GCSE Exam Timetable 2026 (with Durations)

Date	Morning	Afternoon
Mon 20 April	Chinese Speaking	
Tue 21 April	Photography (All day)	Photography (All day)
Wed 22 April	Photography (All day)	Photography (all day) + Gujarati Speaking
Thu 23 April	Polish & Russian Speaking	
Fri 24 April	Fine Art (All day)	Fine Art (All day)
Tue 28 April	Fine Art (All day)	Fine Art (All day)
29 Apr – 1 May	Spanish Speaking	Spanish Speaking
Languages speaking exams will be provided to pupils by their teacher or Ms Slack		
Thu 7 May		Citizenship 1 (1h 45m)
Fri 8 May	Sociology 1 (1h 45m)	Drama (1h 45m)
Mon 11 May	English Literature 1 (1h 45m)	Business Studies 1 (1h 45m) + Chinese Listening (45m)
Tue 12 May	RE 1 (1h 45m)	(Biology 1) Separate 1h 45m Science Comb Higher / Foundation 1h 15m)
Wed 13 May	Geography 1 (1h 30m)	Computer Science 1 (2h)
Thu 14 May	Maths 1 (1h 30m)	Citizenship 2 (1h 45m)
Fri 15 May	History 1 (2h)	Sociology 2 (1h 45m)
Mon 18 May	(Chemistry 1) Separate 1h 45m Science Comb Higher / Foundation 1h 15m)	Chinese Writing (1h 15m)
Tue 19 May	English Literature 2 (2h 15m)	Computer Science 2 (2h)
Wed 20 May		RE 2 (1h 45m)
Thu 21 May	English Language 1 (1h 45m)	Business Studies 2 (1h 45m)
Fri 22 May	PE 1 (1h 15m)	
Mon 1 June	PE 2 (1h 15m)	Gujarati Listening (45m) & Reading (1h 55m)
Tue 2 June	(Physics 1) Separate 1h 45m Science Comb Higher / Foundation 1h 15m)	Polish Listening (45m) & Reading (1hr) Russian Listening (45m) & Reading (1hr 5m)

Wed 3 June	Maths 2 (1h 30m)	Geography 2 (1h 30m) + Health & Social Care (1h 15m)
Thu 4 June	History 2 (2h)	
Fri 5 June	English Language 2 (1h 45m)	Music (1h 15m)
Mon 8 June	(Biology 2) Separate 1h 45m Science Comb Higher / Foundation 1h 15m)	
Tue 9 June	Spanish Listening (H 1h / F 45m)	Gujarati Writing (1h 25m)
Wed 10 June	Maths 3 (1h 30m)	Design Technology (2h) + Russian Writing (1h 25m)
Thu 11 June	Geography 3 (1h 30m)	Food (1h 45m)
Fri 12 June	(Chemistry 2) Separate 1h 45m Science Comb Higher / Foundation 1h 15m)	Polish Writing (1h 15m)
Mon 15 June	(Physics 2) Separate 1h 45m Science Comb Higher / Foundation 1h 15m)	
Tue 16 June	Spanish Reading (Higher 1h / Foundation 45m)	
Wed 17 June	Spanish Writing (Higher 1h 20m / Foundation 1h 15m)	

The designation of 'contingency days' within the common examination timetable is in the event of national or significant local disruption to examinations in the United Kingdom. It is part of the awarding bodies' standard contingency planning for examinations. Centre's must therefore remind candidates that they must remain available until **Wednesday 24th June 2026** should an awarding body need to invoke its contingency plan.

CONTINGENCY DAY WEDNESDAY 24TH JUNE
RESULTS DAY THURSDAY 20TH AUGUST