

Dear Parents/Guardians and Students (Year 11)

The table below outlines the amount of work completed in each subject during the course of this academic year (2017/2018) which has a direct impact on your son's GCSE grade. This takes the form of Controlled Assessment, coursework or end of year modules. You will see clearly the percentage weighting for each of these. Reminder:

Controlled Assessment: Set by Examination Boards and cannot be repeated (actual % goes directly towards GCSE)

Module: Successful grade essential due to high % weighting and content is not re-taught in 5th yr)

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| Subject | LINEAR SUBJECT FROM SEPT 2017 | % 4 th yr (CA / CW) | % Module 4 th Yr May / June | % 5 th yr (CA/CW) | % Module 5th Yr May/June |
| Art | <mark>√</mark> | No | No | 60% coursework 40% CA (Exam) | No |
| Biology | | No | 35% | 25 % (practical skills) | 40% |
| Bus Studies | | No | 40% | 20% | 40% |
| Chemistry | | No | 35% | 25% (practical skills) | 40% |
| Computer Science | <mark>√</mark> | No | No | 20% | 2 Exams 80% |
| Construction | | 25% | 20% | 25% | 30% |
| DA Science | | 0% | Feb – 33% - 3 modules available – 2 chosen for sitting May - terminal element | 25% | 42% |
| Drama | <mark>√</mark> | 25% | No | 35% | 40% |
| English Lang. | | 20% (2 CAs) | 30% Unit 1 | 20% Talking and Listening | 30% Unit 2 |
| English Lit. | | No | 30% Unit 1 | 20% CA | 50% Unit 2 |
| French | √ | No | No | No | 100% - 4 papers |
| Geography | | No | 40% Unit 1 | No | 40% Unit 2 20% (Fieldwork module) |
| History | | No | 60% Unit 1 | No | 40% Unit 2 |
| Home Econ | V | No | No | 50% | 50% |
| Digital Technology | | No | 30% | 30% | 40% |
| Irish | <mark>√</mark> | No | No | No | 100% - 4 papers |
| LLW | <mark>√</mark> | No | 40% | 40% | 20% |
| Maths | 1 Yr Maths Programme | No | T4 Exam 45% T6 Exam 55% (Summer 18 – 100% complete) | No | No |

| | 2 Yr Maths Programme | No | M4 Exam 45% | No | M7 or M8 terminal paper 55% (Entry dependent on My 11 M4 result) |
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| Moving Image Arts | <mark>√</mark> | 20% | No | 40% | 40% |
| Music | √ | No | No | 65% | 35% |
| PE | | No | No | 50% | 50% |
| Physics | | No | 35% | 25% | 40% |
| Religion | | No | 50% | No | 50% |
| Spanish | √ | No | No | No | 100% - 4 papers |
| Technology | √ | 40% | No | 10% | 50% |