

**Summer 2026 Exam Timetable**  
**Years 10 11**

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Level 1/2 Cambridge National

| Exam Date  | Exam Board | Qualification      | Exam Code        | Subject                   | Title                                                              | Exam Time | Exam Duration |
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| 06/05/2026 | VTCT       | L1/2 Tech Award    | CO2A5 EX1        | Study of Hair & Beauty    | Study of Hair & Beauty - External exam                             | AM        | 2h 00m        |
| 07/05/2026 | AQA        | GCSE               | 8182/1           | Psychology                | Psychology Paper 1                                                 | AM        | 1h 45m        |
| 08/05/2026 | OCR        | Cambridge National | R184/01          | Sport Studies             | Contemporary issues in Sport:Written Paper                         | AM        | 1h 15m        |
| 08/05/2026 | WJEC       | GCSE               | C690U30-1        | Drama                     | Drama Component 3 (Eduqas)                                         | PM        | 1h 30m        |
| 11/05/2026 | Pearson    | GCSE               | 1BS0 01          | Business                  | Paper 1: Investigating Small Business                              | PM        | 1h 45m        |
| 11/05/2026 | AQA        | GCSE               | 8702/1           | English Literature        | English Literature Paper 1                                         | AM        | 1h 45m        |
| 12/05/2026 | AQA        | GCSE               | 8464/B/1F & 1H   | Combined Science: Trilogy | Combined Science: Trilogy - Biology Paper 1 (both tiers)           | PM        | 1h 15m        |
| 12/05/2026 | AQA        | GCSE               | 8461/1F & 1H     | Biology                   | Biology Paper 1 (both tiers)                                       | PM        | 1h 45m        |
| 13/05/2026 | OCR        | GCSE               | J277/01          | Computer Science          | Computer Systems - Written Paper                                   | PM        | 1h 30m        |
| 13/05/2026 | AQA        | GCSE               | 8035/1           | Geography                 | Geography Paper 1                                                  | AM        | 1h 30m        |
| 14/05/2026 | AQA        | GCSE               | 8182/2           | Psychology                | Psychology Paper 2                                                 | PM        | 1h 45m        |
| 14/05/2026 | AQA        | GCSE               | 8300/1F and 1H   | Mathematics               | Mathematics Paper 1 (non - calculator) (both tiers)                | AM        | 1h 30m        |
| 15/05/2026 | AQA        | GCSE               | 8145/1A/C & 1B/A | History                   | History Paper 1                                                    | AM        | 2h 00m        |
| 18/05/2026 | AQA        | GCSE               | 8464/C/1F & 1H   | Combined Science: Trilogy | Combined Science: Trilogy - Chemistry Paper 1 (both tiers)         | AM        | 1h 15m        |
| 18/05/2026 | AQA        | GCSE               | 8462/1F & 1H     | Chemistry                 | Chemistry Paper 1 (both tiers)                                     | AM        | 1h 45m        |
| 18/05/2026 | WJEC       | GCSE               | C680U10-1        | Media Studies             | Media Studies Component 1 (Eduqas)                                 | PM        | 1h 30m        |
| 19/05/2026 | AQA        | GCSE               | 8702/2           | English Literature        | English Literature Paper 2                                         | AM        | 2h 15m        |
| 19/05/2026 | OCR        | GCSE               | J277/02          | Computer Science          | Computational thinking, algorithms and programming - Written Paper | PM        | 1h 30m        |
| 20/05/2026 | Pearson    | GCSE               | 1FR1 2F          | French                    | Paper 2: Listening and understanding in French Foundation Tier     | AM        | 0h 50m        |
| 20/05/2026 | Pearson    | GCSE               | 1FR1 2H          | French                    | Paper 2: Listening and understanding in French Higher Tier         | AM        | 1h 05m        |
| 21/05/2026 | AQA        | GCSE               | 8700/1           | English Language          | English Language Paper 1                                           | AM        | 1h 45m        |
| 21/05/2026 | Pearson    | GCSE               | 1BS0 02          | Business                  | Paper 2: Building a Business                                       | PM        | 1h 45m        |
| 22/05/2026 | OCR        | GCSE               | J587/01          | Physical Education        | Physical factors affecting performance - Written Paper             | AM        | 1h 00m        |

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| 01/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8852/W           | Engineering                      | Engineering                                                  | AM        | 2h 00m        |
| 01/06/2026 | OCR                                                 | GCSE          | J587/02          | Physical Education               | Socio-cultural issues and sports psychology - Written Paper  | AM        | 1h 00m        |
| 02/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8464/P/1F & 1H   | Combined Science: Trilogy        | Combined Science: Trilogy - Physics Paper 1 (both tiers)     | AM        | 1h 15m        |
| 02/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8463/1F & 1H     | Physics                          | Physics Paper 1 (both tiers)                                 | AM        | 1h 45m        |
| 02/06/2026 | WJEC                                                | GCSE          | C680U20-1        | Media Studies                    | Media Studies Component 2 (Eduqas)                           | PM        | 1h 30m        |
| 03/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8035/2           | Geography                        | Geography Paper 2                                            | PM        | 1h 30m        |
| 03/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8300/2F and 2H   | Mathematics                      | Mathematics Paper 2 (calculator) (both tiers)                | AM        | 1h 30m        |
| 04/06/2026 | Pearson                                             | GCSE          | 1FR1 3F          | French                           | Paper 3: Reading and understanding in French Foundation Tier | PM        | 0h 45m        |
| 04/06/2026 | Pearson                                             | GCSE          | 1FR1 3H          | French                           | Paper 3: Reading and understanding in French Higher Tier     | PM        | 1h 00m        |
| 04/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8145/2A/A & 2B/C | History                          | History Paper 2                                              | AM        | 2h 00m        |
| 05/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8700/2           | English Language                 | English Language Paper 2                                     | AM        | 1h 45m        |
| 05/06/2026 | Pearson                                             | GCSE          | 1MU0 03          | Music                            | Component 3: Appraising                                      | PM        | 1h 45m        |
| 08/06/2026 | Pearson                                             | GCSE          | 1FR1 4F          | French                           | Paper 4: Writing in French Foundation Tier                   | PM        | 1h 15m        |
| 08/06/2026 | Pearson                                             | GCSE          | 1FR1 4H          | French                           | Paper 4: Writing in French Higher Tier                       | PM        | 1h 20m        |
| 08/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8464/B/2F & 2H   | Combined Science: Trilogy        | Combined Science: Trilogy - Biology Paper 2 (both tiers)     | AM        | 1h 15m        |
| 08/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8461/2F & 2H     | Biology                          | Biology Paper 2 (both tiers)                                 | AM        | 1h 45m        |
| 10/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8552/W           | Design and Technology            | Design & Technology                                          | PM        | 2h 00m        |
| 10/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8300/3F and 3H   | Mathematics                      | Mathematics Paper 3 (calculator) (both tiers)                | AM        | 1h 30m        |
| 11/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8585/W           | Food preparation and nutrition   | Food preparation and nutrition                               | PM        | 1h 45m        |
| 11/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8035/3           | Geography                        | Geography Paper 3                                            | AM        | 1h 30m        |
| 12/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8464/C/2F & 2H   | Combined Science: Trilogy        | Combined Science: Trilogy - Chemistry Paper 2 (both tiers)   | AM        | 1h 15m        |
| 12/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8462/2F & 2H     | Chemistry                        | Chemistry Paper 2 (both tiers)                               | AM        | 1h 45m        |
| 12/06/2026 | Pearson                                             | L2 Cert       | 7M20 01          | Extended Mathematics Certificate | Paper 1: (Non-Calculator)                                    | PM        | 1h 15m        |
| 15/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8464/P/2F & 2H   | Combined Science: Trilogy        | Combined Science: Trilogy - Physics Paper 2 (both tiers)     | AM        | 1h 15m        |
| 15/06/2026 | AQA                                                 | GCSE          | 8463/2F & 2H     | Physics                          | Physics Paper 2 (both tiers)                                 | AM        | 1h 45m        |
| 18/06/2026 | Pearson                                             | L2 Cert       | 7M20 02          | Extended Mathematics Certificate | Paper 2: (Calculator)                                        | PM        | 1h 15m        |
| 24/06/2026 | National Contingency session* - keep this date free |               |                  |                                  |                                                              |           |               |

\* The designation of a 'Contingency Session/Day' within the common examination timetable is in the event of national or local disruption to the examinations. It is part of the awarding bodies' standard contingency planning for examinations. All students must remain available for exams up until and including the exam contingency dates.\*