

Year 11 Homework Timetable

Subjects set one homework per week, with the following exceptions:

- Art, Sculpture and Textiles – homework is a continuation of project work, and not stand alone tasks. Approx one hour a week.
- Business Studies, Economics and Cambridge National Business – one homework will be set per fortnight.
- Child Development: homework is set once a week for completion within 7 days. Homework for most of Year 11 is based upon the completion of the child study which is set in September for completion in March.
- Computing (both courses GCSE Computer Science and BTEC Level 1/2 First Award in Creative Digital Media Production) - a one homework will be set per fortnight.
- Drama – an average of 1 hour's independent work per week. This could be line-learning, research, rehearsal or a written task.
- English - homework will be set so that on average students will have an hour's worth of work each week; however, sometimes this will comprise longer pieces over several weeks and on occasions when students have no set written homework they will have reading set or work on spelling improvement.
- Ethics - ongoing scrap books to be kept up to date every week, with news and media events relating to the topics being studied for the exam. A practice exam question will be set once a half term following the completion of a topic. Students also have optional "stretch and challenge" homeworks they can choose to complete.
- Food Preparation and Nutrition - homework is set once a week for completion within 7 days. In addition, homework will also include research and preparation for the 2 NEA practical assessments in September/October and January/ February.
- History - homework will usually be research every 2 weeks during the Controlled Assessment period of the Autumn term, but after the January 'mock exams' it increases to every week during the revision period from February to May.
- Languages – for each modern language studied at GCSE, students are set one piece of homework per week. The homework will vary between: reading or listening practice; written assignments; speaking preparation; exam practice.
- PE – no homework set for core. GCSE PE homework is set once a week, Vocational Sport homework is set at the teacher's discretion.
- Science – students have an independent learning booklet for each topic - this has several short 5 minute quizzes (one in advance of each lesson). Students will also be directed to do one longer revision homework per topic. A topic is roughly 10 lessons long.

Some additional information which you may find useful:

- Irrespective of whether a separate homework task is issued on a weekly basis, Science and D&T expect some work to be undertaken every week. This can include revision for module tests and work on Formally Assessed Tasks (Science).
- BTEC Dance homework is a mixture of written work and practice rehearsal
- Music homework may include either written/listening work or practical work on composition/performance coursework.
- There will be times when homework for all subjects will involve revision for mock and final GCSE exams.