

Support for determining grades in summer 2021

Key support links and documents in one, easy-to-navigate place

	UK general qualifications support			
	Key Documents	Overview	Link	Who it is for?
26 March	JCQ Guidance Document	The key reference document to refer to as you work to determine grades this summer. Contains many of the key links and documents you will require.	JCQ Guidance Document	Heads of Centre, Heads of Department, Teachers – UK qualifications.
26 March	JCQ Centre Policy	The JCQ centre policy document that can be used for UK qualifications.	JCQ Centre Policy	Heads of Centre, Heads of Department, Teachers – UK qualifications.
26 March	Assessment Record Sheet	The JCQ document to record cohort and student evidence used for determining grades in summer 2021.	Downloadable document from the JCQ website	Heads of Centre, Heads of Department, Teachers.
26 March	Head of Department Checklist	The JCQ document for Heads of Department that can be used to support the quality assurance process.	Downloadable document from the JCQ website	Heads of Centre, Heads of Department, Teachers.
26 March	Grade Descriptors	The JCQ grade descriptors developed to support grading for GCSE and AS/A levels in summer 2021.	GCSEs AS/A levels	Heads of Centre, Heads of Department, Teachers.
31 March	Additional Assessment Materials (sets of questions, mark schemes and mapping)	Organised assessment materials by topics or themes that have previously been unpublished and held behind a secure password. Released for TEACHERS ONLY.	Available under 'Summer 2021 Assessment Materials for centres' for GCSEs Available under 'Summer 2021 Assessment Materials for centres' for AS/A levels	Heads of Department, Teachers.
31 March	Checklists and support for Grading, Quality Assurance, Additional Assessment Materials	A collection of general resources to support you with some of the key processes that will be used to determine grades in summer 2021. These are not subject specific.	Professional Development Academy	Heads of Centre, Heads of Department, Teachers.
12 April	Marking guidance and attainment data	Marking exemplification examples that show how marks may be applied to real life examples. Could be used to support grading.	Available under 'Exemplar Materials' for <u>GCSEs</u> Available under 'Exemplar Materials' for <u>AS/A levels</u> <u>Attainment data</u>	Heads of Department, Teachers.
19 April	Grading exemplification and additional assessment materials made publicly available	Grading exemplification that show real life examples of students meeting criteria for certain grades. Could be used to support grading and quality assurance. The sets of organised questions are made publicly available. Mark schemes will not be released.	Available under 'Summer 2021 Assessment Materials for centres' for GCSEs Available under 'Summer 2021 Assessment Materials for centres' for AS/A levels	Heads of Department, Teachers.
19 April	Further general support for Grading, Quality Assurance, Additional Assessment Materials	A further release of general support videos to support you with some of the key processes that will be use to determine grades in summer 2021. These are not subject specific.	Professional Development Academy	Heads of Department, Teachers.
May	Support for Appeals	A collection of resources to support the Appeals process for summer 2021	Coming soon	Heads of Centre, Heads of Department, Teachers.