



# Mathematics



Students are following the **Edexcel** GCSE (9-1) Mathematics course.

- 100% Examination
- No coursework
- 1½ hour Non Calculator paper (80 marks)
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## Examinations:

June 2019

Tier of entry: Higher (grades 4-9)  
Foundation (grades 1-5)

There have been many changes to the content in each Tier. Higher now contains a number of topics that were previously A-Level and Foundation now has a number of topics that were previously only Higher.

There is a greater emphasis on problem solving and mathematical reasoning.

More formulae will need to be remembered.

In short, the exam is now much more challenging for students. The result of this is that more students are likely to be entered for Foundation than in previous years.

## Support

Resources available to help your child:

- MathsWatch - <https://www.mathswatchvle.com>
- Method Maths - [www.methodmaths.co.uk](http://www.methodmaths.co.uk)
- PiXL Maths App – <https://mathsapp.pixl.org.uk/>
- Revision guide and workbooks available from the library.
- Past paper booklets will be available as we get nearer to the exams in Year 11