

# KS3 End of Year Examinations

Y7
w/c 22<sup>nd</sup> May



#### Subject: English

#### What will my assessment look like?

A 45-minute assessment paper which will assess two English skills: reading and writing.

- **Reading:** you will read a short extract from a novel you have not read before. You will then be asked to answer 9 questions asking you to explain the meaning of words, to retrieve key information from the text and explain why the writer has chosen to use particular language to describe certain things. You should use the 'what, how, why' structure to help you answer the extended answer question.
- **Writing:** you will then be asked to write a short piece of narrative writing. You will be given a title and a prompt to use.

There will also be a final NGRT test to see how much your reading age has improved over the year. This will take place in lessons before the end of the summer term.

#### What do I need to revise?

The paper is unseen so you cannot learn any specific answers.

However, you can revise:

- The what how why structure.
- SPaG spelling, punctuation and grammar.
- How writers write narrative fiction by reading at home for pleasure.

#### Where can I get help with revising?

- BBC Bitesize for SPaG there are lots of helpful hints, tips and quizzes on here https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z7vdy9q
- BBC Bitesize for tips on narrative writing <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zn8tkmn">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zn8tkmn</a>
- Your exercise book for reminders of how to use the 'what, how, why' structure.
- Sparx Reading (once you get logged on) to help with extra reading.
- Plus, any reading you do (books, magazines, newspapers, fiction or non-fiction) will all help you to be a better writer.

# Subject: Maths

#### What will my assessment look like?

#### A 45-minute assessment paper.

- This covers topics from the whole year.
- You will be allowed to use a calculator.
- You will need a pen, pencil, and ruler.
- If you have protractor and compasses, these will also be useful.

#### What do I need to revise?

- Place value.
- Bar charts and Venn diagrams.
- Fractions, decimals, percentages.
- Algebra: like terms and substitution.
- Operations with fractions.
- ∆rea
- Properties of triangles.
- Sequences.





- Sparx Maths extra exercises to build XP are great for revision.
- Corbett maths <u>www.corbettmaths.com</u> 5-a-day Numeracy / Foundation to revise key skills.
- You are welcome to take your book home to revise, but please remember to bring it back for your Maths lessons!

# Subject: Science

#### What will my assessment look like?

#### 50-minute assessment

- Your assessment will focus on all the topics you have covered this year.
- The assessment will focus on both the content learned in lessons as well as the skills developed during practical work.

#### What do I need to revise?

The following topics have been covered this year, so these are the ones you will need to revise:

- Cells.
- Forces.
- Energy.
- Matter.
- Variation.
- Acids and Alkalis.
- Current.
- Separating mixtures.

#### Where can I get help with revising?

- You can use your class exercise book with all your completed work from your lessons.
- Revision guides are available in the LRC for you to sign out using your library card / number. You will then be able to take these home and use them for your revision.
- You can also use the following websites to help with your revision:
- BBC Bitesize https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zng4d2p
- Seneca Learning https://senecalearning.com/en-GB/
- Your teacher will also be preparing you for the assessment during your normal lessons.

#### Subject: History

## What will my assessment look like?

#### 50-minute assessment

- 20 multiple choice and 20 marks of extended writing questions.
- Mix of current and old topics.

#### What do I need to revise?

- Norman Conquest.
- Medieval England.
- West African Kingdoms.

- Knowledge organisers on Teams.
- KS3 History BBC Bitesize





### Subject: Geography

### What will my assessment look like?

#### 50-minute assessment.

- 20 multiple choice and 20 marks of extended writing questions.
- Mix of current and old topics.

### What do I need to revise?

- Where are the world's fantastic places?
- What is my local area like?
- What is it like at the coast?
- How do countries develop?
- What is the weather?

#### Where can I get help with revising?

- Knowledge organisers (on Teams)
- KS3 Geography BBC Bitesize

#### Subject : Spanish

### What will my assessment look like?

Bronze, Silver and Gold tasks in Listening, Reading and Translation

#### What do I need to revise?

- Frequency phrases e.g., every day.
- Family members.
- Activities.
- Weather.
- Verbs.
- Opinions and reasons.

- Sentence builders.
- Revision packs.
- Your books.
- Teams.
- Sentencebuilders.com.
- BBC bitesize.





# Subject: Technology

### What will my assessment look like?

45-minute exam paper covering two material areas.

• A mix of theory and design questions

#### What do I need to revise?

#### Textiles:

- Embroidery stitches.
- Weaving.
- Applique.
- Annotating design ideas.

#### Food:

- Eatwell guide.
- Sensory analysis.
- Knife skills.
- Hygiene practises.

# **Product Design:**

- Design briefs and specifications.
- Metal properties.
- Die casting.
- Alloys.
- Workshop tools & equipment.

# Where can I get help with revising?

• Updated knowledge organisers available on Teams

#### Subject: Computer Science

# What will my assessment look like?

45-minute assessment on Microsoft Teams.

• A mix of multiple choice and extended writing questions.

# What do I need to revise?

- Internet Safety.
- Control technology (flowcharts).
- Graphics.
- Spreadsheets.
- Binary.
- Input and output devices.

- Your books.
- Microsoft Teams.
- Seneca.
- BBC bitesize.
- Knowledge Organizers.





# Subject: Open Minds

# What will my assessment look like?

### 50-minute assessment

- 20 multiple choice and 20 marks of extended writing questions.
- Mix of current and old topics.

### What do I need to revise?

- Why should we follow rules?
- Relationships.
- Money and Finance.

- Knowledge organisers on Teams.
- BBC Bitesize Religious Studies <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zh3rkqt">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zh3rkqt</a>
- BBC Bitesize PSHE and Citizenship- https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z3ckjxs
- Oak National Relationships, Safety and the Wider World https://classroom.thenational.academy/subjects-by-key-stage/key-stage-3/subjects/rshe-pshe

