Coursework and Controlled Assessment Timetable 2017 -2018

Coursework (CW)

Although some subjects dedicate class time to modular coursework it is mainly written work produced by the student independently and in their own time.

Controlled Assessment (CA)

Controlled assessment is a new approach for those subjects that require internal assessment.

It is a tightening of the circumstances in which candidates, over a period of time, complete those aspects of the subject that are usually marked by their teacher.

Year 11

Subject	Type	Dates	Description
Art	CW CA CA	Sept-June January exam May exam	On-going in class and homework throughout the year 1 day (9 periods) 1 day (9 periods)
Digital Technology	CA	February - June	**Preparation** for Controlled Assessment which will take place in Year 12.
English Literature English Language	CA	Shakespeare - May examinations.	on-going prep work in class - Terms 2 and 3 20% of final Literature Qualification. *Taking and Listening assessments all year in class time (final tasks worth 20%)
Geography	CW	June - field trip	On-going in class and homework through the month in preparation for final GCSE Unit 3 Fieldwork exam 20%
Journalism	CA	Ongoing controlled class times Two hour slot Jan exam Two hour slot May exam	On-going preparation in class time. Final GCSE 25% Unit 1 CA
Moving Image Arts	CA	September - June Task 1 - November Task 3 - December/January	Component 2: Acquisition of skills in Moving Image Production. 20 % of final marks Component 2 consists of 4 tasks that will be assessed in class time throughout the academic year. The 4 tasks will be submitted for moderation in the Summer of Year 12.

		Task 2 - February/March Task 4 - May/June	
Technology	CA	January-June. To be continued in Year 12	Unit 3 Design and Manufacturing Project. Students complete a design project comprising of a design portfolio and an associated manufacturing task. 50% of GCSE.

Year 12

Subject	Type	Dates	Description
Art	CW CA CA	Sept-April January exam April exam	On-going in class and homework throughout the year 1 day (9 periods) 10 hours
Biology	CA	Planning and Practical - November Interpretation and Evaluation -During January examinations	25% of final mark Planning and Practical completed in class Interpretation and Evaluation during exam period .
Business Studies	CA	September-December	12 hour research task completed in class until half term. 3 hour write up in exam conditions in class time split over November and December. Worth 25%
Chemistry	CA	3 tasks - Booklet **A** planning, data collection (November) and Booklet **B** analysis (January)	25% of final mark Combination of class time and slot during the Jan examinations.
English	CA	Analysis of Spoken speech - w/c 16 Oct Analysis of written word - slot in Jan exam Creative writing - late January/early February	On-going preparation in class Talking and Listening all year in class Talking and Listening 20% final GCSE English Language 40%
Geography	CA	September to October half term	Unit 3 is worth 25% of final GCSE grade. Data collection in June of Year 11. ALL CA will take place during Geography class time; high control will be completed in class under exam conditions.

History	CA	October to January	Unit 3 25% of final GCSE grade. Teaching and preparation work completed in class time. Pupils will answer two questions on the assassination of JFK. Final write up will take place during January mock examinations.
Home Economics	CA	October-February	On-going in class and for homework as appropriate. Two written tasks: Consumer Awareness - 20%, Diet and Health 40% (including the practical examination)
ICT	CA	Task 1 Sept - Dec in class, prep time +CA Task 2 Jan - March in class, prep time + CA	Task 1 Website 50% of Unit 2 Task 2 Game Design 50% of Unit 2 Unit 2 is 30% of final GCSE
Journalism	CA	Sept - January w/c 18 September tabloid write-up w/c 9 October internet write up w/c 13 November Part One Broadcast Journalism Jan exams - Part 2 Broadcast Journalism	On-going prep in class time final GCSE 60% CA.
LLW	CA	W/C 24th September and finishing W/C 11th December	2nd CA completed. Worth 30% of final grade.14 hours research and 5 hours to complete.
Modern Languages	CA	Launch during last class w c 2 October w/c 9 Oct 1 week preparation class/home Y12 Spanish Speaking	GCSE Speaking Task 1 (15%) 1 week preparation in class/home Examination conducted by teacher and moderated by CEA

		Task 1 Wed 8 Nov - Thurs 9 Nov Y12 German Speaking Task 1 Mon 13 Nov- Tues 14 Nov Y12 French Speaking Task 1 Wed 22 Nov- Thurs 23 Nov Launch last class w/c 20 November w/c 27 Nov 1 week preparation class/home Task completed during timetabled slot during January mock examinations Launch last class w/c 26 February w/c 5 March 1 week preparation in class/home Y12 French Speaking Task 2 Mon 9-Tues 10 April Y12 German/Spanish Speaking Task 2 Mon 16 -Tues 17 April	GCSE Writing Task 2 (15%) 1 wees preparation in class/home Task completed under exam conditions and marked by CEA GCSE Speaking Task 2 (15%) 1 week preparation in class/home Examination conducted by teacher and moderated by CEA
Moving Image Arts	CA	Sept - May	Component 3: Planning and Making a Moving Image Product. 40% of final mark. Students will produce a Film or Animation Portfolio that they will develop in class throughout the academic year. They will submit their portfolio at the end of April/beginning of May for external moderation.

Music	CA	Sept-April	on-going in class. Two composition tasks, 30% of overall award.
PE	CA	8 week exercise programme presentation week beginning 11th December, 2017. Practical (both elements) On-going Sept-Mar	20% of final mark 40% of final mark
Technology	CA	1 day over Christmas Examination period plus hours and prep done throughout year September - end April.	Design and Make Task 40% final grade

Year 13

Subject	Type	Dates	Description
Art	CW CA CA	Sept- May Dec exam May exam	On-going in class and homework throughout the year 1day (9 periods) 15 hours
Biology	CW	1.November - December 2. January - February Deadline for all components: 29th March	2 practical tasks involving implementing, evaluation and interpreting 20% of AS marks
Geography	CW	September	Module 3- primary data collection at Magilligan Field Centre: creation of a 100 word report and a table of data. Preparation for the exam throughout the year. 20% of final AS mark
Health & Social Care	CW	Unit AS1 - Submission 15th Dec. 2017 or 13th April 2018 Unit AS2 - Final Submission 15th Dec. 2017 or 13th April 2018	**Unit 1 Providing Positive Care** 25% of AS (12.5% of total A Level) A written report **Unit 2 Communication in Care Settings** 25% of AS (12.5% of total A Level) A written report
Moving Image Arts	CW	Nov-March	3 Minute film & documentation. Various deadlines throughout period.
Music Music Technology	Comp task CW	May Sept-May	Composition to be completed by February with revisions complete by May on-going in class time for May submission

PE	CW	Unit 2 Local Study 27 Oct National Study 20 Dec Performance of Analysis 29 March	Unit 2 is 50% of final mark at AS
Physics	CA	External Practical Exam	Completed during Summer exams, 26% of AS, 13% A2
Software Systems Development	CW	1 C# Project Nov – March	AS Unit 2, 50% of AS(20% of A2).
Technology	CW	Sept - May	Unit 2 Product Development. Analysis, redesign and manufacture of a product task 50% of AS 20% of A2.

Year 14

Subject	Type	Dates	Description
Art	CW CA CA	Sept-May Dec exam May exam	on-going in class and homework throughout the year 1 day (9 periods) 12 hours
Biology	CW	Jan - March deadline for submission: 29th March	Plan, implement, interpret and evaluate an investigation. 20% of marks at A2
Chemistry	Practical exam	May/June 2018 (as per CCEA timetable)	Practical booklet A consists of a variety of practical tasks. Students take the assessment in the laboratory. Practical booklet B consists of a variety of questions testing knowledge of practical techniques, observations and calculations. Students take the examination in an examination hall. 20% of A2 12% of A Level
Digital Technology	CW	Sept - Feb	1 project using MS Access for Unit 2 of A2. (20% of A2). Completed as classwork and homework.
English Literature	CW	Sept - Feb	20% Prose comparison - 2500 essay
Health & Social Care	CW	Unit A2:2 Submission 15th Dec. 2017 or 13th April 2018	**Unit A2:2 Body Systems and Physiological Disorders** 25% of A2 (12.5% of total A Level) A written report

		Unit A2:5 Final Submission 15th Dec. 2017 or 13th April 2018	**Unit A2:5 Supporting The Family** 25% A2 (12.5% of total A Level) A written report
Moving Image Arts	CW	Nov-29th March	5 Minute film and appropriate documentation. Various Deadlines throughout the year.
Music	Comp task	May	Composition /recording task to be completed by May
Nutrition and Food Science	CW	October to February	A research task resulting in a 4000 word report. On-going in class and for homework. One complete Unit worth 30% of the marks at A2.
PE	CW	**Development Plan** 20 March **International Study** 27 October **Life Plan** 26 April	Unit 4 is 50% of A2
Physics	CA	3 tasks : evaluative, quantitative, qualitative	20% at A2, completed during January exams
Software Systems Development	CW	1 project based on a Case Study. Dec - March	Unit 2 of A2, 30% of A2.
Technology	CW	Sept - May	Unit 2 System Design and Manufacture Task to include a portfolio and manufactured project 30% of A2