



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 (2019/2020) 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

Subject	LINEAR SUBJECT FROM SEPT 2017	% 4 th yr (CA / CW)	% Module 4 th Yr May / June	% 5 th yr (CA/CW)	% Module 5 th Yr May/June
Art & Design	√	No	No	60% Coursework 40% CA (Exam)	No
Biology		No	35%	25 % (practical skills)	40%
Bus Studies		No	40% (Unit 1)	20% CA (Unit 3)	40% (Unit 2)
Chemistry		No	35%	25% (practical skills)	40%
Computer Science	√	No	No	0%	2 Exams 100%
Construction		25%	20%	25%	30%
DA Science		0%	Feb – 33% - 3 modules available – 2 chosen for sitting May - terminal element	25% (practical skills)	42%
Drama	√	25% Component 1 10% Student Log 15% Group Performance	No	35% Component 2 Group Performance	40% Component 3 Written Exam
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	Yes 50% of full GCSE – 2 papers, Reading & Listening	No	Yes 50% of full GCSE – 2 papers, Oral & Writing
Geography		No	40% Unit 1	No	40% Unit 2 20% (Fieldwork module)
History		No	60% Unit 1	No	40% Unit 2

Food & Nutrition	√	No	No	50%	50%
Digital Technology		No	30%	30%	40%
Irish		No	50% of full GCSE – 2 papers, Reading & Listening	No	50% of full GCSE – 2 papers, Oral & Writing
LLW		No	Unit 1 Exam - 20% Unit 2 Exam - 20%	N/A	N/A
Maths	<u>1 Yr Maths Programme</u>	No	M4 Exam 45% M8 Exam 55% (Summer 2020 – 100% complete)	No	No
	<u>2 Yr Maths Programme</u>	No	M4 Exam 45%	No	M7 - 55%
Moving Image Arts	√	20%	No	40%	40%
Music	√	No	No	30%	35% - performances 35% Exam
PE	√	No	No	50%	50%
Physics		No	35%	25%	40%
Religion		No	50%	No	50%
Spanish		No	Yes 50% of full GCSE – 2 papers, Reading & Listening	No	Yes 50% of full GCSE – 2 papers, Oral & Writing
Technology	√	No	No	50%	50%