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# **Revision List Year 8**

## **Assessment 2**

# **Top 10 tips to support your child with revision**

- **Being a role model** - Help support them with revision by asking them questions, reading their notes and listening to them
- **Help them set goals** - Encourage them to keep their goals planner visible – e.g. printed and displayed on their bedroom wall. Help focus them and talk to them about their goals regularly
- **Keep them active** - Encourage them to keep active on a daily basis
- **Healthy eating** - Encourage them to eat breakfast everyday Eating the right food and drink can energise your system, improve alertness and sustain your child through the long exams
- **Time out** - Encourage them to build in opportunities to take some time out every week, away from study
- **Sleep patterns** - Young people need between 8 – 9 hours sleep per night
- **Unplugging** - Encourage them to unplug from technology everyday. Help them switch off from technology at least 30 mins- 1 hr before going to sleep
- **Staying cool & calm** - Promote a balance of their academic studies & other activities during the week
- **Belief** - Give them positive reinforcement
- **Be supportive**

# English

## Type of assessment

Y8 will complete a skills based assessment consisting of 25 questions that will then be multiplied by 4 to give them their percentage.

Additionally, the students will complete a speech.

## Length of assessment

One lesson

- Prepare for the Spoken Language assessment
- To evaluate non-fiction devices in an unseen speech
- To make use of the most appropriate synonyms to shape meaning.
- To use punctuation appropriately.
- To use punctuation for an effect.
- To identify language devices.
- To make sophisticated inferences from a chosen text.
- To write up the first draft of the Spoken Language speech ready for assessment.

# Maths

## Type of assessment

50 Mark Recall Assessment, including vocab, fundamental topics and content from the full year

## Length of assessment

One lesson

- I can confidently apply the four operations including with decimals
- I can plot single and double inequalities on a number line
- I can confidently work with negative numbers
- I can multiply and divide by powers of 10
- I can order/ convert integers, fractions, percentages and decimals
- I understand and can find LCMs and HCFs by listing
- I can perform prime factor decomposition
- I understand and can find LCMs and HCFs using a venn diagram
- I can divide an amount into a given ratio, given entire quantity or partial amounts
- I can relate a ratio to a proportion as a fraction and solve problems
- I can solve unitary and best-value problems
- I can use multipliers to find percentage of amounts
- I can find percentage increases and decrease
- I can apply all four operations to fractions and solve problems
- I can calculate expected outcomes
- I can compare relative frequencies with theoretical probability
- I can list outcomes and use appropriate sample spaces
- I can construct frequency tables, two-way tables and frequency trees

- I can find mode, median and mean from a list of numbers and know the advantages and disadvantages of them
- I can find the mean, median and mode from a frequency table (not grouped)
- I can construct and interpret pie charts, stem and leaf and scatter graphs
- I can simplify expressions involving sums, products, powers (including using basic index laws)
- I can expand single brackets
- I can factorise into single brackets
- I can expand double brackets
- I can substitute numerical values into formulae and expressions
- I can solve two step and multiple step equations
- I can write an expression for the  $n$ th term of a sequence
- I can plot and draw linear graphs
- I can find the area and perimeter of compound shapes
- I can understand key circle terms and calculate the circumference and area of a circle
- I can use the formula for volume of a cuboid, cylinder and triangular prism
- I can understand and use vertically opposite, alternate, corresponding and co-interior angles on parallel lines

# Science

## Type of assessment

45 mark recall assessment and a 20 mark application assessment made up of a mixture of 1 to 6 mark questions. The assessments contain sections on Biology, Chemistry, Physics and some questions about skills in science.

## Length of assessment

Over two lessons - 40 minutes and 20 minutes

- Identify variation in organisms from images
- Define variation
- Identify inherited traits through images
- Define fertilisation
- Define a recessive allele
- Complete punnett squares to predict offspring characteristics
- State probability based on punnett squares in terms of a percentage
- Identify acidic, alkaline and neutral values of pH
- Identify colours and pHs using universal indicator results
- Explain why acids are dangerous
- Identify elements, groups and periods on the periodic table
- State how the modern periodic table is arranged
- Describe the structure of an atom
- Identify magnetic materials
- Label forces on diagrams showing objects accelerating as they fall
- Describe the effect of increasing speed on air resistance
- Identify the directions of different forces

- Identify balanced and unbalanced forces
- Describe energy transfers
- Identify factors affecting stopping distance
- Label the male and female reproductive system
- Describe the menstrual cycle
- Use the reactivity series to predict if reactions will happen
- Identify combustion, precipitation, displacement and thermal decomposition reactions
- Identify contact and non-contact forces

# History

## Type of assessment

50 Question recall test and a skills assessments

## Length of assessment

50 minutes

- Diversity in Britain / war
- Windrush
- 1958 Riots
- Political Responses
- Sports and civil rights
- USA -background to racism
- Little Rock 9
- Case Study - Emmet Till
- Transport
- Campaigners
- Causes of crime - religion
- Causes of crime - power / authority
- Causes of crime - poverty / wealth
- Causes of crime - industrialisation
- Causes of crime - social attitudes
- Causes of crime - technology



# Geography

## Type of assessment

50 mark recall test and one extended writing question

## Length of assessment

50 minutes

- What is the development?
- Development indicators
- Ghana poverty / development
- Fairtrade
- Ocean ecosystems
- Oceans and climate change
- Plymouth Marine National Park
- Seagrass
- Overfishing
- Plastic oceans
- Coral Reefs
- Urbanisation
- Megacities
- Migration (Push/pull factors)
- India - Rural to Urban migration
- Dharavi
- Improving quality of life in slums
- Siberia characteristics
- Siberia animal adaptations
- Glaciation
- Glacial landforms

# French

## **Type of assessment**

Listening / Reading / Speaking / Writing tasks

## **Length of assessment**

Two lessons

- Half-term 3: What music I like listening to and why
- Half-term 4: Using the past tense to describe a music event I have been to
- Half-term 5: What school subjects I study and what I will study in the future + opinions

# Spanish

## **Type of assessment**

Listening / Reading / Speaking / Writing tasks

## **Length of assessment**

Two lessons

- Half-term 3: What music I like listening to and why
- Half-term 4: Using the past tense to describe a music event I have been to
- Half-term 5: What school subjects I study and what I will study in the future + opinions

# Art

## **Type of assessment**

Multiple choice questions and practical task in lesson, plus marking of practical work.

## **Length of assessment**

20 minutes + 20 minutes

- Colour theory
- Methods of recording
- Mark making techniques
- Ceramic techniques

# PE

## **Type of assessment**

Practical test

## **Length of assessment**

One lesson

# Computing

## Type of assessment

Multiple choice knowledge recall (approx 50 questions)

Application of knowledge assessment that required a written response which students can use their knowledge organiser(s) to support with.

## Length of assessment

One lesson

- I can understand that a computer system is a device that is used to execute computer programs.
- I can recognise that a computer program is a set of instructions that can be performed by a computer system.
- I can understand that computer programs which are written in a programming language like Scratch or Python must be translated into machine code (binary) so that a computer can execute them.
- I can understand that all computer systems can input, process and output data.
- I can describe the roles of the processor (CPU), memory and storage in a computing system.
- I can describe an operating system as a set of computer programs that controls the operation of a computing system.
- I can understand the features of Operating Systems and the difference between Graphical User Interface (GUI) and Command-Line Interfaces (CLI)
- I can describe the 3 main logical operations carried out by a computing system: AND, OR and NOT.
- I can discuss a range of ethical, cultural, environmental and legal issues associated with the use of computer technologies.

- I can describe the difference between open-source and proprietary software licenses.
- Understand the features of Operating Systems and the difference between Graphical User Interface (GUI) and Command-Line Interfaces (CLI)
- Decomposing a problem and using event-driven programming
- Understanding the importance of success criteria  
The use of debugging to test programs and identify errors in code
- Describe syntax errors and logic errors.
- Subroutines in programming
- Variables in programming
- Selection in programming, including the use of comparison operators (>, <=, ==, etc)

# **Drama**

## **Type of assessment**

A recall quiz and practical tasks in lessons.

## **Length of assessment**

One lesson

- I can rehearse with others
- I can share my own ideas
- I can stay in-role
- I project my voice in performance
- I use facial expressions
- I use body language
- I can create an engaging character
- I can effectively use stage space
- I can narrate
- I can develop dialogue for my character
- I can use hot-seating
- I can identify strengths and how to improve a performance
- I can perform from script
- I can plan my use of stage space
- I can alter my tone of voice
- I can evaluate the work of others



# Modern Britain

## Type of assessment

50 recall questions/LSQ type and extended writing task on Christianity as a religion in modern Britain.

## Length of assessment

One lesson

- I can identify the different types of worship
- I can understand the importance of prayer
- I can understand the importance of sacraments
- I can understand the importance of festivals to Christians
- I can investigate the growth of the church
- I can recall the nature of God
- I can understand the Trinity
- I can recall the different creation stories
- I can investigate the role of incarnation
- I can understand the crucifixion
- I can understand the role of the resurrection for Christians
- I can understand the role of the ascension for Christians

# Music

## Type of assessment

50 Recall questions/LSQ and a listening assessment

## Length of assessment

One lesson

- I can name three Scandinavian composers
- I can name some rock performers and identify the instruments used in this genre
- I can recall where the djembe came from and some facts about what the drum is made up from
- I can recall some information about the classical pieces Peter and the Wolf and the music for the ballet Romeo and Juliet
- I can recall some information about the musical West Side Story
- I can name parts of a drum kit
- I know what the terms dynamic and tempo mean
- I can name an instrument from each musical family
- I can identify instruments from each musical family
- I can use my listening skills to identify instruments by ear
- I can apply my listening skills to identify tempo
- I can apply my listening skills to identify Dynamics

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