

GCSE Externally Marked and Centre Visits – dates and deadlines. June 2027 series

Code	Subject	Date	Information	Deadline
3440U30-1	Applied Science: Single Award Unit 3 Foundation (WALES)	2 November – 18 December	Task based Assessment Centres must make preliminary entries to receive the appropriate question papers. Requests for any modified papers must be made as soon as possible. Instructions for teachers / Exams Officers received in centres for immediate opening in September. The instructions must be stored securely by the Exams Officer when not in use and a log kept. It must not be stored in the science department when not in use. The assessments must be completed in the second half of the term (2 November – 18 December). The assessments must be supervised at all times by a member of staff responsible for teaching GCSE Science. Each assessment will need to be completed over a number of lessons. After each lesson the assessments must be immediately returned to the Exams Officer for secure storage.	15 January – Despatch to WJEC Treforest
3440UC0-1	Applied Science: Single Award Unit 3 Higher (WALES)			
3445U40-1	Applied Science: Double Award Unit 4 Foundation (WALES)			
3445UD0-1	Applied Science: Double Award Unit 4 Higher (WALES)			
3440U40-1	Applied Science: Single Award Unit 4 (WALES)	4 January – 8 February	Practical Assessment Centres must make preliminary entries to receive the appropriate question papers. Requests for any modified papers must be made as soon as possible. Instructions for teachers / Exams Officers received in centres for immediate opening in September. Setting-up instructions may be opened from 4 January to allow teachers to have a trial run. Both documents must be stored securely by the Exams Officer when not in use and a log kept. They must not be stored in the science department when not in use. The tasks must be completed in the first half of the spring term (4 January – 8 February). The tasks must be supervised at all times by a member of staff responsible for teaching GCSE Science. Each task will have a Section A and Section B. After completion of each section the tasks must be immediately returned to the Exams Officer for secure storage.	26 February – Despatch to WJEC Treforest
3445U50-1	Applied Science: Double Award Unit 5 (WALES)			
3400U30-1	Biology Unit 3 (WALES)			
3410U30-1	Chemistry Unit 3 (WALES)			
3420U30-1	Physics Unit 3 (WALES)			
3430U70-1	Science: Double Award Unit 7 (WALES)			

3610U10-1	Art & Design: Art, Craft and Design (Portfolio) (NEW WALES)	1 June – 2 July	Duration to be determined by the centre taking into account the 31 May deadline for electronic submission of internal marks to WJEC via the secure website. This component is internally assessed and externally moderated. Moderation window 1 June – 2 July. Externally moderated by centre visit. Dates for moderation visit organised by the moderator before the end of April in the year of assessment.	31 May
3611U10-1	Art & Design: Fine Art (Portfolio) (NEW WALES)			
3612U10-1	Art & Design: Textile Design (Portfolio) (NEW WALES)			
3613U10-1	Art & Design: Graphic Communication (Portfolio) (NEW WALES)			
3614U10-1	Art & Design: Three-Dimensional Design (Portfolio) (NEW WALES)			
3615U10-1	Art & Design: Photography (Portfolio) (NEW WALES)			
3610U20-1	Art & Design: Art, Craft and Design (Externally Set Assignment) (NEW WALES)	1 June – 2 July	Centres must make Preliminary entries by 10 October to receive the appropriate Assignment papers and resources in advance of the 2 January release date. Exams Officers will be able to download a digital version of the Externally Set Assignment paper from 1 December. Copies of the Assignment papers and resources must not be released to teachers and candidates until or after 2 January. Start and finish dates for the Preparatory Period and the final timed supervised 10-hour period of Sustained Focus Work are to be determined by the centre taking into account the May 31 deadline for electronic submission of internal marks to WJEC via the secure website. This component is externally set, internally assessed and externally moderated. Moderation window 1 June – 2 July.	31 May
3611U20-1	Art & Design: Fine Art (Externally Set Assignment) (NEW WALES)			
3612U20-1	Art & Design: Textile Design (Externally Set Assignment) (NEW WALES)			
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3614U20-1	Art & Design: Three-Dimensional Design (Externally Set Assignment) (NEW WALES)			
3615U20-1	Art & Design: Photography (Externally Set Assignment) (NEW WALES)			

C650U10-1	Art & Design: Art, Craft and Design (Portfolio) (EDUQAS)	1 June – 2 July	Duration to be determined by the centre taking into account the 31 May deadline for electronic submission of internal marks to WJEC via the secure website. This component is internally assessed and externally moderated. Moderation window 31 May – 2 July. Externally moderated by centre visit. Dates for moderation visit organised by the moderator before the end of April in the year of assessment.	31 May
C651U10-1	Art & Design: Fine Art (Portfolio) (EDUQAS)			
C652U10-1	Art & Design: Critical & Contextual Studies (Portfolio) (EDUQAS)			
C653U10-1	Art & Design: Textile Design (Portfolio) (EDUQAS)			
C654U10-1	Art & Design: Graphic Communication (Portfolio) (EDUQAS)			
C655U10-1	Art & Design: Three-Dimensional Design (Portfolio) (EDUQAS)			
C656U10-1	Art & Design: Photography (Portfolio) (EDUQAS)			
C650U20-1	Art & Design: Art, Craft & Design (Externally Set Assignment) (EDUQAS)	1 June – 2 July	Centres must make Preliminary entries by 10 October to receive the appropriate Assignment papers and resources in advance of the 2 January release date. Exams Officers will be able to download a digital version of the Externally Set Assignment paper from 7.30am on the 2 January, which can be made available to teachers and candidates to download onto their own devices. Hard copies of the Assignment papers and resources must not be released to teachers and candidates until or after 2 January. Start and finish dates for the Preparatory Period and the final timed supervised 10-hour period of Sustained Focus Work are to be determined by the centre taking into account the May 31 deadline for electronic submission of internal marks to WJEC via the secure website. This component is externally set, internally assessed and externally moderated. Moderation window 1 June – 2 July.	31 May
C651U20-1	Art & Design: Fine Art (Externally Set Assignment) (EDUQAS)			
C652U20-1	Art & Design: Critical & Contextual Studies (Externally Set Assignment) (EDUQAS)			
C653U20-1	Art & Design: Textile Design (Externally Set Assignment) (EDUQAS)			
C654U20-1	Art & Design: Graphic Communication (Externally Set Assignment) (EDUQAS)			
C655U20-1	Art & Design: Three-Dimensional Design (Externally Set Assignment) (EDUQAS)			
C656U20-1	Art & Design: Photography (Externally Set Assignment) (EDUQAS)			

3160U20-1	Business Unit 2 (NEW WALES)		The externally marked NEA task is released on Portal on the 1 September, and all learner work must be uploaded by the 5 May deadline.	5 May
3601U20-1	Design & Technology Unit 2: Engineering Design (WALES)	10 May – 14 May	Dates and times of the visit will be sent to centres via email to the examinations officer All marks to be submitted electronically by 5 May	5 May
3602U20-1	Design & Technology Unit 2: Fashion & Textiles (WALES)			
3603U20-1	Design & Technology Unit 2: Product Design (WALES)			
C600U20-1	Design & Technology Component 2 (EDUQAS)			
3620U20-1	Drama Unit 2 (NEW WALES)	18 January – 30 April	The performance is externally assessed by a visiting examiner. A recording of all performances should be submitted to the WJEC within 2 weeks of the final performance date.	
C690U20- 1	Drama Component 2	18 January – 30 April	The performance is externally assessed by a visiting examiner. A recording of all performances should be submitted to the WJEC within 2 weeks of the final performance date.	
3830U10-1	French Unit 1 (NEW WALES)	1 April – 14 May	Upload work within 2 working days	
3850U10-1	German Unit 1 (NEW WALES)			
3840U10-1	Spanish Unit 1 (NEW WALES)			
3830U20-1	French Unit 2 (NEW WALES)	1 March – 23 April	Upload work within 2 working days	
3850U20-1	German Unit 2 (NEW WALES)			
3840U20-1	Spanish Unit 2 (NEW WALES)			

3140U20-1	Geography Unit 2 (NEW WALES)		The NEA, if completed for the 2027 year of entry topics only , must be sent to WJEC via IAMIS no later than 5 February 2027.	5 February
3130UD0-1 – 3130UJ0-1	History Unit 2 (NEW WALES)	7 January – 31 March	The items (sources and interpretations) for the enquiry will be released during the first week of June for assessment in the following academic year and will change annually. Centres have the flexibility to decide when, in the period between 7 January and 31 March, learners undertake the assignment on Surpass.	31 March
3550U20-1	Physical Education Unit 2 (WALES)	March-May	Externally moderated by centre visit. Dates for moderation visit organised by the moderator before the end of December .	5 May
3555U20-1	Physical Education (Short Course) Unit 2 (WALES)		Internally Assessed Coursework mark sheets to be submitted to moderator with all elements of coursework complete by first Friday in March at the latest. Mark sheets to be sent to the moderator. For early moderations mark sheets need to be with the moderator two weeks prior to moderation.	
C550U20-1	Physical Education Component 2 (EDUQAS)		All marks need to be entered by 5 May .	
C555U20-1	Physical Education (Short Course) Component 2 (EDUQAS)		All marks and audio-visual recording of the moderation visit/sample must be uploaded within 2 weeks of moderation. The completion of moderation is 5 May .	
3170U20-1	Social Studies Unit 2 (NEW WALES)		The externally marked NEA task is released on Portal on the 1 September , and all learner work must be uploaded by the 5 May deadline.	5 May