ways:

- Component 1: Performing (solo) NEA 30%
- Component 2: Composing (one piece) NEA 30%
- Component 3: Appraising 1h 45m listening exam 40%

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Component 3: Appraising. Full paper, minus material for which students have not been prepared.

How was this assessed?

During the Mock Exam week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes: Knowledge of the 8 'Set Works', as well as general listening skills, will be assessed again at Assessment Point 3.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is your first opportunity to show your ability on the listening paper – there will be another opportunity at Assessment Point 3; the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG. The overall weighting of each component will remain the same – see above.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

- Component 1: Performing (solo) NEA
- Component 2: Composing (one piece) NEA

How will this be assessed?

Performing: To be recorded in school in April. At least one complete piece; at least one minute duration. Composition: To be completed in April. At least one minute duration.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

No.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

The overall weighting of each component will remain the same – see above.



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Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Component 3: Appraising. Full paper, minus material for which students have not been prepared.

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

The highest mark of your two opportunities (Assessment Points 1 and 3) will be used to inform your final CAG.



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Year 11 PE

Introduction to course

Students will get the opportunity to demonstrate their learning with a full Paper 1 & Paper 2 in Assessment Point 1 and Assessment Point 3. Assessment Point 2 will give students the chance to showcase their practical skills in two chosen activities and partially complete their controlled assessment.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Paper 1 – Physical factors affecting performance (60 marks – 1 hour)

Paper 2 – Socio-cultural issues & sports psychology (60 marks – 1 hour)

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Paper 1 & Paper 2 will be re-assessed during Assessment Point 3.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

We will take the students best performances from Paper 1 & Paper 2, whichever assessment point it occurs during.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

NEA – This is their two practical assessments and their AEP (Analysing & evaluating performance)

How will this be assessed?

We will use the exam board criteria to assess practical performance. We will endeavour to carry out as many practical examinations as possible and will take into consideration lack of opportunity to prepare due to the Coronavirus restrictions.

With regards to the AEP written piece of work we will only be asking students to complete the first section. This will be completed during lesson time, giving them ample time demonstrate their ability to analyse performance.



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Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

No. Every opportunity will be provided for them and we will make use of after school extracurricular clubs to ensure there is ample opportunity to achieve the best practical grade possible. Students began their AEP controlled assessment in December prior to lockdown. Whilst this has been disrupted by being out of school, they will still receive the correct amount of time to complete the first section.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

NEA undertaken in Assessment Point 2 will amount for 40% of the overall CAG grade.

Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

- Paper 1 Physical factors affecting performance (60 marks 1 hour)
- Paper 2 Socio-cultural issues & sports psychology (60 marks 1 hour)

How will this be assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is your second opportunity to increase your final CAG therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.



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Year 11 Product Design

Introduction to course

GCSE Product Design is assessed by the student's completing one exam paper (Paper 1) worth 50% and an NEA worth 50%. Students have been taught the full course. Students are still working on their NEA.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Paper 1 split over two separate examinations.

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions. Students who are entitled to access arrangements also received these.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes students will be assessed again at Assessment Point 3.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There will be opportunity to sit the one exam paper again in Assessment Point 3, in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period, therefore these will be used to inform your final CAG grade.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

NEA

How will this be assessed?

NEA – the submission of their completed NEA by 23rd April. Students who feel their NEAs are ready to be submitted earlier may submit their NEA before this deadline.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

NEA – No. The students have been working on their NEA since June 2020 and have already had multiple opportunities to draft and re-draft this work. There also have been after school clinics to support pupils with this work.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

NEA – this will be worth 50% of your final CAG, as per the syllabus.



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Product Design (cont'd) Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Paper 1

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week – under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is your second opportunity to increase your final CAG therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.



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Year 11 Physics

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by the students answering questions on these topics which correspond to chapters and double pages in the online text book: Combined Physics CP1-8, CP9a to CP9h, CP12, CP13 Separate Physics SP1-10, SP14-SP15

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Combined Physics - Paper 1 – CP1-CP6

Separate Physics– Paper 1 – SP1-SP7

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Combined Physics - Yes, Paper 1 – CP1-CP6 will be assessed again during Assessment point 3 (but only specific topics. Students will be informed which topics these will be

Separate Physics - Yes, Paper 1 – SP1-SP6 will be assessed again during Assessment point 3 (but only specific topics. Students will be informed which topics these will be

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There are other opportunities to sit parts of these papers again, in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period, therefore these will be used to inform your final CAG grade. Paper 1 will be used positively to help to inform the final CAG grade but will not be used to lower the final CAG grade.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

Combined Physics – 45 minutes paper – Topics CP7, CP8, CP9a to CP9h, CP12, CP13 Separate Physics – 45 minute paper – Topics SP 8-10 SP14 and SP15

How will this be assessed?

Will be assessed in lesson time during the Assessment Point 2 period. Students are usually expected to complete this within 45 minutes, but will be given the whole of their lesson time. Students who are entitled to access arrangements will also receive these.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes during Assessment Point 3 Students will be informed of topics.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

Assessment Point 1 and Assessment Point 2 is the student's second opportunity to increase their mark on this section, therefore the combination of both assessment points will be used to inform your final CAG.



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Physics (cont'd) Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Combined Physics - 2 Papers of 30 minutes each. Paper 1 will assess CP1 to CP6. Paper 2 will assess CP7, CP8, CP9a to CP9h, CP12, CP13

Separate Physics - 2 Papers of 45 minutes each. Paper 1 will assess SP1-SP7. Paper 2 will assess SP 8-10 SP14 and SP15

How will this be assessed? Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again? No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG? This is another opportunity to increase your final CAG, therefore the mark for this paper is an opportunity to inform your final CAG.



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Year 11 Spanish

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by the students answering questions in a listening paper, reading paper and a writing paper. The full course has been completely taught to students.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Listening paper, reading paper and writing paper.

How was this assessed?

During an assessment week under examination conditions. The listening paper was sat in the first lesson after exam week, under exam conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes, all three skills (listening, reading and writing) will be assessed again during Assessment Point 3, allowing students to demonstrate progress.

Additionally, part of the writing assessment will assessed in Assessment Point 2.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There are other opportunities to sit parts of / all of these papers again, in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period, therefore these will be used to inform your final CAG grade.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed?

Writing paper question 4 (foundation) and question 1 (higher).

How will this be assessed?

This writing question will be assessed in lesson time during the Assessment Point 2 period. Students will be given 30 minutes to complete this question. Students who are entitled to access arrangements will also receive these.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes, a full writing paper will be sat in Assessment Point 3 as well, offering students a further opportunity to demonstrate progress.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

For this writing question, this is the student's second opportunity to increase their mark, therefore the highest mark of the two opportunities will be used to inform the final CAG.



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Spanish (cont'd) Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Listening paper, reading paper and writing paper.

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 assessment week – under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This is your second opportunity to increase your final CAG therefore the highest mark of your two opportunities will be used to inform your final CAG.

Additional information regarding the Speaking Endorsement for languages.

The spoken language assessment in summer 2021 will be an endorsement reported on a 3-point scale (pass, merit, distinction). This will be reported alongside your final CAG grade, but will not form part of it.

The endorsement will be carried out against common assessment criteria and will take place during lesson time where possible. There will be no speaking exam.



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Year 11 Textile Design

Introduction to course

This course is assessed by the students completing Component 1, a portfolio of practical work showing their personal response to a starting point. There are four Assessment Objectives.

Assessment Point 1

What was assessed?

Students produced a penultimate outcome to their portfolio of practical work, this was marked in line with Assessment Objective 4.

How was this assessed?

During the Practical Mock assessment under examination conditions.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again?

Yes, A04 will be assessed again at Assessment Point 3

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

There is another opportunity to produce a final outcome to their portfolio work, in order to show any additional progress made over the assessment period. The penultimate piece will be used to support Assessment Point 3.

Assessment Point 2

What will be assessed? N/A How will this be assessed? N/A Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics/papers again? N/A What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG? N/A



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Textile Design (cont'd) Assessment Point 3

What will be assessed?

Component 1, a portfolio of practical work showing their personal response to a starting point.

How will this be assessed?

Students will be assessed in Assessment Point 3 - under examination conditions, alongside submitting their portfolio digitally and live for final assessment, covering all four objectives.

Will there be an opportunity to be assessed on these topics again?

No, this is the final assessment point for all the students.

What proportion of this assessment will go towards my final CAG?

This assessment point covers all Assessment Objectives and will be used to inform your final CAG.

