

Assessment Window – Plan of Assessments for Centre Determined Grades

We now have a clearer picture of how assessment will take place this year. It is the work produced under controlled conditions within the next half term, (the Assessment Window) that will determine grades. Guidance is clear that all grades must be awarded based on evidence that follows procedures set out by the school and individual departments. All pupils will be judged on the same criteria to ensure fairness and to ensure that the process is robust. The work completed outside of controlled conditions will be invaluable as preparation and may be used to confirm a grade if necessary.

Teachers will advise and guide pupils through the assessments, giving them the opportunity to produce their best work. From now on, every lesson will be preparation for assessments, assessments or a mixture of preparation and assessment. During these uncertain times we will, as always do our best to communicate effectively with you and keep you up to date with the progress of your child. We will do our best to help pupils to learn and to support them, even if they are unable to attend school for a period of time. We are determined that no pupil will be disadvantaged due to circumstances beyond their control. We will be following WJEC and Qualifications Wales guidance in all instances, including if a pupil is unable to sit an assessment or assessments within the window.

Important: The plan shows the weeks within the assessment window. If a subject shows assessment in a week it does not necessarily mean that all lessons in that week will be assessment lessons. Nor does it mean that whole lessons in that week will be used for assessments. A green square on a subject plan shows that there is a plan for some assessment of that subject within that week.

This plan is correct at the time of distribution but is subject to change due to possible periods of isolation etc.

Your teachers have gone through the assessments and identified when they will be completing the assessments necessary for their qualifications.

Where qualifications are not WJEC they may say, “ASSESSMENTS WILL CONTINUE UNTIL...” as the deadlines for those assessments may be later than the end of the Assessment Window.

Where different groups / tiers are doing assessments at different times, this is communicated clearly within the table for that subject.

All WJEC assessments must be completed and marked by teachers by 21st May to allow time for quality assurance and moderation in line with the Centre Determined Grade Policy.

Subject: Art

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Portfolio AO1	Pupil response						
Portfolio AO2	Pupil response						
Portfolio AO3							
Portfolio AO4							

Subject: Biology

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
UNIT 2	Past paper questions						

Subject: Retail Business

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 1	Controlled Assessment						
Unit 3	Controlled Assessment						

Subject: Business Enterprise (BTEC / Not GCSE)

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 1	Pupil response						
Unit 2	Pupil response						
Unit 4	Pupil response						
Unit 5	Pupil response						
Unit 8		ASSESSMENTS WILL CONTINUE UNTIL June 18th					

Subject: Chemistry

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 2	Past paper questions						

Subject: Computer Science

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 1	Past Papers						
Unit 2	Past Papers						

Subject: Construction

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 1	Past Papers						
Unit 2	Brick laying Prac						
Unit 2	Carpentry Prac						

Subject: Double Award Science

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 4 (Biology)	Past Paper Questions						
Unit 5 (Chemistry)	Past Paper Questions						
Unit 6 (Physics)	Past Paper Questions						

Subject: Drama

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
UNIT 1	Practical Performance						
UNIT 1	Nea Evaluation						
UNIT 3	PAST PAPER QUESTIONS						

Subject: Engineering

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 1	Design Assignment						
Unit 2	Machining Prac						
Unit 3	PPQ's						

Subject: English Language - 1A classes only

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 2	Past Paper						
Unit 3	Past Paper						

Subject: English Language – all other classes

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 2	Past Paper						
Unit 3	Past Paper						

Subject: English Literature

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 2 Poetry	NEA						
Unit 1 - OMAM	Past Paper						

Subject: Equality and Diversity

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 1-3	Assessment booklets						

Subject: Food and Nutrition

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
NEA2	Practical 3 Course meal						
Unit 1	PPQ's						

Subject: French

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 1-	Speaking						Speaking assessments all week (during lesson time)
Unit 2-	Listening				Full listening paper 45 marks		
Unit 3 -	Reading			Reading -2 x 6 mark questions		48 marks reading questions	
Unit 4 -	Writing		Writing -Two questions – one 16 marks, one 28 marks			Writing assessment – 16 or 28 mark question	

Subject: Geography

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit One	Past Paper Questions	Tectonics	Tectonics Urban/Rural	Urban/Rural Landscapes	Landscapes		
Unit Two	Past Paper Questions				Weather, Climate	Weather, Climate, Ecosystems	Weather, Climate, Ecosystems

Subject: History

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 1 - DWR	Past paper questions						
Unit 2 - GER	Past paper questions						
Unit 4 - NEA	Controlled Assessment						

Subject: ICT (GCSE)

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 2 - NEA	Controlled Assessment						
Unit 3 – Theory	Past paper questions						
Unit 4 - NEA	Controlled Assessment						

Subject: ICT (ITQ)

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 23 – DTP	Pupil response						
Unit 25 - Presentation	Pupil response						
Unit 29 – Word Processing	Pupil response						
Unit 1 – Improving productivity Using ICT	Pupil response	Assessments will continue until June 18th					

Subject: Maths

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 1 (All tiers)	Past paper questions						
Unit 2 (All tiers)	Past paper questions						

Subject: Maths (Numeracy)

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 1 (All tiers)	Past paper questions						
Unit 2 (All tiers)	Past paper questions						

Subject: Media Studies

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
UNIT 3	NEA MAGAZINE						
UNIT 1	PAST PAPER QUESTIONS						
UNIT 2	PAST PAPER QUESTIONS						

Subject: Music

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 1 - Performing	Final Recording NEA	Preparation time				Assessment of Final Recording	
Unit 2 - Composing	Final Recording NEA	Preparation time				Assessment of Final Recording	
Unit 3 - Appraising	Past Paper Questions	Practice questions and skill building		Final Past Paper Assessments			

Subject: PE (GCSE)

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 1 - Paper 1	Past Paper	16 – lesson 2					
Unit 1 - Paper 2	Past paper			28 – lesson 4			
Unit 1 - Paper 3	Past paper					10 lesson 3	
Unit 2 - Practical	NEA	Video evidence collection during practical GCSE PE lessons and core PE. There will be extra-curricular provision also.					

Subject: Physics

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 2	Past Paper Questions						

Subject: Skills Challenge (WBQ)

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Individual Project	Project						

Subject: Welsh

Assessed Unit	Assessment Type	Delivery planned for week beginning					
		12 Apr	19 Apr	26 Apr	3 May	10 May	17 May
Unit 4	Past paper						
Unit 3	Past paper						
Unit 2	Oral exam						