

EXTENDED PROJECT QUALIFICATION (EPQ)

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INFORMATION

QUALIFICATION

Level 3

COURSE LENGTH

1 year

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

English at Grade 6

Mathematics at grade 4 or above.

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COURSE INFORMATION

EPQ is an exciting qualification worth half an A Level, giving you the opportunity to research a topic you are passionate about. Through independent study, you will develop valuable skills in research, critical thinking, time management and presentation, helping to prepare you for university, apprenticeships and future careers.

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COMPLIMENTARY SUBJECTS

EPQ works well alongside any A Level, as you can choose a project linked to their interests or future career plans.

The flexibility of the EPQ allows you to deepen your understanding of A Level subjects while developing valuable skills for higher education and employment.

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FUTURE EMPLOYMENT

EPQ develops valuable workplace skills including research, project management, critical thinking, communication, and independent learning. These skills are highly valued by employers and can help students stand out in job, apprenticeship, and university applications.

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HOW WILL IT SUPPORT A POST-18 APPLICATION

EPQ helps students stand out in UCAS applications and personal statements by demonstrating independence, academic curiosity, and the ability to undertake university-style research. It provides excellent evidence of skills such as critical thinking, time management, problem-solving, and effective communication. Many universities value the EPQ because it shows students can plan, research, and complete a substantial project independently, helping them make a stronger application and prepare for the demands of higher education.

SUSTAINABILITY

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QUALIFICATION

OCR Level 3

COURSE LENGTH

1 year

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

English at Grade 4

Mathematics at grade 4 or above.

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COURSE INFORMATION

Level 3 Sustainability course will provide you with an understanding of the environmental, social, and economic challenges facing the world today. You will explore topics such as climate change, renewable energy, sustainable business practices, conservation, and responsible resource management.

The course encourages you to think critically about global issues and consider how individuals, communities, and organisations can contribute to a more sustainable future. Through practical activities and real-world case studies, you will develop valuable skills in research, problem-solving, communication, and decision-making.

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COMPLIMENTARY SUBJECTS

Level 3 Sustainability qualification complements a wide range of subjects, particularly those that explore environmental, social, and economic issues including: Geography, Biology, Sociology, Food Science and Nutrition, Business Studies and Economics

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FUTURE EMPLOYMENT

Knowledge of sustainability is an emerging need across all industries with sectors creating roles directly linked to the sustainability agenda. This qualification is ideal for if you have an interest in the environment and complements a wide range of careers in the areas of science, geography, business, engineering, environmental management, and public services. It also helps develop the awareness and employability skills increasingly valued by universities and employers.

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HOW WILL IT SUPPORT A POST-18 APPLICATION

Level 3 Sustainability supports post-18 progression by developing key employability skills and demonstrating an understanding of global sustainability issues. It enhances applications for university, apprenticeships, and employment, particularly in sectors where environmental awareness and sustainable practices are increasingly important.

ORACY

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QUALIFICATION

Level 3

COURSE LENGTH

1 year

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

English at Grade 4

Mathematics at grade 4 or above.

02

COURSE INFORMATION

Oracy course will help you develop confidence and skills needed to communicate effectively in a range of academic, professional, and social settings. You will learn how to present ideas clearly, participate in discussions and debates, structuring and organising ideas, listen actively, and adapt communication for different audiences.

Through practical activities and collaborative tasks, you will build essential skills in public speaking, teamwork, leadership, critical thinking, and effective communication. The course encourages you to express ideas with confidence while developing the ability to listen, question, and respond thoughtfully to others.

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COMPLIMENTARY SUBJECTS

Level 3 Oracy qualification complements all subjects by helping you to develop the confidence and communication skills needed for success in the work place including: English, History, Politics and Psychology

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FUTURE EMPLOYMENT

Level 3 Oracy develops confidence, communication, teamwork, and leadership skills that are highly valued by employers. It prepares you for university, apprenticeships, and the workplace by helping them communicate effectively, present ideas clearly, and work successfully with others.

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HOW WILL IT SUPPORT A POST-18 APPLICATION

Level 3 Oracy strengthens post-18 applications by developing the confidence, communication, and leadership skills valued by universities, apprenticeships, and employers. It helps students demonstrate their ability to present ideas effectively, work collaboratively, and communicate with confidence in a range of settings.

SPORTS LEADER



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QUALIFICATION

Level 3

COURSE LENGTH

1 year

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

English at Grade 4

Mathematics at grade 4 or above.

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COURSE INFORMATION

The Level 3 Sports Leaders qualification provides you with the knowledge, confidence, and practical skills to lead and organise sporting activities. You will learn how to plan and deliver sessions, communicate effectively, motivate participants, and work as part of a team.

This qualification is ideal for those with an interest in sport, coaching, teaching, fitness, or community leadership. It helps build confidence and develops transferable skills that are highly valued by universities, employers, and apprenticeship providers.

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COMPLIMENTARY SUBJECTS

Sports Leaders qualification works particularly well alongside: Sport, Psychology, Biology and Business Studies.

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FUTURE EMPLOYMENT

The qualification is an excellent choice for you if you're interested in careers in sport, coaching, teaching, fitness, physiotherapy, sports management, the armed forces, public services, and community leadership, helping them develop practical leadership experience alongside their academic studies.

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HOW WILL IT SUPPORT A POST-18 APPLICATION

Level 3 Sports Leaders enhances post-18 applications by developing leadership, teamwork, communication, and organisational skills. It provides valuable practical experience that helps students stand out in university, apprenticeship, and employment applications while preparing them for future study and careers.

PERSONAL FINANCE



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QUALIFICATION

Level 3

COURSE LENGTH

1 year

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

English at Grade 4

Mathematics at grade 4 or above.

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COURSE INFORMATION

The Level 2 Personal Finance qualification equips you with the knowledge and skills needed to make informed financial decisions throughout your life. You will explore topics such as budgeting, saving, borrowing, banking, taxation, insurance, and managing personal debt. The course helps you understand how money affects everyday life and develops the confidence to plan for future financial responsibilities. Through real-life scenarios and practical activities, students gain valuable skills in decision-making, problem-solving, and financial planning.

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COMPLIMENTARY SUBJECTS

Personal Finance complements a wide range of subjects by helping you understand the financial aspects of everyday life including: Business Studies, Economics, Maths and Sociology.

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FUTURE EMPLOYMENT

This qualification is ideal if you want to develop essential life skills as you prepare for adulthood. It provides a strong foundation for future study, employment, and independent living, helping students become financially responsible and confident in managing their money.

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HOW WILL IT SUPPORT A POST-18 APPLICATION

Personal Finance strengthens post-18 applications by demonstrating financial awareness, responsibility, and strong decision-making skills. It prepares students for university, apprenticeships, and employment by developing valuable life skills that support independent living and future success.

CORE MATHS

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INFORMATION

QUALIFICATION

Level 3

COURSE LENGTH

1 year

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

English at Grade 5
Mathematics at grade 5 or above.

02

COURSE INFORMATION

Core Maths is a Level 3 qualification designed if you wish to continue developing your mathematical skills alongside their A Levels. Equivalent to an AS qualification, Core Maths focuses on the practical application of mathematics in real-life situations.

You will develop skills in areas such as financial maths, statistics, data analysis, problem-solving, and interpreting information. The course shows students how mathematics is used in everyday life, higher education, and the workplace, helping them become more confident in using numerical information and making informed decisions.

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COMPLIMENTARY SUBJECTS

Core Maths is particularly beneficial alongside subjects that require data analysis, problem-solving, or numerical reasoning. It works especially well with: Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Psychology, Business Studies, Economics and Computer Science.

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FUTURE EMPLOYMENT

Core Maths develops the numerical and analytical skills highly valued by employers. It helps students build confidence in working with data, finances, and problem-solving, preparing them for a wide range of careers and enhancing their employability in an increasingly data-driven world.

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HOW WILL IT SUPPORT A POST-18 APPLICATION

Core Maths enhances post-18 applications by developing the numerical, analytical, and problem-solving skills valued by universities and employers. It demonstrates confidence in working with data and supports progression into a wide range of degree courses, apprenticeships, and careers.