



Functional Skills, Mock Exams and GCSE 2025

MOCKS – JANUARY 2

<u>Date</u>	<u>Period</u>	<u>Exam</u>	<u>Length of Time</u>	<u>Students</u>
Monday 13 th January	1 and 2	Biology	1 hour 15 mins	
Monday 13 th January	4 and 5	Art	2 hours	Group 1 - TBA
Tuesday 14 th January	1 and 2	English Language	1 hour 45 mins	
Tuesday 14 th January	4 and 5	Art	2 hours	Group 1 – TBA
Wednesday 15 th January	1 and 2	Maths	1 hour 30 mins	
Wednesday 15 th January	4 and 5	Art	2 hours	Group 1 - TBA
Thursday 16 th January	1 and 2	Chemistry	1 hour 15 mins	
Thursday 16 th January	4 and 5	Art	2 hours	Group 1 - TBA

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Monday 20 th January	1 and 2	English Language	1 hour 45 mins	
Monday 20 th January	4 and 5	Art	2 hours	Group 1 - TBA
Tuesday 21 st January	1 and 2	Maths	1 hour 30 mins	
Tuesday 21 st January	4 and 5	Art	2 hours	Group 2 - TBA
Wednesday 22 nd January	1 and 2	English Literature	1 hour 45 mins	
Wednesday 22 nd January	4 and 5	Art	2 hours	Group 2 - TBA
Thursday 23 rd January	1 and 2	Physics	1 hour 15 mins	
Thursday 23 rd January	4 and 5	Art	2 hours	Group 2 - TBA

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Monday 27 th January	1 and 2	Maths	1 hour 30 mins	
Monday 27 th January	4 and 5	Art	2 hours	Group 2 - TBA
Tuesday 28 th January	1 and 2	English Literature	2 hour 15 mins	

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Tuesday 28 th January	4 and 5	Art	2 hours	Group 2 - TBA
Wednesday 29 th January	1 and 2	Geography	1 hour 15 mins	
Thursday 30 th January	1 and 2	History	1 hour 30 minutes	

** Geography and History

Functional Skills Exams – PERIOD 1

<u>Date</u>	<u>Period</u>	<u>Exam</u>	<u>Length of Time</u>	<u>Students</u>
Monday 25 th November	1 and 2	Maths – Level 1 and 2	25 mins and 1 hour 30 mins	
Tuesday 26 th November	1 and 2	English – Level 1 and 2 reading	1 hour	
Wednesday 27 th November	1 and 2	English – Level 1 and 2 writing	1 hour 15 min	
Thursday 28 th November	2 and 3	ICT	2 hours	

ART GCSE External Exam 8201/X

<u>Date</u>	<u>Period</u>	<u>Exam</u>	<u>Length of Time</u>	<u>Students</u>
Monday March 24 th – Thursday 27 th March	1-3	ART	12 hours (including AA)	Group 1 – TBA
Monday 31 st March – Thursday 3 rd April	1-3	ART	12 hours (including AA)	Group 2 - TBA

Functional Skills Exams – PERIOD 2

<u>Date</u>	<u>Period</u>	<u>Exam</u>	<u>Length of Time</u>	<u>Students</u>
Tuesday 29 th April	1 and 2	Maths – Level 1 and 2	25 mins and 1 hour 30 mins	
Wednesday 30 th April	1 and 2	English – Level 1 and 2 reading	1 hour	
Thursday 1 st May	1 and 2	English – Level 1 and 2 writing	1 hour 15 min	

Exam Timetable

Functional Skills Speaking and Listening Assessments – Term 3

Filming of Level 1 and 2 Speaking and listening presentations and discussions. To be completed by Thursday 3rd April.

GCSE Dates – 2025

<u>Date</u>	<u>Exam</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Length</u>
Monday 12 th May	AQA - English Literature	AM	1 hour 45 mins
Tuesday 13 th May	AQA - Combined Science Trilogy – Biology	PM	1 hour 15 mins
Wednesday 14 th May	OCR - Geography B	AM	1 hour 15 mins
Thursday 15 th May	AQA - Mathematics	AM	1 hour 30 mins
Friday 16 th May	Pearson - History	AM	1 hour 15 mins
Monday 19 th May	AQA - Combined Science Trilogy – Chemistry	AM	1 hour 15 mins
Tuesday 20 th May	AQA - English Literature	AM	2 hours 15 mins
Thursday 22 nd May	AQA - Combined Science Trilogy – Physics	AM	1 hour 15 mins
Friday 23 rd May	AQA – English Language	AM	1 hour 45 mins
Wednesday 4 th June	AQA - Mathematics	AM	1 hour 30 mins
Thursday 5 th June	Pearson - History	PM	1 hour 45 mins
Friday 6 th June	AQA – English Language	AM	1 hour 45 mins
Friday 6 th June	OCR - Geography B	PM	1 hour 15 mins
Monday 9 th June	AQA - Combined Science Trilogy – Biology	AM	1 hour 15 mins
Tuesday 10 th June	Pearson - History	PM	1 hour 20 mins

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Wednesday 11 th June	AQA - Mathematics	AM	1 hour 30 mins
Wednesday 11 th June	CONTINGENCY AFTERNOON		
Thursday 12 th June	OCR - Geography B	AM	1 hour 30 mins
Friday 13 th June	AQA - Combined Science Trilogy – Chemistry	AM	1 hour 15 mins
Monday 16 th June	AQA - Combined Science Trilogy – Physics	AM	1 hour 15 mins
Wednesday 25 th June	CONTINGENCY DAY		

The awarding bodies have designated Wednesday 25 June 2025 as the 'contingency day' for examinations. The afternoon of Wednesday 11 June has been designated as the 'contingency afternoon' for examinations.

This is consistent with the qualification regulators' document Exam system contingency plan: England, Wales and Northern Ireland – [gov.uk/government/publications/exam-system-contingency-plan-england-wales-and-northern-ireland](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/exam-system-contingency-plan-england-wales-and-northern-ireland)

The designation of 'contingency days' within the common examination timetable is in the event of national or significant local disruption to examinations in the United Kingdom. It is part of the awarding bodies' standard contingency planning for examinations.

Centres must therefore remind candidates that they must remain available until Wednesday 25 June 2025 should an awarding body need to invoke its contingency plan.

Results will be sent to be received in schools/colleges as follows:

Electronically to schools/colleges Wednesday 20 August 2025

Available to students Thursday 21 August 2025

GCSE Spoken Language Assessment – Marks entered on AQA Centre Services by May 7th 2025