

Key Dates Calendar

Summer and November 2025
January and Summer 2026

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Summer term 2025

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Summer term 2026

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July 2025

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
31	AS and A-level	Entries	Last date to amend or withdraw entries for June 2025 exams in series 6A25

August 2025

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
07	GCSE	Entries	Last date to amend or withdraw entries for June 2025 exams in series 6G25
13	AS and A-level	Results and Certification	Results for June 2025 available to schools/colleges via Centre Services and EDI for exams officers and heads of centre
			June 2025 mark schemes and Reports on the Examination for series 6A25 published via Centre Services only
	Other	Results and Certification	Results for June 2025 Applied Generals, AQA Certificate (Level 3), Functional Skills and Level 3 Extended Project available to schools/colleges via centre services and EDI for exams officers and heads of centre from 00:01 am
14	AS and A-level	Results and Certification	Results for June 2025 released to students from 08:00 am
			Receive written feedback for June 2025 internally-assessed work
		Exam Time	Special consideration re-opens for late requests
	Other	Results and Certification	Results for June 2025 Applied Generals, AQA Certificate (Level 3), Functional Skills and Level 3 Extended Project released to students from 08:00 am
20	GCSE	Results and Certification	Results for June 2025 available to schools/colleges via Centre Services and EDI for exams officers and heads of centre from 00:01 am
			June 2025 mark schemes and Reports on the Examination for series 6G25 published via Centre Services only
	Other	Results and Certification	Results for June 2025 AQA Certificate (Level 1 & Level 2), Entry Level Certificate, FCSE, and Level 1 Foundation and Level 2 Higher Projects available via Centre Services and EDI for exams officers and heads of centre from 00:01 am
21	GCSE	Results and Certification	Results for June 2025 released to students from 08:00 am
		Exam Time	Special consideration re-opens for late requests
	Other	Results and Certification	Receive written feedback for June 2025 internally-assessed work for AQA Certificate (Level 1, Level 2), Entry Level Certificate, Technical Award, Level 1 Foundation and Level 2 Higher Projects
			Results for June 2025 AQA Certificate (Level 1, Level 2), Entry Level Certificate, FCSE, Level 1 Foundation and Level 2 Higher Projects released to students from 08:00 am
	AS and A-level	Post-Results Services	Last date to request Priority Service 2 Review of Results for June 2025
28	AS and A-level	Post-Results Services	Last date to request priority copies of scripts to decide on a review of results for June 2025

September 2025

Important tasks for the month

Qualification	Category	Task
All	Exam Preparation	Check for possible timetable clashes for November 2025 series

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
01	GCSE	Entries	November 2025 series basedata released on or before this date
02	GCSE	Entries	Entries for the November 2025 series can be submitted from this date
04	GCSE	Post-Results Services	Last date to request priority copies of scripts to decide on a review of results for June 2025
05	All	Entries	January 2026 basedata released on or before this date
06	All	Entries	Entries for the January 2026 series can be submitted from this date
20	GCSE	Access Arrangements	Last date to request modified papers for November 2025 series
25	All	Post-Results Services	Last date for June 2025 Review of Results
		Exam Time	Last date to submit late special consideration requests for June 2025

October 2025

Important tasks for the month

Qualification	Category	Task
All	Exam Preparation	Receive and check in question papers and stationery for November 2025
		Receive attendance records and blank address labels stationery for November 2025 series

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
01	GCSE and other	Non-Exam Assessment	Last date to submit form JCQ/CCA (centre consortium arrangements) for November 2025 series internally-assessed work
04	All	Access Arrangements	Last date to request modified papers for January 2026
	GCSE	Exam Preparation	Last date to request transferred candidate arrangements for November 2025 series
	GCSE and other	Entries	Closing date for November 2025 series entries - GCSE English Language, GCSE Mathematics and Level 3 Extended Project entries
05	GCSE and other	Entries	Entries submitted on and after this date for November 2025 series will be charged a 'late entry fee' - GCSE English Language, GCSE Mathematics and Level 3 Extended Project entries
10	All	Entries	Last date to submit summer estimated entries (covers March 2026 and June 2026) for a small number of subjects
20	A-level	Exam Preparation	Last date to send question approval forms to the NEA adviser for June 2026 History 7042/C
21	All	Access Arrangements	Last date to process applications for access arrangements for January 2026
		Entries	Closing date for January 2026 entries
22	All	Entries	Entries submitted on and after this date for January 2026 will be charged a 'late entry fee'
25	GCSE and other	Entries	Last date to apply for an entry fee refund for a student withdrawn from November 2025 series exams
26	GCSE and other	Entries	November 2025 series entries submitted on or after this date are classified as very late and will be charged a very late entry fee, and you will be charged to make any amendments
30	All	Non-Exam Assessment	Last date to submit form JCQ/CCA (centre consortium arrangements) for January 2026 internally-assessed work
31	All	Post-Results Services	Last date to request return copies of scripts to support teaching and learning - Access to Scripts service June 2025

November 2025

Important tasks for the month

Qualification	Category	Task
All	Exam Preparation	Check for possible timetable clashes for January 2026

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
01	GCSE	Access Arrangements	Last date to process applications for access arrangements for November 2025 series
04	GCSE and other	Exam Time	First date to submit special consideration requests for November 2025 series
			Date of first November 2025 series exam
05	GCSE and other	Exam Time	Last date for AQA to receive internally-assessed grades for GCSE English Spoken Language Endorsement for November 2025 series
08	All	Results and Certification	Date by which June 2025 certificates will be issued
10	GCSE and other	Exam Time	Date of final November 2025 series exam - GCSE English Language, GCSE Mathematics
14	All	Non-Exam Assessment	Internally assessed marks and grades can be submitted via Centre Marks Submission on Centre Services for the January 2026 series from this date
21	All	Entries	June 2026 basedata released on or before this date
22	All	Entries	Entries for the June 2026 series can be submitted from this date
25	GCSE	Entries	Last date to request a partial refund of fees on medical grounds for November 2025 series

December 2025

Important tasks for the month

Qualification	Category	Task
All	Exam Preparation	Receive and check in stationery for January 2026
		Receive and check in question papers for January 2026
		Receive attendance records and blank address labels stationery for January 2026
GCSE	Exam Preparation	Receive and check in preliminary materials with January issue dates for June 2026
AS and A-level	Exam Preparation	Receive and check in preliminary materials with February issue dates for June 2026

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
02	All	Exam Preparation	Last date to request transferred candidate arrangements for January 2026
05	GCSE	Exam Time	Last date to submit special consideration requests for November 2025 series - GCSE English Language, GCSE Mathematics
15	All	Entries	Last date to apply for an entry fee refund for a student withdrawn from January 2026 exams
16	All	Entries	January 2026 entries submitted on or after this date are classified as very late and will be charged a very late entry fee, and you will be charged to make any amendments
23	GCSE and other	Entries	Last date to amend or withdraw entries for November 2025 series - GCSE English Language, GCSE Mathematics and Level 3 Extended Project

January 2026

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
06	All	Exam Time	Date of first January 2026 exam
			First date to submit special consideration requests for January 2026
07	GCSE and other	Results and Certification	November 2025 series mark schemes and Reports on the Examination published via Centre Services
			Results for November 2025 series available to schools/colleges via Centre Services and EDI for exams officers and heads of centre from 00:01 am - GCSE English Language, GCSE Mathematics, Level 3 Extended Project
08	GCSE and other	Results and Certification	Receive written feedback for November 2025 series internally-assessed work
			Results for November 2025 series released to students from 08:00 am - GCSE English Language, GCSE Mathematics and Level 3 Extended Project
		Post-Results Services	Earliest date for exam scripts to support teaching and learning to be returned to schools/colleges for November 2025 series
		Exam Time	Special consideration re-opens for November 2025 late requests
10	All	Exam Time	Last date for AQA and the moderator to receive internally-assessed marks/grades for January 2026
14	All	Exam Time	Date of final January 2026 exam
22	GCSE and other	Post-Results Services	Last date for requesting copies of scripts to support reviews of marking - Access to Scripts Service - GCSE English Language, GCSE Mathematicss and Level 3 Extended Project
25	Other	Non-Exam Assessment	Last date for the examiner to receive work for January 2026 Entrepreneurial Opportunities (ABS3)
28	All	Entries	Last date to request a partial refund of fees on medical grounds for January 2026
29	All	Exam Time	Last date to submit special consideration requests for January 2026
31	All	Access Arrangements	Last date to request modified papers for June 2026
		Non-Exam Assessment	Last date to submit form JCQ/CCA (centre consortium arrangements) for June 2026 internally-assessed work

February 2026

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
12	GCSE and other	Post-Results Services	Last date for November 2025 series Review of Results - GCSE English Language, GCSE Mathematics and Level 3 Extended Project
			Last date to request return of exam scripts to support teaching and learning - Access to Scripts service November 2025 series - GCSE English Language, GCSE Mathematics and Level 3 Extended Project
	All	Exam Time	Last date to submit late special consideration requests for November 2025
		Entries	Last date to amend or withdraw entries for January 2026
21	All	Entries	Closing date for June 2026 entries
22	All	Entries	Entries submitted on or after this date for June 2026 will be charged a 'late entry fee'
25	All	Results and Certification	January 2026 mark schemes and Reports on the Examination published via Centre Services
			Results for January 2026 exams available to schools/colleges via Centre Services and EDI for exams officers and heads of centre
26	All	Results and Certification	Receive written feedback for January 2026 internally-assessed work
			Results for January 2026 Applied General, ELC from 08:00 am
		Exam Time	Special consideration re-opens for January 2026 late requests
		Post-Results Services	Earliest date for exam scripts to support teaching and learning to be returned to schools/colleges for January 2026
28	All	Results and Certification	Date by which November 2025 series certificates will be issued

March 2026

Important tasks for the month

Qualification	Category	Task
All	Exam Preparation	Receive and check in MFL speaking tests materials with April and May issue dates for June 2026
		Check for possible timetable clashes for June 2026
GCSE	Exam Preparation	Receive and check in preliminary materials with March issue dates for June 2026 (late January/ February)

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
05	Other	Post-Results Services	Last date to request priority copies of scripts to decide on a review of results for January 2026
19	All	Post-Results Services	Last date for exam scripts to support teaching and learning to arrive in schools/colleges - Access to Scripts service November 2025 series
21	All	Exam Preparation	Last date to request transferred candidate arrangements for June 2026
		Access Arrangements	Last date to process applications for access arrangements for June 2026

April 2026

Important tasks for the month

Qualification	Category	Task
All	Exam Preparation	Receive and check in stationery for June 2026
		Blank address labels stationery for June 2026
		Receive and check in June 2026 question papers with dates between 08 May and 13 May 2026

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
01	A-level and other	Exam Time	First date to submit special consideration requests for June 2026
	GCSE and other	Exam Time	First date to submit special consideration requests for June 2026
02	All	Post-Results Services	Last date for January 2026 Review of Results
			Last date to request return of exam scripts to support teaching and learning - Access to Scripts service January 2026
		Exam Time	Last date to submit late special consideration requests for January 2026
21	All	Entries	Last date to apply for an entry fee refund for a student withdrawn from June 2026 exams
22	All	Entries	June 2026 entries submitted on or after this date are classified as very late and will be charged a very late entry fee, and you will be charged to make any amendments

May 2026

Important tasks for the month

Qualification	Category	Task
All	Exam Preparation	Receive and check in June 2026 question papers with dates between 14 May and 20 May 2026
		Receive and check in June 2026 question papers with dates between 21 May and 03 June 2026
		Receive and check in June 2026 question papers with dates between 04 June and 09 June 2026

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
07	GCSE	Exam Time	Last date for AQA to receive internally-assessed grades for GCSE English Spoken Language Endorsement
			Date of first June 2026 exam
		Non-Exam Assessment	Last date for AQA and the moderator to receive internally-assessed marks for June 2026, except for Art and Design
	All	Post-Results Services	Last date for exam scripts to support teaching and learning to arrive in schools/colleges - Access to Scripts service January 2026
11	AS and A-level	Exam Time	Date of first June 2026 exam
15	GCSE	Non-Exam Assessment	Last date to conduct all GCSE MFL speaking tests
	Other	Non-Exam Assessment	Last date for AQA and the moderator to receive internally-assessed marks/grades for June 2026 Applied Generals, Extended Project Qualification
			Last date for AQA and the moderator to receive internally-assessed marks/grades for June 2026 Entry Level Certificate, FCSE and L1 & L2 Projects
	AS and A-level	Non-Exam Assessment	Last date for AQA and the moderator to receive internally-assessed marks for June 2026, except for Art and Design
			Last date to send externally-assessed NEA to the examiner for June 2026 Music
	A-level	Exam Time	Last date for AQA to receive internally-assessed grades for A-level Science Practical Skills Endorsement (Biology, Chemistry, Physics)
	AS and A-level	Non-Exam Assessment	Last date to conduct all AS and A-level MFL speaking tests
22	All	Results and Certification	Date by which January 2026 certificates will be issued
31	AS and A-level	Non-Exam Assessment	Last date for AQA and the moderator to receive internally-assessed marks for June 2026 Art and Design
	GCSE	Non-Exam Assessment	Last date for AQA and the moderator to receive internally-assessed marks for June 2026 Art and Design

June 2026

Important tasks for the month

Qualification	Category	Task
All	Exam Preparation	Receive and check in June 2026 question papers with dates between 10 June and 13 June 2026
		Receive and check in June 2026 question papers with dates between 16 June and 20 June 2026

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
17	GCSE	Exam Time	Date of final June 2026 exam
	AS and A-level	Exam Time	Date of final June 2026 exam
24	All	Exam Time	Contingency day for GCSE and/or GCE Examinations should sustained national or significant local disruption arise during the June 2026 examination series

July 2026

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
01	GCSE	Entries	Last date to request a partial refund of fees on medical grounds for June 2026 exams in series 6G26
	AS and A-level	Entries	Last date to request a partial refund of fees on medical grounds for June 2026 exams in series 6A26
24	All	Exam Time	Last date to submit special consideration requests for June 2026
30	AS and A-level	Entries	Last date to amend or withdraw entries for June 2026 exams in series 6A26

August 2026

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
06	GCSE	Entries	Last date to amend or withdraw entries for June 2026 exams in series 6G26
12	AS and A-level	Results and Certification	Results for June 2026 available to schools/colleges via Centre Services and EDI for exams officers and heads of centre from 00:01 am
	Other	Results and Certification	June 2026 mark schemes and Reports on the Examination for series 6A26 published via Centre Services only
13	AS and A-level	Results and Certification	Results for June 2026 released to students from 08:00 am
			Receive written feedback for June 2026 internally-assessed work
	Other	Exam Time	Special consideration re-opens for late requests
19	GCSE	Results and Certification	Results for June 2026 available to schools/colleges via Centre Services and EDI for exams officers and heads of centre
	Other	Results and Certification	June 2026 mark schemes and Reports on the Examination for series 6G26 published via Centre Services only
20	GCSE	Results and Certification	Results for June 2026 released to students from 08:00 am
		Exam Time	Special consideration re-opens for late requests
	Other	Results and Certification	Receive written feedback for June 2026 internally-assessed work for AQA Certificate (Level 1, Level 2), Entry Level Certificate, Level 1 Foundation and Level 2 Higher Projects
			Results for June 2026 AQA Certificate (Level 1, Level 2), Entry Level Certificate, FCSE, Level 1 Foundation and Level 2 Higher Projects released to students from 08:00 am
	AS and A-level	Post-Results Services	Last date to request Priority Service 2 Review of Results for June 2026
27	AS and A-level	Post-Results Services	Last date to request priority copies of scripts to decide on a review of results for June 2026

September 2026

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
03	GCSE	Post-Results Services	Last date to request priority copies of scripts to decide on a review of results for June 2026
24	All	Post-Results Services	Last date for June 2026 Review of Results
		Exam Time	Last date to submit late special consideration requests for June 2026

October 2026

Key dates

Day	Qualification	Category	Information
30	All	Post-Results Services	Last date to request return copies of scripts to support teaching and learning - Access to Scripts service June 2026

Key Dates Calendar version control 2025/26

AS, A-level, GCSE, ELC, FCSE, L1 & L2 Projects

This is a list of changes made to the 2025/26 Key Dates Calendar since the issue of the confirmed version that was published on the [Dates and timetables](#) page of our website in June 2025.

Date	Current version	Changes
15 July 2026	1.3	Last date to request return copies of scripts to support teaching and learning - Access to Scripts service June 2026 amended to 30 Oct 2026
10 March 2026	1.2	Qualification updated for 'First date to submit special consideration requests for June 2026' from 'AS and A-level' to 'A-level and other'
10 March 2026	1.2	Row added to 01 Apr for GCSE 'First date to submit special consideration requests for June 2026'
10 March 2026	1.2	References to Applied Generals and AQA L3 Certificate removed from all instances as included in VTQ Key Dates Calendar
19 November 2025	1.1	Updated to amend final submission dates for internally assessed marks/grades in May 2026 (07 May for all GCSE except Art & Design, 15 May for AS/A-level, ELC, FCSE & Projects, 31 May for AS/A-level & GCSE Art & Design)
19 November 2025	1.1	Updated to delete time of results available to schools/colleges via Centre Services (available from 00.01am on the Wednesday, time not specified in the document)

19 November 2025	1.1	Updated to add issue times of results released to students (from 08:00am on the Thursday)
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