

Summer 2026 - GCSE Examination Timetable

WEEK 1: THURSDAY 07 - FRIDAY 08 MAY								
Thu 07 May	AM	GCSE	08:45	Psychology	Paper 1: Studies and applications in psychology 1	J203/01	OCR	1hr 30m
		GCSE	08:45	Turkish	Paper 1: Listening followed by Paper 3: Reading	1TU0 1F/1H & 1TU0 3F/3H	Pearson Edexcel	35/45mins & 50m/1hr 5m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	German	Paper 2: Listening	1GN1 2F/2H	Pearson Edexcel	45m/1hr
Fri 08 May	AM	GCSE	08:45	Sociology	Paper 1: The sociology of families and education	8192/1	AQA	1hr 45m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Drama	Understanding Drama	8261/W	AQA	1hr 45m
WEEK 2: MONDAY 11 - FRIDAY 15 MAY								
Mon 11 May	AM	GCSE	08:45	English Literature	Paper 1: Shakespeare and the 19th century novel	8702/1	AQA	1hr 45m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Business	Paper 1: Investigating Small Business	1BS0 01	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 45m
Tue 12 May	AM							
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Biology	Biology (Combined Science Trilogy) - Paper 1	8464/B/1F / 1H	AQA	1hr 15m
		GCSE	13:15	Biology	Biology (Separate) - Paper 1	8461/1F / 1H	AQA	1hr 45m
Wed 13 May	AM	GCSE	08:45	Geography	Paper 1: Global Geographical Issues	1GB0 01	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 30m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Computer Science	Paper 1: Computer Systems	J277/01	OCR	1hr 30m
Thu 14 May	AM	GCSE	08:45	Mathematics	Paper 1: Non Calculator	1MA1 1F / 1H	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 30m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Psychology	Paper 2: Studies and applications in psychology 2	J203/02	OCR	1hr 30m
		GCSE	13:15	German	Paper 3: Reading	1GN1 3F / 3H	Pearson Edexcel	45m / 60m
Fri 15 May	AM	GCSE	08:45	History	Paper 1: History Paper 1a & 1b	8145/1A&1B/B	AQA	2hr
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Sociology	Paper 2: The sociology of crime and deviance and social stratification	8192/2	AQA	1hr 45m

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WEEK 3: MONDAY 18 - FRIDAY 22 MAY								
Mon 18 May	AM	GCSE	08:45	Chemistry	Chemistry (Combined Science Trilogy) - Paper 1	8464/C/1F / 1H	AQA	1hr 15m
		GCSE	08:45	Chemistry	Chemistry (Separate) - Paper 1	8462/1F / 1H	AQA	1hr 45m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Media Studies	Component 1: Exploring Media	C680U10-1	WJEC Eduqas	1hr 30m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Urdu	Paper 1: Listening followed by Paper 3: Reading	1UR0 1H & 3H	Pearson Edexcel	45m & 1hr 5m
Tue 19 May	AM	GCSE	08:45	English Literature	Paper 2: Modern texts and poetry	8702/2	AQA	2hr 15m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Computer Science	Paper 2: Computational thinking, algorithms and programming	J277/02	OCR	1hr 30m
Wed 20 May	AM	GCSE	08:45	French	Paper 2: Listening	1FR1 2F / 2H	Pearson Edexcel	45m / 60m
	PM							
Thu 21 May	AM	GCSE	08:45	English Language	Paper 1: Explorations in creative reading and writing	8700/1	AQA	1hr 45m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Business	Paper 2: Building A Business	1BS0 02	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 45m
Fri 22 May	AM	GCSE	08:45	PE	Paper 1: Physical Education - Fitness And Body Systems	1PE0 01	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 30m
		GCSE	08:45	Turkish	Paper 4: Writing	1TU0 4F / 4H	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 25m
	PM							
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WEEK 4: MONDAY 01 - FRIDAY 05 JUNE								
Mon 01 June	AM	GCSE	08:45	PE	Paper 2: Physical Educaiton - Health And Performance	1PE0 02	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 15m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	German	Paper 4: Writing	1GN1 4F / 4H	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 15m / 1hr 20m
Tue 02 June	AM	GCSE	08:45	Physics	Physics (Combined Science Trilogy) - Paper 1	8464/P/1F / 1H	AQA	1hr 15m
		GCSE	08:45	Physics	Physics (Separate) - Paper 1	8463/1F / 1H	AQA	1hr 45m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Media Studies	Paper 2: Understanding Media (includes screening)	C680U20-1	WJEC GCSE	1hr 30m
		GCSE	13:15	Portuguese	Paper 1: Listening followed by Paper 3: Reading	1PG0 1F/1H & 3F/3H	Pearson Edexcel	35m/45m & 50m/1hr
		GCSE	13:15	Russian	Paper 1: Listening followed by Paper 3: Reading	1RU0 1F/1H & 3F/3H	Pearson Edexcel	45m
Wed 03 June	AM	GCSE	08:45	Mathematics	Paper 2: Calculator	1MA1 2F / 2H	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 30m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Geography	Paper 2: UK Geographical Issues	1GB0 02	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 45m
Thu 04 June	AM	GCSE	08:45	History	History GC - Paper 2 - 2a & 2b	8145/2A/A & 2B/C	AQA	2hr
	PM	GCSE	13:15	French	Paper 4: Reading	1FR1 3F / 3H	Pearson Edexcel	45m / 1hr
Fri 05 June	AM	GCSE	08:45	English Language	Paper 2: Writers' viewpoints and perspectives	8700/2	AQA	1hr 45m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Music	Component 3: Appraising	1MU0 03	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 45m
WEEK 5: MONDAY 08 - FRIDAY 12 JUNE								
Mon 08 June	AM	GCSE	08:45	Biology	Biology (Combined Science Trilogy) - Paper 2	8464/B/ 2F / 2H	AQA	1hr 15m
		GCSE	08:45	Biology	Biology (Separate) - Paper 2	8461/ 2F / 2H	AQA	1hr 45m
	PM	CNAT	13:15	Creative iMedia	Creative iMedia: Written Exam	R093/01	OCR	1hr 30m
		GCSE	13:15	French	Paper 4: Writing	1FR1 4F / 4H	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 15m / 1hr 20m
Tue 09 June	AM	GCSE	08:45	Spanish	Paper 2: Listening	1SP1 2F / 2H	Pearson Edexcel	45m / 1hr
	PM							
Wed 10 June	AM	GCSE	08:45	Mathematics	Paper 3: Calculator	1MA1 3F / 3H	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 30m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Design And Technology	Written paper	8552/W	AQA	2hr
		GCSE	13:15	Russian	Paper 4: Writing	1RU0 4H	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 25m
Thu 11 June	AM	GCSE	08:45	Geography	Paper 3: People & Environmental Issues	1GB0 03	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 30m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Food Preparation & Nutrition	Written paper: Food preparation & nutrition	8585/W	AQA	1hr 45m
Fri 12 June	AM	GCSE	08:45	Chemistry	Chemistry (Combined Science Trilogy) - Paper 2	8464/C/ 2F / 2H	AQA	1hr 15m
		GCSE	08:45	Chemistry	Chemistry (Separate) - Paper 2	8462/ 2F / 2H	AQA	1hr 45m
	PM	GCSE	13:15	Portuguese	Paper 4: Writing	1PG0 4H	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 20m

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WEEK 6: MONDAY 15 - FRIDAY 19 JUNE								
Mon 15 June	AM	GCSE	08:45	Physics	Physics (Combined Science Trilogy) - Paper 2	8464/P/ 2F / 2H	AQA	1hr 15m
		GCSE	08:45	Physics	Physics (Separate) - Paper 2	8463/ 2F / 2H	AQA	1hr 34m
	PM	FSMQ	13:15	Additional Mathematics	Maths: Additional Maths Paper	6993/01	OCR	2hr
Tue 16 June	AM	GCSE	08:45	Spanish	Paper 3: Reading	1SP1 3F / 3H	Pearson Edexcel	45m / 60m
	PM							
Wed 17 June	AM	GCSE	08:45	Spanish	Paper 4: Writing	1SP1 4F / 4H	Pearson Edexcel	1hr 15m / 1hr 20m
	PM							
Thu 18 June	AM							
	PM							
Fri 19 June	AM							
	PM							
WEDNESDAY 24 JUNE								
Wed 24 June		GCSE / A / AS LEVELS / Level 3		CONTINGENCY DAY	<i>JCQ regulations state that candidates must remain available up to and including Wednesday 24 June should an awarding body need to invoke its contingency plan for exams.</i>			