



Which Week?

This Week: Monday 8th April (Week 1)

Next Week: Monday 15th April (Week 2)

Sixth Sense

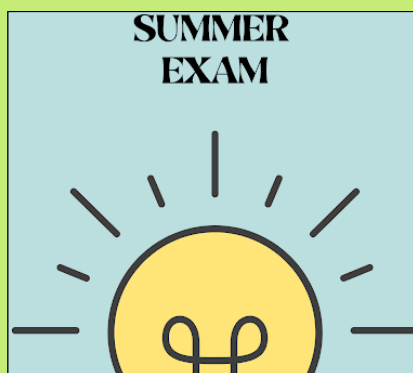


Podcast recommendation of the week! In Our Time (All subjects!)

How many of you would like to become an 'authority' in a given subjects in less than an hour?

It gives me great pleasure to again, acquaint you with yet another 'legendary' podcast/programme called In Our Time that discusses and explores a wide variety of historical, scientific, cultural, religious and philosophical topics in its archives that go back more than 25 years.

A science student wanting to better understand mitochondria—[click here](#); an English Literature student wanting to know more about The Great Gatsby—[click here](#); an Art student wanting to develop knowledge of the Japanese artist Hokusai—[click here](#); a History student revising the Tudors—[click here](#). The home page to In Our Time can be found by [clicking here](#)—once again, there is something for everyone to be found!



Summer Exam Overview

As the final term of the academic year commences and we move towards the Summer 2024 examinations for both our Year 13, Year 12 and Year 11 students, a number of communications have gone out that we wanted to take

the opportunity to remind both parents, carers and students about these.

1. A letter was emailed to parents and carers that outlined the details related to the Summer 2024 exam series within the Academy in addition to Joint Council for Qualifications (JCQ) guidance with regard to conduct and the overview of the examinations timetable.
⇒ [THIS LETTER CAN BE ACCESSED THROUGH CLICKING HERE.](#)
2. A more succinct overview of the examinations schedule was also published as an easily downloadable pdf document in addition to a chronological overview published on page 2 of this copy of Inside Kingshurst.
⇒ [THIS OVERVIEW CAN BE ACCESSED THROUGH CLICKING HERE.](#)

The Academy would also like to remind students, parents and carers that a bespoke copy of your examination timetable that will outline your specific examinations, date, time and seat within their exam venue will be provided as normal. Please be advised that these specific details could be subject to change.

Young Minds: Exam Stress—A Guide For Young People

Linked to the summer examination related messages above, please find a hyperlink below, courtesy of the mental health organisation YoungMinds who have produced an excellent [guide for young people](#) regarding the area of exam stress.

- Link: <https://www.youngminds.org.uk/young-person/coping-with-life/exam-stress/>
- An equivalent guide aimed at **parents and carers** can also be found through clicking on the following link: <https://www.youngminds.org.uk/parent/parents-a-z-mental-health-guide/exam-time/>



SUMMER EXAMS 2024									GCSE	A-LEVEL
WEEK-1	Morning Exam Session: 0900				Afternoon Exam Session: 1300					
	Exam board	EXAM	Minutes	Year	Exam board	EXAM	Minutes	Year		
Tuesday 30th April	AQA	Spanish Speaking	All day	11	AQA	Spanish Speaking	All day	11		
Wednesday 1st May	AQA	Spanish Speaking	All day	11	AQA	Spanish Speaking	All day	11		
Thursday 2nd May	AQA	Spanish Speaking	All day	11	AQA	Spanish Speaking	All day	11		
Friday 3rd May	Edexcel	BTEC L3 Sport & Exercise Science Unit 3: Applied Sport & Psychology	180	12						
WEEK-2										
Morning Exam Session: 0900				Afternoon Exam Session: 1300						
Monday 6th May		None				None				
Tuesday 7th May	Edexcel	BTEC Tech Award H&SC (BHS03) - Health & Wellbeing	120	11		None				
Wednesday 8th May		None								
Thursday 9th May	Edexcel	BTEC Tech Award Sport (BSP03) - Dev fitness to imp particip in Sport	90	11	AQA	Drama	90	11		
Friday 10th May	AQA	Combined Science: Biology Paper 1 - Foundation	75	11	Edexcel	BTEC Tech Award Child Dev (BCD03) - Supporting Children to Play, Learn & Develop	120	11		
		Combined Science: Biology Paper 1 - Higher	75	11						
WEEK-3										
Morning Exam Session: 0900				Afternoon Exam Session: 1300						
Monday 13th May	AQA	English Literature Paper 1	105	11	AQA	Media Studies Paper 1	90	11		
Tuesday 14th May	AQA	Business Adv Paper 1	120	13	AQA	Business Paper 1	105	11		
Wednesday 15th May	Edexcel	History Paper 1 - Medicine in Britain	75	11	OCR	Computer Science Paper 1 - Computer Systems Written	90	11		
					AQA	Psychology Paper 1	105	11		
Thursday 16th May	Edexcel	Mathematics Paper 1 (Non-Calculator) - Foundation	90	11	WJEC	Criminology Theories Paper Based - Criminology Unit 2	90	12		
	Edexcel	Mathematics Paper 1 (Non-Calculator) - Higher	90	11						
Friday 17th May	AQA	Combined Science: Chemistry Paper 1 - Foundation	75	11	AQA	Geography Paper 1	90	11		
	AQA	Combined Science: Chemistry Paper 1 - Higher	75	11						
	AQA	Psychology Adv Paper 1 - Introductory topics in Psychology	180	13						
WEEK-4										
Morning Exam Session: 0900				Afternoon Exam Session: 1300						
Monday 20th May	AQA	English Literature Paper 2	135	11	AQA	Media Studies P2	90	11		
					AQA	Media Studies Adv Paper 1	120	13		
Tuesday 21st May	AQA	Business Adv Paper 2	120	13	OCR	Computer Science Paper 2 - Computational thinking, algorithms & programming	105	11		
Wednesday 22nd May	AQA	Combined Science: Physics Paper 1 - Foundation	75	11		None				
	AQA	Combined Science: Physics Paper 1 - Higher	75	11						
Thursday 23rd May	AQA	English Language Paper 1	75	11	AQA	Psychology Paper 2	105	11		
	OCR	History A: Civil Rights in the USA 1865-1992 Written	150	13						
Friday 24th May	AQA	English Literature Adv Paper 1 - Love through ages	180	13		None				
WEEK-5										
Morning Exam Session: 0900				Afternoon Exam Session: 1300						
Monday 3rd June	Edexcel	Mathematics Paper 2 (Calculator) - Foundation	90	11		None				
	Edexcel	Mathematics Paper 2 (Calculator) - Higher	90	11						
Tuesday 4th June	AQA	Spanish Listening - Foundation	35	11	Edexcel	History Paper 2 - Superpower, saxon, Norman	105	11		
	AQA	Spanish Reading - Foundation	45	11	Edexcel	Mathematics Adv - Pure Mathematics 1	120	13		
	AQA	Spanish Listening - Higher	45	11	AQA	Media Studies Adv Paper 2	120	13		
	AQA	Spanish Reading - Higher	60	11						
Wednesday 5th June	AQA	Geography Paper 2	90	11	AQA	Business - Business Paper 2	105	11		
	AQA	English Literature Adv Paper 2	150	13	AQA	Biology Adv Paper 1	120	13		
					WJEC	Criminology Unit 4: Crime & Punishment Paper Based	90	13		
Thursday 6th June	AQA	English Language Paper 2	105	11		None				
	AQA	Business Adv Paper 3	120	13						
Friday 7th June		None			AQA	Combined Science: Biology Paper 2 - Foundation	75	11		
					AQA	Combined Science: Biology Paper 2 - Higher	75	11		
					OCR	History A: England 1547-1603: Later Tudor Written	90	13		
WEEK-6										
Morning Exam Session: 0900				Afternoon Exam Session: 1300						
Monday 10th June	Edexcel	Mathematics Paper 3 (Calculator) - Foundation	90	11	OCR	Creative iMedia: Media Industry Written	90	11		
	Edexcel	Mathematics Paper 3 (Calculator) - Higher	90	11	AQA	Spanish Writing - Foundation	60	11		
	AQA	Chemistry Adv Paper 1 - Inorganic and Physical Chemistry	120	13	AQA	Spanish Writing - Higher	75	11		
Tuesday 11th June	AQA	Combined Science: Chemistry Paper 2 - Foundation	75	11	Edexcel	History Paper 3 - Weimar & Nazi Germany	80	11		
	AQA	Combined Science: Chemistry Paper 2 - Higher	75	11	Edexcel	Mathematics Adv - Pure Mathematics 2	120	13		
	OCR	History A: Cold War in Europe 1941-1995 Written	60	13						
Wednesday 12th June	AQA	Dance	90	11		None				
Thursday 13th June						None				
Friday 14th June	AQA	Geography Paper 3	90	11	AQA	Combined Science: Physics Paper 1 - Foundation	75	11		
	AQA	Biology Adv Paper 2	120	13	AQA	Combined Science: Physics Paper 1 - Higher	75	11		
WEEK-7										
Morning Exam Session: 0900				Afternoon Exam Session: 1300						
Monday 17th June		None				None				
Tuesday 18th June	WJEC	Design & Technology	120	11		None				
	AQA	Chemistry Adv Paper 2 - Organic and Physical Chemistry	120	13						
Wednesday 19th June	Eduqas	Food preparation and nutrition	105	11		None				
	AQA	Biology Adv Paper 3	120	13						
Thursday 20th June		None				None				
Friday 21st June	AQA	Chemistry Adv Paper 3	120	13						