

Maths - Core

Course overview

Core Maths will be suitable for students who are taking A-Levels in non-maths subjects. Core Maths will prepare you for professional training or higher education courses, or equip you to apply for employment or higher apprenticeships in a wide range of industry sectors. The course will focus on applying mathematical knowledge to practical situations. Please note this is a 1 year course.

Exam / Coursework

This course will be assessed through two 1 hour 30 minute examinations that will take place at the end of the year. Paper 1 covers financial mathematics and analysis of data, Paper 2 focusses on statistical techniques.

Qualification gained

AQA Certificate Level 3 Mathematical Studies

AQA - www.aqa.org.uk

Entry requirements

A minimum of a grade 5 Maths GCSE from the higher tier of entry.

Career opportunities

Core Maths is likely to be particularly valuable for students progressing to higher education courses with a distinct mathematical or statistical element such as psychology, geography, business and management or for any student aiming for a career in a professional, creative or technical field.