

GCSE (9-1)

WJEC Eduqas GCSE (9-1) in
SOCIOLOGY

RESOURCE GUIDE



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Please note: Some of the links within this document are to the Secure website. To access resources on the Secure website you will need a username and password from your Examinations Officer. There are different levels of access for the secure website, therefore if you cannot find a resource you may need additional access permissions. Your Examinations Officer is the only person who can give this to you.

Entry Codes

To make entries for Eduqas GCSE Sociology you need just the one code. The table below is also available within the [Specification](#). (Page 16)

Qualification Title	Entry Code
WJEC Eduqas GCSE Sociology	C200QS

Past Papers and Mark Schemes

Full Course

Component	2019	2020	2021	2022
Component 1: Understanding Sociological Processes	Paper	Paper	Paper	Paper
	Mark Scheme	Mark Scheme	Mark Scheme	Mark Scheme
Component 2: Understanding Social Structures	Paper	Paper	Paper	Paper
	Mark Scheme	Mark Scheme	Mark Scheme	Mark Scheme

Past papers and Mark schemes are also available on the [public website](#) by clicking on the 'Past Papers' tab

And via the [secure website](#) by hovering over the 'RESOURCES' tab and selecting 'PAST PAPERS AND MARKING SCHEMES'.

Grade Boundaries

Grade Boundaries are available on the [public website](#) for past series by clicking on the 'ADMINISTRATION' tab, then selecting 'Results' and 'Click here for all Grade Boundaries'.

Boundaries are also available at component level. These are 'notional' and intended only as a guide to aid centres with their analysis and are not official grades. Please note that notional component grade boundaries which have been derived arithmetically may not add up to the overall qualification-level boundary where component marks have been scaled to produce the qualification-level mark.

[Summer 2019 grade boundaries](#)

[Autumn 2020 grade boundaries](#)

[Summer 2022 grade boundaries](#)

Results Information

A range of information is available to centres after each examination series via the secure site – www.wjecservices.co.uk – under the 'RESULTS' tab.

This information includes **Summary of Subject Results** – providing a final mark and grade for all candidates who sat a particular paper or qualification. **Component Marks (Linear)** – listing the overall mark, grade and breakdown at component level for each candidate at each qualification. It also shows you where the grade boundaries sit and the aggregate of each paper. **Component Marks** – this option shows you where in the grade the candidate has fallen for a particular paper. **Centre Performance** – this provides a table which compares the results of your centre to every other.

Centre Map

There is a form you can fill in to sign up to our centre map, detailing others who deliver Eduqas Sociology.

By completing this [questionnaire](#) you will be able to share your school contact details with other Eduqas Sociology teachers. A great opportunity to develop local, national networks! N.B. This map is updated monthly, so it may take a few weeks for you be able to access information from it.

Exemplar Materials

Our separate [Online Exam Review site](#) contains examples of candidate responses from past exam series that have been commented on by our examining team.

Component	2019	2022
Component 1: Understanding Sociological Processes	Exemplar	Exemplar
Component 2: Understanding Social Structures	Exemplar	Exemplar

Digital Resources

On our separate [Digital Resources](#) site we have a range of free to access digital resources.

The site includes...



[Revision resources](#) from BBC Bitesize that will help you maintain your current knowledge and prepare for transition to A Level.



[Exam walk through](#) Aimed at learners, this Exam Walk Through resource offers practical hints and tips on how to effectively approach questions in the examination paper. Using questions from past exam papers, the PPT with audio help and audio script in the notes will walk you through a mock examination paper, helping you revise and practise useful exam techniques. You can complete the “mock” in a single sitting, tackle one or two questions at a time or revisit some parts of the presentation to reinforce your learning.



[Stratification \(student focused\)](#)

These resources support the study of key debates on the topic of Stratification.



[Family \(student focused\)](#)

These resources support the study of key debates on the topic of Family.

Key Documents

On the public website you will find a range of [key documents](#) including

- [Specification](#)
- [Sample Assessment Materials](#)
- [Guidance for Teaching](#)

The screenshot shows the Eduqas website navigation menu. The top bar contains 'Overview', 'Past Papers', 'Resources', 'Training', and 'Contacts'. The 'Resources' tab is active, showing sub-menus for 'Digital Resources', 'Books', 'Key Documents', and 'Online Exam Review'. Below this, 'Summer 21 Assessment Resources' is listed. A filter section on the left shows 'Filter' with a refresh icon, a dropdown menu set to 'All Types', and a checkbox for 'Collapse / Expand all'. The main content area lists 11 documents found, with the following items visible: 'Why switch to Eduqas?', 'Specification', 'Sample Assessment Materials', 'Guidance for Teaching', 'Examiners' Reports', and 'Information'. Each item has a downward arrow icon.

We also have other resources for teachers on the Eduqas website including:

[How to Mark](#) PowerPoints including [Component 1](#) and [Component 2](#) specific PowerPoints.

Textbooks

Endorsed Titles

<u>Title</u>	<u>ISBN</u>
WJEC Eduqas GCSE Sociology	978-1-911208-20-4

Non-endorsed Titles

<u>Title</u>	<u>ISBN</u>
WJEC Eduqas GCSE Sociology Revision Guide	978-1-911208-90-7

Examiner Reports

[GCSE Sociology Summer 2019](#)

[GCSE Sociology Autumn 2020](#)

[GCSE Sociology Summer 2022](#)

CPD

Materials from past CPD events can be found on the [public website](#).

Once confirmed, the latest round of events can also be found on the public website and a place [booked online](#).

Become an Examiner

If you are interested in becoming an examiner for us [click here](#) for more information and how to apply.

Social Media

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