

Year 11 Media Studies GCSE

Exam Board: EDUQAS

Structure of the course:

Component 1: Exploring the media – Written examination: 1 hour 30 Minutes – 40%

Component 2: Understanding Media Forms and Products – Written examination: 1 hour 30 minutes- 30%

Component 3: Creating Media Products- Non-exam assessment – 30% (coursework)

What we covered in Year 10?

Term 1: Understanding the Key concepts of Media Language

Term 2: Newspapers and Exam Technique

Term 3: Magazine Analysis and Exam Technique

Term 4: Print Advertisement

Term 5: Film Promotion

Term 6: Film Promotion continued and NEA Planning

What will we cover in Year 11?

Term 1 – Radio (The Archers) and exam technique. NEA Planning, Statement of Aims and Creation of Product.

Term 2 – Crime Drama and Exam Technique. NEA - Creation of Product. Mock Exams

Term 3 – Music Videos and Exam Technique. Revisit Coursework – Final improvements and submission.

Term 4 – Exam Technique and revision of all set products.

Term 5 – Exam Preparation and Exams

Homework – set every week – this will be a blend of media exam technique and set product analysis as well as NEA preparation work.

Useful Text Books / Websites

WJEC/Eduqas GCSE Media Studies: Revision Guide

Publisher: Illuminate Publishing (2019)

ISBN: 9781911208891

Cost: £13.50

WJEC/Eduqas GCSE Media Studies Textbook

Publisher: Illuminate Publishing (16 Dec 2022)

ISBN: 9781911208488

Cost: £27.00 Physical, or Kindle Version is £15.99

Useful Media Studies websites:

www.eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/media-studies/gcse/

[BBC Bitesize into to media studies](#)

[Mrs Fisher videos on You Tube](#)

www.bbfc.co.uk

<http://www.mediaknowall.com/gcse/gcse.php>



Examination Paper Content

Component 1 – Newspapers (The Sun & The Guardian), Print Advertising and Marketing (Quality Street & TGC), Magazines (GQ & Pride), Radio (The Archers), Video Games (The Archers) and Film Industries (Bond – Golden Gun & No Time to Die).

Component 2 – Crime Drama, Music Videos & Online Media.