

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW: KS5 Sociology

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	Year 12	Year 13
Autumn term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to sociology. Role of education. Role of family in society. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Theories and methods in sociology. The role of beliefs in society. Recap of the role of education and family.
Spring term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Achievement in education by gender, ethnicity and class. Educational policy (historical and contemporary). Roles and relationships within the family. Research methods. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Beliefs in society- new religious movements. Crime and deviance. Research methods.
Summer term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Revision (preparation for AS exams). External exams. Theories and method for A level. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Crime and deviance- punishment and control. Revision (preparation for A Level exams).
Assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students sit 2 x 1 hour 30 minute exams covering all of the year 12 content in May/June. These are externally assessed and results are received in August. Students are assessed throughout the year internally (please see the school assessment calendar for more information). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students sit 3 x 2 hour exams at the end of year 13 in June. These are externally assessed and results are received in August. Students are assessed throughout the year internally (please see school assessment calendar for more information).