



A Level ICT (GCE Applied)

What will I do in this course?

As you should be aware A Level's are changing and will become a two year course from September 2015. We do not know what the new A Level will look like in ICT, however if it continues to follow the same structure as it currently does you can expect to have a mixture of both examinations and coursework which will all be submitted in the summer of 2017!!!

AS Units

AS Level	<u>Unit 1</u> Communicating with ICT	<u>Unit 2</u> ICT within Organisations	<u>Unit 3</u> ICT within Society
What's It About?	You will complete 6 tasks for a record company including a website and a presentation on communication methods. In addition, you will evaluate a range of business documents to help in the design of your own documents.	You will receive a pre-release case study prior to the exam based on a business scenario. You will complete 3 tasks in controlled conditions before completing a written examination in May.	You will investigate, research and analyse information based on a 6 th form holiday. You will use the Internet for extensive research, write a communication report use Excel to create a holiday booking system and search an Access database in this unit.
How's It Assessed?	Coursework 30% AS	Exam 40% AS	Coursework 30% AS

A2 Units

A2 Level	<u>Unit 9</u> Working to a Brief	<u>Unit 11</u> Multimedia Products	<u>Unit 12</u> Publishing
What's It About?	You will be given a project brief and will use project management skills to provide a solution to the brief.	You will use Mediator software to create an interactive multimedia product for a set task.	You will produce a 10 page magazine in Publisher promoting the Sixth Form.
How's It Assessed?	Coursework 33.3%	Coursework 33.3%	Coursework 33.3%

Progression onto the A Level ICT (GCE Applied) will require at least 5 GCSEs, or equivalent, at grade C or above and you must achieve a C at GCSE ICT or GCSE Computer Science, and a C in both Mathematics & English Language. Please talk to the Head of Department Miss Anthony if you are interested in this subject.