

Advance Information - Summer 2022

A package of support has been put in place for students taking GCSE, AS and A level qualifications in summer 2022. It is intended to make sure that we are being as fair as possible to students given the disruption they have experienced, and many continue to face, due to the coronavirus pandemic.

Part of the changes includes [more generous grading this year](#) to provide a safety net for students who may have been impacted by the pandemic.

Advance information might look different for different subjects because of how they are structured and assessed, but as far as possible the exam boards have made sure the approaches within a subject are the same.

Exam boards have published specific information about the changes for each qualification they offer, you should check their websites for more information

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/subject-by-subject-support-for-gcse-as-and-a-level-students-in-2022>

Exam board & JCQ links:

AQA	https://www.aqa.org.uk/2022-exam-changes
Edexcel	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/campaigns/summer-2022-support.html
OCR	https://ocr.org.uk/administration/support-and-tools/siu/summer-2022-advance-info-639931/
Eduqas	https://www.eduqas.co.uk/home/2022-here-to-support-you/as-a-level-and-gcse-assessment-arrangements/advance-information/
CIE Pre U	https://www.cambridgeinternational.org/programmes-and-qualifications/cambridge-advanced/cambridge-pre-u/support-for-pre-u-june-2022/
JCQ	https://www.jcq.org.uk/summer-2022-arrangements/

To help you to find the information that you need, the school have put together the following list of subjects along with the links to the exam board website which has the advance information available:

GCSE	BOARD	SPEC	
ART (FINE ART)	AQA	8202	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/art-and-design/gcse/art-and-design-8201-8206/changes-for-2022
BIOLOGY	AQA	8461	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/biology-8461/changes-for-2022
CHEMISTRY	AQA	8462	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/chemistry-8462/changes-for-2022
CHINESE	AQA	8673	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/languages/gcse/chinese-spoken-mandarin-8673/changes-for-2022
COMPUTER SCIENCE	AQA	8525	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/computer-science-and-it/gcse/computer-science-8525/changes-for-2022
DRAMA	AQA	8261	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/drama/gcse/drama-8261/changes-for-2022

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D&T PRODUCT	AQA	8552	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/design-and-technology/gcse/design-and-technology-8552/changes-for-2022
ENGLISH LANG	EDEX	1EN0	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/english-language-2021.html
ENGLISH LIT	EDEX	1ET0	<i>No advance information, subject specific adaptations already applied</i> https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/english-literature-2015.html
FRENCH	AQA	8658	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/languages/gcse/french-8658/changes-for-2022
GEOGRAPHY	AQA	8035	<i>No advance information, subject specific adaptations already applied</i> https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/gcse/geography-8035/changes-for-2022
GERMAN	EDEX	1GN0	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/german-2016.html
HISTORY	EDEX	1HIT AT	<i>No advance information, subject specific adaptations already applied</i> https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/history-2016.html
MATHS	EDEX	1MA1	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/mathematics-2015.html
MUSIC	EDEX	1MU0	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/music-2016.html
PHYSICS	AQA	8463	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/physics-8463/changes-for-2022
PE	OCR	J587A	https://ocr.org.uk/qualifications/gcse/physical-education-j587-from-2016/
RELIGIOUS STUDIES A	AQA	8062	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/religious-studies/gcse/religious-studies-a-8062/changes-for-2022
RUSSIAN	EDEX	1RU0	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/russian-2017.html
COMBINED SCIENCE TRILOGY	AQA	8464	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/combined-science-trilogy-8464/changes-for-2022
SPANISH	AQA	8698	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/languages/gcse/spanish-8698/changes-for-2022

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ART (FINE ART)	AQA	7202	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/art-and-design/as-and-a-level/art-and-design-7201/changes-for-2022
BIOLOGY	AQA	7402	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/as-and-a-level/biology-7401-7402/changes-for-2022
BUSINESS STUDIES	EDEX	9BS0	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-a-levels/business-2015.html
CHEMISTRY	AQA	7405	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/as-and-a-level/chemistry-7404-7405/changes-for-2022
CHINESE	CIE	9778	https://www.cambridgeinternational.org/programmes-and-qualifications/cambridge-pre-u-mandarin-chinese-9778/ https://www.cambridgeinternational.org/programmes-and-qualifications/cambridge-advanced/cambridge-pre-u/support-for-pre-u-june-2022/advance-information/

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COMPUTING	AQA	7517	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/computer-science-and-it/as-and-a-level/computer-science-7516-7517/changes-for-2022
D&T PRODUCT DESIGN	EDEX	9DT0	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-a-levels/design-technology-product-design-2017.html
DRAMA & THEATRE STUDIES	OCR	H459	https://ocr.org.uk/qualifications/as-and-a-level/drama-and-theatre-h059-h459-from-2016/
ECONOMICS A	EDEX	9ECO	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-a-levels/economics-a-2015.html
ELECTRONICS	EDUQUAS	A490QS	https://www.eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/electronics-as-a-level/#tab_overview
ENGLISH LANG	AQA	7702	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/english/as-and-a-level/english-language-7701-7702/changes-for-2022
ENGLISH LIT	EDEX	9ET0	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-a-levels/english-literature-2015.html
FRENCH	AQA	7652	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/languages/as-and-a-level/french-7652/changes-for-2022
GEOGRAPHY	AQA	7037	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/as-and-a-level/geography-7037/changes-for-2022
GERMAN	EDEX	9GN0A	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-a-levels/german-2016.html
POLITICS	EDEX	9PL0	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-a-levels/politics-2017.html
HISTORY	EDEX	9HI01E	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-a-levels/history-2015.html
LAW	OCR	H418 OptB	https://ocr.org.uk/qualifications/as-and-a-level/law-h018-h418-from-2020/
MATHS B (MEI)	OCR	H640	https://ocr.org.uk/qualifications/as-and-a-level/mathematics-b-mei-h630-h640-from-2017/
FURTHER MATHS B (MEI)	OCR	H645	https://ocr.org.uk/qualifications/as-and-a-level/further-mathematics-b-mei-h635-h645-from-2017/
MUSIC	AQA	7272	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/music/a-level/music-7272/changes-for-2022
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	OCR	H555	https://ocr.org.uk/qualifications/as-and-a-level/physical-education-h155-h555-from-2016/
PHYSICS	AQA	7408	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/as-and-a-level/physics-7407-7408/changes-for-2022
PSYCHOLOGY	AQA	7182	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/psychology/as-and-a-level/psychology-7181-7182/changes-for-2022
RS	OCR	H573A	https://ocr.org.uk/qualifications/as-and-a-level/religious-studies-h173-h573-from-2016/
RUSSIAN	EDEX	9RU0	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-a-levels/russian-2017.html
SPANISH	EDEX	9SP0A7	https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-a-levels/spanish-2016.html
CORE MATHS LEVEL 3	AQA	1350 OptB	https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/mathematics/aqa-certificate/mathematical-studies-1350/changes-for-2022
EPQ	AQA	7993	No changes https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/projects/project-qualifications/EPQ-7993