Timeline of AS and A level reforms



AUTUMN 2014



Specifications available to schools before first teaching of new AS and A levels in September 2015

- biology
- chemistry
- physics
- English language
- English literature
- English language and literature
- art and design
- business
- computer science
- economics
- history
- sociology
- psychology.

SEPTEMBER 2015



First teaching of new AS and A levels in:

- biology
- chemistry
- physics
- English language
- English literature
- English language and literature
- art and design
- business
- computer science
- economics
- history
- sociology
- psychology.

AUTUMN 2015

Specifications available to schools before first teaching of new AS and A levels in September 2016

- modern foreign languages (French, German and Spanish)
- ancient languages (classical Greek and Latin)
- geography

SUMMER 2016

September 2015.

- religious studies
- drama and theatre
- dance
- music
- physical education.

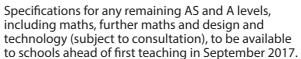
SEPTEMBER 2016



First teaching of new AS and A levels in:

- modern foreign languages (French, German and
- ancient languages (classical Greek and Latin)
- geography
- religious studies
- drama and theatre
- dance
- music
- physical education.

AUTUMN 2016



SEPTEMBER 2017



First teaching of remaining new AS and A levels, including maths, further maths and design and technology.

ACADEMIC YEAR 2014/2015

ACADEMIC YEAR 2015/2016

Last exams for current A2 and AS levels in the

subjects reformed for first teaching in September 2015. First exams in new AS levels taught from





ACADEMIC YEAR 2016/2017

- biology
- chemistry
- physics
- English language
- English literature
- English language and literature
- art and design
- business
- computer science
- economics
- history
- sociology
- psychology.

Last exams for current A2 and AS levels in the subjects introduced for first teaching in September

First exams in new AS levels taught from September 2016.

SUMMER 2018



First exams in reformed A levels in:

ACADEMIC YEAR 2017/2018

- modern foreign languages (French, German and Spanish)
- ancient languages (classical Greek and Latin)
- geography
- religious studies
- drama and theatre
- dance
- music
- physical education.