

English Language
GCSE Controlled Assessment

Details of assessment tasks and the level of control can be found within individual GCSE subject specifications:-
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GCSE Assessment 2010 -2012			
Exam Only	Controlled Assessment and Exam	Controlled Assessment and Exam	Coursework and Exam
100% External Examination	75% External Examination 25% Controlled Assessment	40% External Examination 60% Controlled Assessment	Subjects comprising External Examinations and Coursework
Mathematics Religious Studies Additional Maths	Business Studies English Literature Geography History	Art and Design English Language French German Home Economics Journalism LLW Media Studies Music Physical Education Spanish Technology and Design	Biology Chemistry Physics

Controlled Assessment Tasks

	Task 1	Task 2	Task 3
Details of Task	The Study of Spoken Language (10%)	The Study of Written Language (15%)	Writing Creatively (15%)
Duration	1½ hrs	1½ hrs	2 hrs
Amount of Planning Time	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited
Period allocation for Planning e.g. (9 x 35 mins)	2 periods/week Prior to CAT (March- May Yr	2 periods/week In Yr 11 (Nov)	2 periods/week (Sept-Oct Yr

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Venue for Task Planning	Subject Teacher's classroom	Subject Teacher's classroom	Subject Teacher's classroom
Amount of time for Task Taking	1½ hrs	1½ hrs	2 hrs
Period allocation for Task Taking e.g. (4 x 35 mins)	3 x 35min	3 x 35min	4 x 35min
Venue for Task Taking	Subject Teacher's classroom	Subject Teacher's classroom	Subject Teacher's classroom
Presentation e.g. handwritten using black ink	Handwritten using black ink		