



Determination of Teacher Assessment Grades, Summer 2021

This year, students will receive GCSE and A Level grades awarded and determined by teachers with students only assessed on what they have been taught on the standard at which they are performing.

Fairness and flexibility are at the heart of this plan. Teachers have been asked to draw on a range of evidence when determining grades, including the optional use of questions provided by exam boards, as well as mock exams, coursework, or other work completed as part of a student's course, such as essays or in-class tests.

The table below outlines the core evidence used to determine the Teacher Assessed Grades (TAGs) for each subject. This is the evidence that will be used across a cohort for the majority / all students taking that subject. Individual students may have variations on the evidence used to ensure that they are not disadvantaged should they be missing elements of the core evidence.

GCSE Subject	Core Evidence
Art	Marking the Face portfolio and Final piece AO1 - (Develop ideas) AO2 - (Refine work) AO3 - (Record ideas) AO4 - (Personal response)
Biology	Term 5 assessment May 2021 Term 5 assessment May 2021 Summative: Mid Topic and End of Topic Assessments
Business Studies	Term 5 assessment May 2021 Term 6 assessment Jun 2021 Summative assignment grade Apr 2021
Chemistry	Term 5 assessment May 2021 Term 5 assessment May 2021 Summative assignment grade Apr 2021
Drama	Term 5 and 6 assessment May 2021 Term 4 Practical assessment April 2021 Summative assessment - See Devising Drama Component 2
English Language	Term 5 assessment May 2021 (English Language Paper 1) Full paper, valid mark scheme Term 6 assessment Jun 2021 (English Language Paper 2) Full paper - valid mark scheme Summative assignment grade Apr 2021
English Literature	Term 5 assessment May 2021 (English Literature Paper 1) Full paper, valid mark scheme



	Term 6 assessment Jun 2021 (English Literature Paper 2) Poetry answer - valid mark scheme Summative assignment grade Apr 2021
French	Term 5 assessment May 2021 Writing & Translation Term 6 assessment Jun 2021 Listening, Reading and Translation Summative assignment grade Apr 2021
Geography	Term 5 assessment 1 May 2021 Term 6 assessment 2 Jun 2021 End of topic tests -Rivers Sept 2020 -Human Landscape Dec 2020 -Consuming Resources Apr 2021 -Biomes Jan 2021 -Forests Feb 2021
German	Term 5 assessment May 2021 Writing & Translation Term 6 assessment Jun 2021 Listening, Reading and Translation Summative assignment grade Apr 2021
History	Term 5 assessment May 2021 Weimar and Nazi Germany Term 6 assessment Jun 2021 Medicine Through Time Summative assignment grade Apr 2021
Maths	Term 5 assessment Apr 2021 Term 5 assessment May 2021 Summative assignment grade Apr 2021
Music	Term 5 assessment May 2021 Term 6 assessment June 2021 NEA coursework Performance NEA coursework Composition Summative assignment grade Apr 2021
Physics	Term 5 assessment 1 May 2021 Term 5 assessment 2 May 2021 Summative assessment grade Apr 2021
Religious Studies	Term 5 assessment 1 -May 2021: Islam Term 5 assessment 2 May 2021: Relationships/Life and Death Summative Assessment grade Apr 2021
Sociology	Term 5 assessment May 2021 Term 6 assessment Jun 2021 Summative assignment grade Apr 2021



Sport	Term 5 assessment May 2021 Term 6 assessment Jun 2021 NEA Coursework Apr 2021 Summative assignment grade Apr 2021
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A LEVEL Subject	Core Evidence
Art	Sketchbook 1&2 Academic essay Final Piece AO1 Develop ideas AO2 Refine work AO3 Record Ideas AO4 Present personal response
Biology	AS Paper 1 & 2 – Oct 2020 A2 Papers 1, 2, 3 – May 2021 Summative: Mid Topic and End of Topic Assessments – Apr 2021
Business Studies	Total of Trial Examinations -Oct 2020 Total of Trial Examinations -May 2021 Cumulative Assessment Grade Apr 2021
Chemistry	Trial Examination Paper 1 -October 2020 Trial Examination Paper 2- October 2020 Trial Examinations (3)- May 2021 Cumulative Assessment Grade Apr 2021
Computing	Trial Examination One -October 2020 Trial Examination Two -October 2020 Trial Examinations (x3) -May 2021 Cumulative Assessment Grade Apr 2021
Economics	Total of Trial Examinations -Oct 2020 Total of Trial Examinations -May 2021 Summative Assessment Grade Apr 2021
English	Term 5 and 6 Examinations -Rossetti 1 -Unseen/modern poetry -Rossetti 2 Oct 2020 Trial examination paper (Prose, Drama) NEA (Great Gatsby and other texts coursework essay) Summative grade April 2021
Extended Project Qualification	Completed NEA submission Apr 2021
Film Studies	Oct 2020 trial examinations (One examination paper) May 2021 examinations (Three examined assessments)



	Coursework Summative grade Apr 2021
Further Mathematics	Trial Examination -Oct 2020 Trial Examination -May 2021 Cumulative Assessment Grade – Apr 2021
Geography	Paper 1 Human Oct 2021 Paper 2 Physical Oct 2021 December 2021 end of topic tests: Carbon Superpowers NEA March 2021 Paper1 Energy - May 2021 Paper 2 Superpowers – May 2021 Paper 3 HHRI – May 2021
German	Paper 1 - Listening Paper 2 - Translation Paper 3 – Response to written works Paper 4 – Reading (optional) Mock Paper 2019
History	Trial Examination One -October 2020 Trial Examination Two -October 2020 NEA Coursework – May 2021 Trial Examinations (x3) -May 2021 Cumulative Assessment Grade Apr 2021
Maths	Trial Examination -Oct 2020 Trial Examination - May 2021 Cumulative Assessment Grade – Apr 2021
Media Studies	Oct 2020 trial examinations (One examination paper) May 2021 examinations (Three examined assessments) Coursework Summative grade April 2021.
Music	Trial Examination – Oct 2020 Trial Examination - May 2021 Coursework – performance Coursework – composition Summative assignment grade 1 Apr 2021
Photography	Y12: 3 projects in sketchbooks with 2 final pieces Technical Project, Wabi-Sabi and Portraiture Y13: Digital sketchbook with final piece Academic essay AO1 Develop ideas AO2 Refine work AO3 Record Ideas AO4 Present personal response



Physics	Trial Examination -October 2020 Mean assessment grade from 2020-2021 study (8 tasks) Trial Examination May 2021
Politics	Trial Examination One -October 2020 Trial Examination Two -October 2020 Trial Examinations (x3) -May 2021 Cumulative Assessment Grade Apr 2021
Psychology	Trial Examination Oct 2020 Trial Examinations May 2021 Cumulative Assessment Apr 2021
Sociology	Trial Examination One -October 2020 Trial Examination Two -October 2020 Trial Examinations (x3) -May 2021 Cumulative Assessment Grade Apr 2021
Sport	Paper 1 Oct 2020 Paper 2 May 2021 Paper 3 May 2021 Paper 4 May 2021 NEA Coursework Summative assignment grade April 2021
Theatre Studies	Section A/C - Oct 2020 Section A, B, C – May 2021 Coursework Making Theatre Unit