

SIXTH FORM BOOKS & EQUIPMENT INFORMATION SEPTEMBER 2025 ENTRY

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Edexcel	 Art kit: To include the following: Media from GCSE Art that you enjoyed and had success in. Basics such as: oil pastels / watercolour pencils / acrylic paints / brushes / A1 folder / A3 sketchbook / range of paper / drawing pencil set 	£25.00 – 30.00 approx	 The Art Book – Phaidon The 20th Century Artbook – Phaidon The Photography Book – Phaidon Digital SLR Camera Photoshop software Graphics pens 	
BIOLOGY - AQA	Dr. James Professional Unisex Lab Coat or equivalent	£9.95 - £16.95 Amazon	• CGP: Head Start to A level Biology (BBR71)	£4.95 cgpbooks.co. uk
	 ◆CGP A level Biology for AQA: Year 1 and 2 Student Book with online edition ISBN: 978-1782943143 	£28.00 Amazon		
	 OUP Maths skills for A-Level Biology 2nd Ed ISBN: 978-0-19-8428-992 Scientific calculator 	£8.50 Amazon		
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BUSINESS STUDIES – Edexcel	Pearson Edexcel A level Business:ISBN: 978-1510452701	£40.00 Amazon		
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	 The Aeneid Virgil, 'Aeneid' translated by D. West (Penguin) ISBN 978-0140449329 2 Lever-Arch files 20 File dividers 	£9.60 Amazon	 Augustan Rome by Andrew Wallace-Hadrill ISBN: 978-1853991387 The Aeneid (York Notes Advance Series) ISBN: 978-0582431546 	£4 Amazon £7.35 Amazon

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DT: PRODUCT DESIGN – AQA	Books: AQA AS/A level Design & Technology: Product Design ISBN: 1510414088 My Revision Notes: AQA A level Design & Technology: Product Design ISBN: 1510432299	£34.00 £19.99 Amazon		
	 Equipment: Digital vernier caliper Combination square, bevel and protractor set Alcohol markers (Tiger do a good set of 6 for around £5) Black fineliner, permanent marker and whiteboard pen. Set of sketching e.g. 2B/HB pencils and colouring pencils. 	£5.99 £15.00		
ECONOMICS - AQA	 AQA A-Level Economics, Fifth Edition, Hodder Education, ISBN 978-1398375192 2 A4 2-ring binders (https://amzn.eu/d/4AQIE4k) A4 file dividers 	£28.99 Amazon		
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			Desire ISBN: 978-1471853739	Amazon
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			 Also useful: Study and Revise: The Handmaid's Tale ISBN: 978-1471854101 	£11.99 Amazon
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	ISBN: 978-0198366881 (Optional as students have access to the digital text book)	Amazon		
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	Preferred option - Casio CG100 Graphical Calcular £75 to be bought from the school as the school receives a discount	£75	buy your own in the meantime. (The school receives a discount, the Graphical Calculator is normally over £100)	
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