

Course Prospectus 2025 - 2026

All courses taught by subject experts and designed by the tutor teaching the course.

Primary Age Short Courses (ages 9-11, UK years 5/6)	Page 2
Individual short courses	Page 2-4
Secondary Age Short Courses (ages 11-15, UK years 7/8/9)	Page 5
Individual short courses / IGCSE&GCSE taster courses	
Science	Page 5
Psychology/Sociology	Page 10
Critical Thinking/Philosophy/Politics	Page 11
Business/Economics	Page 12
Geography/History	Page 13
Misc Subjects	Page 15
English	Page 17
Mathematics	Page 21
Combined '1year' programs	Page 25
'Live' course schedule	Page 30
IGCSE/GCSE exams skills and revision courses	Page 31
GCSE/IGCSE Courses	
Individual course details	Page 33
'Live' course schedule	Page 44
Functional Skills Courses	
Individual course details	Page 45
'Live' course schedule	Page 44
A-LEVELs	
Subject details	Page 47
Fees / Discounts / Key Information	Page 48



Each year, our "Where our learners live" map grows!



*"I am so impressed with your lessons. You are the first teacher he has ever worked with online, whose teaching style he liked! He said he learns a lot from you. You are so much more engaging than a lot of tutors we have tried.
Thank you"*



COURSE FORMATS

Courses are available in different formats:
I) Online, Live format, using the Canvas learning platform and Live sessions on Zoom (includes tutorials, documents, assignments, full tutor support & more!)
II) Online, Flexible format, using the Canvas learning platform and recorded sessions (includes tutorials, documents, assignments, full tutor support & more!)
III) Ellis's Worldventures uses a unique, interactive 'timed drop' format

Primary Age (9-11yrs) Courses

Online, Flexible timing format short courses – most are available to enrol any time

Online, Live format (small groups) short courses – see times/dates within course descriptions

MONEY AND YOU – FUNDAMENTALS KS2 (CODE: PMON)

8 SESSIONS - £55



Finance is a part of our everyday life, and having basic personal financial knowledge is one of the most important things you can do to live a healthy, happy and secure life. Young people should have the benefit of financial experience and education to make good decisions with money - big or small.

Our 'Money and You' courses are created, developed and run by a business and economics specialist, and highly experienced educator. Engaging, interesting and dynamic courses to really inspire your young person.

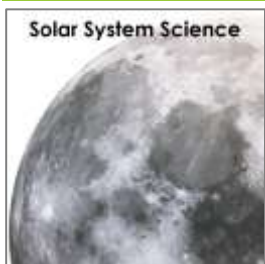
Course Topics: What is money and how do we use it; Different ways of paying for things; How Banks work; Savings and Interest; Budgets and Making Choices; Keeping your

money safe; What is debt.

Each topic features: i) a pre-recorded tutorial (with interactive aspects that allow your young person to 'play along at home'), ii) activities (assignments, quizzes, projects, etc.) , iii) a save-able information pack And, at the end of each course, your young person is also eligible for a personal Certificate of Achievement.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

SOLAR SYSTEM SCIENCE (6-SESSION COURSE) £45



Venusian pancake volcanoes, aurora borealis, and diamond planets all make an appearance in this course exploring the wonders of our solar system! We cover a range of fascinating topics spanning the sun, asteroids, moons, comets and planets. Explore this subject in detail and practice applying knowledge right away. A fun primary Science course.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Science

MAPLE SYRUP MATHS (4-SESSION COURSE) £35



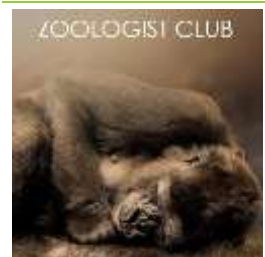
This tasty course uses maple syrup, made from one of the world's most unusual natural resources, to explore a variety of Mathematical concepts.

An excellent introduction to: fractions, decimals, place values, perimeter and area and more ... using fun and interesting examples and problems, ranging from carpark design to pancake throwing contests!

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Maths

ZOOLOGIST CLUB (6-SESSION COURSE) £45



Covering a new animal each week, we explore naming, kingdoms, habitats, ecosystems and conservation. From the teeny weeny to the massive, from animals with wings to those that have tusks, from bright pink to deep green – we take a virtual magnifying glass to the life of an amazing array of creatures. A unique course, perfect for 9-11 yr olds.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Science

VIKINGS: FACTS AND MYTHS (4-SESSION COURSE) £35



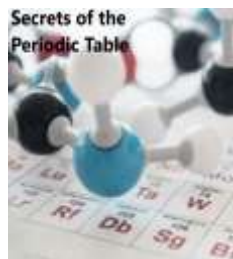
From daring adventures across Europe, to founding settlements in Greenland and North America five hundred years before Christopher Columbus, we explore Viking truths and legends.

History

From days of the week to burial rituals, we explore facts, myths and rumours. A delightfully broad ranging course that covers elements of both History and Geography.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

SECRETS OF THE PERIODIC TABLE (4-SESSION COURSE) £35



Where on Earth can you find some of the rarest elements? Which elements are we fast running out of, and where will we get more? What do diamond rings and pencils have in common?

Science

We explore a range of fascinating secrets of the Periodic Table in, this fun and interactive Science course.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

KINGDOMS & CLASSIFICATIONS (4-SESSIONS) £35



What do crabs and spiders have in common? Or horses and rhinoceroses? In this fascinating course that explores kingdoms and classifications, we look at a wide range of living organisms and see who is related to whom, and why!

Science

A fantastic Science course with some elements of Geography and History, as well.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

MATHS IN ART & DESIGN (4-SESSION COURSE) £35



Mathematics and art intersect in our world in beautiful ways, particularly when it comes to design. Without mathematics and artistic vision, we wouldn't have the amazing textiles, phenomenal buildings, or dramatic interiors that thrill and delight all of us. An excellent introduction to: geometry, symmetry, angles, polygons, translations, transformations and more!

Maths

Art&Design

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

ELLIS'S WORLDVENTURES –CURRICULUM COURSES £75EACH



Ellis's Worldventures delivers the KS2 UK National Curriculum in a delightfully unique way. Our inquisitive character 'Ellis' takes learners on incredible learning journeys, exploring key curriculum topics along the way. Each lesson features a new travel diary entry/letter, with a unique and wondrous story line; each update tells part of the life of Ellis and how, in the course of life, the need for specific knowledge arises. An unconventional 'course' where you can step into Ellis's life of adventure and exploration. Written in first person to the reader, Ellis

Maths

English

Geography

Science

History

introduces new ideas and concepts which are embedded within an entertaining storyline. These courses are designed to teach key curriculum ideas by building in foundation concepts without repetition and traditional 'practice questions'. Each week/lesson features: updates via letter from Ellis (with a lesson buried within!), activities, and projects ... a creative and interactive way to develop late Primary stage knowledge. £75 for a 1yr subscription to the entire curriculum course for each individual subject (5 different subject courses are available, each for £75)

Structure:

- Worldventures runs over 50 weeks/lessons; each lesson information "update" includes:

- a new letter/ story document from Ellis
- engaging and interactive activities, 1 for each day of the week if doing one lesson per week
- extra supporting resources

(all based around the core elements of the UK National Curriculum, for this age group)

- New enrolments can start at any time
- Course Fees: each individual 50 session subject course is available for a fee of only £75

WV1: Ellis's Worldventures - Mathematics

Some of the topics covered within Ellis's Worldventures include: whole numbers, negative numbers, rounding, order of operations, fractions, decimals and much more!

WV2: Ellis's Worldventures - English

Some of the curriculum topics covered in Ellis's Worldventures include: root words, prefixes and suffixes, distinguish between statements of fact and opinion, metaphor, simile, analogy, imagery, and more!

WV3: Ellis's Worldventures - Geography

Some of the curriculum topics covered include: physical geography, human geography, latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian, time zones and more!

WV4: Ellis's Worldventures - History

Some of the fascinating topics covered within Ellis's Worldventures include: stone age, bronze age, iron age, the Roman Empire, the Aztecs, the Industrial Revolution, Chinese Dynasties and more!

WV5: Ellis's Worldventures - Science

Some of the fascinating topics included within Ellis's Worldventures include: classification systems and naming, human biology (circulation, respiration, brain function), adaptation, light, electricity and more!

Primary Age (9-11yrs) Short Course Information

Primary small-group courses are available in three formats:

I) Online, Live format, using the Canvas learning platform and Live sessions on Zoom (includes video tutorials, documents, assignments & more!) with small group sizes

II) Online, Flexible format, using the Canvas learning platform and recorded sessions (includes video tutorials, documents, assignments & more!)

iii) Ellis's Worldventures uses a unique, interactive 'timed drop' format (uses the Canvas learning platform)

*All courses include a range of interesting and engaging activities (available 24/7 - for the duration of the course) and full tutor support!

All of our courses are taught by subject experts who are current or former home educators, and all courses are designed and created by the person teaching the class.

"After leaving school after being bullied we found you like a shining star and My daughter has LOVED every class and all 4 subjects that you have encouragingly taught her over the last 2 years. The education department could learn a lot from you. Thank you for your dedication and passion to teaching. "

"You are an amazing tutor. I can't thank you enough for everything, from the load of emails I sent you, the help I received, through every process and step. You are truly remarkable."

"DD was upset on Wednesday saying I wish we could carry on, I don't want the course to end, I want to hear more of Kate, she made the course so interesting, I never knew I would like Business so much. Thank you ever so much behalf of DD and myself"

"M gets so excited with your lessons. He watched the recorded version and kept pausing it to say the answer. Thank you for being an amazing teacher. He finished with "mum i really love her lessons"! I couldn't have taught him with the enthusiasm you have"

Secondary Age (11-17yrs) Courses

Online, Flexible timing short courses – most are available to enrol any time

Online, Live sessions (small groups) short courses – see times/dates in course descriptions

Science & Astronomy

ELLIS'S WORLDVENTURES SCIENCE (11- 12YRS - UK YR 7/8) 50 WKS - £75



Ellis's Worldventures delivers the UK National Curriculum in a delightfully unique way. An unconventional 'course' where you can step into Ellis's life of adventure and exploration. Written in first person to the reader, Ellis introduces new ideas and concepts which are embedded within an entertaining storyline. Runs over 50 lessons, and each lesson features Ellis's "update" which includes: a new story document from Ellis; engaging and interactive activities, 5 for each lesson; extra supporting resources. Topic covered include: cells, respiration, photosynthesis, ecosystems, the periodic table, the rock cycle, and much more! New enrolments available at any time, fee = £75.

Science

HISTORY OF SPACE TRAVEL (11YRS+) (4-SESSIONS) £35



From fruit flies to dogs to robots, we explore the history of space travel starting from our third rock from the sun (Earth).

From missions within our solar system to those intended to go beyond, this course is a fascinating look at some of the best, strangest, and most thought-provoking space missions.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Science

History

SCIENTIFIC SKILLS – “PREPARING FOR KS3 & KS4 SCIENCE” (13YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



This course is going to cover all the essential skills for science, how to stay safe in the lab, designing experiments, ensuring data is accurate and reliable, equipment you may come across, drawing scientific diagrams, tables and graphs, some basic maths skills. There will be opportunities to put our knowledge into practice and develop strong skills in working scientifically which will set you up to succeed in any further studies in science.

This course will ideally be taken by all learners doing any other HME science course – because it lays down the fundamental knowledge and skills needed for progression through KS3 and KS4! (when taken alongside an HME IGCSE Science course (except

GCSE Astronomy), the fee will be reduced to £30) A perfect preparation course for further KS3 / IGCSE studies.

Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time once 'live' sessions start

Available: Online, Live – starting Tuesday February 24th, 12:00 - 1:00 (2026)

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 31

Science

AN INTRODUCTION TO NATURAL HISTORY (12YRS+) (5-SESSIONS) £45



A perfect course for anyone interested in Natural History, as well as anyone considering doing the Natural History GCSE. In this fun and interactive course, we get to know some local organisms, their habitats and how they interact within their ecosystems. Learners will be encouraged to keep nature journals during the course and document and research what they are seeing. Ideas for field studies will be given and we will consider how we can have a positive impact on our environment both now and in response to future challenges.

Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time once 'live' sessions start

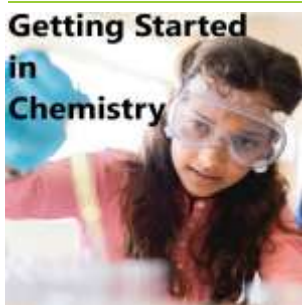
Available: Online, Live – starting Tuesday April 21st, 12:00 - 1:00 (2026)

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 31

Science

History

GETTING STARTED IN CHEMISTRY (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



In this course we will develop a strong foundation in the key concepts of chemistry, we will learn how to use the periodic table, what atoms are made up of and what exactly is the difference between something being a solid, liquid or a gas. Understanding these fundamental concepts is essential for further studies in chemistry. (this course is a prerequisite for the other Chemistry short courses, unless the learner is already confident in core chemistry concepts)

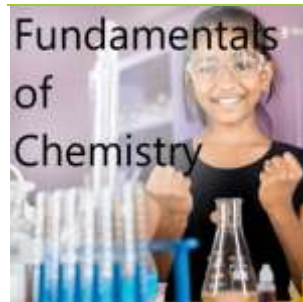
Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

FUNDAMENTALS OF CHEMISTRY (13YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45

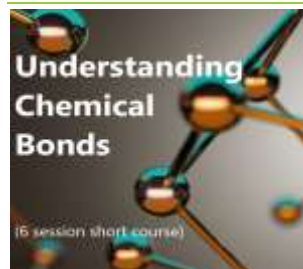


A solid foundation for any future studies in chemistry, we explore what an atom is, their structure and how it differs between elements, the periodic table and how it is arranged and what we can learn about different elements from it. We then build up to how atoms join together to form compounds, why some elements are more reactive than others and learn how to write and balance chemical equations. Ideal for more academically confident students or for those who have studied chemistry before but would benefit from a refresher (other learners are advised to select the 'Getting Started in Chemistry' course which has a more gentle pace). An excellent stand-alone course & PRE-IGCSE course.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol anytime; next available 'live' dates unavailable

Science

UNDERSTANDING CHEMICAL BONDS (13YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



The next layer after the 'Getting Started in Chemistry' course, we will build on what we learnt and discover how different elements react together, which ones do and don't react and what the different types of bonds and forces are that hold everything together. Understanding these concepts is essential for getting the most out of later chemistry courses.

*Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time**

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

WHAT'S THE DEAL WITH ACIDS AND BASES (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



Everyone knows that mixing vinegar and Bicarbonate of soda makes a great volcano but do you really understand what is going on? What exactly is an acid anyway? This course gives a greater understanding of the properties of acids and chemical reactions associated with both acids and bases, and we also explore what salts are and what they have to do with acids! Learners will need a foundational understanding of Chemistry to complete this course.

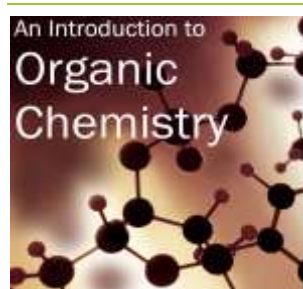
Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

AN INTRODUCTION TO ORGANIC CHEMISTRY (13YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



Organic chemistry is a really fascinating topic which is hugely relevant in our day to day lives. We will be exploring where organic compounds come from, what they are used for, we will see how they impact climate change and investigate the organic chemicals found in your home. ('Getting Started in Chemistry' and 'Understanding Chemical Bonds' (or solid pre-knowledge in these areas) are prerequisites) An excellent stand-alone course & PRE-IGCSE course.

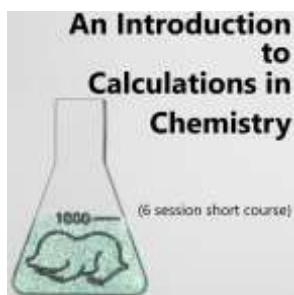
Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

AN INTRODUCTION TO CALCULATIONS IN CHEMISTRY (13YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



What exactly is a mole? Not just a cute garden creature... in this course we will dip into the complex world of calculations using moles and make it as simple and straightforward as possible so that you have a strong grasp of basic chemical calculations so it doesn't come as a shock when you begin your IGCSE studies hopefully you will end up feeling cool, calm and confident when you start IGCSE Chemistry! ('Getting Started in Chemistry' and 'Understanding Chemical Bonds' (or solid pre-knowledge in these areas) are prerequisites)

Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time, once 'live' sessions have begun

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

AN INTRODUCTION TO PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



A gentle introduction to what endothermic and exothermic reactions are and how to calculate heat energy change and molar enthalpy change. We will also be building a solid understanding of the impact of changing surface area and using catalysts to alter the rate of chemical reactions. Concepts that can feel challenging or overwhelming will be broken down into manageable and fascinating chunks with practical demonstrations and guidance around carrying out experiments to continue learning at home. An excellent stand-alone course & PRE-IGCSE course.

Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time once 'live' sessions start

Available: Online, Live – starting Tuesday November 4th, 12:00 - 1:00 (2025)

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

ORGAN SYSTEMS & OUR BODIES (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



In this short course we look at our organ systems and investigating the bigger picture within our bodies and looking at how our bodies manage to do all those incredible things it does without us having to tell it to. Looking at the human body on many different levels, we discover how each system carries out its job and works alongside the other systems. This course is an excellent stand-alone course and is also a PRE-IGCSE course.

Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time once 'live' sessions start

Available: Online, Live – starting Tuesday September 9th, 12:00 - 1:00 (2025)

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

CELLS: THE BUILDING BLOCKS OF LIFE (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



A fascinating course about the basic building blocks of life – cells. We explore what a cell is made of and how this varies between plants, animals and bacteria, as well as exploring the complexities of different cell types within our own bodies. We will also learn how to use a microscope to identify these different types of cells and have a go preparing our own slides. This course is an excellent stand-alone course and is also a PRE-IGCSE course.

Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time;

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

THE INCREDIBLE WORLD OF PLANTS (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



I can guarantee you that plants are way more interesting than you expect! This course is designed to get you passionate about plants and will have lots of opportunities for you to be doing investigations at home between lessons. Have you ever seen a plant having a snack? So where do they get their energy from? How do plants know to grow towards the Sun? This course will give you an amazing foundation for an IGCSE in Biology as well as giving you an increased understanding of the things you see in the world around you.

Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

EXPLORING LIFE PROCESSES (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



Is a rock alive? What about a butterfly? Or a virus? Or a sheep carcass? What makes something alive?

This course will consider the answers to these questions as we unpack the seven life processes and what they practically look like in a variety of different organisms with a particular focus on exploring the weird and wonderful world of fungi.

Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

A BIOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVE ON THE ENVIRONMENT (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



Let's dive into a deeper understanding of the ecology of our planet ... what exactly is an ecosystem? How do organisms on Earth depend on one another? We explore the incredible cycles in nature and look at what damage is being done to the organisms that live on our planet and what can we as individuals do to make a difference.

*Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time**

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

INTRODUCTION TO GENETICS (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



Introduction to Genetics - A fascinating course covering the basics of genetics and inheritance, we explore what DNA is and how it was discovered, how traits are passed down through generations and how it is that DNA makes us who we are and allows all our cells to have such different functions. This course is a foundation for the more advanced genetics courses and also covers the aspects of genetics and inheritance needed for IGCSE Biology.

Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

PRACTICAL GENETICS (13YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



This is the next level course for people who have done the 'Introduction to genetics' course or have a really good understanding of genetics. We will be investigating the use of genetics in forensics, looking at genetic illnesses - their causes and effects on individuals who are impacted, exploring sex linked inheritance patterns, looking at the uses of cloning and discussing ethics around this as well as learning about the use of genetic modification.

Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

Science

THAT'S A LOT OF ENERGY (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



What exactly is energy? How do we harness its power and make it useful for our needs? This course will build up a strong foundation for understanding energy stores and transfers and we will dip in to some equations to help us explore efficiency and power. We will also think about how we can be conscious of our own energy use and consider changes that we can make to have a positive impact on the planet's energy stores.

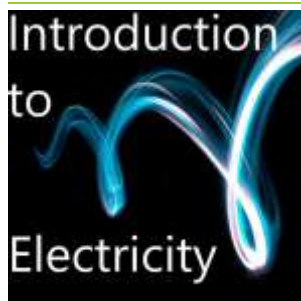
Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time once 'live' sessions start

Available: Online, Live – starting Tuesday January 6th, 12:00 - 1:00 (2026)

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

INTRODUCTION TO ELECTRICITY (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



Electricity is all around us, we are dependent on it for so much of our lives but do we really understand it? This course will go back to the basics looking at what electricity is and covering topics such as static electricity, circuits, why some things conduct electricity and some things don't and the beginnings of understanding about quantifying electrical charge. Have a stash of balloons on hand for this course! An excellent precursor to students hoping to do a physics IGCSE, as well as an excellent stand-alone course

Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

AN INTRODUCTION TO FORCES (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



This course is going to explore what forces are and how they work -how do they impact us in our day to day lives? We will think about friction and motion and dip into my favourite force - gravity as well as learning to understand the difference between forces and pressure.

We will spend a bit of time getting to know some of the people whose investigations and discoveries have helped us to understand forces in the way we do now.

Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

RADIOACTIVE! (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



We will look at what makes something radioactive, why radioactive substances can be dangerous as well as how they can be useful in our lives, exploring topics from Chernobyl and Nuclear bombs to treating cancer and powering our homes. We will discuss some interesting physical concepts such as half life and nuclear fission to gain a strong foundation in understanding radioactivity. This is an excellent precursor to an IGCSE in physics as well as being a fascinating stand alone course.

Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

EXPLORING WAVES (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



What do light, ripples, sound and x-rays all have in common?

This promises to be a fascinating course as we discover exactly what a wave is and how they travel, we will look at the similarities and differences between different types of waves and explore concepts such as reflection and refraction as well as the Doppler Effect.

*Available: Online, Flexible – available to enrol at any time**

Available: Online, Live – starting Monday February 24th, 12:15 - 1:15 (2025)

This course is also available as part of a science bundle – see page 30/31

Science

INTRODUCTION TO ASTRONOMY (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



Perfect for those who are curious about what we see in the sky, this course will teach you to spot asterisms, know when to look for planets, recognise the different phases of the Moon as well as the various lunar features visible from earth and begin to grasp the interactions between the Earth, Moon and Sun; we also learn more about the people who discovered and charted various heavenly bodies. An excellent precursor for GCSE Astronomy (and will involve some maths).

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

Science

EXPLORING THE MYSTERIES OF SPACE (12YRS+) (6-SESSIONS) £45



What exactly is dark energy? Could you jump into a black hole and find yourself in an alternate universe? We will be exploring these exciting questions as we delve into some of the more complex concepts in space - this unit will also develop an understanding of gravity, Quantum mechanics and Newtonian forces as we use this knowledge to enable us to fully grasp what we are learning. An excellent stand-alone course and also a PRE-IGCSE course.

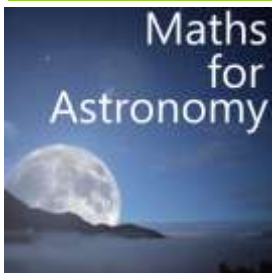
Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live – next available 'live' dates unavailable

Science

MATHS FOR ASTRONOMY (14 UNITS)

£60 standard cost - there are 14 units, approx. 18 hours of tutorials! Reduced course fee of £40 for students from Mickledore.



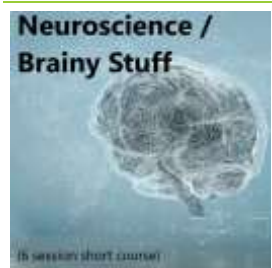
A set of tutorials designed exclusively for learners taking GCSE Astronomy, supporting the sometimes complex maths concepts required for the exam. The tutorials walk you through how to complete the maths worksheets published by Mickledore Publishing and recommended for GCSE Astronomy. (must be purchased separately before this course). Units include a marked assignment (a previous exam question), for additional exam-preparation support.

Available: Online, Flexible Format only – enrol at anytime

Science

Psychology & Sociology

NEUROSCIENCE/BRAINY STUFF (6-SESSION COURSE) £45



Do we only have lobes on our ears? Where do feelings of 'love' come from? How can you be 'blind' if your eyes are undamaged? In this course, we explore the fascinating world of neuroscience and how the human brain works.

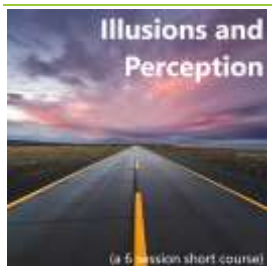
A fascinating course for any learner interested in science, how the human body works or psychology. This is an excellent stand-alone course but also is a great GCSE Psychology taster course!

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Science

Psychology

ILLUSIONS AND PERCEPTIONS (6-SESSION COURSE) £45



How do optical illusions work? Why do we sometimes see things that are not there at all? How does the human eye see?

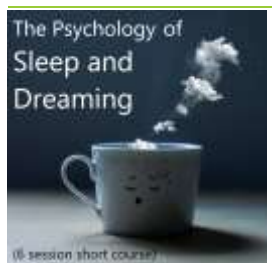
In this course, we look at perception - how our eyes work and how our brain processes information. A brilliant course for learners interested in science, how the human body works or psychology.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Psychology

Science

SLEEP AND DREAMING (6-SESSION COURSE) £45



Do dreams really have meaning? Why do we sleep? And how does the sun 'power' a variety of our most basic human activities.

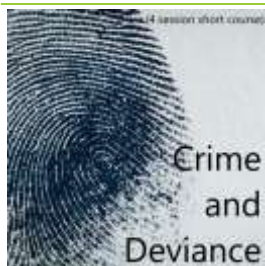
Join this course to find out all about everything from Sigmund Freud to why living in a cave can tell us about the importance of light for our bodies. This is an excellent stand-alone course but also is a great GCSE taster course for Psychology.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Psychology

Science

CRIME AND DEVIANCE (4-SESSION COURSE) £35



What is the difference between crime and deviance? How can twin studies help us understand if crime might be a result of nature vs nurture? How does the 'halo effect' work? This intriguing course explores some of the key questions about crime and deviance from a Psychological and Sociological perspective. This is an excellent stand-alone course but also is a great GCSE Psychology / GCSE Sociology taster course!

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Science

Psychology

Sociology

MEDIA AND SOCIETY (6-SESSION COURSE) £45



Does it make a difference if TV shows show women doing housekeeping and show men racing cars? Does it matter if someone rich and powerful owns a newspaper? And what is the impact of social media on peoples' lives today?

Join this fun and interactive course to explore the relationship between media and society. An ideal stand-alone course and also a perfect GCSE/IGCSE taster course for Sociology.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Sociology

Media

UK LAW, POWER AND POLITICS (6-SESSION COURSE) £45



Law, Politics and Citizenship in the UK – how are laws created in the UK? what does 'citizenship' actually mean? What is the difference between being a deviant and being a criminal?

An ideal course for young people interested in UK law, politics, philosophy and sociology. This is an excellent stand-alone course but also is a great GCSE Sociology taster course!

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Sociology

Critical Thinking / Philosophy / Politics

LEADER OF THE LAND CLUB (6-SESSION COURSE) £45



Being a world leader takes courage, determination, creativity and just a wee bit of "just do as I say!!" Develop your leadership and problem-solving skills by taking charge of an island nation – you'll have some tough challenges to face, some tricky dilemmas, some extra-ordinarily risky choices to make. But you won't be on your own, you will have trusted, experienced advisors there by your side, to help you along your way. A unique critical thinking course for 11 – 14yr olds.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Critical Thinking

HISTORY & PHILOSOPHY – 13+ (6-SESSIONS) £60



A fascinating subject where we look at the evolution of methods and tools of philosophical and ethical inquiry throughout history and apply them to contemporary beliefs and values and key issues facing the world today. This course investigates our beliefs, values and decision-making processes and it challenges assumptions and ideas to see if they can still stand up as relevant and meaningful. The course includes the philosophical study of: Beliefs; Teachings; Practises and the ethical study of the following themes: Relationships and families; Life and the universe; Peace and conflict; Crime and punishment; Human rights and social justice. *Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime*
Available: Online, Live – starts Sept 16, runs Tuesdays at 10am (2025)

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' History & Philosophy bundle – see page 29

Philosophy

History

HISTORY & POLITICS IN LITERATURE – 13+ (6-SESSIONS) £60



Explore the connection between History, Politics & Literature. For centuries, writers have made use of Literature as a vehicle to critique the Politics and Politicians of their times. From the social critique of Dickens to the Socialism of post-war Drama to the race relations of Gorman's poetry today. A fascinating course that delves into the political lessons of literature throughout history and the political impact writers have hoped their literature would have on their contemporary audiences.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live – starts Nov 4 (2025), runs Tuesdays at 10am

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' History & Philosophy bundle – see page 29

History

English

UK LAW, POWER AND POLITICS (6-SESSION COURSE) £45



Law, Politics and Citizenship in the UK – how are laws created in the UK? what does 'citizenship' actually mean? What is the difference between being a deviant and being a criminal?

An ideal course for young people interested in UK law, politics, philosophy and sociology. This is an excellent stand-alone course but also is a great GCSE Sociology taster course!

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Sociology

Business & Economics

YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS - CLUB (6-SESSION COURSE) £45



Young people are idea factories, problem solvers, creative thinkers! In this Club, we introduce entrepreneurial thinking and the principles of start-up opportunities – guiding and supporting children to develop ideas and make decisions, from branding to marketing and ultimately bringing their idea into reality.

Young people learn by real world experiences, the challenges and rewards that come from being an entrepreneur. Suitable for young people aged 11-14.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Business

BUSINESS A TO Z (6-SESSION COURSE) £45



The best of business, compressed into one short course! A delightful taster course, exploring the core aspects of what business is all about. What does running a business involve? Are marketing and advertising the same thing? What on earth are the 4 P's?

This course is an excellent stand-alone course but is also a GCSE/IGCSE Business, IGCSE Economics and IGCSE Travel & Tourism taster course!

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Business

ECONOMIC ABC'S (6-SESSION COURSE) £45



Why does money burn a hole in your pocket (not just yours, everyone's!)? Who cares that the 'value of the pound' is going up or down? And how can you put an electric car in a 'basket of goods'? Join this fun and interactive look at the key economic principles that power business, consumer behaviour, and the world. An ideal stand-alone course and also a perfect IGCSE Economics and GCSE/IGCSE Business taster course.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Economics

ELLIS'S WORLDVENTURES-GEOGRAPHY (11- 12YRS ; UK YR 7/8) £75/50WKS



Ellis's Worldventures delivers the UK National Curriculum in a delightfully unique way. An unconventional 'course' where you can step into Ellis's life of adventure and exploration. Written in first person to the reader, Ellis introduces new ideas and concepts which are embedded within an entertaining storyline. Worldventures runs over 50 lessons, and each lesson has Ellis's "update" which includes:

- a new story document from Ellis
- engaging and interactive activities, 5 for each lesson
- extra supporting resources

Geography

New enrolments start at any time; Course Fees: 50 lesson subject course is available for a fee of only £75; Some of the curriculum topics that are covered include: energy, population, development, weather, tourism, landscapes and more!

EARTHLY TOURISM 11+ (6-SESSIONS) £45



Beaches, waterfalls, geysers, oceans and seas are all key drivers behind why people choose their holiday destinations!

In this course, we look at some of the major geographical features of the world and why these attract tourists to various destinations; we cover tourism, business, geography and international development.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Environmental Management

Tourism

Geography

SUSTAINABLE TOURISM 12+(6-SESSIONS) £45



Tourists are reaching the 'four corners of the globe' in greater numbers than ever before, and run the risk of destroying the very features they were attracted to in the first place. In this course, we explore what sustainable tourism is, how it can work, and why more and more countries around the world are relying on changing how tourism happens.

An ideal stand-alone course and also a perfect GCSE/IGCSE taster course.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Environmental Management

Tourism

Geography

FOSSIL FUEL FRACAS (6-SESSIONS) £45



From fracking to drilling, this course explores where fossil fuels come from, how they were formed, and some of the alternatives currently being considered – from hydro-electric dams to tidal power. We look at the impact on global warming – becoming a concern for young people around the world who are making their voices heard through petitions, demonstrations and more. A great stand-alone course and also a GCSE/IGCSE taster course for Geography or Environmental Management.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Environmental Management

Geography

DISASTERS & DILEMMAS (6-SESSIONS) 12YRS+ £45



Volcanoes, hurricanes and earthquakes ... need we say more? Go on then ... this course explores where on earth natural hazards happen, why and how they happen, and how we can prepare ourselves.

A great stand-alone course and also a GCSE/IGCSE taster course for Geography or Environmental Management.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Environmental Management

Geography

FOOD FOR THOUGHT (6-SESSIONS) 12YRS+

£45



Don't log in hungry, this course explores where our favourite foods come from, how they are grown, and whether they will be around for future generations. We look at sustainable food production, and what we (and organisations like supermarkets) can do to improve food quality and quantity. Farming isn't just for country folk! A great stand-alone course and also a GCSE/IGCSE taster course for Environmental Management, Geography, Business

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Environmental Management

Geography

History

HISTORY OF SPACE TRAVEL (11YRS+) (4-SESSIONS) £35



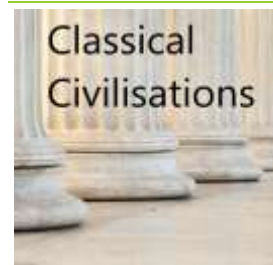
From fruit flies to dogs to robots, we explore the history of space travel starting from our third rock from the sun (Earth). From missions within our solar system to those intended to go beyond, this course is a fascinating look at some of the best, strangest, and most thought-provoking space missions.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Science

History

HISTORY – CLASSICAL CIVILISATIONS 13YRS+ (6-SESSIONS) £60



Learn about the Romans, Ancient Greeks and Egyptians. Explore their different mythologies, their social structures and beliefs, their relationships with one another and their lasting impact on our world today. A fascinating course which covers some of the most amazing and fascinating aspects of life in classical civilisations.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live – starts Jan 6 (2026), runs Tuesdays at 10am

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' History & Philosophy bundle – see page 29

History

HISTORY – GENGHIS KHAN 13YRS+ (6-SESSIONS)

£60



Learn about one of the most fascinating figures in history Genghis Khan. This course explores Khan's humble childhood, the culture and lifestyle of the Mongols, Khan's rise to power and his expansion of the empire before his eventual defeat and the demise of his legacy.

Amazing, impressive, fascinating!

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live – starts Feb 24 (2026), runs Tuesdays at 10am

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' History & Philosophy bundle – see page 29

History

TOUGH TUDORS AND TERRIBLE TOMS (6-SESSIONS) 13YRS+

£60



Through an exploration of one of the most notorious monarchs in British history and his relationships with the men who brought about the Reformation: the two Thomases - Wolsey and Cromwell, you will develop an understanding of the society and politics of life under King Hal. You also have an opportunity to try your hand at historical source evaluations and develop your skills as a historian to enable you to respond effectively to the demands of the subject at (I)GCSE level.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime;

Available: Online, Live – starts Apr 21 (2026), runs Tuesdays at 10am

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' History & Philosophy bundle – see page 29

History

HISTORY & PHILOSOPHY (6-SESSIONS) 13YRS+ £60



A fascinating subject where we look at the evolution of methods and tools of philosophical and ethical inquiry throughout history and apply them to contemporary beliefs and values and key issues facing the world today. This course investigates our beliefs, values and decision-making processes and it challenges assumptions and ideas to see if they can still stand up as relevant and meaningful. The course includes the philosophical study of: Beliefs; Teachings; Practises and the ethical study of the following themes: Relationships and families; Life and the universe; Peace and conflict; Crime and punishment; Human rights and social justice. *Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime*
Available: Online, Live – starts Sept 16, runs Tuesdays at 10am (2025)
This course is also available as part of a 'full year' History & Philosophy bundle – see page 29

Philosophy

History

HISTORY & POLITICS IN LITERATURE (6-SESSIONS) 13YRS+ £60



Explore the connection between History, Politics & Literature. For centuries, writers have made use of Literature as a vehicle to critique the Politics and Politicians of their times. From the social critique of Dickens to the Socialism of post-war Drama to the race relations of Gorman's poetry today. A fascinating course that delves into the political lessons of literature throughout history and the political impact writers have hoped their literature would have on their contemporary audiences.

Available: Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live – starts Nov 4, runs Tuesdays at 10am (2025)

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' History & Philosophy bundle – see page 29

History

English

Other fascinating courses ...

ELLIS'S WORLDVENTURES

DESIGN&TECHNOLOGY (11- 12YRS ; UK YR 7/8)

£75/50WKS



Ellis's Worldventures delivers the UK National Curriculum in a delightfully unique way. An unconventional 'course' where you can step into Ellis's life of adventure and exploration. Written in first person to the reader, Worldventures runs over 50 lessons, with each lesson including: a new story document from Ellis; engaging and interactive activities, 5 for each lesson; extra supporting resources

Covers a range of D&T contexts: the home [health, leisure and culture]; industrial design [engineering, manufacturing, construction, food, energy, agriculture]; art /

fashion / textiles / branding; and more!

Enrolments start at any time; Fees - 50 lessons for only £75

MONEY AND YOU KS3 (PERSONAL FINANCE / FINANCIAL AWARENESS COURSE) £60



Finance is a part of our everyday life, and having basic personal financial knowledge is one of the most important things you can do to live a healthy, happy and secure life.

Our 'Money and You' courses are created, developed and run by a business and economics specialist, and highly experienced educator. Engaging, interesting and dynamic courses to really inspire your young person.

Each topic features: i) a pre-recorded tutorial (with interactive aspects that allow your young person to 'play along at home'), ii) activities (assignments, quizzes, projects, etc.) , iii) a save-able information pack

And, at the end of each course, your young person is also eligible for a personal Certificate of Achievement. (Key stages and ages below are guidelines)

This detailed course goes beyond the basics, and builds on foundation knowledge your young person already has (or has covered in the KS2 course), so there're more depth, detail and deeper explanations at the KS3 level.

12 Lessons:

- 1.How you feel about money
- 2.Different ways of paying for things
- 3.How banks work; bank accounts
- 4.Debt, loans, credit cards and interest
- 5.Savings and interest
- 6.Mortgages and compound interest
- 7.Budgets
- 8.Making Choices
- 9.Keeping your money safe
- 10.Other country's money
- 11.Rising Prices (Inflation)
- 12.Taxes

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

MONEY AND YOU KS4 (PERSONAL FINANCE / FINANCIAL AWARENESS COURSE) £80



Understanding the fundamentals of money, budgeting, saving and debt can:

- promote good savings habits
- teach financial awareness and responsibility
- lead to financial health and positive attitudes around money

Young people should have the benefit of financial experience and education to make good decisions with money – big or small. These are engaging, interesting and dynamic courses to really inspire your young person.

Each topic features: i) a pre-recorded tutorial (with interactive aspects that allow your young person to 'play along at home'), ii) activities (assignments, quizzes,

projects, etc.) , iii) a save-able information pack.

26 Lessons:

Part A: Your Money

- 1.How you feel about money
- 2.Different ways of paying for things
- 3.How banks work; bank accounts
- 4.Debt, loans, credit cards and interest
- 5.Savings and interest
- 6.Mortgages and compound interest
- 7.Budgets
- 8.Making Choices
- 9.Keeping your money safe
- 10.Earning money, Work, Payslips and Deductions
11. Insurance
- 12.Government Benefits
13. Credit scores/credit ratings
- 14.Consumer rights
15. Student loans,pensions&more
- 16.Income tax

Part B: Money and the World

17. How businesses make money
- 18.How start-ups fund new businesses
19. Other country's money and Exchange Rates
- 20.How Interest rates work
21. Rising Prices (Inflation)
- 22.Minimum wage and trade unions
23. Supply and demand
- 24.What is GDP and who cares about it
25. Opportunity Costs and Sunk Costs
- 26.Taxes and Government Spending

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

IGCSE/GCSE Research Methods Preparation Age 12+ (17 sessions) £65



In this course, we explore a wide range of topics that are vital for understanding research methods and statistics that are part of many GCSEs and IGCSEs, such as: Psychology, Sociology, Geography, Environmental Management, Business, Travel and Tourism and more. Topics covered over the 17 lessons include: Primary Research Methods, Secondary Research Methods, Sampling, Averages and Dispersion, Types of Data, Presenting Data, Field Studies, Aims/Hypothesis/Variable, Population Pyramids and more.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

GCSE/IGCSE STUDY & REVISION SKILLS (5-SESSIONS) £60



An invaluable 5 lesson course which covers a range of skills, techniques and approaches, so that your young person can master study skills and revision! Independent study skills can be key to exam success, and many young learners will benefit from learning how to take good study notes, how to maximise the value from reading text, how to manage their time, how to revise effectively (and more!) (Note, sessions are 1.5 hrs, with break).

This course is available:

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

English - Early KS3 (Years 7/8) ... perfect for 11 – 13yrs

Norse Mythology – ENM (6 weeks £60) -



Learn how Thor got his hammer (and why it's really pronounced Thorr), enter the halls of Valhalla and feast with Odin's army of warriors, ponder the coming of Ragnarok, the beauty of Freya, the mischief of Loki. Meet the major clans of the Norse Gods and Goddesses and hear their tales. This course is a fascinating insight into the stories Vikings told themselves to guide their behaviour, give meaning to their world and explain their place within it.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - Thursdays 12-1pm begins 18th September for 6 weeks (2025)

Also available as part of a 'full year' Lower KS3 English Language bundle – see page 28

Beginners Blogging – EBB (6 sessions - £60)



Have you ever wanted to start your own blog?

This course covers the fundamentals of research, writing, editing, and design helping you to put together your very own blog posts!

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - starts 6th November for 6 weeks, Thursdays 12-1pm (2025)

Also available as part of a 'full year' Lower KS3 English Language bundle – see page 28

Daily Journaling - EDJ – (4 sessions - £45)



An introduction to Bullet Journaling.

An opportunity for creativity and reflection with daily mindfulness prompts and a chance to blend art, writing and introspection.

A powerful daily practice for boosting your imagination and caring for your wellbeing.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - starts 8th January for 4 weeks, Thursdays 12-1pm (2026)

Also available as part of a 'full year' Lower KS3 English Language bundle – see page 28

Nature Writing – ENW (4 sessions - £45)



Are you a passionate environmentalist? Do you love nature and the great outdoors? Are you endlessly fascinated by the plants and animals that populate our planet? Explore the work of master nature writers such as Delia Owens, Nan Shepherd, and Bill Oddie and develop the skills you need to produce insightful, important, and inspirational nature writing of your own.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - starts 5th February, Thursdays 12-1pm (2026)

Also available as part of a 'full year' Lower KS3 English Language bundle – see page 28

Hobbits, Dragons, and Daemons: A Fantasy Writing Course – EFW (6 weeks £60)



Taking inspiration from the magical worlds of popular children's series, the course equips learners with the tools, strategies, and skills to begin developing a fantasy world of their very own.

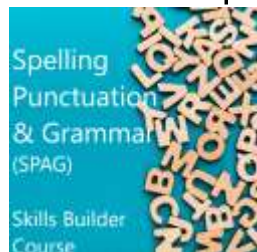
Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live – 2025 - starts Thursday 20th March, 12-1pm (2025)

Available: Online, Live - 2026 - starts 12th March, Thursdays 12-1pm (2026)

Also available as part of a 'full year' Lower KS3 English Language bundle – see page 28

Skills Builder - Spelling, Punctuation & Grammar - EB8 (6 weeks £60)



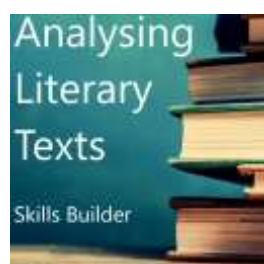
Improve the technical accuracy of your writing through a range of fun and engaging activities together with strategies to help you to improve your spelling and punctuation and proofread your own work.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - starts 15th September (2025), Mondays 10-11am

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 English Language bundle – see page 30

Skills Builder - Analysing Literary Texts - EB5 (4 weeks £45)



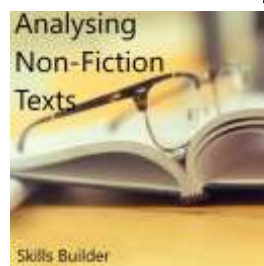
Explore a range of literary texts across poetry, prose and drama. Learn to analyse, interpret and evaluate the different forms and to comment meaningfully on the writer's message and intention together with the impact on the audience. Explore the ways in which writers manipulate language, form and structure to achieve specific effects. Develop your understanding of the connections between texts and contexts and improve the quality of your own academic writing.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - starts 3rd November (2025), Mondays 10-11am

Also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 English Language bundle – see page 30

Skills Builder - Analysing Non-Fiction Texts - EB6 (4 weeks £45)



Explore a range of non-fiction texts and learn to identify and evaluate the writer's purpose. Become familiar with different genre conventions and how to comment meaningfully on the writer's use of these. Practice producing your own nonfiction texts and learn to adapt your writing for different genres, audiences and purposes.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - starts 1st December (2025), Mondays 10-11am

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 English Language bundle – see page 30

Skills Builder - Creative Writing - EB1 (6 weeks £60)



A dynamic and fun introduction to narrative writing looking at skills such as creating a sense of place, structure, characterisation, narrative voice, and dialogue.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - starts 12th January (2026), Mondays 10-11am

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 English Language bundle – see page 30

Skills Builder - Transactional Writing - EB3 (6 weeks £60)



An introduction to non-fiction writing covering the conventions of a range of text types such as articles, blogs, reports, reviews, diaries, travel writing, nature writing, and formal and informal letters.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

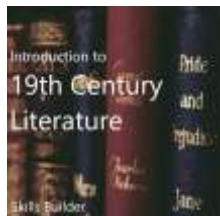
Available: Online, Live – 2025 - starts Monday 3rd March, 10-11am

Available: Online, Live – 2026 - starts 2nd March, Mondays 10-11am

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 English Language bundle – see page 30

"We love HomeMade Education. Excellent tutor, excellent course and excellent price. We did lots of research beforehand and HomeMadeEducation was definitely the best choice. Great price, great tutor, great courses."

Introduction to 19th Century Literature - EI3 (6 weeks £60)



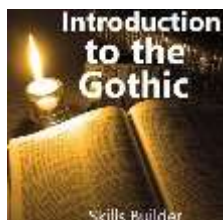
Immerse yourself in a range of 19th century literature and explore common themes & conventions. Familiarise yourself with the language of the age and learn to analyse and comment on the writer's use of language, form and structure. Explore the connections between significant historical events and the literature of the age.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - starts 18th September (2025), Thursdays 10-11am

Also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 English Literature bundle – see page 30

Introduction to the Gothic - EI4 (6 weeks £60)



Explore gothic conventions and their contributions to the modern horror genre. Learn to identify Gothic elements in film, literature, art and architecture. Explore the popularity of the Gothic in literature as a medium to challenge societal beliefs and expectations. Practice using Gothic conventions to produce your own piece of Gothic literature.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - starts 6th November (2025), Thursdays 10-11am

Also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 English Literature bundle – see page 30

Introduction to Drama - EI2 (6 weeks £60)



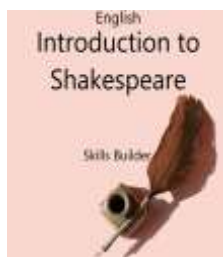
Explore the purpose and experience of theatre throughout history. Learn about the structure of drama and aspects of stagecraft. Practice writing monologues and dialogue and learn about characterisation and character development.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - starts 8th January (2026), Thursdays 10-11am

Also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 English Literature bundle – see page 30

Introduction to Shakespeare - EI5 (6 weeks £60)



Want to explore the way that historical events and Elizabethan/Jacobean society shaped Shakespeare's dramas? Want to understand the differences between tragedy, comedy, and history plays? Are you interested in how Shakespeare remains so relevant in the 21st century? This fascinating course considers all these issues and more and provides an excellent contextual foundation for those looking to study English Literature further.

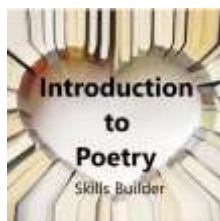
Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - 2025 - starts Thursday 27th February 10-11 for 6 consecutive weeks

Available: Online, Live - 2026 - starts 26th February (2026), Thursdays 10-11am

Also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 English Literature bundle – see page 30

Introduction to Poetry - EI1 (6 weeks £60)



Explore poetry through the ages, learn to recognise and use different poetic forms, learn to interpret poetry and to comment on the use of language, form and structure. Practice writing poems of your own, experimenting with imagery, rhythm, and voice.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - 2025 - starts 24th April, Thursdays 10-11am

Available: Online, Live - 2026 - starts 23rd April, Thursdays 10-11am

Also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 English Literature bundle – see page 30

IGCSE 'Preparation Courses' ... just before you start IGCSE English Language or Literature:

Skills Builder – ESSAY WRITING - ESSW (4 weeks £45) - 13+



Do you have great ideas but you don't know how to get them down on paper? Are you new to academic writing? Do you think developing your essay writing skills could boost your exam results? Then this is the course for you.

This 4 week course will take you through all the stages of essay writing: from research and planning, how to write an engaging introduction, structuring and developing your arguments, and sealing the deal with killer conclusions. Like all life skills, it's easy when you know how. Good essay-writing skills are a fundamental prerequisite for IGCSE English Language and IGCSE English Literature; this course is an excellent

preparation course to ensure young people have a chance to develop those skills before embarking on an English IGCSE.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – available to enrol and start at any time

Available: Online, Live - 2025 - starts Thursday 5th June 10-11am (4 consecutive weeks)

Available: Online, Live - 2026 - starts Tuesday 2nd June 10-11am (4 consecutive weeks)

IGCSE English Language Preparation - EE1 (6 weeks £60) - 13+

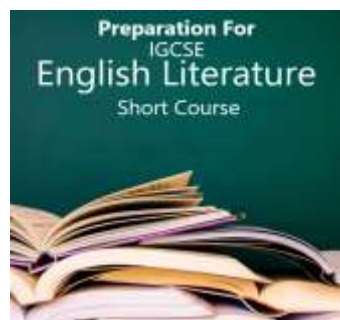


Get ready to begin your IGCSE studies next academic year by learning the basics of the skills that you will need to succeed. This course will help you to be able to read and understand a range of fiction and non-fiction texts, read for meaning, use quotations, comment on the writer's use of language, form and structure, and make connections and comparisons between texts. We will also develop your writing skills by exploring the purposes and conventions of a range of fiction and non-fiction texts, practice planning, drafting and editing and improve your vocabulary and use of literary and rhetorical devices.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - 2025 – Mondays 10-11am starting 2nd June (6 weeks)

Available: Online, Live - 2026 - Mondays 10-11am starting 1st June (6 weeks)



IGCSE English Literature Preparation – EE2 (6 weeks £60) - 13+

Prepare for the commencement of your IGCSE English literature studies next academic year by exploring poetry, prose and drama.

Learn to use quotations from the texts to support your ideas and to comment on the writer's use of language, form and structure, and improve the quality of your academic writing.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online, Live - 2025 - starts Tuesday 3rd June 10 -11am for 6 weeks

Available: Online, Live - 2026 - starts Thursday 4th June 10-11am for 6 weeks

English - IGCSE Exam Skills

IGCSE English Language “EXAM SKILLS” - EL2 (6 weeks £75)

Hone and refine your exam skills to boost your chances of success and receive detailed personalised feedback based on the exam criteria. This course covers key skills and strategies and offers insights into the demands of each of the different question types that appear on the exam paper.

All major exam boards will be accommodated, and have particular board-specific assignments.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime;

Available: Online, Live - 2025 – starts Friday 21st February 2-3pm (6 consecutive weeks)

Available: Online, Live - 2026 - Wednesdays 9-10am begins 25th February 2026 for 5 weeks + 1 week 15th April

GCSE/IGCSE English Language - The Exam Experience - £80.00

Put your exam skills to the test and gain valuable exam experience by sitting a fully invigilated mock exam in GCSE/IGCSE English Language. Most exam boards/syllabuses can be assessed.

You will receive detailed personalised marking feedback on your exam to help guide your exam preparation.

Currently available: times/dates determined on an individual basis

Dear Kate, I just wanted to let you know that of the three subjects that D studied with you/Caitlin, he achieved a 9 in Geography, an 8 in Business, and a 9 in English Literature!! Caitlin might be interested to know that he also got an 8 in English Language. Overall, he achieved the best grades at the test centre where he sat his iGCSEs. Huge thanks and credit to you and to Caitlin for your teaching and resources. With thanks and appreciation, T (and D)



Lower KS3 (yrs 7/8, ages 11+) Fun, engaging, and real-life relevant mathematics courses

Estimation and Rounding (course code MAER) - Ages 11 to 13 (UK lower KS3) (4 sessions - £35)
 In this course perfect for 11-13yrs, we explore a range of topics involving Estimation and Rounding using fun and unusual examples, going over the key principles and working through a range of examples together:

- round numbers and measures (whole numbers, decimals) to an appropriate degree of accuracy
- significant figures; powers (exponents); standard form; rounding errors
- use approximation to estimate answers and calculate errors expressed using inequality notation $a < x \leq b$

And there are plenty of opportunities to practice and solidify knowledge through recall and repetition
Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol and start anytime
 This course is also available as part of a ‘full year’ Lower KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 28

Sequences (course code MASE) - Ages 11 to 13 (UK lower KS3) (4 sessions - £35)
 In this course perfect for 11-13yrs, we explore a range of topics involving Sequences using fun and unusual examples, going over the key principles and working through a range of examples together:

- number patterns in arithmetic sequences; finding the n th term of an arithmetic sequence
- geometric sequences and other sequences
- generate terms of a sequence from a term-to-term rule

And there are plenty of opportunities to practice and solidify knowledge through recall and repetition
Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol and start anytime
 This course is also available as part of a ‘full year’ Lower KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 28

Multiplicative Relationships (course code MAMR) - Ages 11 to 13 (UK lower KS3) (4 sessions - £35)
 In this course perfect for 11-13yrs, we explore a range of topics involving Multiplicative Relationships using fun and unusual examples, going over the key principles and working through a range of examples together:

- Understanding multiplicative relationships: percentages and proportionality
- Understand that multiplicative relationships can be represented in a number of ways and
- connect and move between those different representations
- Understand that percentages are an example of a multiplicative relationship and apply
- this understanding to a range of contexts

And there are plenty of opportunities to practice and solidify knowledge through recall and repetition
Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol and start anytime
 This course is also available as part of a ‘full year’ Lower KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 28

Statistics (course code MAST) - Ages 11 to 13 (UK lower KS3) (4 sessions - £35)
 In this course perfect for 11-13yrs, we explore a range of topics involving Statistics using fun and unusual examples, going over the key principles and working through a range of examples together:

- Collecting data (Experiments; Questionnaires)
- Types of data (Qualitative; Quantitative; Discrete; Continuous)
- Describing data (Charts, tables and diagrams)
- Descriptive statistics (Averages; Measures of dispersion)

And there are plenty of opportunities to practice and solidify knowledge through recall and repetition
Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol and start anytime
 This course is also available as part of a ‘full year’ Lower KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 28

Perimeter, Area and Volume (course code MAPA) - Ages 11 to 13 (UK lower KS3) (4 sessions - £35)
 In this course perfect for 11-13yrs, we explore a range of topics involving Perimeter, Area and Volume using fun and unusual examples, going over the key principles and working through a range of examples together:

- Understand the concept of perimeter and use it in a range of problem-solving situations
- Understand the concept of area and use it in a range of problem-solving situations

- Understand the concept of volume and use it in a range of problem-solving situations
- And there are plenty of opportunities to practice and solidify knowledge through recall and repetition

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol and start anytime

This course is also available as part of a ‘full year’ Lower KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 28

Geometry & Constructions (lower) (course code MAGC) - Ages 11 to 13 (UK lower KS3) (4 sessions - £35)

In this course perfect for 11-13yrs, we explore a range of topics involving Geometry and Constructions using fun and unusual examples, going over the key principles and working through a range of examples together:

- use the standard conventions for labelling triangles, and know/use the criteria for congruence
- derive and illustrate properties of triangles, quadrilaterals, 3D shapes and other plane figures
- understand and apply the properties and relationships of angles and parallel lines

And there are plenty of opportunities to practice and solidify knowledge through recall and repetition

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol and start anytime

This course is also available as part of a ‘full year’ Lower KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 28

Probability (lower) (course code MAPR) - Ages 11 to 13 (UK lower KS3) (4 sessions - £35)

In this course perfect for 11-13yrs, we explore a range of topics involving Probability using fun and unusual examples, going over the key principles and working through a range of examples together:

- record, describe and analyse the frequency of outcomes of simple probability experiments
- enumerate sets and unions/intersections of sets systematically
- generate theoretical sample spaces for single and combined events

And there are plenty of opportunities to practice and solidify knowledge through recall and repetition

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol and start anytime

This course is also available as part of a ‘full year’ Lower KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 28

Charts and Graphs (course code MACG) - Ages 11 to 13 (UK lower KS3) (4 sessions - £35)

In this course perfect for 11-13yrs, we explore a range of topics involving Graphical representations using fun and unusual examples, going over the key principles and working through a range of examples together:

- graphical representation involving discrete, continuous and grouped data
- interpreting mathematical relationships graphically
- finding approximate solutions to contextual problems from given graphs of a variety of functions

And there are plenty of opportunities to practice and solidify knowledge through recall and repetition

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol and start anytime

This course is also available as part of a ‘full year’ Lower KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 28

Transformations (course code MATR) - Ages 11 to 13 (UK lower KS3) (4 sessions - £35)

In this course perfect for 11-13yrs, we explore a range of topics involving Transformations using fun and unusual examples, going over the key principles and working through a range of examples together:

- Understand and use translations, rotations
- Understand and use reflections, enlargements

And there are plenty of opportunities to practice and solidify knowledge through recall and repetition

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol and start anytime

This course is also available as part of a ‘full year’ Lower KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 28

Algebra (lower) (course code MALG) - Ages 11 to 13 (UK lower KS3) (4 sessions - £35)

In this course perfect for 11-13yrs, we explore a range of Algebra topics using fun and unusual examples, going over the key principles and working through a range of examples together:

- use and interpret algebraic notation
- Substitute numerical values into formulae and expressions
- Understand, use the concepts and vocabulary of expressions, equations, inequalities, terms and factors.

And there are plenty of opportunities to practice and solidify knowledge through recall and repetition

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol and start anytime

This course is also available as part of a ‘full year’ Lower KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 28

IGCSE/GCSE Research Methods Preparation – Age 12+ (17 sessions – £65)

In this course, we explore a wide range of topics that are vital for understanding research methods and statistics that are part of many GCSEs and IGCSEs, such as: Psychology, Sociology, Geography, Environmental Management, Business, Travel and Tourism and more. Topics covered over the 17 lessons include: Primary Research Methods, Secondary Research Methods, Sampling, Averages and Dispersion, Types of Data, Presenting Data, Field Studies, Aims/Hypothesis/Variable, Population Pyramids and more.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

This course is also available as part of a ‘full year’ Curriculum Bundle – see page 29



Upper KS3 (yr 9, pre-IGCSE, ages 13+) Interesting and inspiring, preparing for KS4!

A series of 5 short courses covering upper KS3/Year 9 material, that can be used as stand-alone courses or combined form an excellent foundation before embarking on GCSEs/IGCSEs.

All courses use a variety of activities to embed the skills, check understanding and promote mathematical thinking. And, optional extra challenges will be made available for those wanting to stretch themselves. All short courses are 6 sessions long, and are available in both 'live' and 'flexible/recorded' formats. Learners should have a solid foundation in lower KS3 maths before enrolling in these courses, as these courses are advanced KS3 level.

Number Skills (course code MAK1) - Ages 13+ (UK upper KS3) (6 sessions - £60)



In this course we will look in more detail at numbers and learn all about prime numbers and negative numbers. We will calculate powers and roots, find lowest common multiples and highest common factors and learn the order of operations. Keep your calculators ready!

There will be plenty of opportunity to practice and embed skills through a variety of practice tasks.

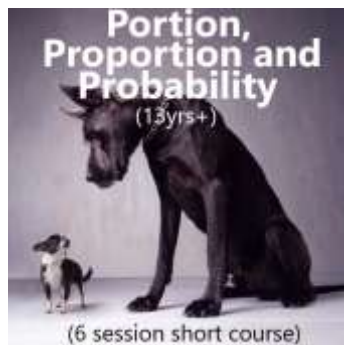
Learners should have a solid foundation in lower KS3 maths before enrolling in this course, as this course is an advanced KS3 level course.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol and start anytime

Available: Online, Live Format – Wednesdays, 12:00 – 1:00, starting Sept 10 (2025)

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 29.

Portion, Proportion and Probability (course code MAK2) - Ages 13+ (UK upper KS3) (6 sessions - £60)



In this short course, you will learn all about calculations with fractions and percentages, including mixed numbers and improper fractions.

We will apply fractions to practical problems including tax and interest. Think of this as a hard topic? Not to worry, we will use bar models to visualise it all.

We will also look at some ratio problems and how to use scale factors to see how much further you have to walk according to your map and calculate probabilities using Venn diagrams.

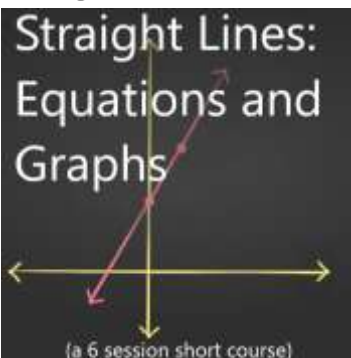
Learners should have a solid foundation in lower KS3 maths before enrolling in this course, as this course is an advanced KS3 level course.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol and start anytime

Available: Online, Live Format – Wednesdays, 12:00 – 1:00, starting October 22 (2025)

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 29.

Straight Lines: Equations and Graphs (course code MAK3) - Ages 13+ (UK upper KS3) (6 sessions - £60)



In this short course, it is all about data and lines, building on early KS3 skills. Straight lines, they look simple but have a whole lot of mathematics behind it. In this short course we will look at how to draw straight lines, find the gradient and understand the equations.

We will apply all that knowledge to conversion graphs and scattergraphs.

A number of real-life examples will be used in this course to make the abstract concepts more relevant.

Learners should have a solid foundation in lower KS3 maths before enrolling in this course, as this course is an advanced KS3 level course.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol and start anytime after 'live' format has started

Available: [Online, Live Format \(2025\)](#) – Wednesdays, 10am, starting Feb 26 (2025)

Available: [Online, Live Format \(2026\)](#) – Wednesdays, 12noon, starting Dec 10 (2025)

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 29.

Algebra (course code MAK4) - Ages 13+ (UK upper KS3) (6 sessions - £60)



In this topic we will delve deeper into the world of letters and numbers: algebra. We will build on prior knowledge of basic algebra and look at solving more complicated linear equations and quadratics. We will apply all our algebra skills to well-known formulas where we will look at how to change the subject of a formula. Finally, we will learn how to solve two equations simultaneously.

There will be plenty of opportunity to practice and embed the knowledge using a variety of activities to promote mathematical reasoning as well as reviewing prior learning.

Learners should have a solid foundation in lower KS3 maths before enrolling in this course, as this course is an advanced KS3 level course.

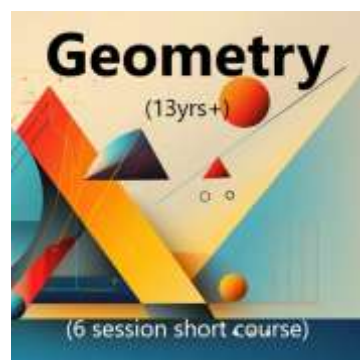
Available: [Online, Flexible Format](#) – enrol and start anytime after live format has started

Available: [Online, Live Format \(2025\)](#) – Wednesdays, 10am, starting Apr 23

Available: [Online, Live Format \(2026\)](#) – Wednesdays, 12noon, starting Feb 4

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 29.

Geometry (course code MAK5) - Ages 13+ (UK upper KS3) (6 sessions - £60)



In this short course we will start with some simple constructions of 2D shapes and look at their properties.

Most of the course will be spend on Pythagoras and trigonometry.

Right-angled triangles will have no secrets for us any more after this course!

Perfect for any young person who enjoys drawing, constructing and solving puzzles (and for young people needing to develop these skills!)

Learners should have a solid foundation in lower KS3 maths before enrolling in this course, as this course is an advanced KS3 level course.

Available: [Online, Flexible Format](#) – enrol and start anytime after live format has started

Available: [Online, Live Format \(2025\)](#) – Wednesdays, 10am, starting June 11

Available: [Online, Live Format \(2026\)](#) – Wednesdays, 12noon, starting Mar 25

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' Upper KS3 Maths Curriculum Bundle – see page 29.

IGCSE/GCSE Research Methods Preparation – Age 12+ (17 sessions – £65)

In this course, we explore a wide range of topics that are vital for understanding research methods and statistics that are part of many GCSEs and IGCSEs, such as: Psychology, Sociology, Geography, Environmental Management, Business, Travel and Tourism and more. Topics covered over the 17 lessons include: Primary Research Methods, Secondary Research Methods, Sampling, Averages and Dispersion, Types of Data, Presenting Data, Field Studies, Aims/Hypothesis/Variable, Population Pyramids and more.

Available: [Online, Flexible Format](#) – enrol at anytime

This course is also available as part of a 'full year' Curriculum Bundle – see page 29

“Highly recommend – the courses are excellent value and kate, the tutor, is brilliant. her feedback is very useful and ontime, she has a great sense of humour, and knows her stuff. my son has done several courses with them and we think the quality of materials is second to none!”

"1 Year" Curriculum Programs

Early KS3 – ages 11+ (years 7/8)

EARLY KS3 - 50 WK **SCIENCE** CURRICULUM COURSE - (11-12YRS; UK YRS 7/8)

Ellis's Worldventures delivers the UK National Curriculum in a delightfully unique way. Our inquisitive character 'Ellis' takes learners on an incredible journey through different times and places, exploring key curriculum topics along the way. An unconventional 'course' where you can step into Ellis's life of adventure and exploration. Written in first person to the reader, Ellis introduces new ideas and concepts which are embedded within an entertaining storyline ... with weekly updates, activities, and projects ... a creative and interactive way to develop early Secondary stage knowledge.

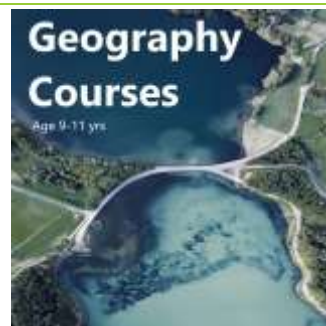
- Some of the curriculum topics that are covered include: cells, respiration, photosynthesis, ecosystems, the periodic table, the rock cycle, and much more!
- Worldventures runs over 50 lessons. Each lesson features Ellis's "update" which includes: a new story document; engaging and interactive activities, 5 for each lesson; extra supporting resources.
- £75 for 50 weeks/lessons (can be completed on a weekly basis, or quicker if you wish)
- **Enrol at any time, and work to your own pace.**



EARLY KS3 - 50 WK **GEOGRAPHY** CURRICULUM COURSE - (11-12YRS; UK YRS 7/8)

Ellis's Worldventures delivers the UK National Curriculum in a delightfully unique way. Our inquisitive character 'Ellis' takes learners on an incredible journey through different times and places, exploring key curriculum topics along the way. An unconventional 'course' where you can step into Ellis's life of adventure and exploration. Written in first person to the reader, Ellis introduces new ideas and concepts which are embedded within an entertaining storyline ... with weekly updates, activities, and projects ... a creative and interactive way to develop early Secondary stage knowledge.

- Some of the curriculum topics that are covered include: energy, population, development, weather, tourism, landscapes and more!
- Worldventures runs over 50 lessons. Each lesson features Ellis's "update" which includes: a new story document; engaging and interactive activities, 5 for each lesson; extra supporting resources.
- £75 for 50 weeks/lessons (can be completed on a weekly basis, or quicker if you wish)
- **Enrol at any time, and work to your own pace.**



EARLY KS3 - 50 WK **DESIGN & TECH** CURRICULUM COURSE - (11-12YRS; UK YRS 7/8)

Ellis's Worldventures delivers the UK National Curriculum in Design and Technology in a delightfully unique way. Our inquisitive character 'Ellis' takes learners on an incredible journey through different times and places, exploring key curriculum topics along the way. An unconventional 'course' where you can step into Ellis's life of adventure and exploration. Written in first person to the reader, Ellis introduces new ideas and concepts which are embedded within an entertaining storyline ... with weekly updates, activities, and projects ... a creative and interactive way to develop early Secondary stage knowledge.

- The curriculum elements cover a range of contexts [for example, the home, health, leisure and culture], and industrial contexts [for example, engineering, manufacturing, construction, food, energy, agriculture (including horticulture), clothing and textiles, and more!]
- Worldventures runs over 50 lessons. Each lesson features Ellis's "update" which includes: a new story document; engaging and interactive activities, 5 for each lesson; extra supporting resources.
- £75 for 50 weeks/lessons (can be completed on a weekly basis, or quicker if you wish)
- **Enrol at any time, and work to your own pace.**





EARLY KS3 - **MATHEMATICS** CURRICULUM PROGRAM (11-13YRS; UK YRS 7/8)

A “1 academic year” Mathematics curriculum program for young people aged 11-13 (suits early KS3 UK). This program covers many core curriculum topics and is extremely useful for building the foundation to prepare for advanced/higher KS3 Maths.

The program includes 10 short courses, plus a Year 9 check:

- Estimation and Rounding
- Multiplicative Relationships
- Perimeter, Area and Volume
- Probability (lower)
- Transformations
- Sequences
- Statistics
- Geometry & Constructions (lower)
- Charts and Graphs
- Algebra (lower)



Details

Total combined fee for the program is only £250

Available Online ‘flexible/recorded’ format - available to enrol and start at any time
(the ‘live’ format may be optional, if available during the year of enrolment)



EARLY KS3 – **ENGLISH LANGUAGE** CURRICULUM PROGRAM (11-13YRS; UK YRS 7/8)

A “1 academic year” English Language curriculum program for young people aged 11-13 (suits UK Years 7/8). This early KS3 bundle aims to develop students' abilities to write in a range of styles, for a variety of audiences, and on broad topics that can be tailored to suit the passions and interests of your young person. This program allows for personalised learning and development that inspires enthusiasm and confidence, as students begin to look towards IGCSE preparation. Courses cover key curriculum skills such: as writing for different genres, audiences and purposes; practicing accurate spelling, punctuation and grammar. The program includes the following 5 short courses:

- *Norse mythology starts Sept 18, 12-1, 2025
- *Blogging starts Nov 6, 12-1, 2025
- *Journaling starts Jan 8, 12-1, 2026
- *Nature writing starts Feb 5, 12-1, 2026
- *Fantasy writing starts March 12, 12-1, 2026

Each short course includes: weekly online, video tutorials; a wide range of opportunities to be inspired and be creative (such as: projects, quizzes and activities with personal feedback); weekly learning documents plus extra support materials and resources; direct access to a passionate, knowledgeable tutor; easy access via the online Canvas learning platform (and Zoom).

Fee: Total combined fee for the program is only £250

Online, Flexible/Recorded format – available to enrol and start at any time

Online ‘Live’ format – for dates/times, see the individual course descriptions; the short courses included run in consecutive order, Thursdays 12-1pm, between September and June (places are limited)



Thank you for your courses Kate, N continues to thrive on them, after a bad experience with another distance learning company you have done wonders to rebuild her confidence in her academic ability again. Thank you!

*“The lessons are fantastic!
This is the best pre recorded
lesson we have seen –
honestly we have tried a
few!”*

*” I can’t recall if I told you but I thought your study skills
sessions were absolutely amazing. My undergrads
would certainly benefit from them!”*

"1 Year" Curriculum Programs

Late KS3 – ages 13+, year 9, pre-IGCSE/GCSE

13-14YRS (UK YRS 8/9) HISTORY & PHILOSOPHY "1YR" PROGRAMME

A fantastic 1 academic year History curriculum program for young people aged 13+ (suits UK Year 8 or UK Year 9). The History curriculum package includes each of the following courses, to cover a range of historical periods and places as part of the late KS3 History curriculum, and build the foundation skills before KS4/IGCSE History.

The program includes the following 5 short courses, as follows:

*History & Philosophy	starts Sept 16
*History & Politics in Literature	starts Nov 4
*Classical Civilisations	starts Jan 6
*Genghis Khan	starts Feb 24
*Tough Tudors and Terrible Toms	starts Apr 21

Total combined fee for the program is only £250.

Available Online, Flexible/Recorded format – available to enrol and start at any time* (subject to 'live' dates)

Available: Online, Live – starts Sept 16, runs Tuesdays 10am – 11am (short courses run in consecutive order)



13-14YRS (UK YR 9) – "1YR" MATHEMATICS CURRICULUM PROGRAM

This program covers core curriculum topics and is extremely useful for building the foundation to prepare for KS4/IGCSE Maths. These courses are for learners who already have solid early KS3 Maths skills, as they are advanced KS3. The program includes all of the 5 upper KS3 six-session maths short courses: 1. Number Skills ; 2. Portion, Proportion and Probability ; 3. Straight Lines: Equations and Graphs 4. Algebra ; 5. Geometry

Each short course includes: weekly online, video tutorials; a wide range of homework / assignments /activities for inspiration and practice of knowledge & skills (and to be creative) with personal feedback; weekly learning documents, support materials and resources; direct access to a passionate, knowledgeable tutor; easy access via the online Canvas learning platform (and Zoom).

Total combined fee for the program is only £250.

Online, Flexible/Recorded format – available to enrol and start at any time

Online 'Live' format – Wednesdays, 12:00 – 1:00, starting Sept 10 (2025)



13-14YRS (UK YR 9) – "1YR" ENGLISH LANGUAGE CURRICULUM PROGRAM

The English Language curriculum package includes the following courses, to cover the main elements of the late KS3 English curriculum, and build the foundation skills before KS4/IGCSE English Language:

*Spelling and Grammar	starts Sept 15
*Analysing Literary Texts	starts Nov 3
*Analysing Non-Fiction Texts	starts Dec 1
*Creative Writing (foundation)	starts Jan 12
*Transactional Writing (foundation)	starts Mar 2

Each short course includes: weekly online, video tutorials; a wide range of opportunities to be inspired and be creative (such as: projects, quizzes and activities with personal feedback); weekly learning documents plus extra support materials and resources; direct access to a passionate, knowledgeable tutor.

Total combined fee for the program is only £250.

Online, Flexible/Recorded format – available to enrol and start at any time

Online 'Live' format – Mondays, 10:00 – 11:00am, starting Sept 15th (2025)



13-14YRS (UK YR 9) – "1YR" ENGLISH LITERATURE CURRICULUM PROGRAM

The English Literature curriculum package includes the following courses, to cover the main elements of the late KS3 English curriculum, and build the foundation skills before KS4/IGCSE English Literature:

*Introduction to 19th Century Literature	starts Sept 18
*Introduction to the Gothic	starts Nov 6
*Introduction to Drama	starts Jan 8
*Introduction to Shakespeare	starts Feb 26
*Introduction to Poetry	starts Apr 23



Each short course includes: weekly online, video tutorials; a wide range of opportunities to be inspired and be creative (such as: projects, quizzes and activities with personal feedback); weekly learning documents plus extra support materials and resources; direct access to a passionate, knowledgeable tutor.

Total combined fee for the program is only £250.

[Online, Flexible/Recorded format](#) – available to enrol and start at any time

[Online 'Live' format](#) – Thursdays, 10:00 – 11:00am, starting Sept 18th (2025)

13-14 YRS (UK YR 9) – “1 YR” BIOLOGY CURRICULUM PROGRAM

A 1 academic year Biology curriculum program for young people aged 13+ ... (UK Year 9, Year 8 if academically confident, and also ideal for year 10's who want to take science GCSEs in year 11 but focusing on other subject GCSEs in year 10). The 1 year Biology curriculum package includes the following courses, to cover the main elements of the late KS3 science curriculum and build the foundation to prepare for KS4/IGCSE Science:

*Organ Systems and Our Bodies *

*Cells: The Building Blocks of Life

*Exploring Life Processes

*Incredible World of Plants

*Introduction to Genetics

*Biological Perspective on Environment

Fee: Total combined fee for the program is only £250

[Online, Flexible/Recorded format](#) – available to enrol and start at any time; courses with an * are also available 'live'



13-14 YRS (UK YR 9) – “1 YR” CHEMISTRY CURRICULUM PROGRAM

A 1 academic year Chemistry curriculum program for young people aged 13+ ... (UK Year 9, Year 8 if academically confident, and also ideal for year 10's who want to take science GCSEs in year 11 but focusing on other subject GCSEs in year 10). The full 1 academic year curriculum package covers the main elements of the KS3 Chemistry curriculum and builds the strong foundation that's key to successfully preparing for KS4/IGCSE Chemistry.

The program includes 6 six-week short courses, as follows:

* Getting Started in Chemistry

* Understanding Chemical Bonds

* Introduction to Calculations in Chemistry

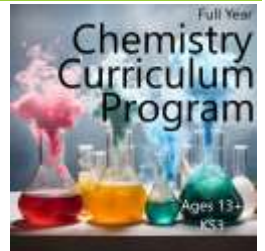
* Introduction to Organic Chemistry

* Acids and Bases

* An Introduction to Physical Chemistry *

Fee: Total combined fee for the program is £250

[Online, Flexible/Recorded format](#) – available to enrol and start at any time; courses with an * are also available 'live'



13-14 YRS (UK YR 9) – “1 YR” PHYSICS CURRICULUM PROGRAM

A 1 academic year Physics curriculum program for young people aged 13+ ... (UK Year 9, Year 8 if academically confident, and also ideal for year 10's who want to take science GCSEs in year 11 but focusing on other subject GCSEs in year 10). The full 1 year curriculum package covers the main elements of the KS3 Physics curriculum and builds the strong foundation that's key to successfully preparing for KS4/IGCSE Physics.

The program includes 6 six-week short courses, as follows:

* That's a Lot of Energy*

* Introduction to Electricity

* Introduction to Forces

* Radioactive

* Exploring Waves

* Exploring Mysteries of space

Fee: Total combined fee for the program is £250

[Online, Flexible format](#) – available to enrol and start at any time; courses with an * are also available 'live'



13-14 YRS (UK YR9) – “1 YR” COMBINED SCIENCE CURRICULUM PROGRAM

A 1 academic year Science curriculum program for young people aged 13+ ... (UK Year 9, Year 8 if academically confident, and also ideal for year 10's who want to take science GCSEs in year 11 but focusing on other subject GCSEs

in year 10). This Science Curriculum Program covers some of the most fascinating core topics of 3 different Science curriculums (not all of them – sadly, there's just not the time!) ... Biology, Physics and Chemistry. And it is also extremely useful for building the foundation to prepare for KS4/IGCSE Double Science Award.

The program includes 6 six-week short courses, as follows:

- * Getting Started in Chemistry
- * Understanding Chemical Bonds
- * Exploring Waves
- * Introduction to Electricity
- * Cells: The Building Blocks of Life
- * The Incredible World of Plants

Fee: Total combined fee for the program is £250

Online, Flexible format – available to enrol and start at any time



13-14 YRS (UK YR 9) - 1 YR “LIVE” SCIENCE CURRICULUM PROGRAM

This is a 1 year KS3 programme that includes a fun and fascinating series of ‘live’ format KS3 short courses, covering Biology, Chemistry, Physics and more! A 1 year curriculum program for young people aged 13+ ... (UK Year 9, Year 8 if academically confident, and also ideal for year 10's who want to take science GCSEs in year 11 but focusing on other subject GCSES in year 10).

The program includes the following 5 short courses, which run consecutively through the year in the same timeslot ... Tuesdays 12 – 1pm:

- * Organ Systems and Our Bodies - starts Sept 9 (2025)
 - * An Introduction to Physical Chemistry - starts Nov 4 (2025)
 - * That's a lot of Energy! - starts Jan 6 (2026)
 - * Scientific Skills - starts Feb 24 (2026)
 - * An Introduction to Natural History - starts Apr 21 (2026)
- + Another 6 week science short course of your choice (flexible/recorded)

Fee: Total combined fee for the program is £250

Online, Flexible format – available to enrol and start once the ‘live’ format has started;

Online, Live format – all courses are available ‘live’, Tuesdays 12:00 – 1:00pm, Sept 2025 – May 2026

We are very happy with the quality of the resources and teaching and I would highly recommend them. As with all these things, the student does need to put in the work to get a reasonable grade, as there is a lot of content to learn. They offer a weekly live lesson and homework, marked as part of the package. Or you sign up for recorded lessons. The live lessons are very good. The IGCSE courses are very reasonably priced and excellent value for money. (

I used to teach and can usually spot the tutors and companies who aren't providing the right sort of service- there are now so many people offering tutoring, but my gut instinct was right about HomeMadeeducation. being a good company,) They know their stuff and the teachers are lovely. It worked very well for us. We started Chemistry with them last year, but then realised that we'd too much workload as self-teaching other subjects too. They were flexible enough to allow us to keep all the lesson recordings and resources on their learning platform so that we could continue with Chemistry this summer. Now that is the sign of an excellent education provider who really do care about their students! We are also doing Physics IGCSE with them starting in September this year. Can't give much more of a recommendation than a repeat purchase!

“Hi Caitlin, I did the English Language and English Literature GCSE courses with you, and I found your feedback on my assignments and your zoom lessons really helpful. I just wanted to say thank you, because today I got my results back and I got 9s in both language and literature ... Also – I will definitely be joining some of your online book group zoom calls soon, as I enjoyed the ones I did in summer. :)”

“You know how much G adores Caitlin. Can I just tell you how much G is enjoying lessons with Lucy too? You couldn't ask for two partners ... Honestly, we are so happy with the quality of content and the way both Caitlin and Lucy facilitate this. Thank you Kate, for making this journey a stress free and enjoyable one.”

KS2 / KS3 'LIVE FORMAT' TIMETABLE (small groups)

SEPT 2025 - MAY 2026

"LIVE" KS3 Course Schedule

All times are UK (London) times

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
9:00 - 9:30				
9:30 - 10:00				
10:00 - 10:30	Upper KS3 (13+) English Language Program	KS3 History & Philosophy Program		Upper KS3 (13+) English Literature Program
10:30 - 11:00				
11:00 - 11:30				
11:30 - 12:00				
12:00 - 12:30		KS3 Science	Upper KS3 Maths Program	Early KS3 (11+) English Language Program
12:30 - 1:00				
1:00 - 1:30				
1:30 - 2:00				
2:00 - 2:30				
2:30 - 3:00				
3:00 - 3:30				
3:30 - 4:00				
4:00 - 4:30				
4:30 - 5:00				

2025 - 2026 Schedule							Most HME courses follow these dates but there may be some exceptions. Please check your course details when enrolling.													
		MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI			MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI			MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI
SEPT	1	8	9	10	11	12	JAN	15	5	6	7	8	9	MAY	29	4	5	6	7	8
	2	15	16	17	18	19		16	12	13	14	15	16		30	11	12	13	14	15
	3	22	23	24	25	26		17	19	20	21	22	23							
OCT	4	29	30	1	2	3	FEB	18	26	27	28	29	30							
	5	6	7	8	9	10		19	2	3	4	5	6							
	6	13	14	15	16	17		20	9	10	11	12	13							
NOV	7	20	21	22	23	24		16	17	18	19	20								
		27	28	29	30	31	21	23	24	25	26	27								
	8	3	4	5	6	7	MARCH	22	2	3	4	5	6							
9	10	11	12	13	14	23		9	10	11	12	13								
10	17	18	19	20	21	24		16	17	18	19	20								
DEC	11	24	25	26	27	28		25	23	24	25	26	27							
	12	1	2	3	4	5	APRIL		30	31	1	2	3							
	13	8	9	10	11	12			6	7	8	9	10							
14	15	16	17	18	19	27		13	14	15	16	17								
		22	23	24	25	26		27	20	21	22	23	24							
		29	30	31	1	2		28	27	28	29	30	1							

"I just wanted to say a big thank you for a fantastic year of both IGCSE Chemistry and Physics for R. R really enjoyed both courses and Lucy's approach ... Thank you for your attention to detail and for supporting her well."

GCSE/IGCSE

Study & Revision / Exam Skills short courses

If you're looking for a short course to help your young person with GCSE/IGCSE exam skills, or a Study Skills course to help them develop the tools and techniques to help them do their very best whilst studying for a GCSE/IGCSE, have a look below ...

IGCSE/GCSE STUDY & REVISION SKILLS (5-SESSIONS - £60)



Perfect for young people just starting out with GCSEs/IGCSEs, young people self-studying for GCSEs/IGCSEs, and those just looking for some practical strategies for success. A really useful and practical 5 lesson course which covers a range of skills, techniques and approaches, so that your young person can master study skills and revision! Independent study skills can be key to exam success, and many young learners will benefit from learning how to take good study notes, how to maximise the value from reading text, how to manage their time, how to revise effectively (and more!) (Note, sessions are 1.5 hrs, with break)

This course is available: *Online, Flexible – enrol at anytime*

IGCSE ENGLISH LANGUAGE EXAM SKILLS COURSE (6-SESSIONS - £75)



Perfect for learners who are self-studying and are looking for detailed guidance and support with exam preparation. Hone and refine your exam skills to boost your chances of success and receive detailed personalised feedback based on the exam criteria. This course covers key skills and strategies and offers insights into the demands of each of the different question types that appear on the exam paper. All major exam boards will be accommodated, and have particular board-specific assignments.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Available: Online 'Live' format – Fridays 2-3pm starting 21st February (2025)

Available: Online 'Live' format – Wednesdays 9-10am starting 25th February (2026)

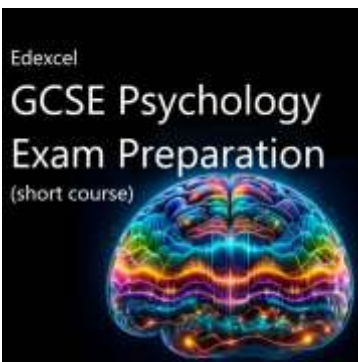
GCSE/IGCSE ENG. LANGUAGE 'EXAM EXPERIENCE' (£80)

Put your exam skills to the test and gain valuable exam experience by sitting a fully invigilated mock exam in GCSE/IGCSE English Language. Most exam boards/syllabuses can be assessed.

You will receive detailed personalised marking feedback on your exam to help guide your exam preparation.

Currently available: times/dates determined on an individual basis

GCSE PSYCHOLOGY (EDEXCEL) 'REVISION & EXAM PREPARATION' (£150)



The perfect exam preparation course for learners who are self-studying for Edexcel GCSE Psychology or any learner not enrolled in the full/complete HomeMadeEducation GCSE Psychology course.

This course includes: 5 study and revision skills tutorial sessions, to master those all important preparation skills; 2 exam skills tutorial sessions covering specific exam technique for the subject syllabus; 6 in-depth exams skills based assignments using real past paper questions (graded and marked with detailed feedback); 1 in-depth case study assignment (graded and marked with detailed feedback) and 2 personal/individual 1-to-1 Zoom tutorial sessions to discuss the syllabus and exam skills – one at the start and one at completion.

(Perfect for any and all learners not enrolled in the full HME GCSE Edexcel Psychology course)

Available Online – in the 'Flexible/Recorded Format' to start at any time and work to your own pace – with LIVE Zoom tutorial times/dates determined on an individual basis

Secondary Age (11-16 yrs)

Short course information

Secondary Course Formats

Secondary small-group courses can be available in three formats:

I) Online, Live format, using the Canvas learning platform and Live sessions on Zoom (includes video tutorials, documents, assignments, full tutor support & more!*), small group sizes

II) Online, Flexible format, using the Canvas learning platform and pre-recorded sessions (includes video tutorials, documents, assignments, full tutor support & more!*)

III) Ellis's Worldventures uses a unique, interactive weekly 'timed personal letter format

*All courses include a range of interesting and engaging activities, recordings available 24/7 - for the duration of the course, and full tutor support!

All of our courses are taught by subject experts who are current or former home educators, and all courses are designed and created by the person teaching the class.

"I would like to thank you for being such an amazing teacher for M, as she has thoroughly enjoyed all her lessons with you. Every Tuesday she'd look forward to her lessons and not only was the subject interesting but also the way you taught it to your students with so much passion. M really felt like she was on track and knew exactly what she was doing because of your help and guidance. She's going to really miss her lessons with you. You have done such a great job and I will definitely recommend you to others. THANK YOU!"

"everything that you have taught them and the feedback you have been giving them throughout this short course has been invaluable. They feel as though they are already prepared and are not overly worried which is brilliant position for them to be in thanks to you."

"My daughter really enjoys Lucy's sessions and finds them really interesting and fun. She likes that she can be as creative as she wants i.e. decorated animal and plant cell cookies!"

"Wanted to say just how much DS is enjoying the mini neuroscience course with you. He absolutely looks forward to absorbing all of it each Friday morning and you completely hold his attention for the full hour which actually is saying quite a lot-he is utterly engaged in the subject matter and your wonderful vivacious style of teaching and sharing your knowledge. So, a big thank you to you for offering your expertise in this way. So happy that we found you!"

"I can't tell you how much your classes are helping J learn how to learn. It's not just that J finds you personally so engaging, which is rare in itself, but J is learning how to research and present ideas."

"everything that you have taught them and the feedback you have been giving them throughout this short course has been invaluable. They feel as though they are already prepared and are not overly worried which is brilliant position for them to be in thanks to you."

Home Made Education offers 1 to 1 tutoring as well, in many of our subjects!

GCSEs & IGCSEs

Online, Flexible timing format – enroll any time

Online, Live sessions – small group, Sept-start ([schedule at the end of section](#))

Developed for completion within 1 'academic' year ...but ... flexible and adaptable for shorter or longer timeframes.

All tutor-led courses always: cover the req'd exam board syllabus; include weekly online tutorials, detailed support materials, tutorials that are recorded and available 24/7 for the duration of the course, weekly assignments (including exam questions), personal and detailed homework feedback (including specific advice on improvements/exam skills), weekly online 'live' drop-in sessions for learners (just turn up to as many as you need) to discuss any topics/questions/issues, full tutor support. All materials are proprietary and specifically developed solely for our own learners. All courses are taught by subject experts who are current/former home educators, and all courses are designed and created by the person teaching

GCSE/IGCSE STUDY SKILLS (5 SESSIONS, £60)

An invaluable 5-lesson course which covers a range of skills, techniques and approaches, so that your young person can master study skills and revision!

Independent study skills can be key to exam success, and many young learners will benefit from learning how to take good study notes, how to maximise the value from reading text, how to manage their time, how to revise effectively (and more!) (Note, sessions are 1.5 hrs, with break)

This course is available:

Available: [Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime](#)

GCSE STATISTICS (AQA 8382)

GCSE Statistics is a favourite amongst home educators, and a useful foundation for so many other subjects!

A great course for any student studying maths, psychology, sociology or any of the sciences – for a solid background in statistics and data! This course helps students develop a knowledge and understanding of statistical thinking and practice and how to use statistics in the real world. How do we develop statistics and how do we use them? It's actually really intriguing! Understanding statistics, and the research behind statistics, is also a vital life skill. Perhaps one of the most versatile areas of maths, it gives students the skills to collect, analyse, interpret and present data. This course covers both Foundation and Higher Tier.

This course complements subjects such as GCSE Biology, Psychology, Geography, Business and Economics, and opens the door to a variety of careers – from weather forecasting to the biological sciences.

~This course includes all necessary materials; there is no textbook required to be purchased for this course.

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, Flexible Timing – enrol anytime](#)

IGCSE TRAVEL AND TOURISM (CIE 0471)

A dynamic course, providing a global and local perspective on travel and tourism. Learners gain an overview of the industry, and learn about popular destinations, customer care, working procedures, travel and tourism products and services, and marketing and promotion. Cambridge IGCSE Travel & Tourism enables learners to discover the nature of travel and tourism, developing awareness of sustainability, locally and around the world. Learners gain understanding of the importance of customers and of the marketing of travel and tourism destinations. The aims are to enable students to develop:

- understanding of the positive and negative impacts of travel and tourism and how these can be managed
- understanding of the importance of sustainability and resilience in travel and tourism
- awareness of the importance of the customer, understanding of the importance of marketing, in travel and tourism

Note: this course meets the syllabus requirements for both the 2025/2026 exam board syllabus and the 2027/2028/2029 exam board syllabus.

Course textbook is Cambridge IGCSE and O Level Travel and Tourism Coursebook – by Stephen Rickerby (author), John Smith (author), Ruth Figg ISBN 9781009064682

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, Flexible Timing – enrol anytime](#)



IGCSE ECONOMICS (EDEXCEL 4EC1)

This subject is interesting, relevant, and is much more interesting than you might expect at first glance – a fantastic combination of Social Science and Business. This course covers why individuals, business, and Governments make the decisions that they do, when it comes to money, buying and selling. If you wonder about the answers to questions like “Does a minimum wage mean workers are actually better off?”, “Why do all petrol stations on one corner charge the same price for petrol?” or “Is Starbucks good or bad for the world’s economies?” then this course is for you!

Economics is a unique subject – a social science with a business and political leaning. This course is designed to give students a sound understanding of economics, and the ability to use knowledge, skills and understanding appropriately in the context of individual countries and the global economy. Economics is a great crossover with business, sociology and global development. Students will learn about monopolies, interest rates, exchange rates, tariffs, unemployment and a variety of key Economic topics highly relevant to their adult lives! Content areas: The Market System; Business Economics; Government and the Economy; The Global Economy.

~Recommended textbook: *Pearson Edexcel International GCSE (9-1) Economics Student Book: (Edexcel International GCSE) By Rob Jones (Author) D A Turner (Author) I A Potts. ISBN 9780435188641*

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



GCSE SOCIOLOGY (AQA – 8192)

GCSE Sociology is an inspirational subject for many home educated learners. Want to change the world, fight injustice, end inequality? Then sociology is for you! This subject has students develop an understanding about society, and how sociologists study and understand its structures, processes and issues. The course covers: society, education, class systems, poverty, families, crime, and social inequality.

Sociology - is the study of human social life, social relationships and society. Sociology examines how we interact with others and are influenced and shaped through being members of groups and organisations ... sociology also examines how we influence and shape the groups and organisations we are part of. Sociologists try to understand the ways in which the choices of humans are limited or enabled by factors such as class, ethnicity, gender, age etc. And, sociologists try to understand how these things change over time, and why they change. Sociology is an interesting field and relevant to careers such as business, government, social services, criminology. Sociology can help explain individual matters such as racial and gender identity, societal matters such as poverty and wealth, and global matters such as war and peace.

~Recommended textbook:

AQA GCSE 9-1 Sociology Student Book: (AQA GCSE (9-1) Sociology) By Wilson, Addison, Kidd. ISBN 9780008220143

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



GCSE PSYCHOLOGY (EDEXCEL 1PS0)

GCSE Psychology is a very popular subject amongst home educators. A perfect overview of the best aspects of modern day psychology, from Criminal Psychology to Child Development! This subject covers the process of psychology and its application in today’s world, discussing key psychological questions. From dreaming to memory to optical illusions, all of the most interesting aspects are covered.

Understanding psychology offers immense benefits in understanding one’s own behaviours and attitudes, the behaviour and attitudes of those around us, and in having a successful career (in many and varied fields) navigating office relationships, customer behaviour, and supplier negotiations. There is good crossover with sociology and human biology. Course Subject Content includes: Perception; Sleep and dreaming; Development; Illusions; Psychological problems; Memory; The brain and neuro-psychology; Social influence and social learning; Criminal psychology; Research methods and more!

~ Recommended textbook: *Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Psychology Student Book: (Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Psychology) By Christine Brain (Author) Karren Smith (Author) Anna Cave ISBN 9781292182773*

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



IGCSE BUSINESS (EDEXCEL 4BS1)

IGCSE Business attracts a wide range of home educated young people. This subject covers both big business and small business, spanning a range of vital and interesting business topics: business activity and the changing environment; human resources; accounting and finance; marketing; production.

The Pearson Edexcel International GCSE in Business qualification enables students to:

- develop an interest in and enthusiasm for the study of business
- develop an understanding of business concepts, business terminology, business objectives and the integrated nature of business activity
- understand how the main types of business are organised, financed and operated
- develop and apply knowledge, understanding and skills to contemporary business issues in a wide range of businesses from small enterprises to large multinationals and businesses operating in local, national and global context
- develop critical-thinking and enquiry skills to distinguish between facts and opinion, calculating, interpreting and evaluating business data, to help build arguments and make informed judgements
- develop an understanding of the dynamics of business activity and the related considerations of ethics and sustainability for global businesses.

Edexcel IGCSE textbook: Pearson Edexcel International GCSE (9-1) Business Student Book: (Edexcel International GCSE) By Rob Jones ISBN 9780435188634

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



IGCSE BUSINESS (CIE 0450/0986)

IGCSE Business attracts a wide range of home educated young people. This subject covers both big business and small business, spanning a range of vital and interesting business topics: business activity and the changing environment; human resources; accounting and finance; marketing; production.

Learners will be able to:

- understand different forms of business organisations, the environments in which businesses operate and business functions such as marketing, operations and finance
- appreciate the role of people in business success.

They will also gain lifelong skills, including:

- the ability to calculate and interpret business data
- communication skills needed to support arguments with reasons
- the ability to analyse business situations and reach decisions or judgements.

This course is for learners doing exams in 2026.

Note: the exam board syllabus involves major changes with the course name, course code, and course content for exams in 2027, 2028, 2029 therefore an updated version of this course will be created and available during the 2025/2026 academic year for any learners aiming for exams in 2027 and beyond

CIE IGCSE textbook: Cambridge IGCSE and O Level Business Studies 5th edition: Hodder Education Group by Karen Borrington (Author), Peter Stimpson ISBN 9781510421233

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



GCSE BUSINESS (EDEXCEL 1BS0)

Perfect for the want-to-be corporate tycoon or enterprising entrepreneur! This subject covers a range of vital and interesting business topics, including: human resources; accounting and finance; marketing; production.

Students will develop knowledge and understanding of: how businesses operate; different functions within businesses; differences between business types. Perfect for students with an entrepreneurial bent as well as those interested in how businesses grow and achieve dynamic success.

Investigating small business looks at topics such as spotting an opportunity and making a business effective.

Building a business looks at how to grow a business and effective decision-making.

This course includes all necessary materials; there is no textbook required to be purchased for this course. But if you prefer to work from a textbook, this is the one to use: Pearson Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Business, Third Edition By Ian Marcouse (Author) Hodder Education. ISBN13: 9781398356320

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



CAMBRIDGE IGCSE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT (0680)

IGCSE Environmental Management is a favourite amongst home educators. This is a fascinating course, which covers a wide range of subjects, from climate change to natural disasters to oceans and overfishing. Environmental Management is concerned not only with the impact of humans on the planet but also with the patterns of human behaviour necessary to preserve and manage the environment in a self-sustaining way. Environmental Management recognises that human behaviour towards the environment is guided by the values of people; a core principle of the syllabus is that sustainability will only be achieved by changes in the ways in which people think and make decisions. The syllabus draws upon disciplines such as biology, Earth science, geography and economics. Learners gain an understanding of the Earth's natural systems and how people use natural resources; they then investigate the impact of human development on the environment and learn how the environment can be managed sustainably in the future, from a local as well as a global perspective.

Note: the exam board syllabus changes for exams in 2027, 2028, 2029 therefore an updated version of this course will be created and available during the 2025/2026 academic year for any learners aiming for exams in 2027 and beyond

~Course textbook: Cambridge IGCSE® and O Level Environmental Management Coursebook by Skinner, Crafer, Melissa Turner. ISBN 9781316634851

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



IGCSE GEOGRAPHY (CIE 0976)

IGCSE Geography is a fascinating course, which covers a wide range of Geographic subjects, from weather to mapping, and covering both physical geography and human geography. Through the Cambridge IGCSE Geography syllabus, learners will develop a 'sense of place' by looking at the world around them on a local, regional and global scale. Learners will examine a range of natural and man-made environments, and study some of the processes which affected their development. They will also look at the ways in which people interact with their environment, and the opportunities and challenges an environment can present.

Geography encourages learners to be: responsible, and aware of the duty present and future generations have in creating sustainable solutions to global issues; reflective, considering the similarities and differences between different environments, communities and economies; engaged, with geographical issues, ideas and solutions that will have positive long-term impacts on the physical and human environment.

Note: the exam board syllabus changes for exams in 2027, 2028, 2029 therefore an updated version of this course will be created and available during the 2025/2026 academic year for any learners aiming for exams in 2027 and beyond

Course textbook: Cambridge IGCSE and O Level Geography 3rd edition Student Coursebook (Guinness, Nagle) ISBN 9781510421363

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



IGCSE CIE (CAMBRIDGE) ENGLISH LITERATURE (0992)

AIE English Literature (0992) is one of the most popular English literature courses amongst home educators. Cambridge IGCSE Literature in English is a fascinating programme for students to read, interpret and evaluate texts through the study of literature in English. You will develop an understanding of literal meaning, relevant contexts and of the deeper themes or attitudes that may be expressed. Through your participation in this course, you will learn to recognise and appreciate the ways in which writers use English to achieve a range of effects, and you will be able to present an informed, and personal response to the material. The qualification also encourages the exploration of wider and universal issues, promoting a better understanding of ourselves and of the world around us. Texts covered in the course for exams in 2026 are: Songs of Ourselves Volume 1 (the following 15 poems: Aphra Behn, 'Song: Love Armed' Sujata Bhatt, 'A Different History' William Blake, 'The Chimney-Sweeper' Elizabeth Brewster, 'Where I Come From' Boey Kim Cheng, 'Report to Wordsworth' Gillian Clarke, 'Lament' Kevin Halligan, 'The Cockroach' Seamus Heaney, 'Follower' Liz Lochhead, 'Storyteller' Charles Mungoshi, 'Before the Sun' Katherine Philips, 'A Married State' Alexander Pope, From 'An Essay on Man' Carol Rumens, 'Carpet-weavers, Morocco' William Shakespeare, 'Sonnet 18' Judith Wright, 'Hunting Snake'); Jane Austen, Pride and Prejudice; A Streetcar Named Desire; A Midsummer Night's Dream.

2, or 3, exam papers: Paper 1(1.5hrs) and Paper 2(1.5hrs) Or Paper 1(1.5hrs) and Paper 3(45mins) and Paper 4(1.25hrs)

This course includes most of the necessary materials, with the exception of the official texts.

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



IGCSE CIE (CAMBRIDGE) ENGLISH LANGUAGE (0990)

CAIE English Language (0990) is an internationally recognised qualification for learners whose first language is English. In this course you will develop the ability to communicate clearly, accurately and effectively when both speaking and writing. You will acquire the skills necessary to use a wide range of vocabulary, and the correct grammar, spelling and punctuation to develop a personal style and an awareness of the audience being addressed.

The programme also promotes wider reading, both for your own enjoyment and to further your awareness of the ways in which English can be used. In addition to this, you will also develop more general analysis and communication skills such as inference and the ability to order facts and present opinions effectively.

2 exam papers: 2 hrs each

This course includes all necessary materials; there is no textbook required to be purchased for this course.

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



IGCSE EDEXCEL ENGLISH LITERATURE IGCSE (4ET1)

Edexcel English Literature (4ET1) is the perfect course for students looking to engage with and develop the ability to read, understand and respond to a wide range of literary texts from around the world. You will develop an appreciation of the ways in which writers achieve their literary effects and develop the skills needed for literary study.

This is a fascinating opportunity to explore, through literature, the cultures of your own and other societies and to find enjoyment in reading literature and understanding its influence on individuals and societies. The texts being studied are Romeo and Juliet, Of Mice and Men, An Inspector Calls, Poetry Anthology

2 exam papers (Paper 1 and Paper 2 – not Paper 3 (which is coursework/NEA)): 2 hours, 1.5 hours

This course includes most of the necessary materials, with the exception of the official texts.

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



IGCSE EDEXCEL ENGLISH LANGUAGE (SPECIFICATION B: 4EB1)

English language is a fundamental course for most young people taking GCSEs ... the Edexcel English Language (Spec B) syllabus is a favourite amongst home educators.

Edexcel IGCSE English Language is a fascinating course that develops your ability to read and understand the conventions of a wide range of texts from classic literature to contemporary blog posts.

You will enhance your ability to read critically and use the knowledge gained from wide reading to inform and improve your own writing. You will learn how to adapt your writing effectively and coherently to suit a variety of genres, audiences and purposes, while at the same time augmenting your vocabulary and written technical accuracy. IGCSE English Language also provides opportunities to listen to and understand spoken language, and use spoken Standard English effectively. This is a practical course and an internationally renowned qualification in communication.

This syllabus has 1 exam paper: 3 hours.

This course includes all necessary materials; there is no textbook required to be purchased for this course.

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



GCSE EDEXCEL ASTRONOMY (1AS0)

Most people are fascinated by the night sky and are interested in stories about our continuing exploration of our Solar System and Universe. This course has been developed to build on that interest and to give an introduction to the subject of astronomy. The course will enable students to understand our position in the Universe, the movements of planets and stars, the cycles in the night and daytime sky, and the way in which we use technology to observe and interact with space. Learners will follow an incredible story of how scientists, from ancient civilisations to the modern day, have used their imagination and carefully recorded visual measurement to explore the Universe in which we live.

As part of an Astronomy GCSE you need to have two observations signed off with your exam centre, HME will support you with completing these in terms of knowing what to do as well as offering feedback and guidance with the write ups. However, it is your responsibility to complete these independently and arrange with your exam

centre regarding having these officially 'signed off.' Not all exam centres offer this service so we strongly suggest communicating with your exam centre and potentially looking around at different centre options before signing up, to ensure you have a plan in place. We can facilitate all observations with Tutors and Exams centres and can develop a process with other exam centres too.

(This course does use a textbook: GCSE (9-1) Astronomy – A Guide for Pupils and Teachers (5th edition)

ISBN 978 0 9956483 0 2. There is no specialist equipment needed)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – start at any time](#)



IGCSE EDEXCEL BIOLOGY (4BI1)

A fascinating course that covers a range of interesting Biology topics, in a fun and engaging way.

The aims and objectives of this qualification are to enable students to:

- learn about unifying patterns and themes in biology and use them in new and changing situations
- acquire knowledge and understanding of biological facts, terminology, concepts, principles and practical techniques
- appreciate the practical nature of biology, developing experimental and investigative skills based on correct and safe laboratory techniques
- recognise the importance of accurate experimental work and reporting scientific methods in biology
- develop a logical approach to problem solving in a wider context
- prepare for more advanced courses in biology and for other courses that require knowledge of biology.

(This course does use a textbook: Pearson Edexcel International GCSE (9-1) Biology Student Book: (Edexcel International GCSE) By Philip Bradfield (Author) Steve Potter (Author))

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



IGCSE EDEXCEL CHEMISTRY (4CH1)

An interesting and engaging look at key Chemistry topics, including: principles of chemistry; inorganic chemistry; physical chemistry; organic chemistry.

The aims and objectives of this qualification are to enable students to:

- learn about unifying patterns and themes in chemistry and use them in new and changing situations
- acquire knowledge and understanding of chemical facts, terminology, concepts, principles and techniques
- apply the principles and concepts of chemistry to different contexts
- evaluate chemical information, making judgements on the basis of this information
- analyse, interpret and evaluate data and experimental methods, drawing conclusions that are consistent with evidence from experimental activities and suggesting possible improvements and further investigations
- develop a logical approach to problem solving in a wider context.
- prepare for more advanced courses in chemistry and for other courses that require knowledge of chemistry.

(This course does use a textbook: Edexcel International GCSE (9-1) Chemistry. Student Book - Edexcel International GCSE Author Jim Clark)

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



IGCSE EDEXCEL PHYSICS (4PH1)

A dynamic and engaging look at the universe and the world we live in, from Astrophysics to Forces and Energy.

Some of the aims and objectives of the Edexcel syllabus:

- learn about unifying patterns and themes in physics and use them in new and changing situations
- acquire knowledge/understanding of physical facts, terminology, concepts, principles and practical techniques
- apply the principles/concepts of physics to different contexts
- evaluate physical information, making judgements on the basis of this information
- appreciate the practical nature of physics, developing experimental and investigative skills
- analyse, interpret and evaluate data and experimental methods, drawing conclusions that are consistent with evidence from experimental activities and suggesting possible improvements and further investigations
- prepare for more advanced courses in physics and for other courses that require knowledge of physics

(This course does use a textbook: <https://www.whsmith.co.uk/products/pearson-edexcel-international-gcse-91-physics-student-book-edexcel-international-gcse-student-edition/brian-arnold/steve-woolley/mixed-media/9780435185275.html>)

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



EDEXCEL IGCSE DOUBLE SCIENCE (4SD0)

This subject is a fantastic opportunity to explore all three sciences, developing solid knowledge in each and understanding unifying elements across the sciences.

The Double Award involves studying all three 'core sciences', and upon successful completion of three external assessed exams, learners are awarded 2 IGCSEs (both at the same grade). The course covers some of the most fascinating and compelling topics from Biology, Chemistry and Physics over 2 years, preparing the learner for the three exam papers: Biology Paper 1; Chemistry Paper 1; Physics Paper 1.

Some of the aims and objectives of this qualification are to enable students to:

- learn about unifying patterns and themes in science and use them in new and changing situations
- acquire knowledge & understanding of scientific facts, terms, concepts, principles and practical techniques
- apply the principles and concepts of science, including those related to the applications of science, to different contexts
- recognise the importance of accurate experimental work and reporting scientific methods in science

Course textbook: <https://www.whsmith.co.uk/products/pearson-edexcel-international-gcse-91-science-double-award-student-book-edexcel-international-gcse-s/philip-bradfield/brian-arnold/mixed-media/9780435185282.html>

Content covered includes:

Biology: The nature and variety of living organisms; Structure and functions in living organisms; Reproduction and inheritance; Ecology and the environment; Use of biological resources

Chemistry: Principles of chemistry; Inorganic chemistry; Physical chemistry; Organic chemistry;

Physics content: Forces and motion; Electricity; Waves; Energy resources and energy transfer; Solids, liquids and gases; Magnetism and electromagnetism; Radioactivity and particles; Astrophysics

(course fees are 2x a single science course; this is a 2 year course at 4hrs(ish) per week (learners can complete the course in 1 year at 10hrs (ish))

This course is available: **Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol at anytime**



GCSE/IGCSE HISTORY

GCSE course: AQA GCSE History 8145; Edexcel GCSE History 1HI0.

IGCSE course: Edexcel IGCSE 4HI1

IGCSE course: CAIE IGCSE 0977 (for exams in 2026)

We believe in the importance of learning from history. Our core History (I)GCSE Course enables students to study different aspects of the past, so they can engage with key issues, such as conflict, understand what drives change and how the past influences the present.

We've worked hard to include some exciting topics for today's world that will resonate with students, helping them gain new insights into the world around them and are applicable across a range of exam boards and qualifications including AQA GCSE, Edexcel GCSE and IGCSE, and CAIE IGCSE.

	Term 1 Topic 1	Term 1 Topic 2	Term 2 Topic 3	Term 2/3 Topic 4	Optional Topic 5	Optional Topic 6
AQA GCSE History 8145	America 1835-95	Asia 1945-76	The Normans	Health&Medicine 1000-present		
Edexcel GCSE History 1HI0	America 1835-95	Asia 1945-76	The Normans	Health&Medicine 1000-present	Henry and his Ministers (swap for Normans)	
Edexcel IGCSE 4HI1 (select 4 topics)	America 1835-95	The French Revolution	WW1	South Africa 1940-1994	Vietnam Conflict (swap for WW1)	Health&Medicine 1000-present (swap for America)
CAIE IGCSE (for exams in 2026 only)	19 th Century Modern States	19 th Century Modern States	WW1	WW1		

Our courses are designed to ensure a broad, comparable and coherent student experience, constructed around distinct principles which are carried through to assessment. The courses ensure a substantial study of history as its structure embeds the requirement to study history across three eras, three time scales and three geographical contexts and incorporates each of the five specified elements. Breadth is thereby assured. Students will develop the ability to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the key features and characteristics of the period studied; explain and analyse historical events and periods studied using second-order historical concepts; analyse, evaluate and use sources (contemporary to the period) to make substantiated judgements, in the context of historical events studied; and analyse, evaluate and make substantiated judgements about

interpretations (including how and why interpretations may differ) in the context of historical events studied. The courses provide an excellent foundation of knowledge for budding Historians and leads favourably to study beyond (I)GCSE.

Each syllabus includes 3-4 topics (there are required texts for each topic/syllabus) + exam skills & revision

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every Sept., see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime](#)



EDEXCEL IGCSE MATHEMATICS – SPEC A - FOUNDATION (4MA1)

The Pearson Edexcel International GCSE in Mathematics (Specification A) qualification enables students to:

- develop their knowledge and understanding of mathematical concepts and techniques
- acquire a foundation of mathematical skills for further study in the subject or related areas
- enjoy using/applying mathematical techniques/concepts; become confident using maths to solve problems
- appreciate the importance of mathematics in society, employment and study.

This 30 week (approx.) course prepares candidates for the Foundation level exam board assessment (via your local exam centre*):

- Each paper is assessed through a 2-hour examination set and marked by Pearson.
- The total number of marks for each paper is 100.
- Each paper will assess the full range of targeted grades at Foundation Tier (5–1).
- Each paper will have approximately equal marks available for each of the targeted grades.
- There will be approximately 40% of questions targeted at grades 5 and 4, across papers 1F and 1H to aid standardisation and comparability of award between tiers.
- A Foundation Tier formulae sheet will be included in the written examinations.
- A calculator may be used in the examinations

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime after Sept '25](#)

** note that exam booking and administration is not included as part of any HME course*

Deciding which tier is right, Foundation or Higher, having the base knowledge for success:

-we can provide a skills checklist that can help you determine your young person's knowledge and if they have the core knowledge that helps ensure success at IGCSE Foundation Maths level

- if sitting the foundation tier, these grades are possible – grades 1 to 5 available

Required textbook: ISBN is 978-0-00-820587-4 (<https://collins.co.uk/products/9780008205874>)



EDEXCEL IGCSE MATHEMATICS – SPEC A - HIGHER (4MA1)

The Pearson Edexcel International GCSE in Mathematics (Specification A) qualification enables students to:

- develop their knowledge and understanding of mathematical concepts and techniques
- acquire a foundation of mathematical skills for further study in the subject or related areas
- enjoy using/applying mathematical techniques & concepts; become confident in using maths to solve problems

This 30 week (approx.) course prepares candidates for the Higher level exam board assessment (via your local exam centre*):

- Each paper is assessed through a 2-hour examination set and marked by Pearson.
- The total number of marks for each paper is 100.
- Questions will assume knowledge from the Foundation Tier subject content.
- Each paper will assess the full range of targeted grades at Higher Tier (9–4).
- Each paper will have approximately 40% of the marks distributed evenly over grades 4 and 5 and approximately 60% of the marks distributed evenly over grades 6, 7, 8 and 9.
- There will be approximately 40% of questions targeted at grades 5 and 4, across papers 2F and 2H, to aid standardisation and comparability of award between tiers.
- A Higher Tier formulae sheet will be included in the written examinations.
- A calculator may be used in the examinations

This course is available: [Online, Live – starting every September, see schedule on page 45](#)

This course is available: [Online, FlexibleTiming – enrol anytime after Sept '25](#)

** note that exam booking and administration is not included as part of any HME course*

Deciding which tier is right, Higher or Foundation, having the base knowledge for success:

-for any learner wanting to take the Higher exam but does not have all of the prerequisite knowledge yet, it is strongly recommended that they first take the IGCSE Foundation course and then the IGCSE Higher course

-we can provide a skills checklist that can help you determine your young person's base knowledge and if they have the foundation knowledge that helps ensure exam success at the Higher level

- if sitting the higher tier, these grades are possible – 4 to 9 available (grade 3 allowed)

Required textbook: ISBN is 978-0-00-820587-4 (<https://collins.co.uk/products/9780008205874>)

Self-led, independent learning IGCSE course compendiums (with tutor support):

These course compendiums include everything learners need in a clear and structured layout. Learners can progressively work through the syllabus in a systematic way, on their own schedule, and can keep track of their progress on a continuous and ongoing basis. All materials are available 24/7. These are not tutor-led courses, but if you do have a query/question there is a tutor just a quick email away!

These courses include:

- textbook reading guide for each topic/sub-topic of the syllabus
- weekly learning notes for each topic/sub-topic of the syllabus
- video resources for topics/sub-topics
- online assessments for each topic/sub-topic
- a wide range of supplementary materials, including: news stories, activities, worksheets, PDFs, projects, revision guides, etc.)
- an end of course online assessment, covering the exam board syllabus
- a detailed guide to exam technique
- exam board papers and mark schemes
- revision and study tips

IGCSE ACCOUNTING (CIE – 0452/0985) INDEPENDENT LEARNING COMPENDIUM (£125)

This course compendium includes 27 different sub-topic modules, each with the above features! This course compendium is for learners writing exams in 2026.

CIE IGCSE Accounting aims are to enable students to develop:

- knowledge and understanding of the principles and purposes of accounting for individuals, businesses, non-trading organisations and society as a whole
- an understanding of accounting concepts, principles, policies, techniques, procedures and terminology
- improved skills of numeracy, literacy, communication, enquiry, presentation and interpretation
- improved accuracy, orderliness and the ability to think logically
- an excellent foundation for advanced study.

Content overview

1. The fundamentals of accounting
2. Sources and recording of data
3. Verification of accounting records
4. Accounting procedures
5. Preparation of financial statements
6. Analysis and interpretation
7. Accounting principles and policies

IGCSE MARINE SCIENCE (CIE – 0697) INDEPENDENT LEARNING COMPENDIUM (£125)

This course compendium includes 38 different sub-topic modules, each with the above features!

Note: this course compendium meets the syllabus requirements for both the 2025/2026 exam board syllabus and the 2027/2028/2029 exam board syllabus.

CIE IGCSE Marine Science aims are to enable students to develop:

- acquire scientific knowledge and understanding of scientific theories and practice
- develop practical skills, including safe working with consideration for the environment
- use scientific data/evidence to solve problems, discuss limitations of scientific methods
- communicate effectively & clearly; use appropriate terminology & scientific conventions
- develop an understanding of responsibility to society and a concern for the environment
- enjoy science and develop an informed interest that may lead to further study.

Content overview

1. The Earth and its oceans
2. Sea water
3. Marine organisms
4. Nutrients and energy
5. Marine ecology
6. Human influences on the marine environment

Please note that these course compendiums use a different format and approach than the usual HME small group, tutor-led courses, as these compendiums do not include tutor-led tutorials or tutor-graded homework. Past paper grading is available, at an extra fee. These courses are excluded from any/all discounts. All course bookings will be assessed a £25 reservation fee in addition to the course fee.



IGCSE / GCSE MATHS (FREE SELF-LED COMPILATION)

Available to any young person enrolled on any of our full-length tutor-led GCSE/IGCSE course, this **free** self-led IGCSE/GCSE Maths compilation bundle (we think of it as a 'Maths kit and caboodle'!) is available. Do note that this is not a tutor-led course and does not come with tutor support – it is a self-led compilation for independent learning.

- this is a self-led compilation, providing materials for young people self-studying IGCSE/GCSE maths
- a full range of learning resources, videos, activities, quizzes and more are included, organized by topic (covering commonly used syllabuses)
- and, also included, are a range of peer-to-peer discussion forums, where young people can share ideas, solve problems, etc. with other young people just like them ... and belong to a self-led learner Maths community.
- based around Edexcel IGCSE Mathematics Spec A, and also suits other syllabuses

So, they'll have everything, at their fingertips, all in one convenient place.



HOW FULL GCSE/IGCSE COURSES WORK (TUTOR-LED, SMALL GROUPS)

Developed for completion within 1 'academic' year (over approximately 30 weeks) ...but ... are flexible and adaptable for shorter or longer timeframes.

- * Each week includes tutorials, notes, extra resources, a range of assignments, exam and revision support
- * Each course includes detailed and regular feedback for projects and assignments and full tutor support; as well, there are weekly 'live' drop-in sessions for all learners
- * A wide range of revision materials are included, as well as detailed exam support and exam preparation
- * Courses cover the required information specified on the exam board syllabus
- * Courses include exam skills development and practice as standard, throughout, and full tutor support
- * Course enrolments are limited, to ensure small group sizes, so there is ideal personal attention, support and participation opportunities
- * Courses are designed to be as SEN-friendly as possible
- * UCAS suggests it takes 120-130 learning hours for a young person to be GCSE/IGCSE exam-ready; if you spread that over 30 weeks, that equals 4 hours per week per subject, which is very achievable

All materials are proprietary, and specifically developed solely for our own learners.

All courses: cover the exam board syllabus content as well as covering exam skills in detail, and have: full tutor support, weekly 'live' drop-in sessions, weekly assignments, detailed and personal feedback

Online, Live & Interactive format

- live & interactive tutorials (approx.1 hr per week) at a scheduled tutorial time
- weekly lesson notes
- real time access to the tutor
- virtual class/group interaction
- 24/7 online learning platform
- a range of weekly assignments / regular feedback
- recordings available 24/7 for the duration of the course

Online, Flexible Timing/Recorded format

- recorded, weekly tutorials
- no scheduled tutorial times
- weekly lesson notes
- regular access to the tutor
- virtual class/group interaction
- 24/7 online learning platform
- a range of weekly assignments / regular feedback
- recordings available 24/7 for the duration of the course

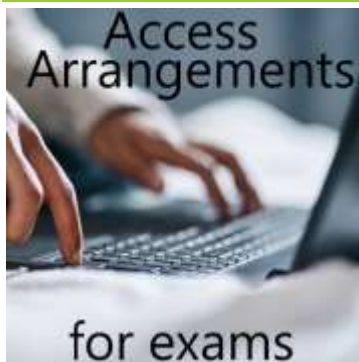
It may be possible to start with the 'flexible' format and then switch to the 'live' format if a learner would like to begin before a 'live' start date but 'live' is their preferred format; do ask for more details.

"Thank you so much Kate for all your support with Environmental Management/ Travel and Tourism. I have just received my results - Environmental management A and an A in Travel and Tourism!"*

"I thought you'd like to know that C got a 9 for his Psychology GCSE 😊 We are obviously delighted! Thank you for your course and all the help and advice you gave us towards the end. I so clearly remember my telephone conversation with you at the beginning of this journey in 2019 – your friendly encouragement was so appreciated"

Thank you so much for teaching me Sociology, I feel it has been one of my most formative subjects and has changed my world view....I felt it was important to thank you because you are a wonderful teacher and have taught me many subjects throughout my life that have made me a better, and more engaged student. I wanted to let you know that I have chosen to study Psychology at A-Level, because ever since about ... the 2nd lesson in your class, I was enraptured by the way humans work; I am hoping to do Psychology or Sociology at degree level, but if it weren't for you, I may never have discovered either. Both subjects taught me to better understand people and be more empathetic, and Sociology has made me realise I want to devote my life to activism and social change – so once again thank you, because from the bottom of my amygdala, I love your teaching and I can't express exactly how much it has formed who I am today, and who I may be in the future. I hope you teach many other students this passion and fascination.

GCSE/IGCSE ACCESS ARRANGEMENTS

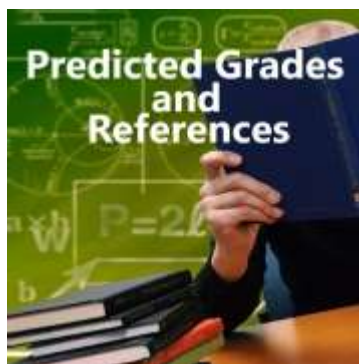


“Access arrangements” refers to 'reasonable adjustments' put in place during exam sittings to assist students who have special educational needs, disabilities or other difficulties, which ensure that they are not at a disadvantage. They may include: use of technology (laptop or reader pen), extra time, opportunities for breaks during the exams, a separate room, a scribe or a reader, etc.

If you are applying to your exam centre for Access Arrangements, we are always here to help and support, and can provide documentation and additional supporting information about your young person's needs, requirements, and 'usual way of working'.

(This is free of charge, we wouldn't dream of charging a fee for this.)

GCSE/IGCSE PREDICTED GRADES & REFERENCES



Predicted grades and references can be vital for young people interested in apprenticeships, college, sixth form, and other type of further study and career paths. These can often be difficult to obtain for home educated young people, and one of the benefits of enrolling in a course/courses with HomeMadeEducation is that we are always happy to provide these.

We are always happy to submit a headed letter, or complete forms, to provide predicted grades and/or references – as long as your young person has submitted enough assignments and attended/participated in the courses enough for there to be the necessary evidence to do so.

(This is free of charge, we wouldn't dream of charging a fee for this.)

*"Thank you so much I got a 9 in both my English's (lit & lang)!! 🐾
 Couldn't thank you enough! I'm soo pleased, and can't believe it!
 ♥ I enjoyed both your courses so much! Thank you very much! Xxx"*

"I just wanted to say that I can't recommend Kate highly enough! Her lessons are great. DD16 says she owes her 2 A's in Psychology and Sociology at GCSE and an A Level in Psychology. We've had issues with other teachers and tutors, but never Kate. When I asked her what was wrong with some of the others yesterday, my daughter's reply about teachers was "They aren't Kate. They don't make it interesting and engaging like she did. I miss her!". DD12 is now studying psych with Kate and really loves it too."

"My girl studied Gcse psychology and loved it (and got an 'A' at 14) – I am hoping she will want to go onto A level at some point as she still talks about everything she learned and clearly has an affinity for it! I can't recommend HME highly enough! Massive value for money and very approachable"

"I really enjoyed your course and I wouldn't have ever imagined getting the grade I got. I'm over the moon with my result and I'm so grateful for your great teaching and help over the past year! I found your course so engaging and informative, I always felt included and interested in the live classes. I also found the course notes + homework enjoyable to read and work on each week. I never really found the homework to feel like a chore, mainly since I actually found it to be something I looked forward to sit down and do each week! "

GCSE/IGCSE 'LIVE FORMAT' TIMETABLE (small groups)

SEPT 2025 - MAY 2026

GCSE / IGCSE / Functional Skills Timetable

All times are UK (London) times

	MONDAY			TUESDAY			WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY			FRIDAY
	KATE	LUCY	CAITLIN	KATE	LUCY	CAITLIN	KATE	SARAH	KATE	SARAH	CAITLIN	LUCY
9:00 - 9:30	IGCSE/GCSE Business						IGCSE Environmental Management		IGCSE Geography	"Office Hours" (zoom "drop in sessions" for all)		
9:30 - 10:00												
10:00 - 10:30								IGCSE Maths (Foundation)		Functional Skills Maths		
10:30 - 11:00												
11:00 - 11:30			IGCSE English Language CIE								IGCSE English Language Edexcel Spec B	
11:30 - 12:00												
12:00 - 12:30	GCSE Sociology	IGCSE Biology		GCSE Statistics		IGCSE English Literature Edexcel	GCSE Psychology		IGCSE Economics	IGCSE Maths (Higher)		"Office Hours" (zoom "drop in sessions" for all)
12:30 - 1:00												
1:00 - 1:30			IGCSE English Literature CIE		IGCSE Chemistry 1:15pm - 2:15pm	"Office Hours" (zoom "drop in sessions" for all)					GCSE History (AQA / Edexcel)	IGCSE Physics 1:15pm - 2:15pm
1:30 - 2:00												
2:00 - 2:30						IGCSE English Language Edexcel Spec B						
2:30 - 3:00												IGCSE Biology 2:30 - 3:30
3:00 - 3:30	IGCSE/GCSE Business		IGCSE History Edexcel						GCSE Psychology			
3:30 - 4:00												
4:00 - 4:30			IGCSE English Language Edexcel Spec B			IGCSE English Literature Edexcel					IGCSE English Language CIE	
4:30 - 5:00							IGCSE Travel & Tourism					
5:00 - 5:30				"Office Hours" (zoom "drop in sessions" for all)								

All GCSE/IGCSE 'Live' sessions are approximately 1hr, with learners having 1 session per week.

Where a course appears more than once, there is the option (subject to availability) to choose which one (1 only) timeslot to permanently attend for the year.

2025 - 2026 Schedule							Most HME courses follow these dates but there may be some exceptions. Please check your course details when enrolling.														
	MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI		JAN	MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI		MAY	MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI		
SEPT	1	8	9	10	11	12	15	5	6	7	8	9	15	29		4	5	6	7	8	15
	2	15	16	17	18	19	16	12	13	14	15	16	16	30	11	12	13	14	15	16	31
	3	22	23	24	25	26	17	19	20	21	22	23	17								
OCT	4	29	30	1	2	3	18	26	27	28	29	30	18								
	5	6	7	8	9	10	19	2	3	4	5	6	19								
	6	13	14	15	16	17	20	9	10	11	12	13	20								
NOV	7	20	21	22	23	24	21	16	17	18	19	20	21								
		27	28	29	30	31	22	23	24	25	26	27	22								
	8	3	4	5	6	7	23	2	3	4	5	6	23								
DEC	9	10	11	12	13	14	24	9	10	11	12	13	24								
	10	17	18	19	20	21	25	16	17	18	19	20	25								
	11	24	25	26	27	28		26	23	24	25	26	27								
	12	1	2	3	4	5		30	31	1	2	3									
	13	8	9	10	11	12		6	7	8	9	10									
	14	15	16	17	18	19		27	13	14	15	16	17								
	22	23	24	25	26		28	20	21	22	23	24									
	29	30	31	1	2			27	27	28	29	30	1								

X holidays'no 'live' sessions

HomeMadeEducation offers 1 to 1 tutoring as well, in many of our subjects!

Functional Skills - English

Online, Flexible timing format – enroll any time
Online, Live sessions – days / times within course descriptions

3 great short-courses
to build skills for the
Functional Skills
assessments

Courses: include 'live'/'recorded' video tutorials, detailed support materials, weekly assignments, full tutor support!

FS – Speaking and Listening - FSSL – (4 sessions - £45) – 13+

Functional Skills English: Speaking and Listening

In this new Functional Skills English course, we will cover: preparing and delivering a presentation, active listening skills, and working in role to make sure that you have all the skills you need to ace the spoken component of Functional Skills English up to and including Level 2.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

FS – Writing - FSWR – (4 sessions - £45) – 13+

Functional Skills English: Writing

The second part of our new Functional Skills series.

Learn how to improve your non-fiction writing skills for everyday life. Practice writing letters of application and complaint, sending emails, writing articles and reviews. We will develop your familiarity with the genre conventions of a range of different text types, as well as vital skills such as planning, drafting, editing, and proof-reading so that you can confidently express yourself in writing whatever the occasion.

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

FS – Reading - FSRG – (4 sessions - £45) – 13+

Functional Skills English: Reading

Learn how to improve your non-fiction reading skills for everyday life. Practice finding and retrieving information in a text, reading between the lines of what the writer has said, and begin to analyse the different devices they use to create meanings and influence their readers. We will develop your familiarity with the genre conventions of a range of different text types, as well as vital skills such as planning, drafting, editing, and proof-reading so that you can confidently express yourself in writing whatever the occasion. *Available:*

Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

Functional Skills may be the perfect qualification, or stepping stone qualification, for your young person. Doing the research and understanding your young person's strengths and potential is, of course, vital.

Many home educators choose Functional Skills because:

- tests can be taken year round (there isn't a set 'exam season')
- fewer learning hours are required, compared to a GCSE/IGCSE
- there is a real-life focus to the required content
- ability at Level 2 may enable a young person to enter a College or Apprenticeship programme
- can provide foundation knowledge and confidence, as well as being a good point to starting earning qualifications
- all of the assessments may be able to be completed online, depending on your exam centre

More about Functional Skills, from Ofqual:

"Functional Skills are applied qualifications which enable students to demonstrate real-life skills in English, mathematics and ICT. They are recognised as gateway qualifications, used in many existing apprenticeships and by students who may not yet have achieved a GCSE grade C or above; they are widely used in adult education. City & Guilds and Pearson are the most commonly used awarding organisations for Functional Skills.

Functional Skills qualifications in English are available at Levels 2 and 1, and entry levels 3, 2 and 1. Each qualification is separate and assessed independently. Functional Skills subject criteria specify the skills, standards, coverage and range for each subject and level. English has three components: reading; writing; speaking, listening and communication; in English, all three components must be passed in order to achieve a pass in the subject. Grading (when you complete your assessment(s) at your exam centre): Pass or Fail. To prepare for Functional Skills assessments, Ofqual recommends 45 learning hours overall. Functional Skills Level 2 are accredited at Level 2 (the same difficulty as GCSEs grade 9-4) but feature a narrower range of content and in terms of "Guided Learning Hours" a Functional Skills Level 2 is worth less than half of a GCSE.

To learn more, visit: <https://qips.ucas.com/qip/functional-skills> and https://he-exams.fandom.com/wiki/Functional_Skills; to learn more about how functional skills are assessed, contact your local exam centre (you can find a list of some here: https://he-exams.fandom.com/wiki/Finding_an_exam_centre)

Functional Skills - Maths

Short-courses to build skills for the Functional Skills assessments

Courses: include 'live'/'recorded' video tutorials, detailed support materials, graded assignments, full tutor support! Throughout the academic year there will be live, drop-in tutor 'office hours' on Zoom for any questions/queries/chats etc. as needed, available for all enrolled learners.

FS – Number Skills – MAF1 – (6 sessions - £60) – 13+

In this first short course, you will improve your all-important number skills. We will cover all four operations with whole numbers, decimals and negative numbers using not only traditional but also alternative methods for those of you who learn more visually. As the focus is on applications in this course, we will use examples and practice questions in context. An excellent course to start your functional skills journey or for those of you wanting to improve your number skills.

Available: Online, Live – Autumn/Winter 2025 - Thursdays, 10am – starting Sept 11

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

FS – Fractions and Percentages – MAF2 – (6 sessions - £60) – 13+

In this second part of the functional skills series, you will learn all about calculations with fractions and percentages as well as applying them in a real-life contexts including budgeting and tax calculations. Using visual representations will aid your understanding and make a topic which is often perceived as “hard”, accessible for everyone.

Available: Online, Live – Autumn/Winter 2025 - Thursdays, 10am – starting Oct 23

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime

FS – Shapes – MAF3 – (6 sessions - £60) – 13+

In this third part of functional skills we will discuss both 2D and 3D shapes. We will cover area, perimeter and volume, surface area and nets, drawing shapes and elevations as well as coordinates and angles using practical examples. You will be able to use your own design for your calculations if you would like to.

Available: Online, Live – Spring/Summer 2025 - Wednesdays, 1pm, starting Feb 26 (2025)

Available: Online, Live – Autumn/Winter 2025 - Thursdays, 10am – starting Dec 11 (2025)

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime after 'live' format has started

FS – Proportional Reasoning – MAF4 – (6 sessions - £60) – 13+

In this fourth short course of the functional skills series, we will look at everything in proportion. Using real life contexts, topics including ratio, scale drawings, proportion, metric unit conversions and compound measures will be covered. There will be opportunities to get creative with maths in this course.

Available: Online, Live – Spring/Summer 2025 - Wednesdays, 1pm, starting Apr 23 (2025)

Available: Online, Live – Winter 2026 - Thursdays, 10am – starting Feb 5 (2026)

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime after 'live' format has started

FS – Handling Data & Probability – MAF5 – (6 sessions - £60) – 13+

The final short course of this functional skills series covers data collected for science, psychology, sociology and using averages and scatter graphs to draw conclusions. Furthermore we will use survey results to calculate probabilities. There will be plenty of opportunity to apply the number skills from part 1 and 2 of this course plus collecting and analysing your own data set.

Available: Online, Live – Spring/Summer 2025 - Weds, 1pm, starting June 11 (2025)

Available: Online, Live – Winter 2026 - Thursdays, 10am – starting Mar 26 (2026)

Available: Online, Flexible Format – enrol at anytime after 'live' format has started

Individual courses are £60 each if booked individually or £250 if booked as a combined package (a savings of £50)

The Functional skills mathematics short courses cover all the math skills you might need in real life. No complicated algebra to be covered but plenty of opportunities to apply the maths you are learning: using calculations to help you with budgeting, building, planning, navigating, data interpretation and so on.

In 5 short courses, all the necessary skills to pass the Level 2 Functional skills maths test will be covered. While the content is the same for all exam boards, the homework tasks will be targeted to the exam board relevant to you. Courses are best completed in order.

But even if you do not want or need to pass the Level 2 Functional skills maths test, these courses will still be relevant to you and will teach you those mathematical life skills you will definitely use in the future. So whether it's real life, an extra step toward other exams/qualifications (such as GCSEs and IGCSEs), or an extra step toward other qualifications that you might gain at college or otherwise, these skills-based courses are a real benefit to many young people as they move forward into their adult lives.

*The functional skill tests can be completed online and year round (as mentioned in the English FS description).

Functional skills tests may enable a young person to start a college course or apprenticeship. You can learn more here

<https://qips.ucas.com/qip/functional-skills>

All short courses are 6 sessions long, available in both 'live' and 'flexible/recorded' formats (the flexible/recorded format is available once the course has run 'live' initially). Throughout the academic year, there will be live, drop-in tutor 'office hours' on Zoom, for any questions/queries/chats etc. as needed, available for all enrolled learners. (you can find a list of some here: https://he-exams.fandom.com/wiki/Finding_an_exam_centre)

A – Levels - Small Group Courses

A-Level English Language (CIE - 9093)

Cambridge International AS and A Level English Language provides learners with the opportunity to study English language and its use in communication. Learners will be encouraged to respond critically to a wide variety of texts in a range of forms, styles and contexts, and to promote skills of communication, reading, research and analysis. Through their study, learners will develop an ability to read and analyse material, gaining further knowledge and understanding of English language features and issues. Learners will also develop the skills of writing clearly, accurately, creatively and effectively for different purposes and audiences. Runs over 2 years, 30 weeks per 'academic year', starting each September.

Available 'flexible/recorded – available to start at any time'.

- video tutorials, detailed weekly lesson notes, weekly assignments with personal feedback
- small group sizes
- 24/7 online learning platform
- full tutor support

A – Levels - One-to-One Tutoring

For a personalized, tailored approach to A-Levels: 1-to-1 video tutorials via Zoom, detailed weekly lesson notes, weekly assignments with personal feedback, 24/7 online learning platform, full tutor support

A-Level English Literature (CIE – 9695)

Cambridge International AS & A Level Literature in English develops a set of transferable skills. These include critical analysis, constructing arguments and presenting knowledge and understanding in a balanced, articulate and fluent manner. Learners of Literature in English will be well-equipped for progression to higher education or directly into employment; finding that the skills needed will support them in a wide range of subjects and real-world situations. Texts that can be covered include:

- 1-to-1 tutoring sessions are 1.5 hours long, with a fee of £60. It is recommended that learners have at least 1 tutorial per week, 2 per week is ideal (tutorial times/dates decided on an individual basis.)

A-level Business (Edexcel – 9BS0)

Some of the aims and objectives of the Pearson Edexcel Level 3 Advanced GCE in Business are to enable students to: gain an holistic understanding of business in a range of contexts; develop a critical understanding of organisations and their ability to meet society's needs and wants; generate enterprising and creative approaches to business opportunities, problems and issues; acquire a range of relevant business and generic skills, including decision-making, problem solving, the challenging of assumptions and critical analysis.

Covers four of the key topics in Business, forming a firm foundation for further business studies: Theme 1: Marketing and people; Theme 2: Managing business activities; Theme 3: Business decisions and strategy; Theme 4: Global business

- 1-to-1 tutoring sessions are 1.5 hours long, with a fee of £60. It is recommended that learners have at least 1 tutorial per week, 2 per week is ideal (tutorial time/dates decided on an individual basis)

A-Level Economics (Edexcel (9EC0))

The aims and objectives of the Pearson Edexcel Level 3 Advanced GCE in Economics A are to enable students to: develop an interest in, and enthusiasm for, the subject; appreciate the contribution of economics to the understanding of the wider economic and social environment; develop an understanding of a range of concepts and an ability to use those concepts in a variety of different contexts; use an enquiring, critical and thoughtful approach to the study of economics and develop an ability to think as an economist; understand that economic behaviour can be studied from a range of perspectives; develop analytical and quantitative skills, together with qualities and attitudes that will equip them for the challenges, opportunities and responsibilities of adult and working life. Covers all four themes: Theme 1: Introduction to markets and market failure; Theme 2: The UK economy – performance and policies; Theme 3: Business behaviour and the labour market; Theme 4: A global perspective

- 1-to-1 tutoring sessions are 1.5 hours long, with a fee of £60. It is recommended that learners have at least 1 tutorial per week, 2 per week is ideal (tutorial time/dates decided on an individual basis)

Fees and Discounts



FEES

4 session Short Courses - £35 / £45 / various

6 session Short Courses - £45 / £60 / various

5% discount for 2+ Short Courses

Ellis's Worldventures (individual subjects) - £75

Combined 'programs' of short courses and EW are also available (*combined, at a great discount!*)

FEES – Tutor-Led GCSEs and IGCSE Courses

1-year GCSE and IGCSE full courses - £315

5% discount for full payment, in advance

5% discount for 2+ courses

Discounts can be combined

All course bookings will also be assessed a £40 reservation fee

*Double Award science is a 2-year course, fee is 2 * £315*

With discounts, these courses can be less than £10 per week!

Amazing value for so much information, learning, homework feedback and support!

Self-Led IGCSE Compendiums (Marine Science and Accounting) are available also - £125.00 each

FEES – Tutor-Led A-Level Courses

2-year A-Levels - £599

5% discount for full payment, in advance

Discounts can be combined

All course bookings will also be assessed a £40 reservation fee.

With discounts, these courses can be less than £10 per week!

Amazing value for so much information, learning, homework feedback and support!

TUTOR-LED GCSE/IGCSE/A-LEVEL PAYMENT OPTIONS

A) Course fees paid in full *before* starting (early payment discount applies; multi-course discount can apply)

B) Course fees spread over the first 3 months of starting the course ... month 1 - 60%; month 2 - 25%; month 3 - 15% (no early payment discount, but the multi-course discount can apply)

LEARNING PLATFORM

Courses use a combination of the Canvas Online Learning Platform, Zoom, and YouTube (with private, proprietary video hosting)

