

International exam timetable November 2021

General notes

1. Each exam must be taken on the day and at the time shown on the timetable. The published starting time of all exams is 7.00am GMT (Greenwich Mean Time). Students taking more than one exam in a session must take these consecutively. At the discretion of the school/college a supervised break may be given between the exams taken consecutively. Please refer to our [General regulations and terms and conditions for approved centres](#) on the [exams admin](#) page of our website for further details.
2. Schools/colleges may start an exam up to 30 minutes before or delay the starting time of an exam by up to 30 minutes later than the published starting time without notifying OxfordAQA.
3. For information on any other timetable variations, please contact [Customer Services](#).
4. Students finishing the exam early must remain under supervision until at least 8.00am GMT (Greenwich Mean Time). For exams of less than one hour's duration, students must remain under supervision for a period equal to the exam duration.
5. Any reading time allowed for an exam is included in the time specified.
6. All examinations must be conducted in line with our [General regulations and terms and conditions for approved centres](#).
7. The latest dates by which schools/colleges should submit their marks/assessments or levels to OxfordAQA and to the moderator are shown in the table below.

Submission date	Subjects
01 November 2021	All units and components

Window for English as a Second Language speaking test will be 14 October- 15 November 2021.

8. Computer Science (9210/1) pre- release skeleton programme will be available to centres via Secure Key Materials on 1 August 2021.
9. Results will be dispatched to be received in schools/colleges as follows:

Results publication	
Electronically to schools/colleges	Wednesday 12 January 2022
Available to students	Thursday 13 January 2022

Week beginning Monday 25 October 2021

Monday 25 October 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9225/1	Business Paper 1	GCSE	2h
9270/1	English Language Paper 1	GCSE	2h

Tuesday 26 October 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9275/1	English Literature Paper 1	GCSE	45m

Wednesday 27 October 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9201/1	Biology Paper 1	GCSE	1h 30m
9204/BC	Combined Science - Biology: Core	GCSE	1h 45m
9204/BE	Combined Science - Biology: Extension	GCSE	1h 45m

Friday 29 October 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9230/1	Geography Paper 1	GCSE	1h 30m

Week beginning Monday 1 November 2021

Monday 01 November 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9275/2A	English Literature Paper 2A	GCSE	2h 15m
9275/2B	English Literature Paper 2B	GCSE	1h 30m

Tuesday 02 November 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9201/2	Biology Paper 2	GCSE	1h 30m
9280/L	English as a second language - Listening	GCSE	45m
9280/R	English as a second language - Reading	GCSE	1h 15m

Wednesday 03 November 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9225/2	Business Paper 2	GCSE	2h
9270/2	English Language Paper 2	GCSE	2h

Thursday 04 November 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9202/1	Chemistry Paper 1	GCSE	1h 30m
9204/CC	Combined Science - Chemistry: Core	GCSE	1h 45m
9204/CE	Combined Science - Chemistry: Extension	GCSE	1h 45m

Friday 05 November 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9230/2	Geography Paper 2	GCSE	1h 30m

Week beginning Monday 8 November 2021

Monday 08 November 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9260/1C	Mathematics Paper 1: Core	GCSE	1h 30m
9260/1E	Mathematics Paper 1: Extension	GCSE	2h

Tuesday 09 November 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9203/1	Physics Paper 1	GCSE	1h 30m
9204/PC	Combined Science - Physics: Core	GCSE	1h 45m
9204/PE	Combined Science - Physics: Extension	GCSE	1h 45m

Wednesday 10 November 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9202/2	Chemistry Paper 2	GCSE	1h 30m
9280/W	English as a second language - Writing	GCSE	1h 15m

Friday 12 November 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9210/1	Computer Science Paper 1	GCSE	2h
9230/3	Geography Paper 3	GCSE	1h 15m

Week beginning Monday 15 November 2021

Monday 15 November 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9203/2	Physics Paper 2	GCSE	1h 30m

Tuesday 16 November 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9210/2	Computer Science Paper 2	GCSE	2h

Wednesday 17 November 2021

UNIT CODE	SUBJECT	LEVEL	DURATION
9260/2C	Mathematics Paper 2: Core	GCSE	1h 30m
9260/2E	Mathematics Paper 2: Extension	GCSE	2h

Subject and product list

These dates show when exams should be taken or internally-assessed marks/assessments submitted. For further information please refer to the notes at the start of this document.

CODE	DESCRIPTION	NOTES	DURATION	DATE
International GCSE subjects and units				
9201 Biology				
9201/1	Biology Paper 1		1h 30m	27 October 2021
9201/2	Biology Paper 2		1h 30m	02 November 2021
9225 Business				
9225/1	Influences of operations and human resource on business activity		2h	25 October 2021
9225/2	Influences of marketing and finance on business activity		2h	03 November 2021
9202 Chemistry				
9202/1	Chemistry Paper 1		1h 30m	04 November 2021
9202/2	Chemistry Paper 2		1h 30m	10 November 2021
9204 Combined Science				
<i>either</i>	9204/BC	Combined Science Biology Core	1h 45m	27 October 2021
<i>or</i>	9204/BE	Combined Science Biology Extension	1h 45m	27 October 2021
<i>either</i>	9204/CC	Combined Science Chemistry Core	1h 45m	04 November 2021
<i>or</i>	9204/CE	Combined Science Chemistry Extension	1h 45m	04 November 2021
<i>either</i>	9204/PC	Combined Science Physics Core	1h 45m	09 November 2021
<i>or</i>	9204/PE	Combined Science Physics Extension	1h 45m	09 November 2021
9210 Computer Science				
9210/1	Programming	8	2h	12 November 2021
9210/2	Concepts and Principles of Computer Science		2h	16 November 2021
9280 English as a Second Language				
9280/L	Listening		45m	02 November 2021
9280/R	Reading		1h 15m	02 November 2021
9280/S	Speaking	7	7m, Submit by	18 November 2021
9280/W	Writing		1h 15m	10 November 2021
9270 English Language				
9270/1	Paper 1: Literary non-fiction and composition		2h	25 October 2021
<i>either</i>	9270/2	Paper 2: Source-based reading and directed writing	2h	03 November 2021
<i>or</i>	9270/P	Non-exam assessment		Submit by 01 November 2021
<i>optional</i>	9270/S	Speaking and listening (endorsement)		Submit by 01 November 2021

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9275	English Literature			
	9275/1	Prose and drama	45m	26 October 2021
<i>either</i>	9275/2A	Poetry and unseen texts	2h 15m	01 November 2021
<i>or</i>	9275/2B	Poetry	1h 30m	01 November 2021
	9275/C	Non-exam assessment	7	Submit by 01 November 2021
9230	Geography			
	9230/1	Living with the physical environment	1h 30m	29 October 2021
	9230/2	Challenges in the human environment	1h 30m	05 November 2021
	9230/3	Fieldwork and Enquiry Skills	1h 15m	12 November 2021
9260	Mathematics			
<i>either</i>	9260/1C	Mathematics Core Paper 1	1h 30m	08 November 2021
<i>or</i>	9260/1E	Mathematics Extension Paper 1	2h	08 November 2021
<i>either</i>	9260/2C	Mathematics Core Paper 2	1h 30m	17 November 2021
<i>or</i>	9260/2E	Mathematics Extension Paper 2	2h	17 November 2021
9203	Physics			
	9203/1	Physics Paper 1	1h 30m	09 November 2021
	9203/2	Physics Paper 2	1h 30m	15 November 2021