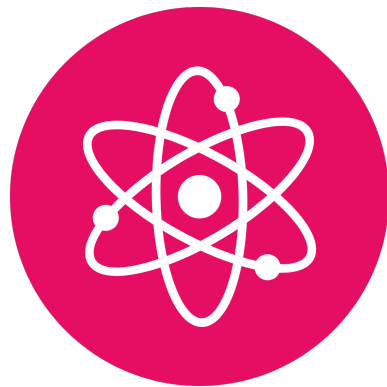
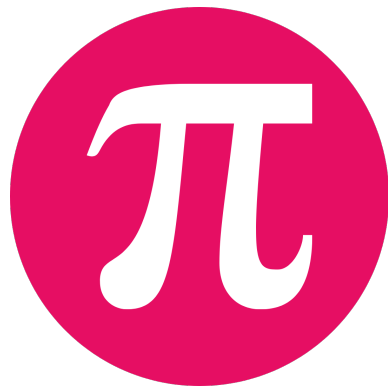
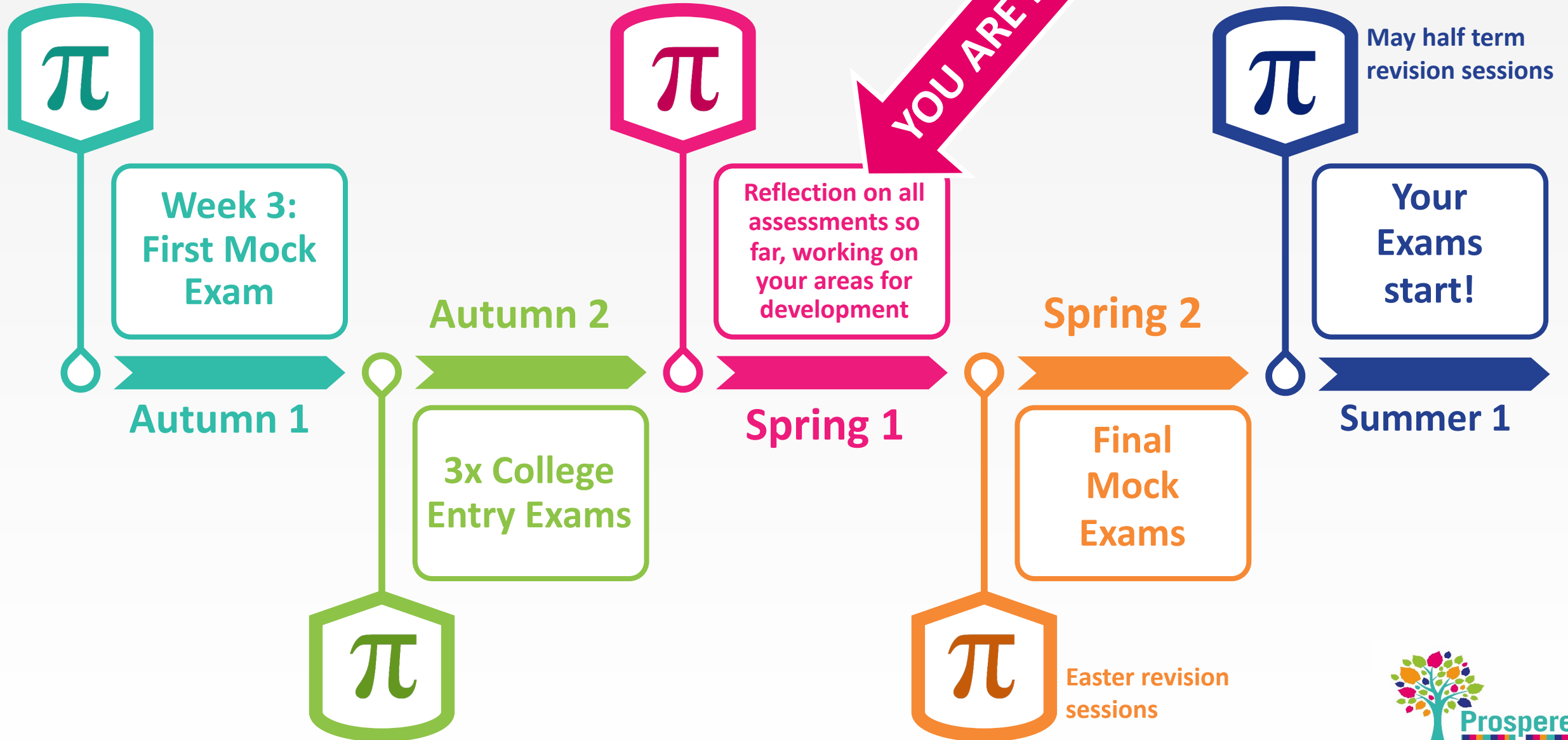


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Year 11 Timeline



Foundation
(grades 1-5)

Paper 1
Non-calculator

33.3% weighting

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marks



Paper 2
Calculator

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Paper 3
Calculator

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(grades 4-9)

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Paper 2
Calculator

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Paper 3
Calculator

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10th June



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Friday 20 May 2022 – Morning

GCSE (9–1) Mathematics

J560/01 Paper 1 (Foundation Tier)

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

You must have:
• the Formulae Sheet for Foundation Tier (inside this document)

You can use:
• a scientific or graphical calculator
• geometrical instruments
• tracing paper



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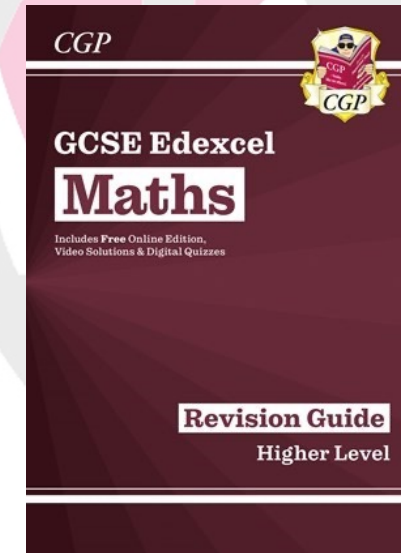


Mathematics Assessment Feedback

Questions	Question Title	Score	Clip Number
1a	Adding mixed numbers	2 / 2	66
1b	Dividing mixed numbers	1 / 2	70
2	Share in a given ratio	1 / 3	333
3	Percentage profit	0 / 4	760
4a	Speed, estimate complex calculations	3 / 3	719, 131
4b	Speed	1 / 1	719
5a	Plans and elevations	1 / 2	838
5b	Surface area of a pyramid	1 / 4	0
6	Gradient, quadrilaterals	0 / 5	199, 204, 824
7	Combined transformations	0 / 2	657
8	Share in a given ratio, area of a triangle	3 / 4	332, 557
9a	Index form (powers of unit fractions)	1 / 1	108
9b	Index form (power of 0 and 1)	1 / 1	103
9c	Index form (powers of non-unit fractions)	2 / 2	109
10a	Box plots	3 / 3	435
10b	Box plots	0 / 2	436
11	Circle theorems	0 / 5	599, 603, 605
12	Direct algebraic proof	0 / 4	325, 327
13	Expand single brackets with surds	1 / 3	116
14	Algebraic direct and inverse proportion	3 / 5	343, 346
15a	Factorise quadratic expressions	0 / 1	228
15b	Expand double brackets and simplify	0 / 3	164
16	Probability of single events, ratio	0 / 3	330, 351, 352
17	Simplifying algebraic fractions with quadratics	0 / 3	229
18	Sine graphs, graph transformations	0 / 2	303, 307
19	Straight line graphs (perpendicular lines)	0 / 5	215, 216
20	Solve linear and quadratic inequalities	0 / 5	269, 277
Total		24 / 80	

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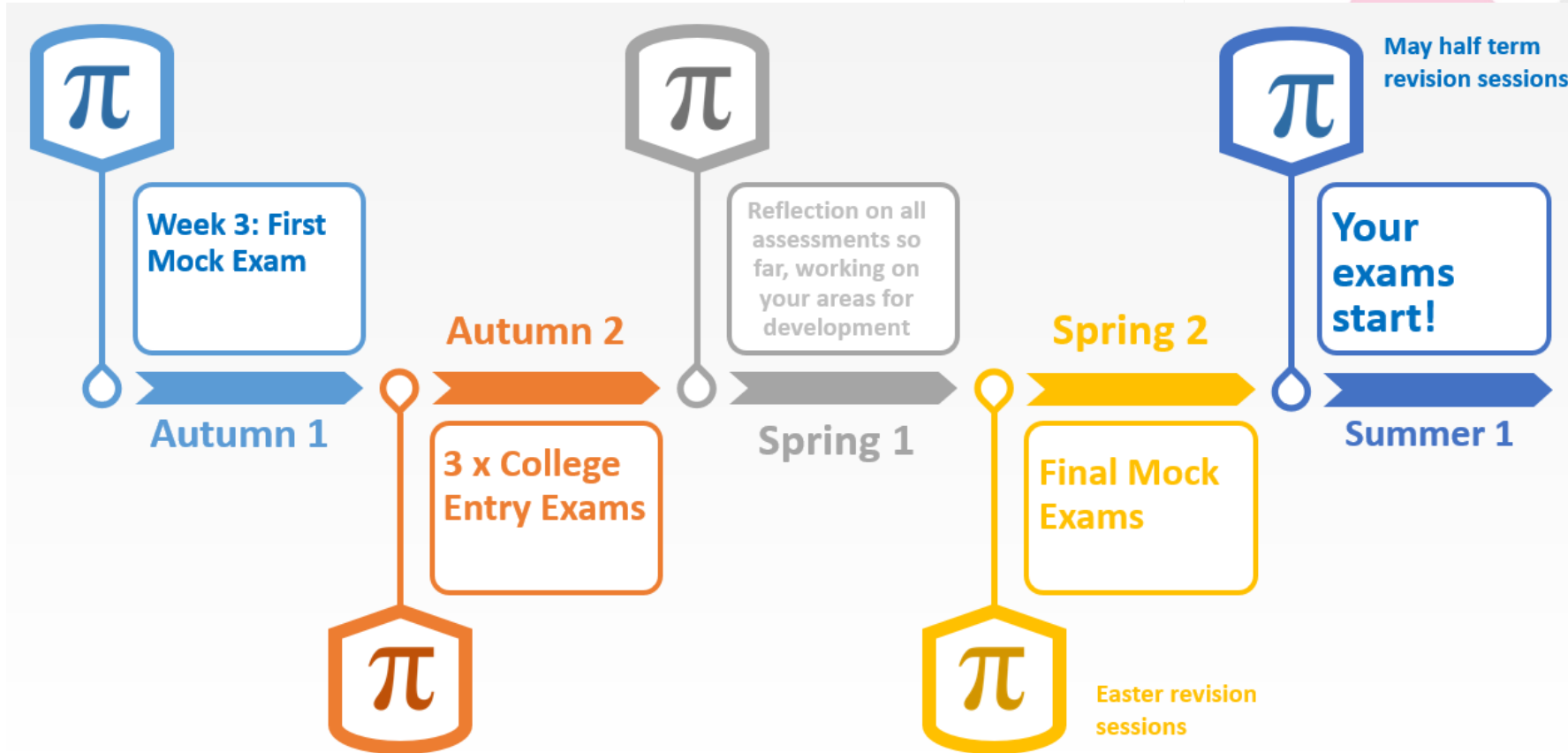


STUDENT A

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4=

Grade 6



How did Student A do it?

Really reflected on her QLAs – used Sparx to plug the gaps

Mathematics Assessment Feedback

Paper June 2018 Paper 1H
 Name
 Teacher Enter Teacher Name

Week 3 QLA

Questions	Question Title	Score	Clip Number
1a	Adding mixed numbers	2 / 2	66
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10b	Box plots	0 / 2	436
11	Circle theorems	0 / 5	599, 603, 605
12	Direct algebraic proof	0 / 4	325, 327
13	Expand single brackets with surds	1 / 3	116
14	Algebraic direct and inverse proportion	3 / 5	344, 346
15a	Factorise quadratic expressions	0 / 1	224
15b	Expand double brackets and simplify	0 / 3	164
16	Probability of single events, ratio	0 / 3	330, 351, 352
17	Simplifying algebraic fractions with quadratics	0 / 3	229
18	Sine graphs, graph transformations	0 / 2	303, 307
19	Straight line graphs (perpendicular lines)	0 / 5	215, 216
20	Solve linear and quadratic inequalities	0 / 5	269, 277
Total		24 / 80	

Mathematics Assessment Feedback

Paper November 2022 Paper 2H
 Name
 Teacher Enter Teacher Name

Spring Mock

Questions	Topic	Score	Clip number
1a	Scatter diagrams	1 / 1	453
1b	Scatter diagrams	1 / 1	453
1c	Scatter diagrams	2 / 2	453, 454
2	Plans and elevations	0 / 2	843
3a	Linear sequences (nth term)	1 / 2	198
3b	Linear sequences (nth term)	1 / 2	198
4	Area of a circle, area of triangles, money (problem solving)	4 / 5	541, 558, 754
5	Right-angled trigonometry	2 / 2	509
6	Repeated percentage increase or decrease, percentages (worded problems)	3 / 3	92, 98
7a	Drawing quadratic graphs from a table	1 / 1	251
7b	Find the turning point of quadratic graphs	1 / 1	255
7c	Drawing quadratic graphs from a table	2 / 2	251
8	Percentage profit	3 / 3	760
9	Straight line graphs (parallel)	2 / 2	214
10	Repeated percentage increase or decrease, reverse percentages	0 / 3	92, 96
11	Box plots	3 / 3	440
12a	Sequences from recurrence relations, real life exponential growth	0 / 2	262, 804, 807
12b	Sequences from recurrence relations, real life exponential growth	0 / 1	262, 804, 807
13	Cartesian axes and coordinates, Pythagoras' (applied)	0 / 2	199, 502
14	Convert recurring decimals to fractions	3 / 3	54
15a	Capture-recapture	3 / 3	872
15b	Capture-recapture	1 / 1	872
16	Inequalities as graph regions	0 / 4	276
17	Volume of similar shapes, area of triangles	1 / 4	620, 557
18	Area of triangle (1/2absinC)	2 / 2	517
19	Solving quadratic equations (by factorising)	1 / 3	232
20	3D trigonometry	4 / 4	858
21a	Instantaneous rate of change	0 / 3	890
21b	Instantaneous rate of change	0 / 1	890
22	Composite functions, inverse functions	1 / 3	294, 296
23	Appropriate degrees of accuracy, upper and lower bounds, error intervals	0 / 5	132, 139, 777
24	Circles, normals and tangents	0 / 4	320
Total		43 / 80	



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This is your personalised Compulsory homework. You need to answer every question correctly to complete it.

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Ratio and Proportion



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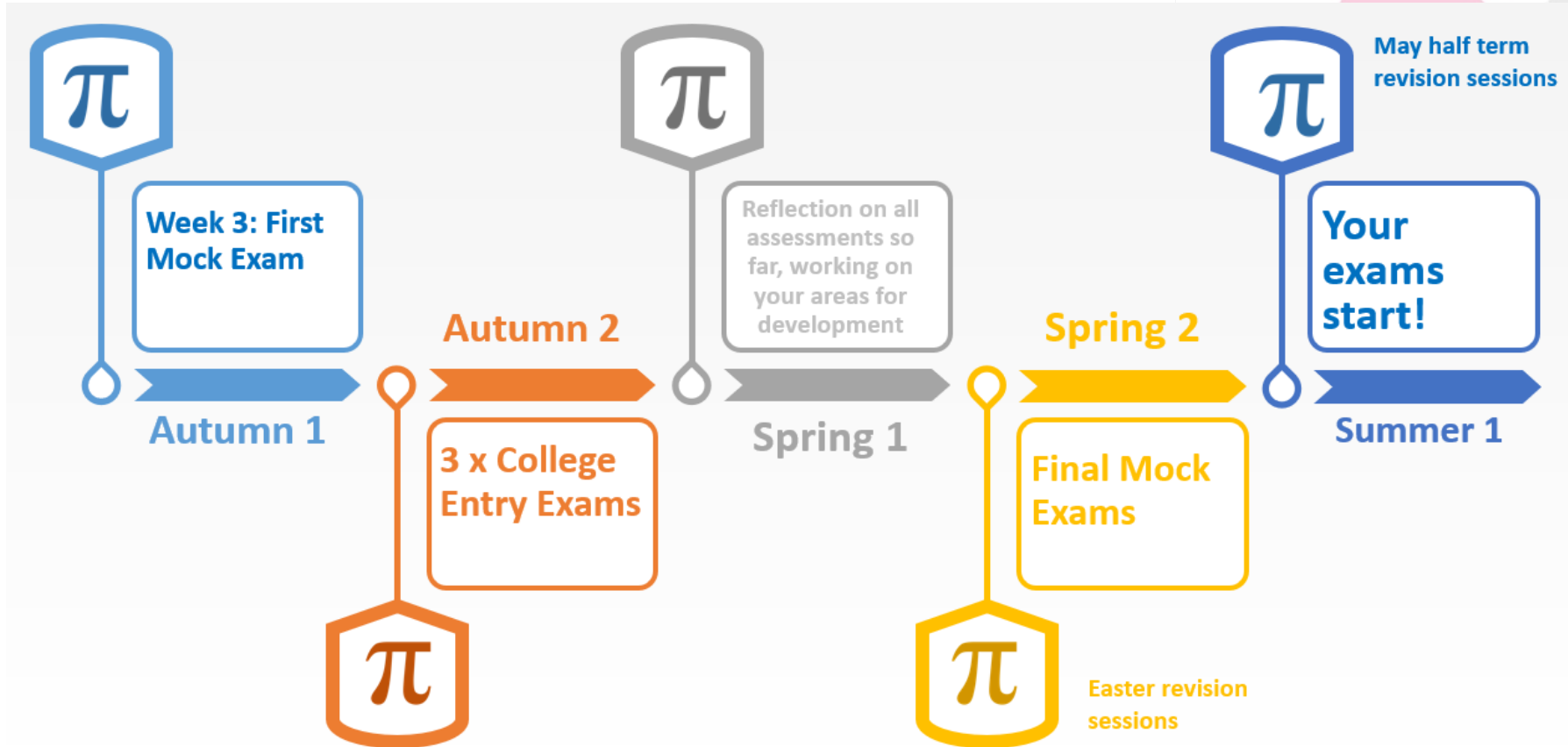


STUDENT B

3-

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Grade 5



How did Student B do it?

- Worked hard EVERY single and EVERY single intervention
- Completion of past papers, using mark schemes to help
- ASKED FOR HELP!

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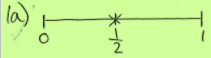
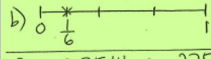
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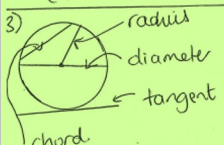
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(a) 
b) 

2a) 2.75 litres = 2750ml
(1000ml = 1 litre)

3) 

4) $65 \times 2 = 130$
 $53 \times 2 = 106$

5a) $2(x+1) = 8$
 $2x + 2 = 8$
 $2x = 6$
 $x = 3$

b) $3y + 7 = 19$
 $3y = 12$
 $y = 4$

c) $6n - 4 = 2(3n - 2)$

d) $3cd + 2cd + cd = 4cd$

e) modal (highest bar) = 3

b) Range = biggest value - smallest value
 $= 10 - 1 = 9$

c) At least $\frac{1}{6}$ (includes 6)
 $(3+4+5+2+1) = 15$
Total letters
 $(5+8+(2+10+9+3+4+5+2+1)) = 59$
 $= \frac{15}{59}$

7) Obtuse angles are greater than 90° but less than 180° . So two obtuse angles would give us 180° . A triangle has 3 angles, so she cannot be correct.

8a) 14 ($7 < 15$)
b) $f = 330$
 $g = 170$

9) Add the ratio $1+3+8=12$
 $12 \mid 24$
 $2 \mid 24$
 $1 : 3 : 8$
 $\times 24 \quad \times 24 \quad \times 24$
 $24 \quad 72 \quad 92$

10) $\frac{3}{4}$ of 40 [$40 \div 4 = 10 \times 3$]
 $= 30$
Cost = $30 \times £4.50 = £135$
10 left $(40-30)$, $\frac{1}{2}$ of these @ £4
Cost = $5 \times £4 = £20$
Total = $£135 + £20 = £155$
Profit = $£155 - £120 = £35$

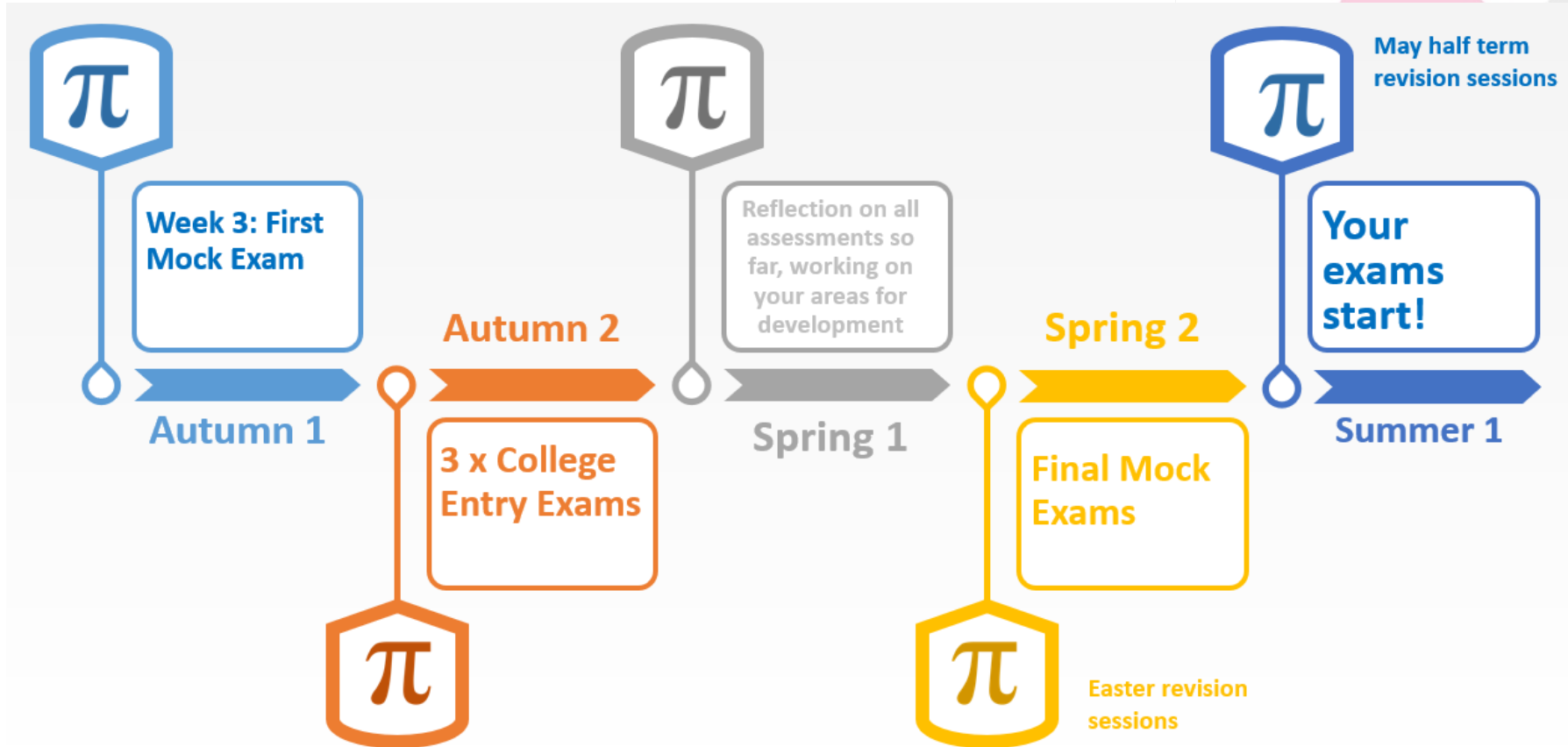
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STUDENT C

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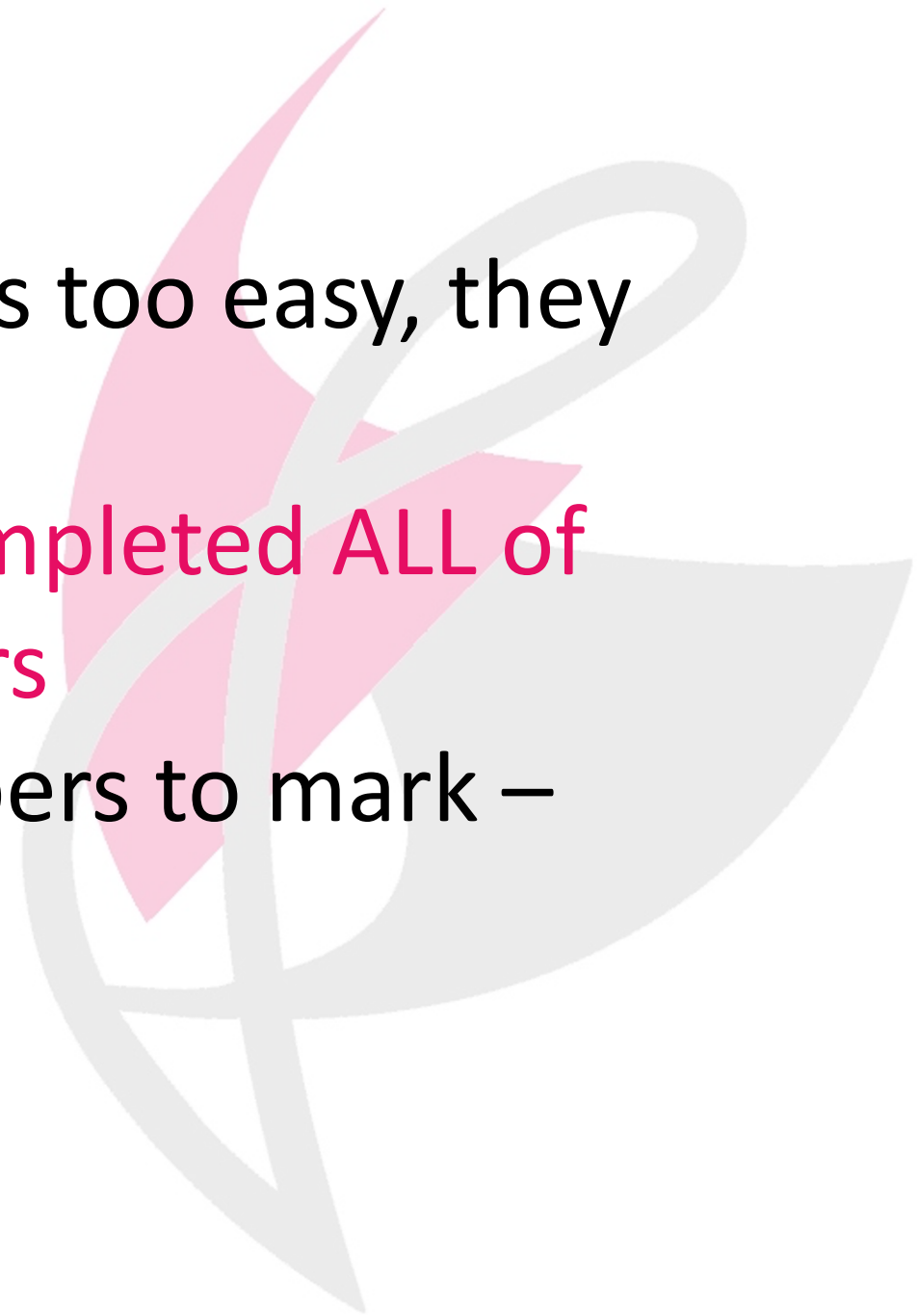
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Grade 4



How did Student C do it?

- Not once did Student C say it's too easy, they kept practising every skill
- On time to all lessons and completed ALL of their Retrieval Practice starters
- Giving their teacher extra papers to mark – going above and beyond!



Retrieval Practice

Retrieval Practice A1

Simplify $(4ab^2)^3$

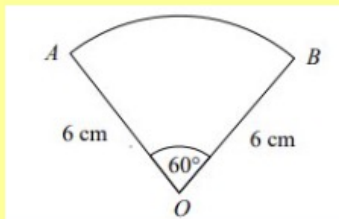
If there are 25 balls in the bag, complete the table:

Colour	Green	Teal	Red	Pink
Freq.	4	10	?	?
Rel. Freq.	0.16	?	0.32	0.12

Relative frequency
is probability of
picking that colour!

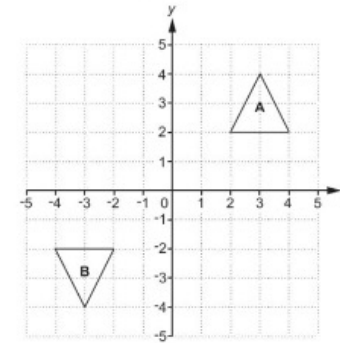
Calculate the:

- a) arc length
- b) perimeter



Write down the highest common factor of 20, 84 and 58.

The diagram shows two triangles on a square grid.



(a) Reflect triangle A in the line $y = 0$.

[2]

(b) Describe fully the **single** transformation that maps triangle A onto triangle B.

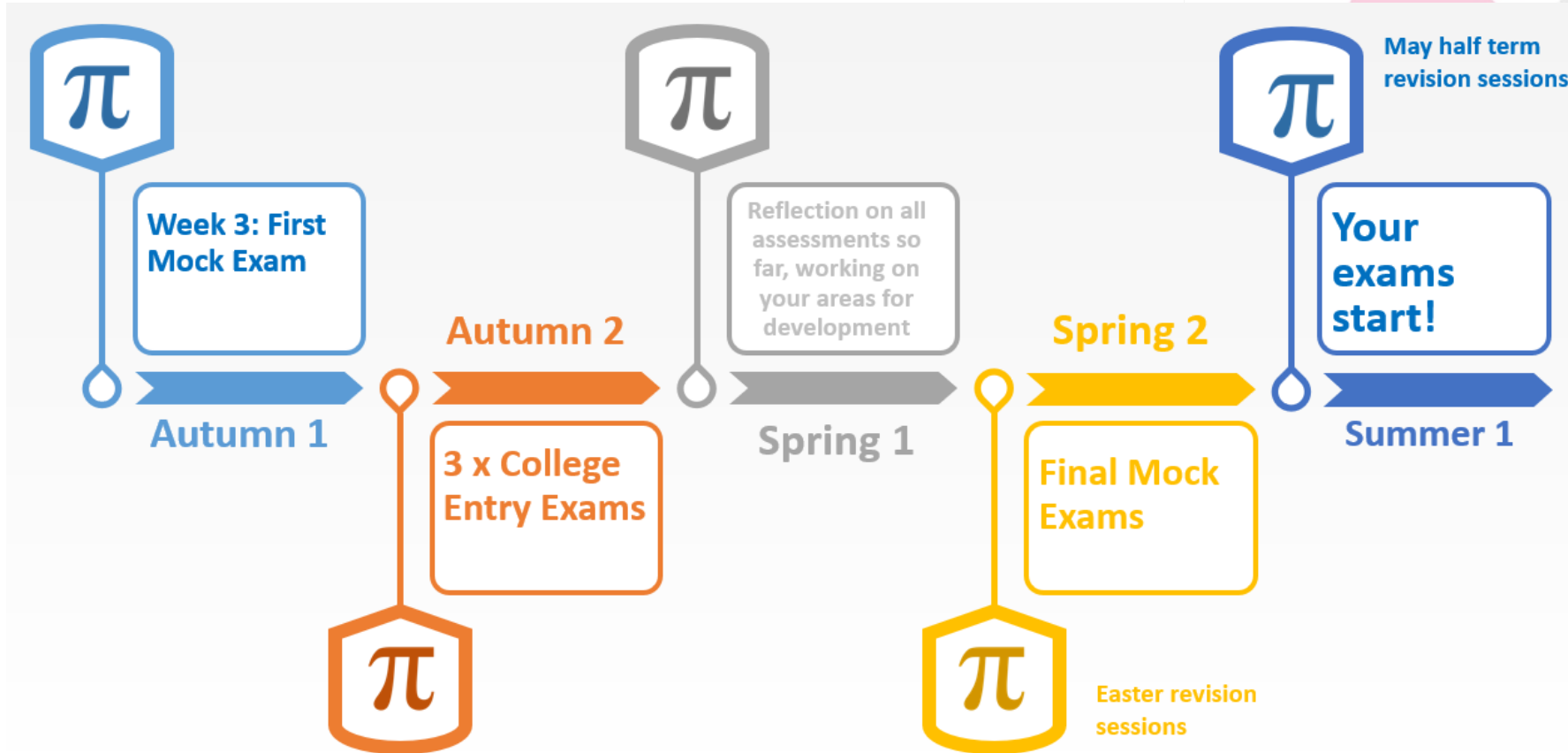
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STUDENT D

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6=

Grade 8



How did Student D do it?

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Qualification

Edexcel GCSE Maths - Higher

Series

Select...

Paper

Select...

**RIGHT NOW ON SHORTS
WHAT IN THE MICRO WORLD?**

459 questions found

Autumn 2017 Paper 1
Question 01

Write 36 as a product of its prime factors.

Number

Autumn 2017 Paper 1
Question 02

Kiana is 7 years older than Jay.
Martha is twice as old as Kiana.
The sum of their three ages is 77.
Find the ratio of Jay's age to Kiana's age to Martha's age.

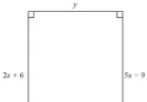
Algebra
Ratio, proportion and rates of change

Autumn 17
Que

ABCD is a parallelogram
EBC is a straight line
P is the point on AD

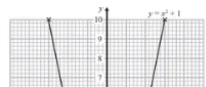
Autumn 2017 Paper 1
Question 06

Here is a rectangle.



Autumn 2017 Paper 1
Question 07

Deegan needs to draw the graph of $y = x^2 + 1$
Here is her graph.



CHS South



**GCSE Maths Revision Pack:
HIGHER**

The following pack consists of all of the topics you need for your GCSE Maths exam, along with ONE question for you to try. Please try each question and check the solutions using the video solutions available through the QR code on page 2. If you are unable to do the question, then please use the following resources to help guide your revision:

Sparx

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- GCSE Exam Questions broken down by grade & their solutions
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Paper 1 - Thursday 16th May (Non-Calculator)
Paper 2 - Monday 3rd June (Calculator)
Paper 3 - Monday 10th June (Calculator)

English GCSE Specification

What do I need to know?

English Language

Paper 1

50% of Language GCSE

Explorations in creative reading and writing

Reading section

4 questions based on 1 source

Writing section

A narrative or descriptive piece. 45 mins. 3 pages of A4

English Language

Paper 2

50% of Language GCSE

Writers' viewpoints and perspectives

Reading section

4 questions based on 2 sources

Writing section

A discursive piece. 45 mins. 3 pages of A4

English Literature

Paper 1

40% of Literature GCSE

Shakespeare and 19th Century novel

Macbeth

With extract

Jekyll and Hyde

With extract

English Literature Paper 2

60% of Literature GCSE

Modern text and poetry

Section A

LOTF

No extract

Section B

Poetry: Anthology

Comparison

Section C

Unseen

Unseen comparison

BUT HOW DO I REVISE ENGLISH?



gcsepod
education on demand

- Covers all aspects of our English GCSEs and is brilliant for Literature
- As you watch the Pods you can make mind maps capturing the key information
- There are check and challenge quizzes so you can recall the key information
- Target your revision at the areas you are getting wrong

Student Activation

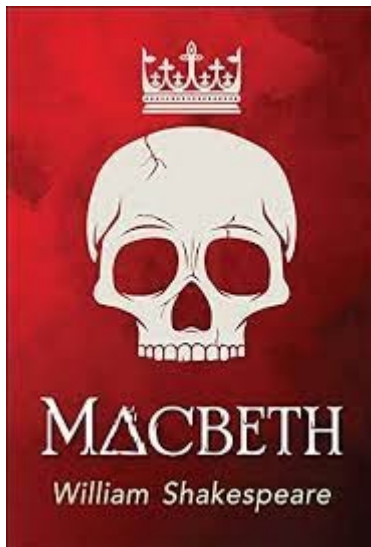
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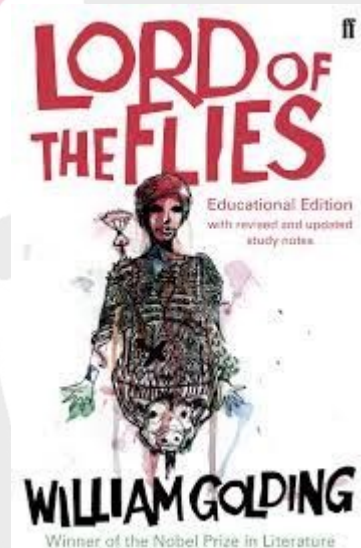
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4. Create a username and password

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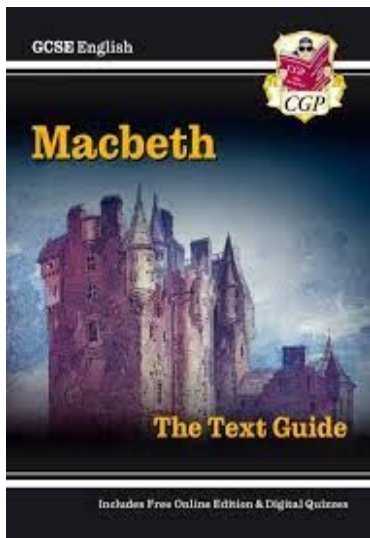
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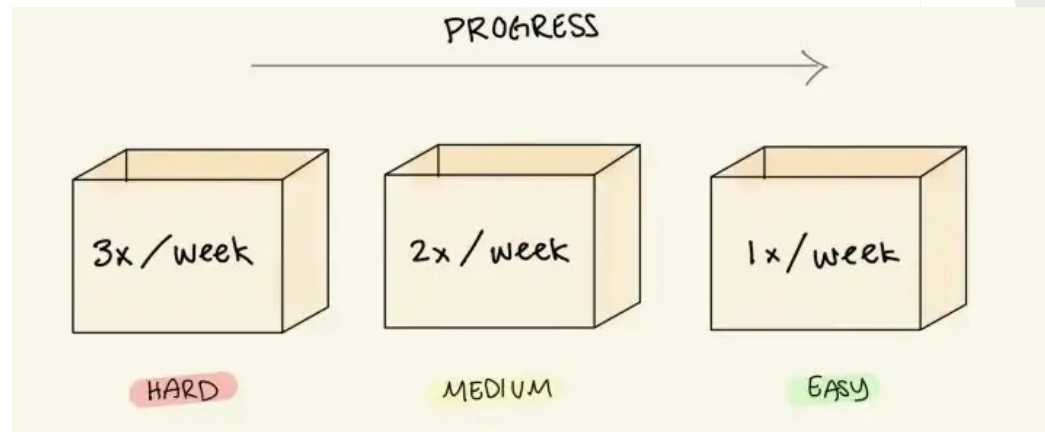
- Download the free revision app
- Select your topics
- The app will prompt you what to revise, how to do it and give mini quizzes



BUT HOW DO I REVISE ENGLISH?



- For each of the literature texts, create flashcards of:
 - The key moments
 - Key characters and their traits/what they do
 - Key quotations
 - Links to context and wider themes
- Use your English book, CGP revision guides, GCSEPod to gather the information to put onto your flashcards
- Test yourself on flashcards, ask friends and family to test you too!



BUT HOW DO I REVISE ENGLISH?



- All lessons are available on TEAMS – when you are completing a past paper you can use these lessons to guide you through the process
- Revision booklets are available to download and work through
- Message your teacher for support and ask them to give you feedback on pieces of work

BUT HOW DO I REVISE ENGLISH?



Exam dates
 Literature Paper 1:
 Literature Paper 2:
 Language Paper 1:
 Language Paper 2:

Holiday/Weekend revision dates



AQA English Language and Literature Revision Pack

Everything you need for a snapshot of all of your courses
Use this guide to help you focus on what you need to revise and what to do for each exam question

Name:

- Use your English bible to guide you through the step-by-step process to each question
- Use the knowledge organisers in here to identify what you must know
- Use the self-reflections to identify your areas of need

Making Revision Count - Language

Language Paper 1	R	A	G
Am I confident with Q2 (Language Analysis)			
Am I confident with Q3 (Structure Analysis)			
Do I know the difference between language techniques and structural techniques?			
Do I feel confident with Q4 (student statement)			
Do I know 4 connectives to link ideas together?			
Do I know how to zoom into a picture for Q5			
Do I use my time correctly?			
Have I got my order of questions planned?			
Do I feel confident with descriptive writing?			
Do I use my Q5 5 part plan to structure my story?			

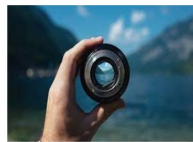
Language Paper 2	R	A	G
Am I confident with Q2 (Summary Analysis)			
Am I confident with Q3 (Language Analysis)			
Do I know how Language Paper 2 is different to Language Paper 1?			
Do I feel confident with Q4 (comparing 2 sources)			
Do I know 4 connectives to compare and contrast the sources?			
Do I know how to start and end a letter?			
Do I know how to use DR SCREAM at the beginning for Q5?			
Have I got my order of questions planned?			
Do I feel confident with SPEECH/LETTER/ARTICLE writing?			
Do I use my trigger list to vary my ideas in Q5?			

From my reflections, I need to spend my time revising:

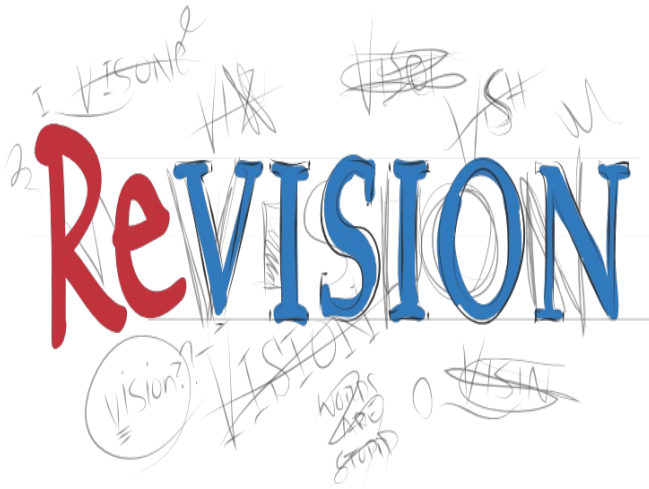
- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

I will use:

- 1.
- 2.
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BUT HOW DO I REVISE ENGLISH?



- Attend your English lessons, be on time
- Attend your P6 sessions
- Attend your interventions
- Complete your weekly homework tasks

LIBRARY SCHEDULE

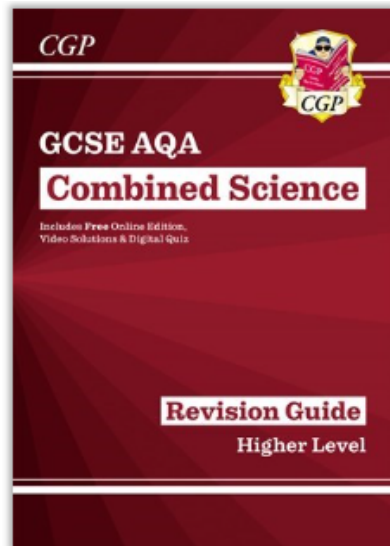
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MONDAY	A	YEAR 8	A	YEAR 10 & YEAR 11	ALL YEARS
	B	YEAR 7	B	YEAR 9	
TUESDAY	A	YEAR 10 & YEAR 11	A	YEAR 8	ALL YEARS
	B	YEAR 9	B	YEAR 7	
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	B	YEAR 7	B	YEAR 9	
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	B	YEAR 9	B	YEAR 7	
FRIDAY	A	YEAR 8	A	YEAR 10 & YEAR 11	ALL YEARS
	B	YEAR 7	B	YEAR 9	

How to revise in Science

There is an incredible amount of content to learn in Science and the biggest issue students face is where to start, as it can often be overwhelming.

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In addition to this we have also uploaded all the knowledge organisers onto teams so you can use these for free.



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ADA Combined Science: Physics Topic 1 Energy

Required Practical
Investigating Specific Heat Capacity
Independent variable - material
Dependent variable - specific heat capacity
Control variables - heating time, initial temperature, time taken
 $\Delta E = mc \times \Delta \theta$

Method:

- Using the balance, measure and record the mass of the copper block to be.
- Wrap the insulation around the block.
- Put the heater into the large hole in the block and the block into the hot-water tank.
- Connect the power pack and ammeter in series and the voltmeter across the power pack.
- Using the pipette, add a drop of water into the small hole.
- Put the thermometer into the small hole and measure the temperature.
- Switch the power pack to 12V and turn it on.
- Read and record the voltmeter and ammeter readings - during the experiment, they should change.
- Turn on the stop clock and record the temperature every minute for 10 minutes.
- Record the results in the table.
- Calculate work done and plot a line graph of work done against temperature.

Equations
 $E = mc\Delta\theta$
 $E_s = mgh$
 $E_e = I^2Rt$
 $\Delta\theta = \frac{E}{mc}$
 $P = \frac{E}{t}$
 $P = IV$

When an object falls, it has gravitational potential energy and gains kinetic energy.
Stretching an object will give it elastic potential energy.
Heating potential energy \rightarrow spring constant \times extension
 $E_e = \frac{1}{2}kx^2$

Transferring Energy by Heating
 Heating a material transfers the energy to its thermal energy store - the temperature increases.
 Eg. a kettle energy is transferred to the thermal energy store of the kettle. Energy is then transferred by heating to the water thermal energy store. The temperature of the water will then increase.
 Some materials need more energy to increase their temperature than others.

Change in thermal energy \rightarrow mass \times specific heat capacity \times temperature change
 $\Delta E = m \times c \times \Delta\theta$

Specific heat capacity is the amount of energy needed to raise the temperature of 1kg of a material by 1°C.

Kinetic and Potential Energy Stores
 Kinetic energy $= \frac{1}{2} \times \text{mass} \times \text{speed}^2$
 $E_k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$

Gravitational potential energy
 When something is off the ground, it has gravitational potential energy.
 Gravitational potential energy \rightarrow mass \times gravitational field strength \times height
 $E_p = mgh$

AQA Combined Science: Physics Topic 2 Electricity – Foundation and Higher

Required Practical
Investigating Resistance in a Wire
Independent variable: length of the wire.
Dependent variable: resistance.
Control variables: type of metal, diameter of the wire.
Conclusion: As the length of the wire increases, the resistance of the wire also increases.

Investigating Series and Parallel Circuits with Resistors
Independent variable: circuit type (series, parallel).
Dependent variable: resistance.
Control variables: number of resistors, type of power source.
Conclusion: Adding resistors in series increases the total resistance of the circuit. In a parallel circuit, the more resistors you add, the smaller the resistance.

Investigating I-V Relationships in Circuits (Using a filament bulb, ohmic conductor, diode)
Independent variable: potential difference/volts (V).
Dependent variable: current (A).
Control variable: number of components (e.g. 1 filament bulb, 1 resistor), type of power source.

Set up the circuits as shown below and measure the current and the potential difference.

Equations and Maths
 Equations
 Charge: $Q = It$
 Potential difference: $V = IR$
 Energy transferred: $E = Pt$
 Energy transferred: $E = QV$
 Power: $P = VI$
 Power: $P = I^2R$

Maths
 $1kW = 1000W$
 $0.5kW = 500W$

Charge
 Electric current is the flow of electric charge. It only flows when the circuit is complete.
 The charge is the current flowing past a point in a given time. Charge is measured in coulombs (C).
 Calculating Charge
 charge flow (C) = current (A) \times time (s)
 $Q = It$

Resistance
 voltage (V) = current (A) \times resistance (Ω)
 $V = IR$

Graphs of I-V Characteristics for Components in a Circuit

- Ohmic conductor: the current is directly proportional to the potential difference - it is a straight line (at a constant temperature).
- Filament lamp: as the current increases, so does the temperature. This makes it harder for the current to flow. The graph becomes less steep.
- Diode: current only flows in one direction. The resistance is very high in the other direction which means no current can flow.

Current and Circuit Symbols
 Current: the flow of electrical charge.
 Potential difference (voltage): the push of electrical charge.
 Resistance: slows down the flow of electricity.

cell	closed switch	ammeter	LED
resistor	variable resistor	bulb	thermistors
battery	open switch	diode	

potential difference = current \times resistance
 $V (V) = I (A) \times R (\Omega)$

What topics do I need to revise

Unit 1

Biology 4.1 Cell Biology)

- Cell structure, microscopes, specialised cells, eukaryotic and prokaryotic cells.
- Cell division, mitosis and stem cells
- Transport in cells, diffusion, active transport, osmosis

Biology 4.2 (organisation)

- Organisation of organisms. The digestive system. Enzymes and food tests.
- Structure of the lungs and heart. Components of the blood. Coronary heart disease
- Non-communicable disease and cancer
- Plant tissues, organs and systems

Biology 4.3 (Infection and response)

- Types of pathogen. Disease transmission. The primary and secondary defence. Immune system. Vaccination. Antibiotics and pain killers.
- Drugs and Drug testing. Clinical trials.

Biology 4.4 (Bioenergetics)

- Photosynthesis. The equation. Limiting factors, analysing graphs. Inverse proportion and rate.
- Respiration. Equations for aerobic and anaerobic. Fermentation. Response to exercise - Heart rate, oxygen debt and metabolism.

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What topics do I need to revise

Unit 2

Biology 4.5 (Homeostasis and response)

- Homeostasis, nervous system, hormonal responses - insulin.
- Hormones in reproduction, contraception, IVF

Biology 4.6 (Inheritance variation and evolution)

- Sexual/asexual reproduction and meiosis.
- Variation, evolution, natural selection, genetic engineering, evidence for evolution.
- Extinction and classification.

Biology 4.7 (Ecology)

- Adaptation, levels of organisation, biodiversity and land management.
- Deforestation and Global warming.
- Maintaining biodiversity.

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Combined – 1h 15m 70 marks x 6 papers

Chemistry

Unit 1

Chemistry 5.1 Atomic structure and the periodic table

- Atomic structure, elements, compounds and mixtures. Model of the atom. Periodic table and history of atom and periodic table. Group 1, 7 and 0.

Chemistry 4.2 Bonding and properties of matter

- Ionic, covalent and metallic bonding. Solids, liquids, gases and state symbols. Properties of ionic, covalent and metallic. Specific examples: graphite, diamond, sodium chloride, water.

Chemistry 4.3 Quantitative chemistry

Conservation of mass, formula mass, moles, balancing equations, concentration.

Chemistry 4.4 Chemical changes

Reactivity series. Extraction of metals. Electrolysis. REDOX reactions. Acids and alkalis. Neutralisation. pH. Salts (soluble and insoluble). Strong and weak acids.

Chemistry 4.5 Energy changes

Exothermic and Endothermic. Reaction profiles. Bond energies.

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Chemistry

Unit 2

Chemistry 5.6 The rate and extent of chemical change

- Reaction rates, equilibrium, reaction profiles. Factors that affect the rate of a chemical reaction.

Chemistry 5.7 Organic chemistry

- Crude oil, fractional distillation. Alkanes and alkenes. Testing for alkenes.

Chemistry 5.8 Chemical tests

- Pure substances, formulations and chromatography.
- Testing for oxygen, chlorine, carbon dioxide and hydrogen.

Chemistry 5.9 Chemistry of the atmosphere

- The Earth's early atmosphere and how it has changed.
- The modern atmosphere and its constituents.
- Global warming and environmental impacts

Chemistry 5.10 Using resources

Human resources, potable water, waste water. Life cycle assessment.

11.06

Triple – 1h 45m 100 marks x 6 papers

Physics

Unit 1

Physics 6.1 Energy

- Energy stores and diagrams, changes in energy. Work done. KE, EPE, GPE. Conservation of energy. Specific heat capacity. Power. Efficiency. Renewable and Non-Renewable energy resources. Evaluating impacts on the environment.

Physics 6.2 Electricity

- Circuit symbols, $V=IR$. Series and parallel circuits. Resistors. Mains power. Work, power and charge equations. Domestic electricity and the national grid.

Physics 6.3 Particle model of matter

- Density, internal energy, particles. Specific heat capacity and changes in latent heat. Particle motion in gases.

Physics 6.4 Atomic structure

- Atomic structure. Model of the atom. Radioactive decay and nuclear radiation. Nuclear equations, half-life, nuclear contamination.

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Physics

Unit 1

Physics 6.5 Forces

- Displacement, velocity, acceleration, momentum.
- Hooke's law, weight, work done. Newton's Laws

Physics 6.6 Waves

- Types of wave, properties of wave, electromagnetic spectrum

Physics 6.7 Magnetism and electromagnetism

- Permanent magnets, magnetic fields, the motor effect, Flemings left hand rule.

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- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/z98jmp3>
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Geography	German	History	Home Economics: Food and Nutrition (CCEA)	Hospitality (CCEA)	ICT
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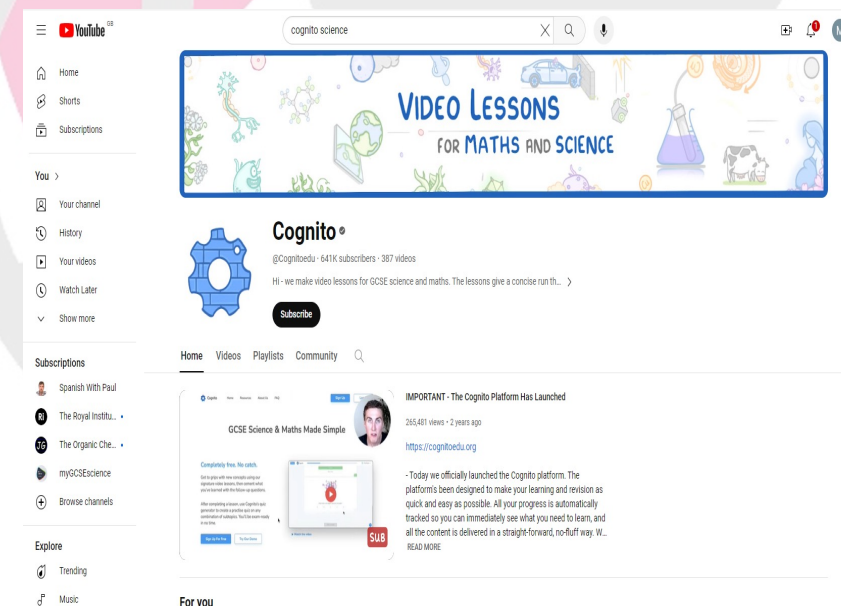
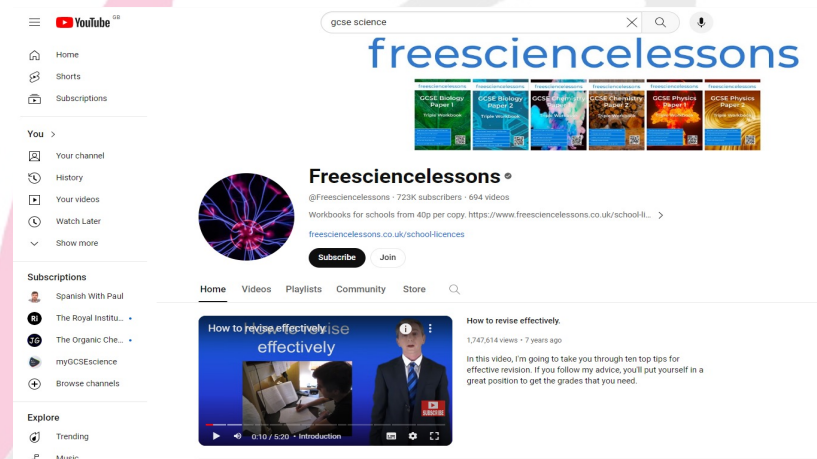
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What are we using in science:

Over Christmas – pupils have been set 3 quizzes for each subject (B/C and P) using educake (online platform). 9 in total.

Alongside this they are given weekly homework sheets that enable them to practise recall and apply their knowledge.

It is really important that pupils don't just answer what they know. **If they don't know it that is what they need to learn!**

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11 homework 4.5 Homeostasis and Response Foundation

1. What is **Homeostasis**?
Homeostasis is the ability of the body to maintain...
2. What is a **synapse**?
A synapse is the junction...
3. A reflex is a fast and automatic response to a particular stimulus.
a. Is **reflex** a voluntary or involuntary action?
b. What do we call the pathway which carries the response?
4. What are **hormones**?
Hormones are...
5. Reflex actions are coordinated by the nervous system.
(a) What is meant by the term 'reflex action'?
A reflex action is...
(b) A woman's hand accidentally touches a hot object. The woman moves her hand away rapidly. Describe how the woman's nervous system coordinates the reflex action.
6. There are two types of diabetes: type 1 and type 2.
a. State the difference between each type.
b. How can each type be treated?
7. Hormones in human reproduction.
a. Give the names of the male and female hormones.
b. State the site of production of each of the hormones.
8. i. Complete the nervous message pathway:
(Stimulus) → receptor → _____ → _____ → _____ → (response)
ii. Complete the following sentence by choosing the correct words from the box.
brain glands motor sensory
To make us aware of a stimulus, impulses are sent along a _____ neurone to the _____.
9. What are the main hormones that control the whole menstrual cycle?
10. Which organ in the human body is **able** to monitor and regulate the blood's glucose concentration?
11. Give the names of two hormonal contraceptive methods and two non-hormonal contraceptive methods.
12. Give one advantage and one disadvantage of surgical contraception.

Q1.

- Conditions inside the human body are controlled.
- (a) What is the control of conditions inside the body called?
Tick (✓) one box.
- Excretion
- Fertilisation
- Homeostasis
- Osmosis
- (1)
- (b) What are the two ways information is sent to control body conditions?
Tick (✓) two boxes.
- By antigens
- By hormones
- By muscles
- By nerve impulses
- By red blood cells
- (2)
- (c) One condition in the body that needs to be controlled is the level of water.
Give one other condition in the human body that needs to be controlled.

- (1)
- The graph shows the volumes of water taken in and lost by one person.
The volume for water taken in on a hot day has not been plotted on the bar graph.

Where do I start?

In every subject, pupils will have received a QLA (question level analysis) from their college entry exams.

They should now be using this to inform the key topics they need to work on alongside the new content still being delivered.

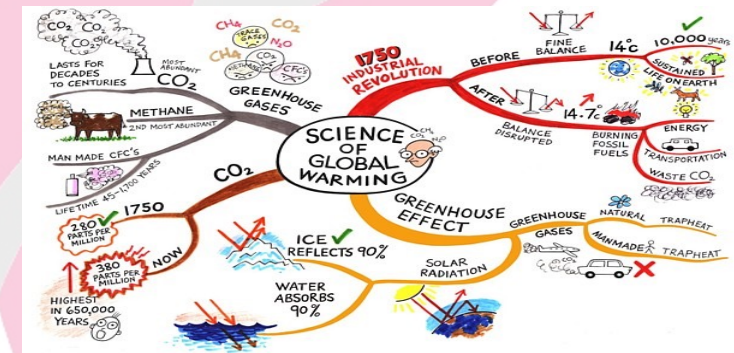
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What to do with the content?

Flash Cards



Mind Map



Summarise

Knowledge organiser (content source)

Atomic Structure and the Periodic Table – Foundation and Higher

Atoms
Contained in the nucleus are the protons and neutrons. Moving around the nucleus are the electron shells. They are negatively charged.

Particle	Relative Mass	Charge
proton	1	+1
neutron	1	0
electron	Very small	-1

Overall, atoms have no charge; they have the same number of protons as electrons. An ion is a charged particle - it does not have an equal number of protons to electrons.

Atomic Number and Mass Number

atomic number: 6, mass number: 12.011, C carbon

Equations and Maths
To calculate the relative atomic mass, use the following equation:
relative atomic mass (A_r) = $\frac{\text{sum of (isotope abundance} \times \text{isotope mass number)}}{\text{sum of abundances of all isotopes}}$

Balancing Symbol Equations
There must be the same number of atoms on both sides of the equation:
 $\text{CH}_4 + 2\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{CO}_2$
C = 1
O = 4
H = 4

Mixtures, Chromatography and Separation
Mixtures – in a mixture there are no chemical bonds, so the elements are easy to separate. Examples of mixtures are air and salt water.

Chromatography – to separate out mixtures.
Filtration – to separate solids from liquids.

Evaporation – to separate a soluble salt from a solution; a quick way of separating out the salt.
Crystallisation – to separate a soluble salt from a solution; a slower method of separating out the salt.

Separating out salt from rock salt:
1. Grind the mixture of rock salt.
2. Add water and stir.
3. Filter the mixture, leaving the sand in the filter paper.
4. Evaporate the water from the salt, leaving the crystals.

Chemical Equations
A chemical reaction can be shown by using a word equation.
e.g. magnesium + oxygen \rightarrow magnesium oxide
On the left-hand side are the reactants, and the right-hand side are the products.
They can also be shown by a symbol equation.
e.g. $2\text{Mg} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{MgO}$

Equations need to be balanced, so the same number of atoms are on each side. To do this, numbers are put in front of the compounds.
 $\text{CH}_4 + 2\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{CO}_2$

Elements
Elements are made of atoms with the same atomic number. Atoms can be represented as symbols.
N = nitrogen F = fluorine Zn = zinc Ca = calcium

Isotope	Protons	Electrons	Neutrons
^1_1H	1	1	1 - 1 = 0
^2_1H	1	1	2 - 1 = 1
^3_1H	1	1	3 - 1 = 2

Isotopes – an isotope is an element with the same number of protons but a different number of neutrons. They have the same atomic number, but different mass number.

Compounds – a compound is when two or more elements are chemically joined. Examples of compounds are carbon dioxide and magnesium oxide. Some examples of formulas are CO_2 , NaCl , HCl , H_2O , Na_2SO_4 . They are held together by chemical bonds and are difficult to separate.

Check what you have learnt

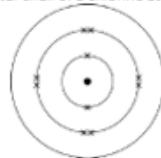
Recall practice

1. Name the three subatomic particles.
2. What is the charge of the Atom? Explain your answer
3. What is found in the shells of an atom?
4. Given : X_ZW
Give the name of X and Y.
5. What is the difference between an atom and an ion?
6. Define an element.
7. Draw a Carbon atom.
8. Give the name of the following symbols:
N; Ca; K; Cl
9. Complete the following table:

Element	Protons	Electrons	Neutrons
${}^{11}_3B$			
${}^{23}_{11}Na$			

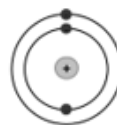
10. Define an isotope.
 11. What is a **compound**?
 12. Give 3 examples on **compounds**.
 13. Carbon (C) reacts with oxygen gas (O_2) to produce carbon dioxide.
a) Write the word equation of this chemical reaction.
b) Write the symbol equation for the above reaction
 14. Define a mixture. Give 3 examples of mixtures.
 15. Give one difference and one similarity between Evaporation and crystallisation.
 16. The list below gives six substances.
Aluminium, beer, copper, milk, pure water, sodium chloride
Put each substance in the correct column of the table.
- | ELEMENTS | COMPOUNDS | MIXTURES |
|----------|-----------|----------|
| | | |
17. List the steps to separate salt from rock salt.
 18. What equipment is used for simple distillation?
 19. Where can we find metals in the periodic table?
 20. Give 3 properties for each metals and non-metals.
 21. Where are transition metals located in the modern periodic table?

22. What did JJ Thomson discovered?
23. Who discovered the presence of neutrons?
24. How many electrons are found in the first, second and third shells of an atom?
25. Describe trends in boiling point and melting points for group 1 & 7.
26. Explain why Noble gases are not reactive.
27. What is the criteria used by Mendeleev for the **arrangement** of elements in the periodic table?
28. A chlorine atom has 17 electrons.
On the figure below, use crosses to show the arrangement of electrons in the outer shell of a chlorine atom.



Higher:

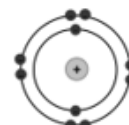
29. What is the equation to calculate the relative atomic mass?
30. Find the relative atomic mass of chlorine gas
 ${}^{35}_{17}Cl$ 70% : ${}^{37}_{17}Cl$ 30 %
31. Which one has a greater intermolecular forces :
Chlorine or Fluorine and why ?
32. Compare the structure and reactivity of the elements below from Group 1, Group 7 and Group 0.



Lithium
(Group 1)



Fluorine
(Group 7)



Neon
(Group 0)

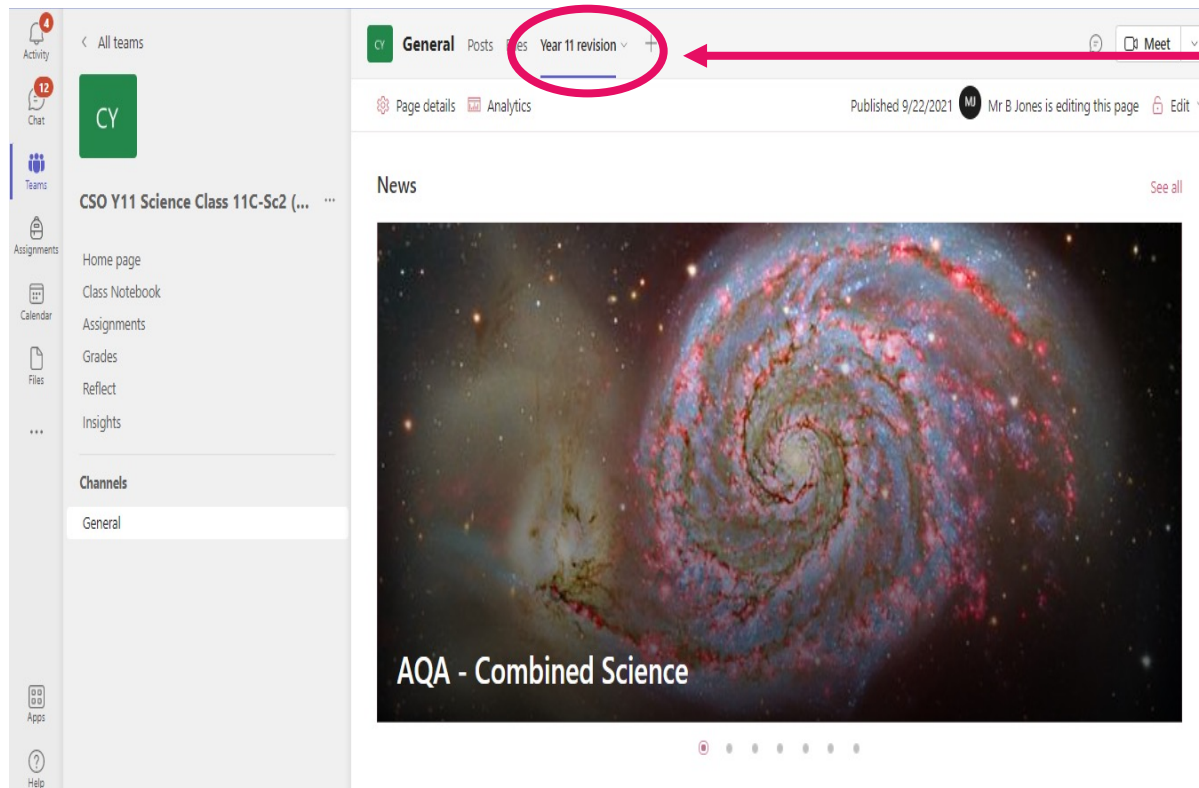
Apply your knowledge

The most effective way of revising in Science is to practise past papers. To access past papers in Science you can simply log on to SharePoint (through Teams). **CSO Science year 11 – team name.**

All the exam questions have mark schemes to support and there are questions for all the topics shown below:

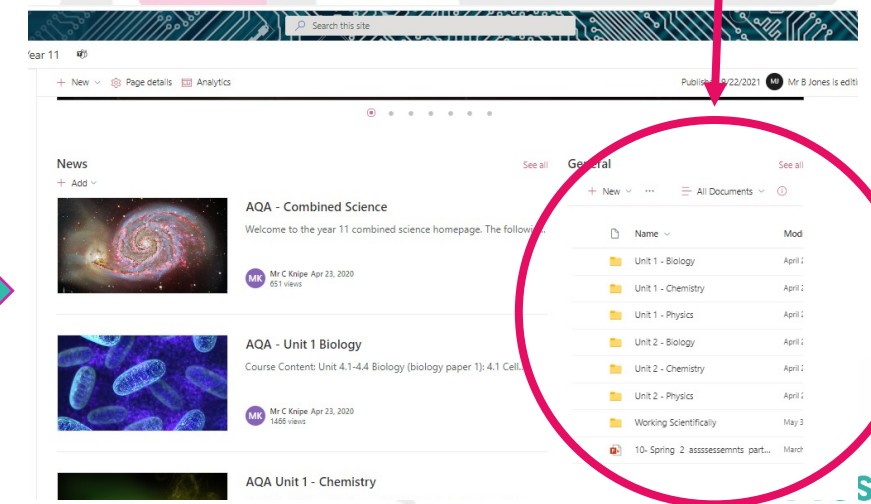
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Goals vs. Habits

GOALS are good for setting a direction but changing your **HABITS** are the best for making progress

Repetition is key!

It is very easy to fall into the trap of:

1. Revising what you know because it makes you feel better.
2. Reading pages of text / or from exercise books and hoping it will sink in (it won't)

Be effective. Doing small amounts of regular **EFFECTIVE** revision is proven to have the greatest effects and this should carry out using the method shown below. It is a great method for any content heavy subject.

It also reduces the anxieties of trying to cram too much information in at once and becoming overwhelmed.

Atomic Structure and the Periodic Table - Foundation and Higher

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Particle	Relative Mass	Charge
proton	1	+1
neutron	1	0
electron	Very small	-1

Relative Atomic Mass (A_r)
 Relative atomic mass (A_r) = mass of 1 atom of element / mass of 1/12th of a carbon-12 atom

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Revision Guide

Higher Level



1. Name the three subatomic particles.
2. What is the charge of the Atom? Explain your answer
3. What is found in the shells of an atom?
4. Given: X²⁺
Give the name of X and Y.
5. What is the difference between an atom and an ion?
6. Define an element.
7. Draw a Carbon atom.
8. Give the name of the following symbols:
N, Ca, K, Cl
9. Complete the following table:

Element	Protons	Electrons	Neutrons
17Br			
11Na			

10. Define an isotope.
11. What is a compound?
12. Give 3 examples of compounds.
13. Carbon (C) reacts with oxygen gas (O₂) to produce carbon dioxide.
a) Write the word equation of this chemical reaction.
b) Write the symbol equation for the above reaction.
14. Define a mixture. Give 3 examples of mixtures.
15. Give one difference and one similarity between Evaporation and crystallisation.
16. The list below gives six substances.
Aluminium, beer, copper, milk, pure water, sodium chloride
Put each substance in the correct column of the table.

ELEMENTS	COMPOUNDS	MIXTURES

17. List the steps to separate salt from rock salt.
18. What equipment is used for simple distillation?
19. Where can we find metals in the periodic table?
20. Give 2 properties for each metals and non-metals.
21. Where are transition metals located in the modern periodic table?



22. What did J.J. Thomson discovered?
23. Who discovered the presence of neutrons?
24. How many electrons are found in the first, second and third shells of an atom?
25. Describe trends in boiling point and melting points for group 1 & 7.
26. Explain why noble gases are not reactive.
27. What is the criteria used by Mendeleev for the arrangement of elements in the periodic table?
28. A chlorine atom has 17 electrons.
On the figure below, use crosses to show the arrangement of electrons in the outer shell of a chlorine atom.

Method:

29. What is the equation to calculate the relative atomic mass?
Chlorine or Fluorine and why?
30. Find the relative atomic mass of chlorine gas
 $^{35}_{17}\text{Cl}$ 70% ; $^{37}_{17}\text{Cl}$ 30%
31. Which one has a greater intermolecular forces:
Chlorine or Fluorine and why?
32. Compare the structure and reactivity of the elements below from Group 1, Group 7 and Group 0.

Lithium (Group 1) Fluorine (Group 7) Neon (Group 0)

(a) What is structure A?

Tick ONE box.

Cell membrane

Cell wall

Cytoplasm

Nucleus

(b) White blood cells help to defend the body against pathogens.
How do the white blood cells do this?

Tick THREE boxes.

Close pathogens

Engulf pathogens

Produce antibodies

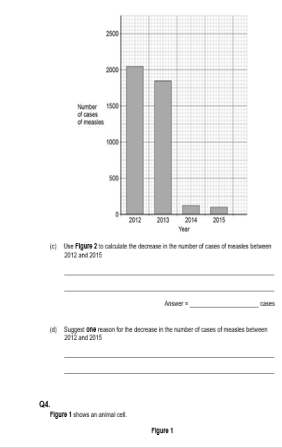
Produce antitoxins

Produce toxins

Malaria is a serious disease. A person can die from malaria.

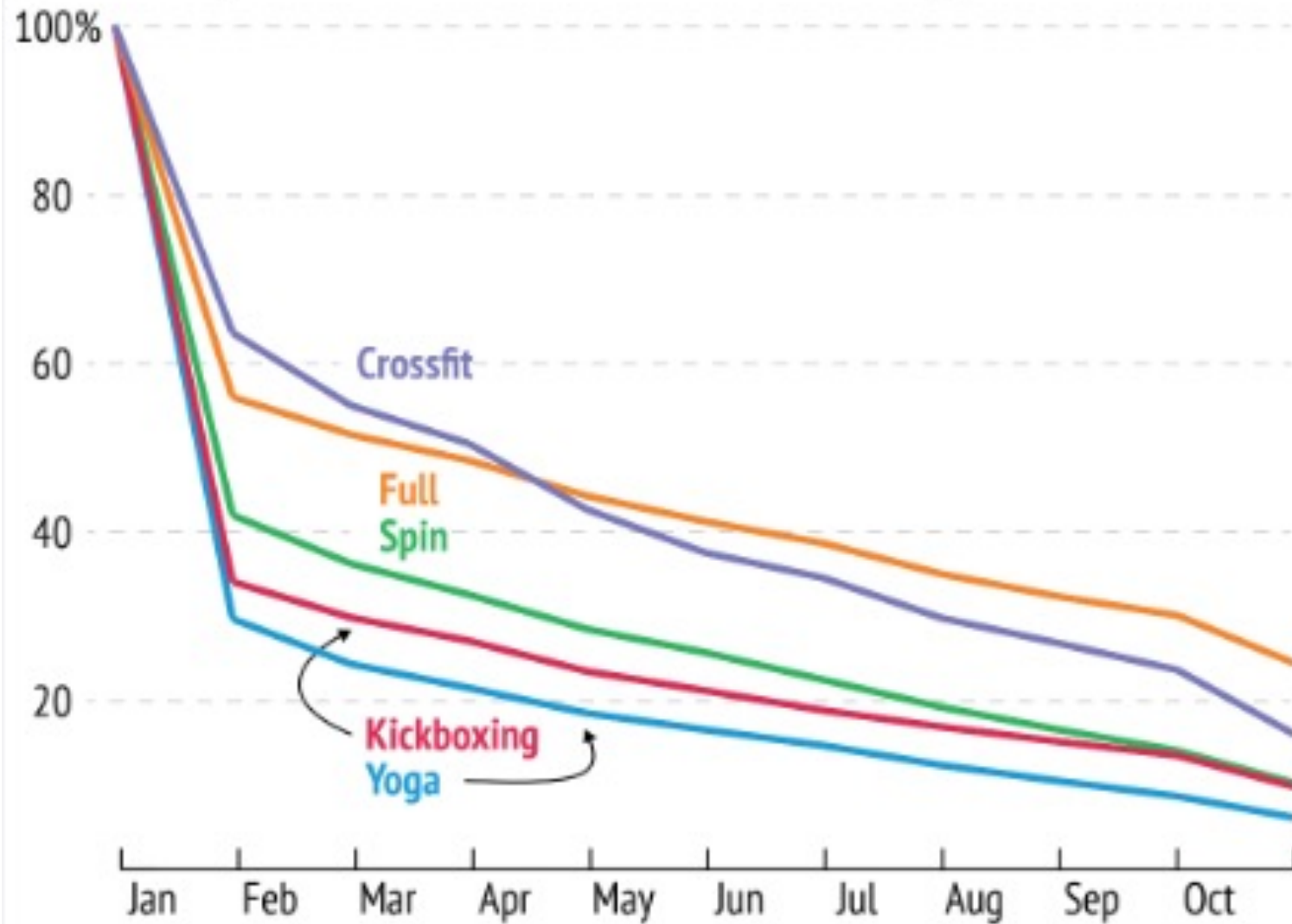
Figure 2 shows the number of cases of malaria in England and Wales between 2012 and 2015.

Figure 1 shows an animal cell.



One-month resolutions

New gym customers tend to give up after the first month, but some types of gymgoers last longer than others. Percent new customers remaining each month:



“Success is the product of daily habits, not once in a life-time transformation”

How to develop a good habit....



**... but do it
regularly**

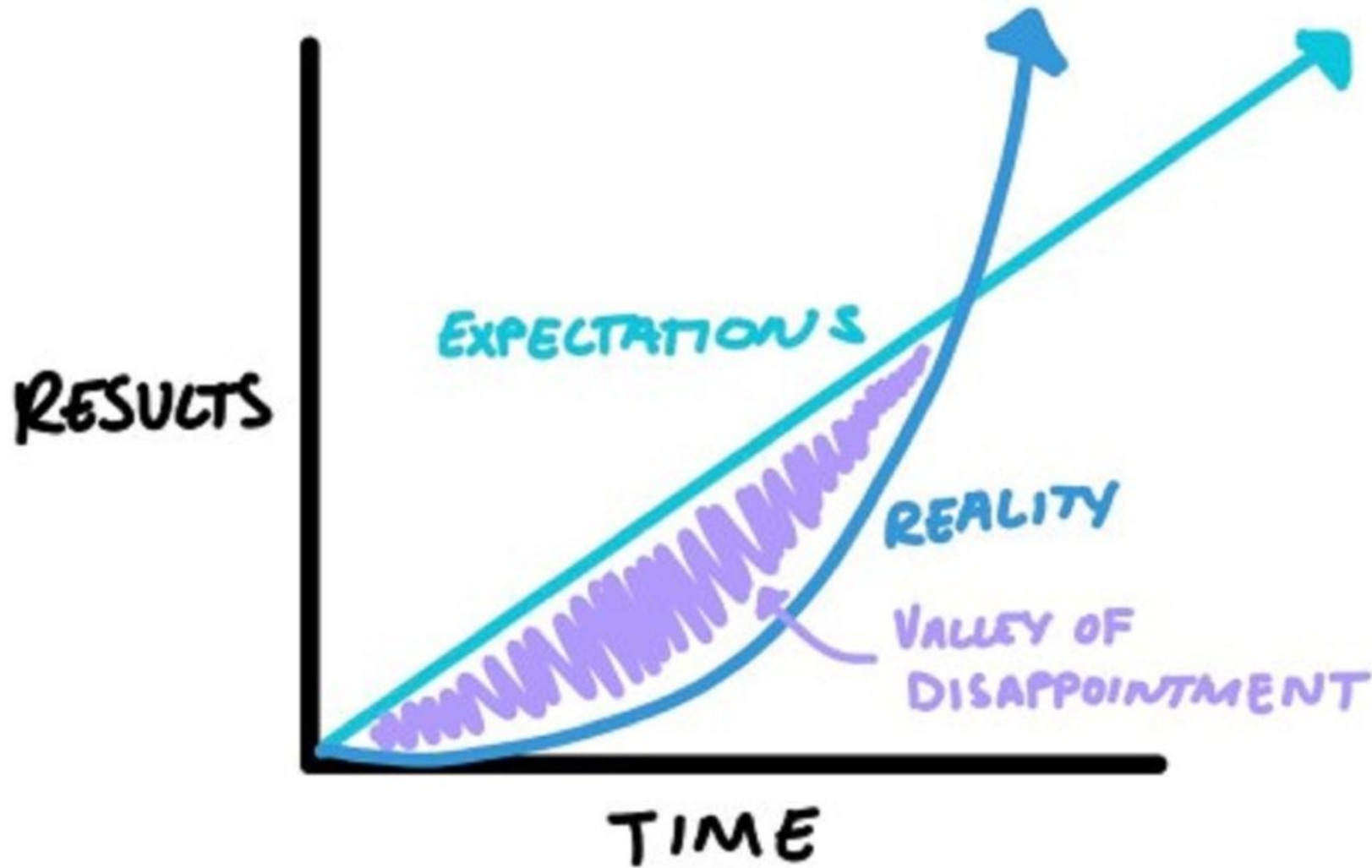
Habits are tied to a context



Make it difficult to get out of doing



Don't be too hard on yourself, you are making progress



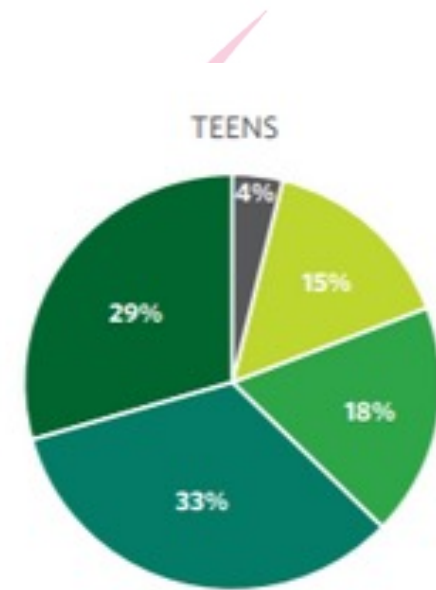
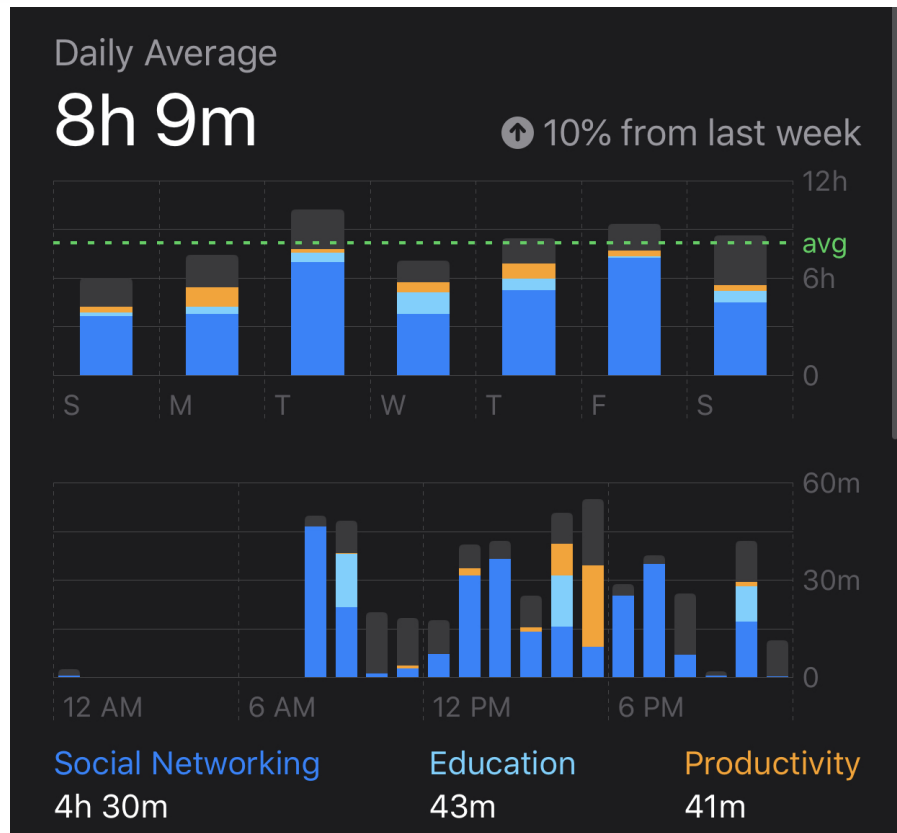
Surround yourself with like-minded people

You are the average of the five people
you spend the most time with.

Jim Rohn

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“I DON'T HAVE TIME”



*Includes from 2:01 up to and including 4 hours.

†Includes from 4:01 up to and including 8 hours.

Note: Segments may not total 100% due to rounding.

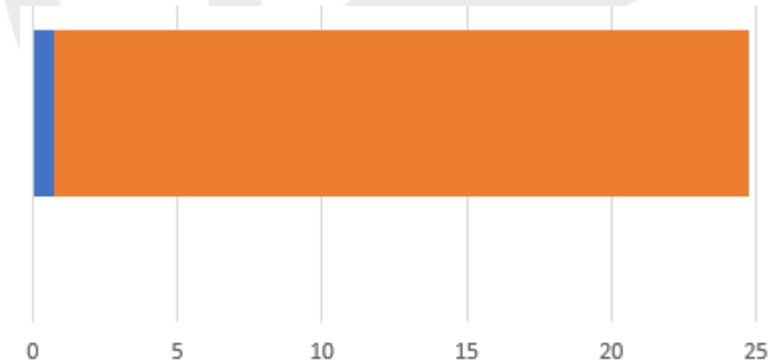
- None
- 2 hours or less
- 2-4 hours*
- 4-8 hours†
- More than 8 hours

30 minutes of your day...

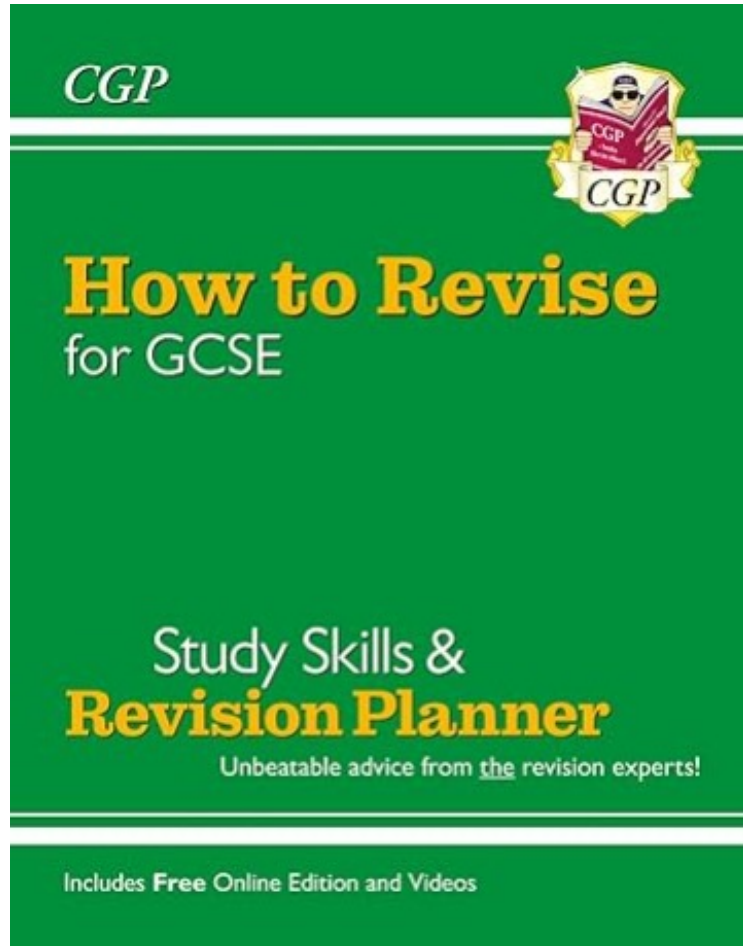


2% 98%

“ YOU HAVE TIME ”



Resources to help you get started..



Strategies for:

- Getting started
- Staying motivated
- Subject Specific strategies
- Understanding command words
- Making a revision timetable
- Before/During/After the Exam
- Revision Timetable