



GCSE Examinations Timetable 2026

Thursday 7th May 2026 to Wednesday 17th June 2026

BTEC Performing Arts: February 27th, March 6th, 18th, 20th and 27th

Art Exam: March 23rd and 24th

MFL Speaking Exams: 20th April – 1st May

Thursday 7 th May 2026 - Friday 8 th May 2026									
AM (8.45)					PM (13.15)				
Date	Day	Subject	Board	Paper	Time	Subject	Board	Paper	Time
7	Thurs					German	Pearson 1GN1 2	Listening F/H	45m/1hr
8	Fri					Drama	AQA 8261/W	Understanding Drama	1hr45m

Monday 11 th May 2026 - Friday 15 th May 2026									
AM (8.45)					PM (13.15)				
Date	Day	Subject	Board	Paper	Time	Subject	Board	Paper	Time
11	Mon	English Literature	AQA 8702/1	Shakespeare & 19 th Century Novel	1hr45m	Business Studies	Pearson 1BS0 01	Investigating Small Business	1hr45m
12	Tues	RE	Pearson 1RA0 1A	Study of Religion: Catholic Christianity	1hr45m	Biology	AQA 8461	Paper 1	1hr45m
						Combined Science	AQA 8464	Biology Paper 1	1hr15m
13	Wed	Geography	AQA 8035/1	Paper 1: Living with the Physical Environment	1hr30m	Computer Science	OCR J277/1	Computer Systems	1hr30m
14	Thurs	Maths	Pearson 1MA1 F/H	Paper 1 Non-Calculator	1hr30m	German	Pearson 1GN1 3	Reading F/H	45m/1hr
15	Fri	History	Pearson 1HI0	Paper 1: Thematic Study & Historic Environment (Medicine)	1hr20m				

Monday 18th May 2026 – Friday 22nd May 2026

AM (8.45)						PM (13.15)			
Date	Day	Subject	Board	Paper	Time	Subject	Board	Paper	Time
18	Mon	Chemistry	AQA 8462	Paper 1	1hr45m	Media Studies	AQA 8572/1	Paper 1	1hr30m
		Combined Science	AQA 8464/C	Chemistry Paper 1 F/H	1hr15m	Sport Science	OCR Cambridge National R180	Sport Science	1hr15m
19	Tues	English Literature	AQA 8702/2	Modern Texts & Poetry	2hr15m	Computer Science	OCR J277/2	Computational Thinking, Algorithms & Programming	1hr30m
20	Wed	French	Pearson 1FR1 2	Listening F/H	45m/1hr	RE	Pearson 1RA0 2C	Study of a Second Religion: Islam	50 mins
21	Thurs	English Language	AQA 8700/1	Explorations in Creative Reading and Writing	1hr45m	Business Studies	Pearson 1BS0 02	Building a Business	1hr45m
22	Fri	PE	AQA 8582/1	The Human Body and Movement	1hr15m				

HALF TERM

Monday 1st June 2026 - Friday 5th June 2026

AM (8.45)						PM (13.15)			
Date	Day	Subject	Board	Paper	Time	Subject	Board	Paper	Time
1	Mon	PE	AQA 8582/2	Socio-Cultural Influences and Well-Being	1hr15m	German	Pearson 1GN 4	Writing F/H	1hr15m/1hr20m
						RE	Pearson 1RA0 3A	Philosophy and Ethics	50 mins
2	Tues	Physics	AQA 8463/P	Paper 1	1hr45m	Media Studies	AQA 8572/2	Paper 2	1hr30m
						Statistics	Pearson 1 ST0	Paper 1	1hr30m
		Combined Science	AQA 8464	Physics Paper 1	1hr15m	Polish	AQA 8688	Listening & Reading	45m 1hr
						Russian	Pearson	Listening & Reading	45m 1hr05
3	Wed	Maths	Pearson 1MA1 F/H	Paper 2 Calculator	1hr30m	Geography	AQA 8035/2	Challenges in the Human Environment	1hr30m
4	Thurs	History	Pearson 1HI0	Paper 2: Elizabethan and American West	1hr50m	French	Pearson 1FR1 3	Reading F/H	45m/1hr
5	Fri	English Language	AQA 8700/2	Writers Viewpoints and Perspectives	1hr45m	Music	Eduqas C660U301	Component 3	1hr15m

Monday 8 th June 2026 - Friday 12 th June 2026									
AM (8.45)						PM (13.15)			
Date	Day	Subject	Board	Paper	Time	Subject	Board	Paper	Time
8	Mon	Biology	AQA 8461	Paper 2	1hr45m	i-Media	Cam Nat R093	Creative I Media in the Media Industry	1hr30m
		Combined Science	AQA 8464/B	Paper 2 Biology	1hr15m	Further Maths	AQA 8365	Paper 1	1hr45m
						French	Pearson 1FR1 4	Writing F/H	1hr15m/ 1hr20m
9	Tues	Spanish	Pearson 1SP1 2	Listening F/H	45m/ 1hr	History	Pearson 1HIA DC	Paper 3: Weimar & Nazi Germany	1hr30m
10	Wed	Maths	Pearson 1MA1 F/H	Paper 3 Calculator	1hr30m	D & T	AQA 8552	Written Paper	2hr
						Russian	Pearson 1RU0	Writing	1hr25m
11	Thurs	Geography	AQA 8035/3	Paper3: Geographical Applications	1hr30m				
12	Fri	Chemistry	AQA 8462	Paper 2	1hr45m	Statistics	Pearson 1 ST0	Paper 2	1hr30
		Combined Science	AQA 8464/C	Paper 2 Chemistry	1hr15m	Polish	AQA 8688	Writing	1hr15m

Monday 15 th June 2026 – Friday 19 th June 2026									
AM (8.45)						PM (13.15)			
Date	Day	Subject	Board	Paper	Time	Subject	Board	Paper	Time
15	Mon	Physics	AQA 8463	Paper 2	1hr45m	Further Maths	AQA 8365	Paper 2	1hr45m
		Combined Science	AQA 8464/P	Paper 2 Physics	1hr15m				
16	Tues	Spanish	Pearson 1SP1 3	Reading F/H	45m/1hr				
17	Wed	Spanish	Pearson 1SP1 4	Writing F/H	1hr15m/ 1hr20m				
18	Thurs								
19	Fri								

24th June - JCQ Contingency Day

The designation of a 'Contingency Day' within the common examination timetable is to allow leeway 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. Pupils must remain available until this date.

GCSE Results Day: Thursday 20th August 2026 (9.00 - 11.30am)