



Mocks Service

GCSE Maths onscreen: Technology requirements and user guidance

We're delighted to be working in partnership with Blutick and we'll be using their mathematics learning platform to deliver our **GCSE Mathematics mock exams** to your students onscreen during the spring and summer term 2021.

Technology requirements

A desktop or laptop computer, using the latest version of Chrome, Firefox or Safari.

User guidance for teachers and students

Please click on the Blutick web links below for guidance.

[How to Complete a Pearson Edexcel mock exam on Blutick](#)

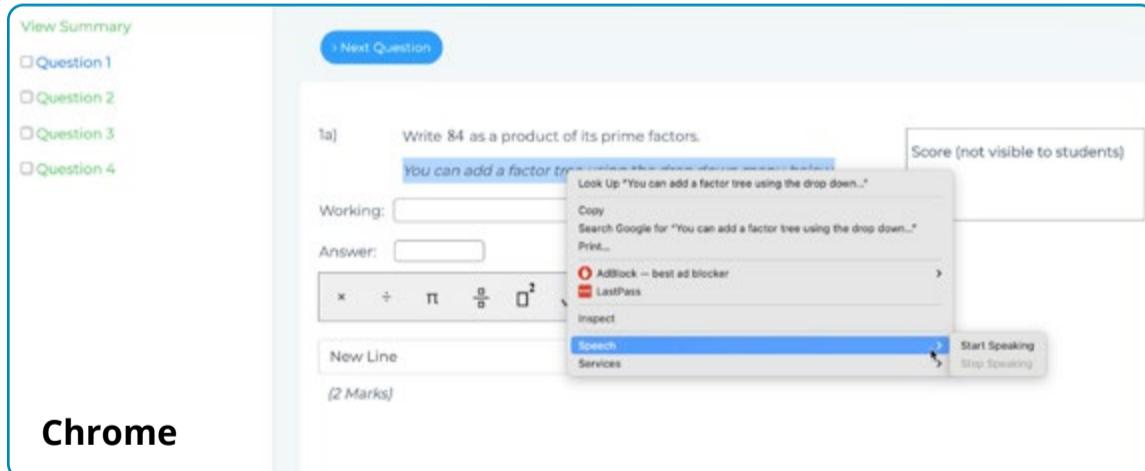
Accessibility

The accessibility features include zoom functionality, and the option to change font size and background/foreground colour

Onscreen text reader

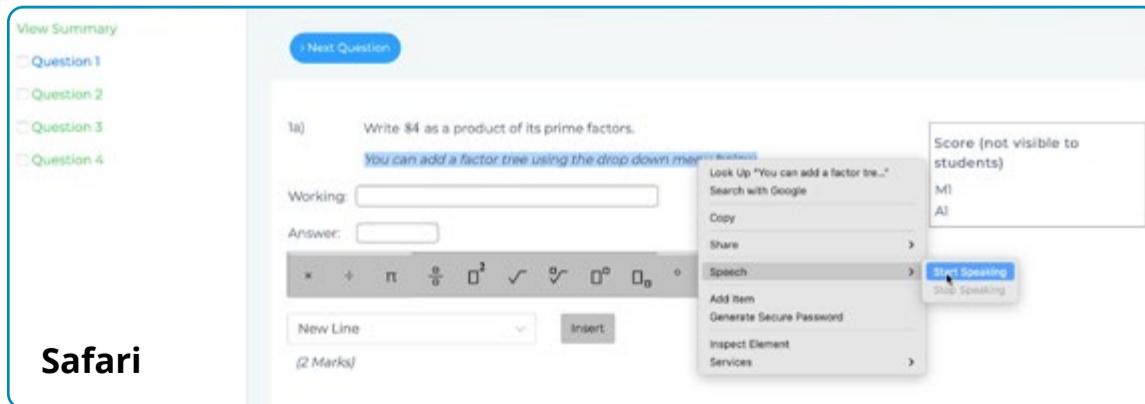
To activate the onscreen text reader, highlight the relevant text, right click, and following the instructions below for Chrome or Safari browsers (this feature is not available in Firefox).

Nb. This functionality only works on text, not mathematical expressions.



The screenshot shows a Blutick exam interface in Chrome. A question asks for the prime factors of 84. A context menu is open over the text 'You can add a factor tree using the drop down menu'. The 'Speech' option is highlighted. Other options in the menu include 'Copy', 'Search Google for "You can add a factor tree using the drop down menu"', 'Print...', 'AdBlock -- best ad blocker', 'LastPass', 'Inspect', and 'Services'.

Chrome



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Safari