

Course Information Sheet

GCSE Maths

FL02E43A



Venue To Be Confirmed	Start Date	19 Sept 2024 18:00
	End Date	22 May 2025 21:00
	Fee	£0
	Materials	£0

[OCSW FL02E43A GCSE Maths \(oncoursesouthwest.co.uk\)](http://oncoursesouthwest.co.uk)

Maths GCSE qualification is a great way to show competency in maths, a skill highly sought after by employers and universities.

Course Description:

Achieving a GCSE in maths will open doors to a range of careers, significantly boost your confidence when dealing with numbers in everyday life. This course provides a solid foundation for further maths qualifications and future studies.

To pass this course learners will need to sit three examinations which are scheduled to be sat in May and June 2025. The tutor will share the exam dates as soon as they are published. There is no flexibility with exam dates and learners will need to plan to be able to attend.

What will I learn?

The course covers a broad spectrum of mathematical concepts, including:

- Number (fractions, decimals, percentages, etc.)
- Algebra (equations, functions, etc.)
- Ratio, proportion and rates of change
- Geometry and measures (areas, volumes, shapes, etc.)
- Probability (chance and likelihood)
- Statistics (data analysis and interpretation)

How will I be assessed?

GCSE Maths exams are held in May/June and are not flexible. You'll take three tiered papers (Foundation or Higher) based on your ability:

- Paper 1 (Non-calculator, 1.5 hours)
- Paper 2 (Calculator, 1.5 hours)
- Paper 3 (Calculator, 1.5 hours)

Each paper contributes 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ % to your final grade and assesses a mix of question styles, from short answer to multi-step problems.

Throughout the course learners will take part in practice exam questions, scheduled mock exams and activities to develop their maths skills. Learners will work with their tutor to meet individual learning aims and track their progress towards achieving their target GCSE grade.

Who is this course for?

This course is ideal for anyone looking to improve their maths skills and gain a GCSE qualification. A basic grasp of English (Level 1-2) is recommended.

Target Audience:

Anyone committed to enhancing their maths abilities and taking the exams to achieve a GCSE qualification.

Progression Opportunities:

A GCSE in Maths opens doors to various further education pathways, including A-Levels in Maths, Statistics, or related subjects. Numerous universities offer maths-related degrees, and many vocational courses highly value a maths qualification.

Career and Job Enhancement Pathways:

A GCSE in Maths is required for many job applications. A GCSE in Maths can be a stepping stone to various careers, including:

- Engineering
- Accounting & Finance
- Science & Research
- Data Analysis

How do I enrol?

To apply for this course online at www.oucoursesouthwest.co.uk and simply click on the 'How to Enrol' button and complete the Enrolment Form and one of our customer service team will be in touch or call to speak to one of our friendly Learning Advisors on 01752 660713. You will be invited to undertake an initial assessment to ascertain your levels of English and maths prior to entry on this course of study.

How will the course be delivered?

This is a practical course, and the sessions will include tutor-led demonstrations, learner-led group activities, instruction and repetition. These will form part of the delivery together with one-to-one support as required.

Will I need to practise outside the classroom?

To gain a good grade at GCSE you will need to complete work outside of the classroom. It is recommended that you set aside 2 to 3 hours a week to practise the skills learnt in the class. You will be expected to complete homework. You will also be encouraged to review your notes between lessons to ensure maximum benefit from your course.

How will I know I'm making progress?

During the first session, your tutor will discuss your goals and current level in relation to the course. Based on this assessment, you will agree individual targets which you will record in your individual learning plan (ILP). You and your tutor will review your targets regularly to ensure that you are making progress; these will be written in your individual learning plan. You will also complete practice questions and mock exams, which will be marked in line with GCSE marking criteria.

What will I need?

Please bring a notepad, and pen to each session. You may wish to bring a file for any handouts. A laptop with internet access is required for completion of coursework and home learning outside of the classroom.

Please note:

Most courses attract a subsidy from the Education and Skills Funding Agency (ESFA). It is a requirement of the ESFA that you complete various forms at different stages of your course, further information is available on request. Courses are subject to a minimum number of enrolments and could be cancelled if recruitment is low. In some cases, an alternative class at a different location may be offered.

Terms and conditions are available at

<https://www.onsouthwest.co.uk/learner-information/essential-information-for-every-learner>

Room numbers are subject to change - please check when you arrive at the venue.

