

What is covered in our assessments?

English

Year 7 End of Year Assessment

2024-25 Topic Summary

1. **Reading, Comprehension and Inference**
Explicit information and ideas; Implicit information and ideas; Inferences
2. **Critical and Analytical Reading (Narrative Fiction)**
Explicit and implicit characterisation; Narrative voice; Structural elements of a linear narrative; Theme and ideas across a text
3. **Academic Writing**
Text as a construct; Terminology and vocabulary; Topic sentences; Use of evidence
4. **Creative Writing (Narrative fiction)**
Use explicit and implicit characterisation; Create a setting; Sustain narrative voice
5. **Creative Writing (Writing across all forms)**
Use expanded noun phrases; Choose precise and effective vocabulary
6. **Accuracy**
Spelling; Punctuation; Grammar

Maths

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Number

1. Basic Numeracy
2. Numerical Skills
3. Order of operations
4. Primes, Factors and Multiples
5. Addition and Subtraction
6. Multiplication and Division
7. Fraction Manipulation
8. Adding and Subtracting Fractions
9. Comparing and Ordering Fractions
10. Fractions of amounts

Algebra

1. Introduction to Algebra
2. Expanding and Factorising 1

Geometry and Measure

1. Perimeter
2. Area of triangles and quadrilaterals
3. Polygons
4. Angles
5. Coordinates

Statistics

1. Mean

Science

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Biology

1. Cells and Life

Life processes of organisms; Cells, tissues, organs and organ systems; Features of plant and animal cells; Needs of organisms; Unicellular organisms; Gas exchange system in humans; Digestive system in humans;

Chemistry

1. Particles

Particle model of matter; State changes; Gas pressure; Elements, compounds and mixtures; Representing atom rearrangement

2. Substances

Pure substances and mixtures; Solutions; Separating mixtures

3. Chemical Reactions

Chemical change; Reactants and products; Categorising reactions

Physics

1. Motion and Forces

Describing forces and their effects; Modelling forces; Resultant force and its effects; Describing friction; Energy stores; Energy transfers; Energy analysis

Working Scientifically

Scientific attitudes and ways of thinking; Enquiry; Analytical and evaluative approaches; Applications of Science and its implications; Protocols for Measurement

History

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1. **Empires East and West around 1000 CE**
Chinese Dynasties; Byzantine Empire; Islamic Empire; Holy Roman Empire
2. **Norman Conquest and Control**
Pre-1066; Succession Crisis; 1066 and The Conquest; Norman power and control post-1066; Changes under the Normans
3. **Medieval Religion**
Hierarchy of the Church and methods of worship; Influence of the Church; Crusades
4. **Challenges to Medieval Monarchs**
Religious challenge (Henry II); Dynastic challenge (Eleanor of Aquitaine); Political challenge (King John and Magna Carta); Challenge from the People (Black Death and Peasants' Revolt)
5. **Medieval England and Her Neighbours**
Wales; Scotland; France
6. **Procedural Knowledge**
Chronology; Historical Evidence; Interpretations

Geography

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1. **Locational knowledge**
Global; UK; Local
2. **Named places and case studies**
The UK; Russia; Africa; Asia
3. **Physical Earth**
Geology; Hydrology; Other Natural Resources
4. **Ecosystems and Biomes**
Introduction to biomes
5. **Global Climate and Climate Change**
Global climate; the natural greenhouse effect; the enhanced greenhouse effect; climate change
6. **Economy and Development**
Development; Employment and industries; Introduction to trade
7. **Geographical Skills**
Maps at different scales; Map and Diagram Skills; Applying mathematics

Religious Studies

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Judaism

1. **Origins of the Faith**

Abraham's covenant with God; Abraham's sacrifice; Moses in Egypt; Moses's covenant with God; Golden Calf and Leviticus; Female leaders

2. **Religious Authority**

Written sources

3. **Key Beliefs**

Nature of God; Creation; Morality and living a good life; Afterlife

4. **Practices**

Prayer and acts of worship; Rituals and festivals

5. **Diversity of Beliefs and Practices**

Different interpretations; Faith across the world

Christianity

1. **Origins of the Faith**

Roots in Judaism; Jesus's Life; Development of the Christian Church

2. **Religious Authority**

Written sources

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United Curriculum Mathematics

KS3 End of Year Assessment 2024-25 Topic Summary

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Geometry and Measure

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Statistics

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This topic summary provides an overview of the substantive knowledge that will be assessed on the Year 7 End of Year Assessment.

Year 8

Number

1. Powers and Roots
2. Prime Factorisation
3. Rounding
4. Fractions, decimals and percentages
5. Percentage calculations

Algebra

6. Solving equations 1

Geometry and Measure

7. Time
8. Angles in Parallel Lines
9. Circumference
10. Area of circles

Ratio, Proportion and Rates of Change

11. Direct Proportion
12. Ratio 1

Statistics

13. Statistics 1 (presenting and interpreting data)
14. Averages and Spread

All Year 7 content is also assessable in Year 8.

This topic summary provides an overview of the substantive knowledge that will be assessed on the Year 9 End of Year Assessment.

Year 9

Number

1. Decimal Manipulation
2. Estimation and Limits of accuracy
3. Related Calculations
4. HCF & LCM of large numbers
5. Fraction Calculations
6. Standard Form

Algebra

7. Algebraic Manipulation
8. Index Laws
9. Expanding & Factorising 2
10. Forming expressions & substitution
11. Solving equations 2
12. Inequalities 1
13. Sequences

Geometry and Measure

14. 3-D visualisation
15. Volume
16. Pythagoras
17. Interior and Exterior Angles
18. Vectors 1
19. Transformations 1

Ratio, Proportion and Rates of Change

20. Direct and Inverse Proportion

Probability

21. Probability 1

All Year 7 and 8 content is also assessable in Year 9.

This topic summary provides an overview of the substantive knowledge that will be assessed on the Year 9 End of Year Assessment.

For full details of assessed content see the Specification (available at unitedcurriculum.org.uk/assessment).

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United Curriculum French and Spanish

Year 10 End of Year Assessment 2024-25 Topic Summary

Thematic Contexts

1. Lifestyle and wellbeing

Sport; Free time; Healthy lifestyle; Food and drink; Mental and physical wellbeing

2. Media and technology

TV and films; Music; Technology

3. My personal world

Family; Friends; Relationships; Free time with friends; Personal plans

4. Studying and my future

School; Future opportunities (work)

Grammar

All grammar listed in the Pearson Edexcel (2024) Specification.

Assessment

Assessments are designed in line with the Pearson Edexcel (2024) Specification. Foundation and Higher Tier assessments in all four skills are available:

1. Speaking

2. Listening and understanding (including dictation)

3. Reading and understanding (including translation)

4. Writing

This topic summary provides an overview of the substantive knowledge that will be assessed on the Year 10 End of Year Assessment.

For full details of assessed content see the Pearson Edexcel (2024) Specifications. The thematic contexts of *My neighbourhood* and *Travel and tourism* are not assessed on the Year 10 End of Year Assessment.

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