Banbridge Academy Public Examinations/Controlled Assessments 2023-2024

All subjects being examined in Banbridge Academy in 2023-2024 are through the Awarding Organisation CCEA, except for the following levels and subjects:

GCSE

Computer Science (OCR) - https://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/gcse/computer-science-j277-from-2020/ Economics (OCR) - https://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/gcse/economics-j205-from-2017/

AS/A2 Level

Drama (WJEC) - https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/drama-and-theatre-as-a-level/ AS Physical Education (WJEC) -

https://www.wjec.co.uk/media/zpzffdr4/wjec-gce-physical-education-spec-from-2016.pdf

Psychology (AQA) - https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/psychology/as-and-a-level/psychology-7181-7182

For access to specifications for those subjects being examined by CCEA, please access https://ccea.org.uk/subjects

Timetables

Examination timetables are now available for November 2023 and Summer 2024. Pupils will receive individual timetables in the lead up to their examinations.

GCSE November 2023

https://ccea.org.uk/document/14793

GCSE Summer 2024

CCEA - https://ccea.org.uk/document/15740

OCR - https://www.ocr.org.uk/Images/670287-gcse-and-cambridge-nationals.pdf

AS/A Level Summer 2024

CCEA - https://ccea.org.uk/document/15741

AQA - https://filestore.aga.org.uk/admin/t_table_pdf/AQA-TT-GCE-JUN24-CONFIRMED.PDF

WJEC -

https://www.wjec.co.uk/media/xcnagfkm/summer-2024-wales-and-eduqas-as-a-level-final-timetable-22-0 6-23.pdf

Year 11 Public Examination/Controlled Assessment Tasks 2023-2024

Subject	Public examination paper in Summer 2024 (end of Year 11)	Controlled assessment task/Practicals/Orals	Controlled assessment task time frame
Art and Design	-	Component 1- Part A Exploratory Portfolio	September to February
		Component 1- Part B Investigating the Creative and Cultural Industries	March through to December in Year 12
Business Studies	Unit 1 - Starting a Business	-	-
Digital Technology	Unit 1 - Digital Technology	-	-
English Language	Unit 1 - Writing for Purpose/ Analysing Non-fiction	Unit 2 - Speaking and Listening	Ongoing throughout Year 11
English Literature	Unit 1 - Prose	Unit 3 - Shakespeare	Wednesday January 10th, periods 8&9
			Friday, January 12 th , periods 5&6.
Geography	Unit 1 - Understanding Our Natural World	-	-
History	Unit 1 - Modern World Studies in Depth: Life in Nazi Germany, 1933-45 & Local Study: Changing Relations Northern Ireland & its Neighbours, 1965-98	-	-
Moving Image Arts	-	Component 2: Acquisition of skills in Moving Image Production (4 Tasks)	Oct - June Year 11
Music	-	Component 2 Composition Controlled Assessment - Students create two compositions.	One to be completed by March 2024. Requires 20 hours of class time. (Moderated in 2025)
Motor Vehicle & Road User Studies	-	Unit 2 - Investigative Study (Speeding Habits)	June Year 11 - March Year 12
Sidules		Unit 3 - Practical moped riding activity.	Practice throughout Year 11/12. Moderated on site between Feb & April in Year 12.
Religious Studies (Short Course)	Unit 6 - An Introduction to Christian Ethics	-	-

Subject	Public examination paper in Summer 2024 (end of Year 11)	Controlled assessment task/Practicals/Orals	Controlled assessment task time frame
Technology &	Unit 1 - Technology and Design	Unit 3 - Design and	January - June
Design	Core Content	Manufacturing Project	

Year 12 Public Examination/Controlled Assessment Tasks 2023-2024

Subject	Public examination papers in November 2023	Public examination papers in Summer 2024	Controlled assessment tasks/practicals/orals	Controlled assessment tasks/practicals/orals timeframe
Art and Design	-	Component 1- Part A & B	Component 1- Part B	September to December
			Component 2 External Set Exam	January to April
Biology (Double Award)	Unit B1 - Cells, Living processes and Biodiversity	Unit B2 - Body Systems, Genetics, Microorganisms and Health Unit 7 - Practical Skills Booklet B	Unit 7 - Practical Skills Booklet A	February
Biology (Triple Award)	-	Unit 1 Cells, Living processes and Biodiversity Unit 2 Body Systems, Genetics, Microorganisms and Health Unit 3 - Practical Skills Booklet B	Unit 3 - Practical Skills Booklet A	January
Business Studies	-	Unit 1 (for those who wish to resit from Year 11) Unit 2 - Developing A Business	Unit 3 - Planning a Business (Synoptic)	January - March
Chemistry (Double Award)	Unit C1 - Structures, Trends, Chemical Reactions, Qualitative Chemistry & Analysis	Unit C2 - Further Chemical Reactions, Rates & Equilibrium, Calculations & Organic Chemistry Unit 7 - Practical Skills Booklet B	Unit 7 - Practical Skills Booklet A	February

Subject	Public examination papers in November 2023	Public examination papers in Summer 2024	Controlled assessment tasks/practicals/orals	Controlled assessment tasks/practicals/orals timeframe
Chemistry (Triple Award)	-	Unit C1 - Structures, Trends, Chemical Reactions, Qualitative Chemistry & Analysis Unit C2 - Further Chemical Reactions, Rates & Equilibrium, Calculations & Organic Chemistry Unit 3 - Practical Skills	Unit 3 - Practical Skills Booklet A	January
		Booklet B		
Computer Science - OCR	-	Component 1 - Computer Systems Component 2 - Algorithms, Programming and Data Structures	-	-
Digital Technology	-	Unit 1 (for those who wish to resit from Year 11) Unit 2 - Digital Authoring	Unit 3 - Digital Authoring Practice	September - April
Economics - OCR	-	Component 1 - Introduction to Economics Component 2 - National and International Economics	-	-
English Language	-	Unit 1 - Writing for Purpose/ Analysing Non-fiction (for those who wish to resit from Year 11) Unit 4 - Personal or Creative Writing and Reading Literary and Non-fiction Texts	Unit 2 - Speaking and Listening Unit 3 - Response to Spoken Language Response to Written Language	Ongoing throughout Years 11 and 12 External Moderation in early March. Monday 6th November, periods 2&3, January exams
English Literature	-	Unit 1 (for those who wish to resit from Year 11) Unit 2 - Poetry and Drama	-	-

Subject	Public examination papers in November 2023	Public examination papers in Summer 2024	Controlled assessment tasks/practicals/orals	Controlled assessment tasks/practicals/orals timeframe
Food & Nutrition	-	Component 1 - Food and Nutrition	Component 2 - Practical Food and Nutrition	September - December
French	-	Unit 1 - Listening Unit 2 - Speaking Unit 3 - Reading Unit 4 - Writing	-	Speaking Examination will take place in April/May. Examination window to be confirmed by CCEA.
Further Maths	-	Unit 1 - Pure Unit 2 - Mechanics Unit 3 - Statistics	-	-
Geography	-	Unit 1 (for those who wish to resit from Year 11) Unit 2 - Living in Our World Unit 3 - Fieldwork	-	-
History	-	Unit 1 (for those wishing to resit from Year 11) Unit 2 - Outline Study: International Relations, 1945-2003	-	-
Mathematics	Unit M3 or M4	Unit M7 or M8	-	-
Moving Image Arts	-	Component 1 - Critical Understanding of Creative and Technical Moving Image Production	Component 3 - Planning and making a Moving Image Product	September - April
Music	-	Component 3 - Listening and Appraising	Component 1 - Performing and Appraising Component 2 - Composition	September - April
Motor Vehicle & Road User	-	Unit 1: Motor Vehicle and Road User Theory	Unit 2: Investigative Study (Speeding Habits)	June Year 11 - January Year 12

Subject	Public examination papers in November 2023	Public examination papers in Summer 2024	Controlled assessment tasks/practicals/orals	Controlled assessment tasks/practicals/orals timeframe
Studies			Unit 3: Practical riding activity.	Practice throughout Year 11/12. Moderated on site between Feb & April Year 12.
Physics (Double Award)	Unit P1 - Motion, Force, Moments, Energy, Density, Kinetic Theory, Radioactivity, Nuclear Fission and Fusion Physics	Unit P2 - Waves, Light, Electricity, Magnetism, Electromagnetism and Space Physics Unit 7 - Practical Skills Booklet B	Unit 7 - Practical Skills Booklet A	February
Physics (Triple Award)	-	Unit 1 - Motion, Force, Density and Kinetic Theory, Energy, and Atomic and Nuclear Physics Unit 2 -Waves, Light, Electricity, Magnetism, Electromagnetism and Space Physics Unit 3 - Practical Skills Booklet B	Unit 3 - Practical Skills Booklet A	January
PE	-	Paper 1:Component 1 - Factors Underpinning Health and Performance Paper 2: Component 2: Developing Skilled Performance	Component 3 3a: 3 Practical Performances/Activities 3b: 1 Performance Analysis	September - February
Religious Studies	-	Unit 5 - Christianity through a study of the Gospel of Mark	-	-
Spanish	-	Unit 1 - Listening Unit 2 - Speaking Unit 3 - Reading Unit 4 - Writing	-	Speaking Examination will take place in April/May. Examination window to be confirmed by CCEA.

Subject	Public examination papers in November 2023	Public examination papers in Summer 2024	Controlled assessment tasks/practicals/orals	Controlled assessment tasks/practicals/orals timeframe
Technology & Design	-	Unit 1 - (for those wishing to resit from Year 11)	Unit 3 - Design and Manufacturing Project	September - March
		Unit 2 - Electronic and Microelectronic Control Systems		

Year 13 Public Examination/Coursework Tasks 2023-2024

Subject	Public examination papers in Summer 2024	Coursework tasks	Coursework tasks timeframe
Art and Design	AS 1 - Experimental Portfolio	AS 1 - Experimental Portfolio	September - January
		AS 2 - Personal Response	February- April
Biology	AS 1 - Molecules & Cells	AS 3 - Seven internally assessed pieces of	September - February
	AS 2 - Organisms & Biodiversity	coursework based on practical tasks.	T Cordary
	AS 3 - Practical Skills in AS Biology	produced testics	
Business Studies	AS 1 - Introduction to Business	-	-
	AS 2 - Growing the Business		
Chemistry	AS 1 - Basic Concepts in Physical & Inorganic Chemistry	-	-
	AS 2 - Further Physical & Inorganic Chemistry and an Introduction to Organic Chemistry		
	AS 3 - Basic Practical Chemistry		
Digital Technology	Unit 1 - Approaches To Systems Development	-	-
	Unit 2 - Fundamentals Of Digital Technology		
Economics	AS 1 - Markets and Market Failure	-	-
	AS 2 - Managing the National Economy		
English Literature	AS 1 - Poetry and Drama	-	-
	AS 2 - Prose		
Food & Nutrition	AS 1 - Principles of Nutrition	-	-
French	Unit 1 - Speaking	-	-
	Unit 2 - Listening, Reading, Translation and Use of Language		
	Unit 3 - Extended Writing		
Further Maths	AS 1 - Pure	-	-
	AS 2 - Applied		

Subject	Public examination papers in Summer 2024	Coursework tasks	Coursework tasks timeframe
Geography	AS 1 - Physical Geography	-	-
	AS 2 - Human Geography		
	AS 3 - Fieldwork Skills and Techniques in Geography		
Health & Social Care	AS Unit 3 Health and Wellbeing	AS Unit 1 Promoting Quality Care - submitting	September - January
		AS 2 Communication in Health, Social Care and Early Years Settings - teaching but not submitting	
History	AS 1 - Historical Investigations & Interpretations: Germany 1919-45	-	-
	AS 2 - Historical Conflict & Change: Italy's Quest for Great Power Status 1871-1943 Or AS 2 - Historical Conflict & Change: Duesic 1914 1914		
Mathematics	Change: Russia 1914-1941 AS 1 - Pure		
wathematics		-	-
	AS 2 - Applied		
Music	AS 1 Performing	-	-
	AS 3 - Responding to Music		
Politics	AS 1 - The Government and Politics of Northern Ireland	-	-
	AS 2 - The British Political Process		
Physics	AS 1 - Forces, Energy and Electricity	-	-
	AS 2 - Waves, Photons and Astronomy		
	AS3 - Practical Techniques and Data Analysis		
Physical Education - WJEC	Unit 1 - Exploring Physical Education	Unit 2 - Improving Personal Performance In Physical Education	September - June
Psychology - AQA	AS 1 - Introductory Topics In Psychology	-	-
	AS 2 - Psychology In Context		
Religious Studies	AS 1 - An Introduction to the Gospel of Luke	-	-
	AS 7 - Foundation of Ethics with		

Subject	Public examination papers in Summer 2024	Coursework tasks	Coursework tasks timeframe
	Special Reference to Issues in Medical Ethics		
Spanish	Unit 1 - Speaking Unit 2 - Listening, Reading, Translation and Use of Language Unit 3 - Extended Writing	-	-
SSD	Unit 1 - Introduction to Object Oriented Development	Unit 2 - Event Driven Programming	December - April
Technology	Unit 1 - Compulsory: Design and Materials Specialist Option: Systems and Control	Unit 2 - Coursework: Product Development	September - March

Year 14 Public Examination/Coursework Tasks 2023-2024

		timeframe
A2 1 - Personal and Critical Investigation	A2 1 - Personal and Critical Investigation	September - January
A2 2 - Thematic Outcome	A2 2 - Thematic Outcome	February - April
A2 1 - Physiology, Coordination & Control and Ecosystems A2 2 - Biochemistry, Genetics & Evolutionary Trends	A2 3 - Five internally assessed pieces of coursework based on practical tasks.	September - February
A2 3 - Practical Skills in Biology		
A2 1 - Strategic Decision Making	-	-
A2 2 - The Competitive Business Environment		
A2 1 - Further Physical and Organic Chemistry A2 2 - Analytical, Transition Metals, Electrochemistry and	-	-
Organic Nitrogen Chemistry		
A2 3 - Further Practical Chemistry		
Unit 1 - Information Systems	Unit 2 - Application Development (Case Study)	September - April
Unit 4 - Text in Performance Written Exam	Unit 3 - Text in Action - performance recording and Performance and Evaluation Record to be submitted for external examination	September - May
A2 1 - Business Economics	-	-
A2 2 - Managing the Economy in a Global World		
A2 1 - Shakespeare A22 - Poetry	A2 3 - Prose Comparison	September - January
A2 1 Option B - Food Safety and Quality	A2 2 - Research Project	September - February
Unit 1 - Speaking	-	-
Unit 2 - Listening, Reading, Summary and Prose		
Unit 3 - Extended Writing		
	A2 2 - Thematic Outcome A2 1 - Physiology, Coordination & Control and Ecosystems A2 2 - Biochemistry, Genetics & Evolutionary Trends A2 3 - Practical Skills in Biology A2 1 - Strategic Decision Making A2 2 - The Competitive Business Environment A2 1 - Further Physical and Organic Chemistry A2 2 - Analytical, Transition Metals, Electrochemistry and Organic Nitrogen Chemistry A2 3 - Further Practical Chemistry Unit 1 - Information Systems Unit 4 - Text in Performance Written Exam A2 1 - Business Economics A2 2 - Managing the Economy in a Global World A2 1 - Shakespeare A2 1 - Option B - Food Safety and Quality Unit 1 - Speaking Unit 2 - Listening, Reading, Summary and Prose	A2 2 - Thematic Outcome A2 1 - Physiology, Coordination & Control and Ecosystems A2 2 - Biochemistry, Genetics & Evolutionary Trends A2 3 - Practical Skills in Biology A2 1 - Strategic Decision Making A2 1 - Further Physical and Organic Chemistry A2 2 - Analytical, Transition Metals, Electrochemistry and Organic Nitrogen Chemistry Unit 1 - Information Systems Unit 2 - Application Development (Case Study) Unit 4 - Text in Performance Written Exam Unit 3 - Text in Action - performance and Evaluation Record to be submitted for external examination A2 1 - Shakespeare A2 2 - Managing the Economy in a Global World A2 1 - Shakespeare A2 1 - Option B - Food Safety and Quality Unit 1 - Speaking Unit 2 - Listening, Reading, Summary and Prose

Subject	Public examination papers in Summer 2024	Coursework tasks	Coursework tasks timeframe
Further Maths	A2 1 - Pure	-	-
	A2 2 - Applied		
Geography	A2 1 - Physical Processes, Landforms and Management	-	-
	A2 2 - Processes and Issues Human Geography		
	A2 3 - Decision Making		
Health & Social Care	A2 3 - Providing Services	Unit 5 - Supporting the Family	September - February
History	A2 1 - Change Over Time: The American Presidency 1901-2000	-	-
	A2 2 - Historical Investigations & Interpretations: Partition of Ireland 1900-1925		
Mathematics	A21 - Pure	-	-
	A22 - Applied		
Politics	A2 1 - A Comparative Study of the Government and Politics of the United States of America and the United Kingdom	-	-
	A2 2 - Political Ideas		
Physics	A2 1 - Deformation of solids, Thermal Physics, Circular Motion, Oscillations and Atomic and Nuclear Physics	-	-
	A2 2 - Fields, Capacitors and Particle Physics		
	A23 - Practical Techniques and Data Analysis		
Psychology - AQA	Unit 1 - Introductory Topics In Psychology	-	-
	Unit 2 - Psychology In Context		
	Unit 3 - Issues And Options In Psychology		
Religious Studies	A21 - Themes in the Synoptic Gospels	-	-
	A27 - Global Ethics		
Spanish	Unit 1 - Speaking	-	-
	Unit 2 - Listening, Reading, Summary and Prose		

Subject	Public examination papers in Summer 2024	Coursework tasks	Coursework tasks timeframe
	Unit 3 - Extended Writing		
Sports Science And The Active Leisure Industry	Unit 2 - The Application of Science to Sports Performance.	Unit 1 - Event Management in the Active Leisure Industry	September - April
SSD	Unit 1 - Systems Approaches and Database Concepts	Unit 2 - Implementing Solutions	November - April
Technology	A2 Unit 1 - Specialist Option: Systems and Control	A2 2 - Coursework: System Design and Manufacture.	September - March