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### Summer 2021 Awarding: How qualifications are being awarded

#### AQA

Qualification	Year Group *	How the Qualification is Awarded	Additional Information
GCSE 9-1 English Language	Year 11 & 14	TAG	**See Notes Section
GCSE 9-1 English Literature	Year 11	TAG	**See Notes Section
GCSE 9-1 Mathematics	Year 11 & 14	TAG	**See Notes Section
GCSE 9-1 Combined Science Trilogy (Double Award)	Year 11	TAG	**See Notes Section
GCSE 9-1 Geography	Year 11	TAG	**See Notes Section
GCSE 9-1 History	Year 11	TAG	**See Notes Section
Entry Level Certificate Step up to English (Silver & Gold Step)	Year 11 & 14	TAG	**See Notes Section
Entry Level Certificate Mathematics	Year 11	TAG	**See Notes Section

#### Arts Award – Trinity College

Qualification	Year Group *	How the Qualification is Awarded	Additional Information
Arts Award – Discovery (Non-Accredited)	Year 14	Internally Moderated Normal Award	This qualification is not subject to a TAG and is awarded as normal.

#### ASDAN

Qualification	Year Group *	How the Qualification is Awarded	Additional Information
Level 1 Award of Personal Effectiveness (AoPE)	Year 14	External Moderation Graded	Ofqual – B2 Category ***See Note Section
Entry Level Certificate Personal Progress	Year 11	External Moderation Graded	Ofqual – B2 Category ***See Note Section
Life Skills Challenge (Non-Accredited)	Year 11	Subject to 1 <sup>st</sup> Year External Moderation Normal Award	Ofqual – B2 Category ***See Note Section



### NCFE

Qualification	Year Group *	How the Qualification is Awarded	Additional Information
Entry Level 3 Award Exploring Occupational Studies for the Workplace	Year 11	External Moderation Graded	Ofqual – B2 Category ***See Note Section
Entry Level 2 Award in Maths: Calculating with Numbers	Year 14	External Moderation Graded	Ofqual – B2 Category ***See Note Section
Entry Level 2 Award in Maths: Working with Numbers	Year 14	External Moderation Graded	Ofqual – B2 Category ***See Note Section

### OCR

Qualification	Year Group *	How the Qualification is Awarded	Additional Information
Entry Level Certificate in Science	Year 9, 10 & 11	TAG	**See Notes Section
Entry Level Certificate in Physical Education	Year 11	TAG	**See Notes Section
Entry Level Award in Life & Living Skills	Year 14 + Leavers	TAG	**See Notes Section

### Pearson

Qualification	Year Group *	How the Qualification is Awarded	Additional Information
Functional Skills Entry Level Award in ICT	Year 10 & 11	External Moderation Graded	On Demand Assessments To Continue as normal *****See Note Section

### The Princes Trust Award

Qualification	Year Group *	How the Qualification is Awarded	Additional Information
Entry Level – Level 1 Award in Personal Development and Employability	Year 14	External Moderation Graded	Ofqual – B2 Category ***See Note Section



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### TLM – The Learning Machine

Qualification	Year Group *	How the Qualification is Awarded	Additional Information
Entry Level – Level 2 Award in IT User Skills in Open Systems & Enterprise	Year 11 & 14	External Moderation Graded	Ofqual – B2 Category ***See Note Section

### WJEC / Eduqas

Qualification	Year Group *	How the Qualification is Awarded	Additional Information
Entry Level Award / Certificate / Diploma Pathways Humanities	Year 11 & 14	TAG Available	*****See Note Section

Notes:

\*Not all students in the year groups specified are entered for these qualifications; entries are dependent on form classes.

\*\*A TAG is a teacher assessed grade. This grade has been determined by the school and is **the grade a student is currently working at** and not what a student could have achieved if exams had of gone ahead as normal. Ofqual has set guidelines for educational settings to adhere to when determining a student's grade and can be awarded on a range of evidence from the start of the course.

\*\*\*Ofqual have categorised these qualifications as B2 Category Qualifications, these are not like a GCSE/A-Level qualification and will not be awarded a Teacher Assessed Grade (TAG). Teaching & Learning and evidence & portfolio building is to continue as normal either in the classroom or through remote learning (Blended Learning). External moderation of samples of work and final award grades will be awarded and determined by the board as normal, as long as it is safe to do so. Some qualifications have been awarded reduced assessments & adaptations. Where it is not safe to continue teaching and learning and only under exceptional circumstances will a TAG be awarded (strict criteria applies and does not include loss of teaching & learning time during the pandemic as outlined by Ofqual & JCQ)

\*\*\*\*The Functional Skills assessments are expected to continue as they are offered on-demand and centres should plan for learners to take live assessments wherever possible. However, in recognition of some specific challenges in relation to this, in some circumstances, Awarding Organisations will be permitted to offer alternative arrangements.

\*\*\*\*\*Due to the flexible nature of Entry Pathways qualifications, many centres have been able to adapt their delivery and assessment approaches and have continued to deliver and assess these qualifications in full. Where a learner has not been able to complete one or more units in full due to disruption caused by the Covid-19 pandemic, they are still able to be awarded the qualification in Summer 2021. To be eligible for an award of the qualification, a learner must have been studying the qualification and have been expecting to complete the units between the period 1 September 2020 and 31 August 2021.