



THE KING'S ACADEMY

Emmanuel Schools Foundation

To All Year 11 Parents/Carers

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Dear Parents,

Important changes to curriculum for GCSEs

To mitigate for the disruption to students' education caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, examination boards have released advance information for students to help them prepare for their final examinations (commencing Monday 16 May). To assist parents with supporting their child's revision, we have collated the relevant links to the exam board websites overleaf.

Information has been separated into two types:

- General Information: **summary** information about each qualification, including:
 - specification / syllabus;
 - assessment arrangements, e.g. exam information, coursework;
 - practice exam papers (in most subjects);
 - summary level changes for summer 2022 assessments.
- Advance Information: **specific information** about summer 2022 examinations, which may include:
 - format for examination papers;
 - topics that will be examined;
 - information on specific questions on exam papers;
 - **Please note that not all subjects have been issued with advance information.**

Teachers will be using this information to guide students' revision and we encourage parents to use these materials to support their child's independent revision in the coming weeks.

Please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher or the relevant Head of Department in the coming weeks if you have queries regarding the information for each subject.

Yours sincerely,

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GCSE Subjects

English Language	General Information	Advance Information
English Literature	General Information	<i>No advance information</i>
Mathematics	General Information	Advance Information
Biology	General Information	Advance Information
Chemistry	General Information	Advance Information
Physics	General Information	Advance Information
Combined Science	General Information	Advance Information
Religious Education	General Information	Advance Information
French	General Information	Advance Information
German	General Information	Advance Information
Geography	General Information	Advance Information
History	General Information	<i>No advance information</i>
Computing	General Information	Advance Information *

* Use the link and select 'GCSE' as the Qualification Level and 'Computer Science J277' as the Qualification.

Art & Design	General Information	<i>No advance information</i>
Business Studies	General Information	Advance Information
Design Technology	General Information	Advance Information
Drama	General Information	Advance Information
Fine Art	General Information	<i>No advance information</i>
Physical Education	General Information	Advance Information
Textiles	General Information	<i>No advance information</i>

Vocational Subjects

Child Development	General Information	<i>No advance information</i>
Engineering Design	General Information	<i>No advance information</i>
Enterprise & Marketing	General Information	<i>No advance information</i>
Health & Fitness	General Information	<i>No advance information</i>
Health & Social Care	General Information	<i>No advance information</i>
Hospitality & Catering	General Information	<i>No advance information</i>
Information Technology	General Information	Advance Information *

* Use the link and select 'Cambridge Nationals' as the Qualification Level and 'Information Technologies R012' as the Qualification.