

GCSE Exam Preparation & Revision Catalogue 2023-24



How to use this Catalogue

This catalogue has been produced so that both students and parents/carers have all the appropriate information on revision resources and equipment recommended by subject teachers to support learning. The selection of books available for you to purchase online are tailored to your child's option choices.

It is designed to make the purchasing of Revision Guides and equipment much simpler for you. All the books and equipment in this catalogue support students in Year 11 preparing for the Summer 2024 examination series.

All the resources outlined are available to buy via the SCOPAY, our online payment system – please copy the following link to the login page to your browser: -

www.scopay.com/john-cabot-ac

If you do not already have a SCOPAY account set up or have any queries regarding purchasing, current orders or using the online payments system, please email JCAFinance@clf.uk or call and ask to speak to the Finance Office.

Once purchased by the parent/carer, the resources are ordered by our finance team and then passed to the students at the academy on delivery. As an academy we can take advantage of buying in bulk and therefore often secure these books at a discounted price. We can pass this discount onto parents/carers, so the price on our online payment system can be the same but will often be cheaper as other online retailers.

The prices stated in this catalogue are approximate costs and correct at the time of publication and can change in line with the prices of the supplier(s) that we use – for this reason, this is intended as a guide only. The accurate and up to date pricing is always available on SCOPAY, our online payment system. We update prices as soon as we are advised by the supplier(s) that they have changed the cost of a particular item.

As an academy, we are aware of the additional costs to parents/carers in supporting their children through GCSE courses, therefore, this catalogue outlines recommended and optional texts and equipment. All items in this catalogue are worthwhile purchases and are promoted by the subject teams at John Cabot Academy, however, if you are looking to stagger your purchasing, then we would suggest buying the 'recommended texts' first and then the 'optional texts' second.

For some subjects there are different tiers of entry (higher/foundation) and some books are targeted at specific target grades. If you are unsure about which book to select, please discuss with your child and/or their subject teacher prior to placing an order. All contact details are on the academy website.

^{**}Current order deadline is 24th November 2023**

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ENGLISH

English Language

RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	GCSE English Language AQA Complete
	Revision & Practice - Grade 9-1 Course (with
	Online Edition)
Publisher	CGP
Approximate Cost	£6.00 through JCA
ISBN	9781782944140



English Literature

RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	New GCSE English Text Guide - A Christmas
	Carol includes Online Edition & Quizzes
Publisher	CGP
Approximate Cost	£3.15 through JCA
ISBN	9781782943099



RECOMMENDED TEXT **YEAR 10 STUDENTS ONLY**	
Book Title	New GCSE English Text Guide - An Inspector
	Calls includes Online Edition & Quizzes
Publisher	CGP
Approximate Cost	£3.15 through JCA
ISBN	9781841461151

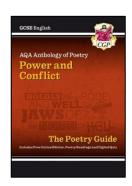


English Literature (continued...)

RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	New GCSE English Shakespeare Text Guide -
	Macbeth includes Online Edition & Quizzes
Publisher	CGP
Approximate Cost	£3.15 through JCA
ISBN	9781841461168



RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	New GCSE English AQA Poetry Guide -
	Power & Conflict Anthology inc. Online
	Edition, Audio & Quizzes
Publisher	CGP
Approximate Cost	£3.15 through JCA
ISBN	9781782943617



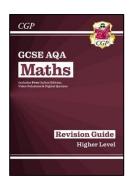
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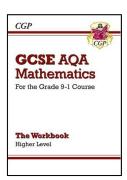
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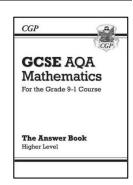
Higher Maths Bundle for Students in Sets 1-3

Please ensure that you have checked with your child and/or your child's Maths Teacher(s) that you are purchasing the guide(s) appropriate for their ability/level they are studying.

	RECOMMENDED TEXTS
Bundle Contents	New 2021 GCSE Maths AQA Revision Guide: Higher including
	Online Edition, Videos & Quizzes
	+
	GCSE Maths AQA Workbook: Higher - for the Grade 9-1 Course
	+
	GCSE Maths AQA Answers for Workbook: Higher - for the Grade
	9-1 Course
Publisher	CGP
Approximate Cost	£7.50 through JCA
ISBN	9781782943952 / 9781782943976 / 9781782943938



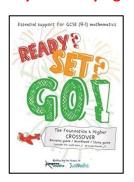




Crossover Guide

Please ensure that you have checked with your child and/or your child's Maths Teacher(s) that you are purchasing the guide(s) appropriate for their ability/level they are studying.

RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	The Ready? Set? Go!: GCSE Maths
	Crossover Revision Workbook
Publisher	Justaroo
Approximate Cost	£6.25
ISBN	9781838065003

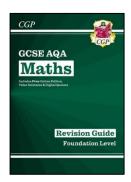


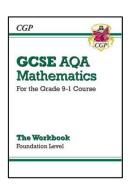
Maths (continued...)

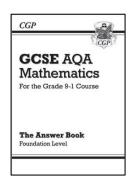
Foundation Maths Bundle for Students in Sets 4-6

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	RECOMMENDED TEXTS
Bundle Contents	New 2021 GCSE Maths AQA Revision Guide: Foundation
	including Online Edition, Videos & Quizzes
	+
	GCSE Maths AQA Workbook: Foundation - for the Grade 9-1
	Course
	+
	GCSE Maths AQA Answers for Workbook: Foundation - for the
	Grade 9-1 Course
Publisher	CGP
Approximate Cost	£7.50 through JCA
ISBN	9781782943914 / 9781782943921 / 9781782943891



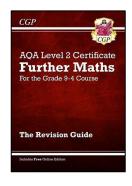




Further Maths

Please ensure that you have checked with your child and/or your child's Maths Teacher (s) that they are studying further maths prior to purchasing this guide.

RECO	OMMENDED TEXT
Book Title	Grade 9-4 AQA Level 2 Certificate:
	Further Maths - Revision Guide
	(with Online Edition)
Publisher	CGP
Approximate Cost	£4.00 through JCA
ISBN	9781789082401

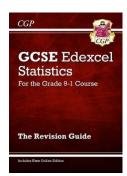


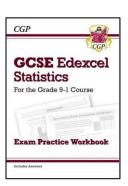
Statistics

Statistics Bundle

Please ensure that you have checked with your child and/or your child's Maths Teacher(s) that they are studying statistics prior to purchasing these guides.

	RECOMMENDED TEXTS
Bundle Contents	GCSE Statistics Edexcel Revision Guide - for the Grade 9-1 Course (with Online Edition)
	+ GCSE Statistics Edexcel Exam Practice Workbook - for the Grade
	9-1 Course (includes Answers)
Publisher	CGP
Approximate Cost	£7.00 through JCA
ISBN	9781782949497 / 9781782949527





Calculators

Calculators are available for purchase for all year groups via SCOPAY

RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT
Casio Scientific Calculator FX-83GT CW*
£9.20 through JCA



For those students considering A Level Maths after GCSE a more advanced calculator is suggested

Optional Equipment	
Casio Scientific Calculator ClassWiz FX-991EX*	
£23.13 through JCA	



^{*}We currently have stock of both calculators in the Academy for immediate collection from the Finance Office

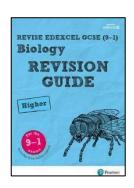
SCIENCE

Science - Triple Science

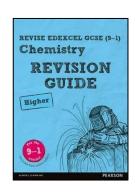
Higher Revision Guides

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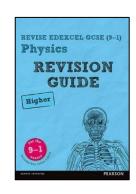
RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Biology Higher
	Revision Guide: (with free online edition)
Publisher	Pearson Education
Approximate Cost	£4.91 through JCA
ISBN Biology	9781292131719



RECOMMENDED TEXT		
Book Title	Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Chemistry Higher	
	Revision Guide: (with free online edition)	
Publisher	Pearson Education	
Approximate Cost	£4.91 through JCA	
ISBN Chemistry	9781292131924	



RECOMMENDED TEXT		
Book Title	Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Physics Higher	
	Revision Guide: (with free online edition)	
Publisher	Pearson Education	
Approximate Cost	£4.91 through JCA	
ISBN Physics	9781292133706	



Science - Triple Science (continued...)

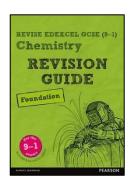
Foundation Revision Guides

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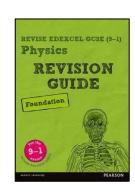
RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Biology
	Foundation Revision Guide: (with free
	online edition)
Publisher	Pearson Education
Approximate Cost	£4.91 through JCA
ISBN Biology	9781292131740



RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Chemistry
	Foundation Revision Guide: (with free
	online edition)
Publisher	Pearson Education
Approximate Cost	£4.91 through JCA
ISBN Chemistry	9781292131894



RECOMMENDED TEXT		
Book Title	Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Physics	
	Foundation Revision Guide: (with free	
	online edition)	
Publisher	Pearson Education	
Approximate Cost	£4.91 through JCA	
ISBN Physics	9781292133690	

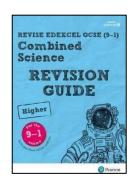


Science - Combined Science

Higher Revision Guide

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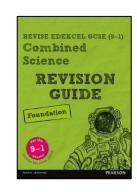
RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Combined
	Science Higher Revision Guide: (with free
	online edition)
Publisher	Pearson Education
Approximate Cost	£8.19 each through JCA
ISBN	9781292131634



Foundation Revision Guide

Please ensure that you have checked with your child and/or your child's Science Teacher(s) that you are purchasing the guide(s) appropriate for their ability/level they are studying.

RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Combined
	Science Foundation Revision Guide: (with
	free online edition)
Publisher	Pearson Education
Approximate Cost	£8.19 each through JCA
ISBN	9781292131597



COMPUTER SCIENCE AND BUSINESS STUDIES

Computer Science

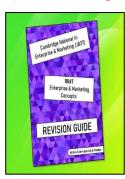
* Option Subject – Please check that your child is studying this subject before ordering

RECOMMENDED TEXT		
Book Title	ClearRevise OCR GCSE Computer Science	
	J277	
Publisher	PG Online	
Approximate Cost	£6.80 through JCA	
ISBN	9781910523230	



Business Studies

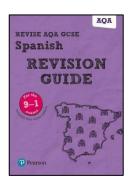
RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title*	RO67 Enterprise & Marketing Concepts
	Revision Booklet
Publisher	Mean Business
Approximate Cost	£3.99
*We currently have stock of this bundle in the Academy for immediate collection from the Finance Office	



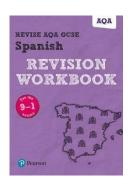
MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Spanish

RECOMMENDED TEXT		
Book Title	Revise AQA GCSE (9-1) Spanish Revision	
	Guide: includes online edition	
Publisher	Pearson Education	
Approximate Cost	£2.99 through JCA	
ISBN	9781292131443	



Optional Text	
Book Title	Revise AQA GCSE Spanish Revision
	Workbook: for the 9-1 exams
Publisher	Pearson Education
Approximate Cost	£2.99 through JCA
ISBN	9781292131412

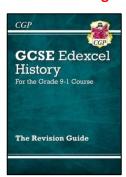


HUMANITIES

History

RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	GCSE History Edexcel Revision Guide - for the
	Grade 9-1 Course*
Publisher	CGP
Approximate Cost	£3.50 through JCA
ISBN	9781782946052

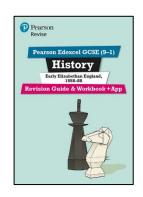
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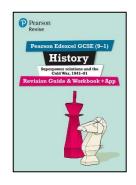
RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) History: Crime and
	Punishment in Britain Revision Guide and
	Workbook + App
Publisher	Pearson Education
Approximate Cost	£2.99 through JCA
ISBN	9781292169705



RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) History: Early
	Elizabethan England Revision Guide and
	Workbook + App
Publisher	Pearson Education
Approximate Cost	£2.99 through JCA
ISBN	9781292169712



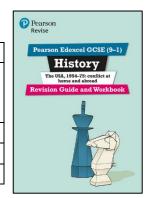
RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) History:
	Superpower relations and the Cold War
	Revision Guide and Workbook + App
Publisher	Pearson Education
Approximate Cost	£2.99 through JCA
ISBN	9781292169750



History (continued...)

*Option Subject - Please check that your child is studying this subject before ordering

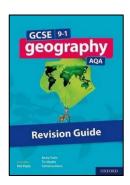
RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	Revise Edexcel GCSE (9-1) History The USA,
	1954-75: conflict at home and abroad
	Revision Guide and Workbook:
Publisher	Pearson Education
Approximate Cost	£2.99 through JCA
ISBN	9781292169767



Geography

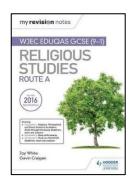
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RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	GCSE 9-1 Geography AQA Revision Guide
Publisher	OUP Oxford
Approximate Cost	£8.75 through JCA
ISBN	9780198423461



Religious Studies

RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	My Revision Notes WJEC Eduqas GCSE (9-1) Religious Studies Route A: Covering
	Christianity, Buddhism, Islam and Judaism
Publisher	Hodder Education
Approximate Cost	£10.99 through JCA
ISBN	9781510414624

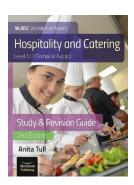


CREATIVE DESIGN

Food & Nutrition

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RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	WJEC Vocational Award Hospitality and
	Catering Level 1/2 Study and Revision Guide
	2 nd Edition
Publisher	Illuminate Publishing
Approximate Cost	£13.59 through JCA
ISBN	9781913963323



Photography

RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT	
Hama 4GB SDHC Card*	
£4.00 through JCA	



RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT
Hama 16GB SDHC Card*
£5.50 through JCA



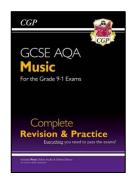
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PERFORMING ARTS

Music

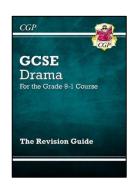
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Book Title	New 9-1 GCSE Music AQA Complete
	Revision & Practice with Online Edition &
	Audio: for exams from 2022
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Approximate Cost	£7.75 through JCA
ISBN	9781789086287

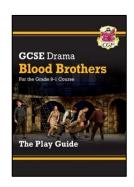


Drama

RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	Grade 9-1 GCSE Drama Revision Guide
Author	CGP
Publisher	CGP
Approximate Cost	£3.15 through JCA
ISBN	9781782949626



RECOMMENDED TEXT		
Book Title	Grade 9-1 GCSE Drama Play Guide - Blood	
	Brothers	
Publisher	CGP	
Approximate Cost	£3.15 through JCA	
ISBN	9781782949664	



HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

RECOMMENDED TEXT	
Book Title	Revise BTEC Tech Award Health and Social
	Care (2022) Revision Guide: (with free
	online edition)
Publisher	Pearson Education
Approximate Cost	£4.89 through JCA
ISBN	9781292436128

