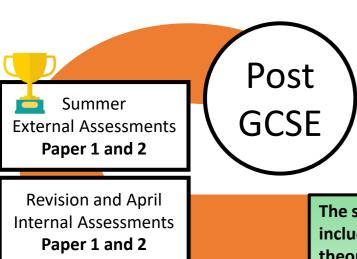
KS4 GCSE Sociology Learning Journey



Want to change your society? Get to know it! Sociology is a systematic approach to thinking about, studying, and understanding society, human social behaviour and social groups.



Post GCSE Options:

Study A Level Sociology at OBA. University courses in Sociology can lead to a range of careers such as Journalism, the Legal Profession, Social Work, Teaching, Nursing, Marketing, Public Relations, Social Research, Civil Service, Market Research, the Police and even Politics.

The sociology of social stratification, including relevant areas of social theory and methodology
What are the different social groups in society? Why are people categorised? What factors affect life chances? Why do some people experience poverty whilst others people have power and authority?

Autumn Term
Internal Assessments
Paper 1 and 2

The sociology of crime and deviance, including relevant areas of social theory and methodology



Why do people commit crime? Why are certain social groups more likely to commit a crime? What are the different types of crime? How can we control crime?



Careers information delivered Class talks with a Sociologist Role-play being a Sociologist

Summer
Internal Assessments
Paper 1

Social theory and Research

This is taught throughout the

course by linking the methods

and theory to the topics!

Methodology:

Y11

The sociology of education, including relevant areas of social theory and methodology



What is the role and function of education? Why are there achievement differences in different social groups? What factors can affect achievement in and outside of school?

Autumn Term
Internal Assessment
Paper 1

The Sociology of families, including relevant areas of social theory and methodology

What is the role of the family? How has family life changed over time?



Y10

AQA GCSE Sociology (8192) content to be delivered:

Paper 1: The sociology of families and education 50% of GCSE 1 hour 45 mins exam
Paper 2: The sociology of crime and deviance and social stratification 50% of GCSE 1 hour 45 mins exam
Skills Assessed: Knowledge & Understanding, Application, Analysis & Evaluation

Prior transferable skills:

English Language (essay writing) and Maths (data analysis).

Extra support:
Enrichments; Student
shared area; Tutor2U.

"You can never really understand an individual unless you also understand the society, historical time period in which they live, personal troubles, and social issues." (Wright Mills)

