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English Language	GCSE A* - G	End of January 2009 – final deadline for coursework	<a href="http://www.englishbiz.co.uk">www.englishbiz.co.uk</a> , <a href="http://www.universalteacher.org.uk">www.universalteacher.org.uk</a> AQA revision guides	Thursdays, 3 – 4 p.m.	Grade C or higher would be suitable for AS Level in English Language or Literature or Media or Theatre Studies	Mrs Vickers
English Literature	GCSE A* - G	End of January 2009 – final deadline for coursework	Letts or York revision guides for “Of Mice and Men” & poetry by Carol Ann Duffy and Simon Armitage & pre-1914 poetry	Thursdays, 3 – 4 p.m.	Grade C or higher would be suitable for AS Level in English Language or Literature or Media or Theatre Studies	Mrs Vickers
Maths	GCSE A* - G	Monday 9 March 2009 – final test	Mymaths website OCR revision guides & workbooks	Thursdays, 3 – 4 p.m.	Grade B or higher would be suitable for AS Maths	Mr Garland

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Science	GCSE A* - G	Monday 12 January 2009 – Biology exam; Thursday 15 January 2009 – Chemistry exam & Monday 19 January 2009 – Physics exam	Nelson Thornes AQA revision guide (£3 from Mr Foster) GCSE review programme (access details from Mr Foster) <a href="http://www.antonine-education.co.uk/Physics">www.antonine-education.co.uk/Physics</a>	Wednesdays, 3 – 4 p.m. in Lab 5	Pass at Level 2 would be suitable for AS Science	Mr Foster
PE	GCSE A* - G	December 2008 – deadlines for coursework and 4 practical marks	The school's Virtual Learning Environment	April 2009 (to be announced)	BTEC National Certificate or Diploma	Mr Dutton
Sport	BTEC Level 2	Continuous assessment	The school's VLE	Easter 2009 ('catch-up' sessions)	BTEC National Certificate or Diploma	Mr Dutton

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Dance	GCSE A* - G	February half term 2009 – deadline for completion of choreography, performance piece & set study; two weeks prior to Easter 2009 – deadline for coursework & recording of practical work	<a href="http://www.siobhandavies.com">www.siobhandavies.com</a> <a href="http://www.en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Dance">www.en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Dance</a> DVDs, videos & books available from the Dance Studio	Monday – Thursday 1.15 – 1.45 p.m.	Grade C or higher would be suitable for AS Dance or AS Performance Studies	Miss Reynolds
RE	GCSE A* - G	Continuous assessment	Departmental revision guides & homework booklets The school's VLE	March – April 2009 (to be announced)		Mrs Barnes
History	GCSE A* - G	December 2008 – final deadline for coursework	Modern World History <a href="http://www.schoolhistory.co.uk">www.schoolhistory.co.uk</a> <a href="http://www.johndclare.net">www.johndclare.net</a>			Miss Keenan

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Geography	GCSE A* - G	Monday 15 December 2008 – final deadline for coursework	AQA Geography 'A' student guide	'Catch-up' sessions by arrangement, 3 – 4/5 p.m.		Mr Bailey
ICT	AIDA Level 2	May 2009 – deadline for D201 coursework	DIDA website The school's shared area	1.15 – 1.45 p.m. Monday – Friday; after school Tuesday - Friday	Pass at Level 2 would be suitable for AS ICT or BTEC IT Practitioner	Mrs Handford
ICT	CIDA Level 2	November 2008 – deadline for D201 coursework; May 2009 – deadline for D202 coursework	DIDA website The school's shared area	1.15 – 1.45 p.m. Monday – Friday; after school Tuesday - Friday	Pass at Level 2 would be suitable for AS ICT or BTEC IT Practitioner	Mrs Handford

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ICT	DIDA Level 2	November 2008 – deadline for D201 & D202 coursework; May 2009 – deadline for D203 & D204 coursework	DIDA website The school's shared area	1.15 – 1.45 p.m. Monday – Friday; after school Tuesday – Friday; D201 – Tuesdays after school & D202 – Wednesdays after school	Pass at Level 2 would be suitable for AS ICT or BTEC IT Practitioner	Mrs Handford
Art	GCSE A* - G	Week beginning 2 February 2009 – exam paper distributed	Lonsdale Press GCSE Art & Design Essentials AQA website Departmental books <a href="http://www.flickr.com">www.flickr.com</a>	3 – 4.30 p.m. Tuesday - Thursday	Pass at Level 2 would be suitable for AS Level Art or BTEC National or a Foundation Course	Miss Robbins
Art	BTEC Level 1	Monday 22 February 2009 – 3 <sup>rd</sup> unit to commence	Edexcel website	3 – 4.30 p.m. Tuesday - Thursday		Miss Robbins

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Product Design	GCSE A* - G	February half term 2009 – final deadline for coursework	Lonsdale GCSE Product Design revision guide <a href="http://www.technologystudent.com">www.technologystudent.com</a> <a href="http://www.howstuffworks.com">www.howstuffworks.com</a> <a href="http://www.technology.org.uk">www.technology.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.dtonline.org">www.dtonline.org</a>	Any lunch-time & any day after school by arrangement		Mr Braniff
Hospitality	BTEC Level 1	March 2008 – deadline for coursework	<a href="http://www.Hospitality.net">www.Hospitality.net</a>	Any lunch-time & any day after school by arrangement	Pass at Level 1 would be suitable for BTEC Level 2	Mr Braniff
Drama	GCSE A* - G	March 2009 – final practical exam (subject to moderation)	Essential to have seen a minimum of 2 live performances with the teacher to be able to take the written paper	Wednesdays, 3 – 4 p.m.	Pass at Level 2 would be suitable for AS Drama & Theatre Studies and AS Performance Studies	Mrs Murray

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BCS	GCSE A* - G	Friday 19 December 2008 – deadline for coursework tasks 1 – 6; Friday 13 February 2009 – deadline for coursework task 7; Friday 3 April 2009 – final deadline for coursework	Departmental booklets	Tuesdays & Thursdays, 3 – 4.30 p.m.	Grade C or higher would be suitable for AS or BTEC National Business	Mrs Asquith
Business	BTEC Level 2	Friday 3 April 2009 – deadline for completion of unit 5	Departmental booklets	Tuesdays & Thursdays, 3 – 4.30 p.m.	Pass, Merit or Distinction would be suitable for BTEC National in Business; Merit or Distinction for AS Level	Mrs Asquith

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Health & Social Care	BTEC Level 2	Friday 19 June 2009 – final deadline for coursework	Departmental booklets	Tuesdays & Thursdays, 3 – 4.30 p.m. for Mrs Asquith; Wednesdays, 3 – 4 p.m. for Mrs Cavanagh	Pass, Merit or Distinction would be suitable for BTEC National in H & S; Merit or Distinction for AS Level	Mrs Asquith
Health & Social Care	BTEC Level 1	Friday 19 December 2008 – deadline for unit 6; Friday 3 April 2009 – deadline for unit 3; Friday 22 May 2009 – deadline for unit 10	Departmental booklets	Wednesdays, 3 – 4.30 p.m.	Pass, Merit or Distinction would be suitable for BTEC First	Mrs Asquith

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Sociology	GCSE A* - G	Friday 19 December 2008 – deadline for first draft of coursework	"ATSS" website, especially resources from Hewlett School	January 2009 onwards (to be announced)	Level 2 pass would be suitable for AS Sociology; Grade C – E would be suitable for Level 2 Childcare or Health & Social Care	Mr Bann
Spanish	GCSE A* - G	Easter 2009 – final deadline for coursework; May 2009 – speaking test	<a href="http://www.linguascope.com">www.linguascope.com</a> Sunderland Schools website	Fridays, 3 – 3.45 p.m.	Level 2 pass would be suitable for AS Spanish	Mrs Needham
French	GCSE A* - G	February half term 2009 – final deadline for coursework; May 2009 – speaking test	<a href="http://www.wildfrench.co.uk">www.wildfrench.co.uk</a> <a href="http://www.languagesonline.org.uk">www.languagesonline.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.zut.org.uk">www.zut.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.frenchrevision.co.uk">www.frenchrevision.co.uk</a> Ashcombe School website	By arrangement	Level 2 pass would be suitable for AS French	Miss Jacques

