

YOUR STEP- BY-STEP GUIDE TO SWITCHING TO EDUQAS

GCSE MATHEMATICS



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WHY CHOOSE US?

- Only two examination papers for ease of delivery and administration
- Unlimited use of free digital resources
- One-year scheme of work for resit candidates
- Fresh approach and new resources benefit re-sit candidates
- Free video tutorials and worksheets
- Revision materials (Higher and Foundation)

SUMMARY OF ASSESSMENT

Learners entered for this qualification must sit both components at either foundation or higher tier in the same examination series.

Component 1: Non-calculator Mathematics

Written examination: **2 hours 15 minutes (120 marks)** | **50% of qualification**

The written paper for each tier will comprise a number of short and longer, both structured and unstructured questions which may be set on any part of the subject content of the specification.

A significant number of questions will assess learners' understanding of more than one topic from the subject content.

A calculator will **not** be allowed in this examination.

Component 2: Calculator-allowed Mathematics

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“The two-paper structure is a real plus for our pupils!”

TEACHER OF MATHEMATICS, SUFFOLK

MAKE THE SWITCH TO A BOARD THAT WILL SUPPORT YOU

If you're unhappy with the support you're receiving from your current exam board, and would like to work with a team which understands you and your students' needs, switching to Eduqas could be the best move you make.

You'll gain access to an unbeatable range of free teaching resources, and our team of subject specialists are on hand to give you all the help and advice you need.

Whether you're with AQA, OCR or Pearson (Edexcel), you can rest assured that switching to Eduqas is straightforward. Simply follow this guide, compare our specifications, and make the switch!

MAKING THE SWITCH

Switching to Eduqas is simple, just follow these quick and easy steps:

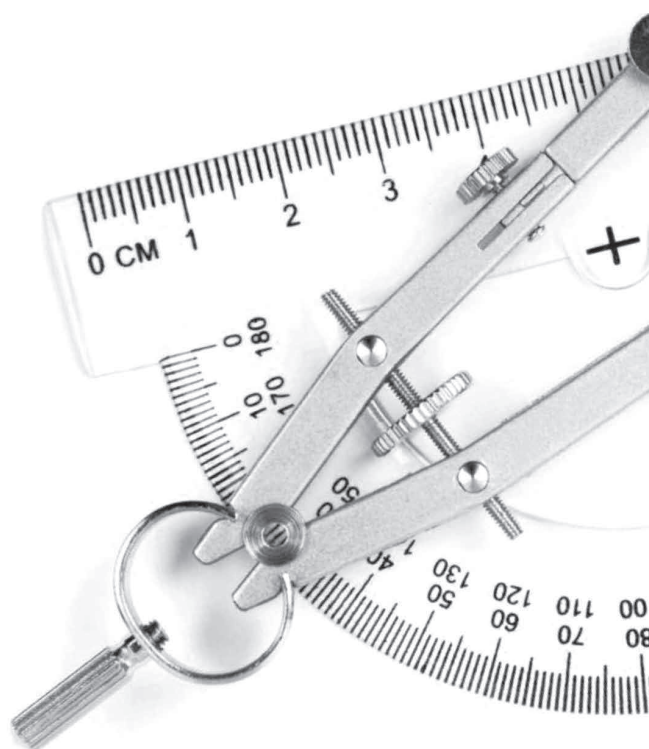
1. Follow our switcher guide for your subject.
2. Register your interest at www.eduqas.co.uk/switch and receive a printed copy of your chosen specification(s).
3. Visit your qualification page at www.eduqas.co.uk/qualification, to access the materials you need to begin teaching our specifications.
4. Visit our Digital Resources Website (resources.eduqas.co.uk), for free resources that can be used as classroom aids and as revision tools.
5. Contact our subject specialists for subject specific queries, practical advice and guidance.
6. Your Exams Officer will need to register your centre, if your centre is not already registered with us.
7. Once registered, your Exams Officer will be able to provide you with access to our Secure Website (www.wjecs-services.co.uk), which hosts a wealth of resources that are not available elsewhere.

WE'RE HERE TO SUPPORT YOU

If you have a question, simply contact our mathematics team who will offer friendly advice and guidance:



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HELPING YOU MAKE THE SWITCH

SWITCHING TO EDUQAS IS EASY

The skills assessed and the nature of the content the assessment is based on are similar across all exam boards' specifications. This makes switching to Eduqas GCSE Mathematics straightforward. Work you have already done, or materials you already have, will still be relevant, as the skills will be the same. The major difference is our unique two-paper structure, which differentiates us from all other awarding organisations.

FREE TAILORED MATHEMATICS DIGITAL RESOURCES

We've created a wealth of free digital resources to support our qualifications. They have been developed to enhance learning, stimulate classroom discussion, and encourage student engagement. Digital resources include revision 'takeaway menus' for each domain area at both tiers, video tutorials and worksheets to support the teaching of new topics. Access our resources today at

resources.eduqas.co.uk

TEACHER HANDBOOK

This guide helps teachers to develop stimulating and exciting courses tailored to the needs and skills of their students.

It contains detailed clarification and guidance on the subject content for both foundation and higher tiers. There is also a section on assessment objectives and how the different elements of these may be assessed in examination papers.

Question Bank

Create your own topic or tier based papers, for use in the classroom, as homework or for tests. Each question is directly linked to the mark scheme and examiner's comments.

www.wjec.co.uk/question-bank

Online Exam Review

Use our interactive Online Exam Review to review and discuss candidates' responses from previous series and then view examiners' comments and marks.

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'Spotlight on' Resources

These resources focus on topics that candidates find challenging. Topics include Vector Arithmetic, Proportional Change and Circle Equations. Each topic has a linked PowerPoint presentation, question booklet and model answer/teacher guidance.

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THE SUPPORT YOU NEED

REGIONAL SUPPORT

Our Regional Support Team are on hand to offer free support in the delivery of our qualifications. They can also give you face-to-face advice on our range of qualifications, online resources, CPD and curriculum developments. To book a visit or to find out more, please visit www.eduqas.co.uk/RegionalSupportTeam



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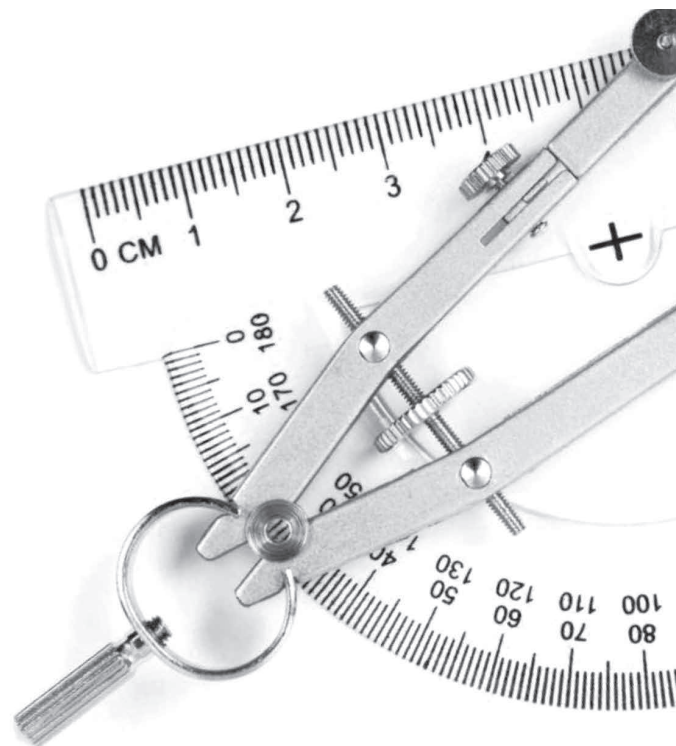
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TEACHERS WHO HAVE MADE THE SWITCH

“The mathematics subject specialists at Eduqas are always approachable and accessible. Nothing is too much trouble.”

TEACHER OF MATHEMATICS, OXFORD



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