



Y13 Learning Journey. Subject: Sociology A Level

Exam Requirements: Your A-level in Sociology is structured, and examined, in the following way:

Paper One: Education with Theory and Methods	Paper Two: Topics in Sociology	Paper Three: Crime and Deviance with Theory and Methods
<p>This paper is worth 80 marks and is divided into three sections:</p> <p>Education – in this section you are assessed on 50 marks. You will have a 4-mark, 6-mark, 10 mark and 30-mark question to answer.</p> <p>Methods in Context – you have a 20-mark question to answer which involves incorporating your knowledge and understanding of Research Methods and Education to investigate an educational issue.</p> <p>Theory and Methods – the last question in this paper will be a 10-mark question on either Theory or Research Methods.</p> <p>You have 2 hours to complete this paper.</p>	<p>This paper is worth 80 marks and you have two sections to complete. You will select Topic A2 Families and Households and Topic B1 Beliefs in Society. Both sections are weighted equally, with 40 marks allocated to each.</p> <p>The structure of the sections are as follows:</p> <p>Topic A2 Families and Households 2x10 mark questions 20-mark question</p> <p>Topic B1 Beliefs in Society 2x10 mark questions 20-mark question</p> <p>You have 2 hours to complete this paper.</p>	<p>This paper is worth 80 marks and you are being tested on two topics. The first topic is Crime and Deviance. This is then followed by two questions on Theory and Methods.</p> <p>The structure of the sections are as follows:</p> <p>Crime and Deviance - in this section you are assessed on 50 marks. You will have a 4-mark, 6-mark, 10 mark and 30-mark question to answer.</p> <p>Theory and Methods – in this section you are assessed on 30 marks. You will have a 20 mark and 10-mark question on any content from Theory and Research Methods.</p> <p>You have 2 hours to complete this paper.</p>

Overview of the Year:

Week Beginning	The focus of your learning or revision this week:		Key assessment pieces or specific homework tasks (including deadlines of any coursework/NEAs)
Teaching groups	3hrs HSB 13C / AS 13D	2hrs NT 13C/13D	
05/09/22	Theory - Feminism	Religion, ideology and science	
12/09/22	Theory - Social Action theories	Religion, ideology and science	
19/09/22	Theory - CRT	Religion as a conservative force (Functionalism)	
26/09/22	Theory - Postmodernism	Religion as a conservative force (Functionalism)	
03/10/22	Theory - Positivism & Interpretivism	Religion as a conservative force (Marxism)	Theories 10-mark question
10/10/22	Theory - Value freedom debate	Paper 1 mock	Paper 1 mock exam
17/10/22	Theory - Sociology and science	Religion as a conservative force (Marxism)	
Half Term			
31/10/22	Sociology and science	Religion as a force for social change and conflict	
07/11/22	Social policy	Religion as a force for social change and conflict	Theories 20-mark question
14/11/22	Introduction to C&D	Postmodernism view of religion and beliefs	Theories End of topic test
21/11/22	Theories of C&D (Functionalism)	Postmodernism view of religion and beliefs	
28/11/22	Theories of C&D (Radical criminology)	Religious organisations (NRMs & NAMs)	
05/12/22	Theories of C&D (Interactionism)	Religious organisations (NRMs & NAMs)	Beliefs 20-mark question
12/12/22	Theories of C&D (Realism)	Religious organisations (NRMs & NAMs)	
19/12/22	Theories of C&D (Postmodernism)	Religious organisations (NRMs & NAMs)	
Christmas Break			
09/01/23	Social distribution of C&D (class, gender)	Religiosity and social groups (Gender/Feminism)	Crime and Deviance 30-mark question
16/01/23	Social distribution of C&D (gender)	Religiosity and social groups (Gender/Feminism)	
23/01/23	Social distribution of C&D (age, ethnicity)	Religiosity and social groups (Class)	
30/01/23	Revision		Paper 2 mock exam
06/02/23	Assessment Week One		Paper 2 Mock Exam
Half Term			
20/02/23	Crime in contemporary society (Globalisation and crime)	Religiosity and social groups (Age)	Beliefs 10-mark question
27/02/23	Crime in contemporary society (State and human rights crime)	Paper 2 feedback	
06/03/23	Crime in contemporary society (State and human rights crime)	Religiosity and social groups (Ethnicity)	
13/03/23	Crime in contemporary society (Green crime)	Secularisation debate	Beliefs End of topic test
20/03/23	Crime in contemporary society (Green crime)	Secularisation debate	Crime and Deviance Short answer questions
27/03/23	Media and crime	Globalisation and religion	
03/04/23	Media and crime	Criminal Justice System	End of topic test Crime and Deviance

Easter Break

24/04/23	Assessment Week Two		Paper 3 mock exam
01/05/23	C&D revision	Families revision	
08/05/23	Paper 3 feedback/ Education revision	Education revision	
15/05/23	Theories and Methods revision	Beliefs revision	
22/05/23	Provisional start to the A-level Exams		

Exam Practice:

You can find past papers to help support your revision and develop your exam technique here:

<https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/sociology/as-and-a-level/sociology-7191-7192/assessment-resources>

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Revision Materials:

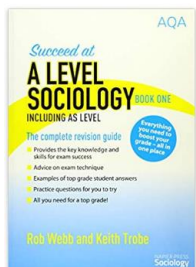
We advise that you use the following revision materials:

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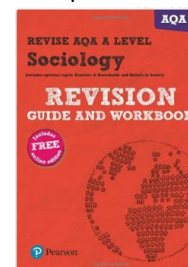
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Recommended revision guides – these can be purchased from Amazon.co.uk



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Glossaries and lesson resources:

Vocabulary lists to support your revision can be found here:

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Advice and Guidance for Revision

- Ensure that your folders are organised and all your resources are up-to-date to support you with your revision preparation.
- Practise exam question with your notes and glossaries to ensure you are adding key terminology and evidence into your answers.
- Be confident that you know roughly how long to spend on each question in exam conditions and the demands and assessment objectives of different command verbs used in the questions. For example, not all questions are assessing AO3. If you are unsure, clarify with your teacher.
- Here are some useful websites that may help you with your revision:
 - Tutor2U Sociology Channel
<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLp8BSCLLWBUBNHw211jpR9UQMLeekC290>
 - <https://simplysociology.com/a-level-sociology.html>
 - <https://quizlet.com/search?query=sociology&type=sets>