

The latest news on GCSE and GCE A level reform

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Keeping you informed

We wanted to let you know that brand new draft GCSE and A level specifications and Sample Assessment Materials are now available to download from our website for the majority of subjects being reformed for first teaching from September 2015. Please note that draft specifications have not yet been approved by Ofqual and may be subject to some change.

We have also developed a GCSE [English](#) and [Maths](#) 'specification at a glance' web area, to ensure that we are supporting you in getting the most out of the new specifications. More detail about these topics can be found below.

GCSE reform

Earlier this month, we sent you a letter to inform you that brand new draft GCSE specifications and Sample Assessment Materials for first teaching from September 2015 are now available to download from our website for:

- [Edexcel GCSE English Language](#)
- [Edexcel GCSE Literature](#)
- [Edexcel GCSE Mathematics](#)

To further support you to understand the changes to these qualifications, we have developed a 'Specification at a glance' web area for GCSE [English](#) and [Maths](#). Here you can access the draft specs, SAMs, an infographic explaining the new Edexcel

specification, videos and much more!

- [Access the Edexcel GCSE English 'specification at a glance' web area here](#)
- [Access the Edexcel GCSE Maths 'specification at a glance' web area here](#)

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GCE A level reform

Brand new draft A level specifications and Sample Assessment Materials for first teaching from September 2015 are now available to download from our website for the following subjects:

- [Edexcel A level Art and Design](#)
- [Edexcel A level Business](#)
- [Edexcel A level Economics](#)
- [Edexcel A level Economics and Business](#)
- [Edexcel A level English Language](#)
- [Edexcel A level English Language and Literature](#)
- [Edexcel A level English Literature](#)
- [Edexcel A level History](#)

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Free online GCSE and A Level launch events

Over the summer, we are running a series of free online launch events for UK and International schools that offer GCSE and A level qualifications.

How to book

- [Download the list of GCSE and A level reform 2015 events](#)
- Email 'Training for Pearson' (internationaltfp@pearson.com) to let them know which event you would like to book onto, providing the following details:
 - Contact name
 - Contact number
 - Centre name
 - Email address
 - Telephone number
 - Event code and date
- Alternatively you can [book online](#)

In autumn 2014, we will deliver a programme of free launch



events specifically for International Schools and will publish event details here once confirmed.

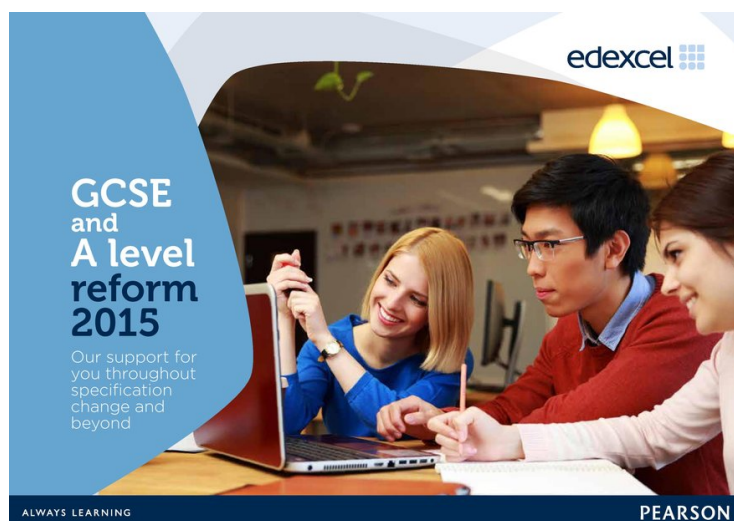


[Book online](#)

GCSE and A level reform brochure

We have developed a GCSE and A level reform brochure for International Schools offering these qualifications. The brochure:

- explains what is changing at GCSE and A level from 2015 onwards
- provides a GCSE and A level reform timeline
- signposts customers to information that is designed to help them understand and implement the reforms
- explains the support services and resources we have available to help customers with reform



[Download the online brochure here](#)

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