



Year 11

English	In their final half term with us, Year 11 will complete three weeks of intensive preparation for the 'Unseen Poetry' element of English Literature Paper Two. This will culminate in a final practice exam which will assess performance on the Unseen poetry questions in class. Following this, students will then move on to the 'content carousel' scheme of work in English, in which we cycle through core concepts relevant to all of the Literature texts and combine this with approaches to the Language questions. Parents can support their children with English revision by encouraging them to study 'little and often'. The best form of revision for English Language is completing past paper questions - these can be found on our English googlesite: https://sites.google.com/wildern.org/english/home English Literature revision can be more diverse and students should centre their revision on being confident with the characters/plot and themes of all their texts and how to apply these to an exam question. Our English study guides contain quickfire revision tasks to support your son/daughter: Wildern English Study plan - January/February 2025 English Study plan - February/March 2025 Please ask your son/daughter's English teacher if a paper copy is required.
Maths	Higher students will be finishing the last few modules before they begin revision - Functions and Transformations of functions - Iteration - Gradients and Areas under Curves Foundation students will be finishing the last few modules before they begin revision - Trigonometry - Vectors
Science	This half term year 11 will focus on Chemistry and Biology Paper 2 revision, covering the following units: - B5 Homeostasis - B6 Inheritance, variation and evolution - B7 Ecology - C6 Rate and extent of chemical change - C7 Organic chemistry - C8 Chemical analysis - C9 Chemistry of the atmosphere - C10 Using resources Students will complete chemistry and biology exam papers for self study.
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Life	This unit builds upon students' prior learning about drugs and alcohol and explores the law surrounding the most dangerous drugs. In addition to this, students will explore and discuss issues relating to the family; parenthood; unwanted pregnancy; abortion, adoption and fostering and fertility treatments with a focus on IVF. Students will be encouraged to form their own opinions on the ethical issues discussed whilst also considering the views of others and religious believers. An important part of this unit focuses on Healthcare including an awareness of STIs, breast and testicular cancer and First Aid
Core Pe	Students will move onto the next activity in their chosen pathway: Team1: Handball Team2: Table Tennis Aesthetic: Boot Camp Net & Wall: Volleyball
Animal Care	 Now that students have completed their NEA, their focus is on their preparation for the exam. Students will be studying the following topics: Component 3 - B1 (Animal Health): Pathogens, Zoonotic and Notifiable Diseases, Treatment and Welfare, and Disease Transmission. Component 3 - C1 (Animal Husbandry): Keeping Animals. Component 3 - C2 (Animals and Society): Animal Organisations, Animals in Education, Leisure and Conservation, and Animal Legislation.
Art	Art and Photography students continue their Externally Set Assignment (NEA) weighted at 40% of their final GCSE grade. Students work through the 4 Assessment Objectives over a term prior to sitting their year 11 final ten hour exam.
AQA award	Safer Internet Work, Exam Techniques to support English and Maths Exams
Business Studies	Students have now covered the curriculum and will be concentrating on exam revision and technique in readiness for their exams.
Computer Science	Students will be reviewing their learning over the course of GCSE computer science in preparation for their final exams.
Dance	Students will be revisiting and mastering the performance as a duet/trio, which they created in collaboration with their class teacher in Summer term 2. Students will be examined on the 20th March and this performance unit carries a weighting of 15%.
Design Technology	Students will be using this term to manufacture the prototypes that they have spent the autumn term designing.
Drama	Yr11s have their Presenting & Performing Texts Exam in the second week back, 6th & 7th March. After this student will start to revise Blood Brothers (Section A), looking at questioning of the areas below: Acting Directing Production Design: Costume, set, lighting & Sound, props





	 Social, historical and Cultural Context Playwrights intentions Understanding the opening scene and final scene of the play
	Students will also be revising several Live Theatre questions on the play "In A Thousand Pieces" by the paper birds.
Food & Nutrition	This term students will be finishing their NEA2; including completing the practical component - 3 dishes in 3 hour practical. The NEA2 will be followed by theory revision and exam techniques.
Geography	Students will be completing their in class revision programme in preparation for their upcoming exams. Students will also be given their 'Pre Release' in class which is a booklet based on a topic they have studied within Geography. They will be tasked with reading, understanding and applying the information to ensure they are confident with the material as this will be assessed during their Paper 3 GCSE Exam.
Hospitality & Catering	This term students will be revising Unit 1 through various practice exam techniques and scenario work. Students will also have the opportunity to showcase theory knowledge through practical work.
History	Students will be having a paper 1 mock in this half term. They will then begin revising exam technique for paper 2 (Britain health and the people and Norman England)
IT	Students will be completing their NEAs, before moving on to reviewing all the content covered in IT in preparation for their final exams
Media	Students will be studying their final topic of Newspapers, alongside revision of the theoretical framework.
MFL (French, German or Spanish)	Students will be completing their speaking exam and then completing final preparation for the exams, including key writing skills and recall of key vocabulary.
Music	Students will be revising all 4 areas of study for their GCSE listening exam with regular past paper practise. They shall also make any finishing touches to their composition NEA.
RE	Students will be having a Christianity mock this half term and will be revision Christian beliefs and practises and Islamic beliefs.
Examination PE	GCSE PE students will be preparing for moderation on the 19th March before reaching their final topics on factors affecting participation. Alongside this students will be ensuring that their PEP is finalised with as much detail as possible.
	Sports Studies students are looking at The Olympic and Paralympic movement before studying sporting values and the conduct of performers.





Photography	Art and Photography students continue their Externally Set Assignment (NEA) weighted at 40% of their final GCSE grade. Students work through the 4 Assessment Objectives over a term prior to sitting their year 11 final ten hour exam.
Psychology	Now that the course is complete and all key studies across paper 1 and paper 2 have been recapped. Students will be doing a content carousel of activities in preparation for their GCSE exams in May 2025.