

Year 13 Sociology Curriculum Rationale

Students will study a wide range of sociological institutions, trends, and theoretical viewpoints to examine and analyse UK society. Students will develop critical thinking skills to question both trends and theoretical viewpoints. Students will be building on learning from Year 12 and project work completed over the summer. Consequently, students will go on to develop written communication skills. *Beliefs is also a nationally popular topic so a good range of resources available. It is often particularly relevant to our students, as many religious students take Sociology and are particularly interested in this topic. It also provides a pathway from GCSE Religious Studies from some students. 'Theories' is more abstract and much better grasped by students at the end of the course where they have the concrete knowledge to connect the abstract to. The same methods and theories parts are needed for both Paper 1 and Paper 3 – so teaching as the one of the last topics, also develops student skills for Paper 3.*

Paper 3: Crime (Also on this Paper 3 are the topics: Research Methods and Theories. Research Methods was taught in year 12 and revisited at the end of Year 13; Theories is taught in Year 13)

Unit	Core knowledge	Sequence	Enrichment/EBL	Assessment	Literacy, numeracy, PSHE, FBV, other links	ACP and VAA development
Preparation for Year 13 (1)	Summer Crime Project Overview of methods of measuring criminality Overview of theoretical perspectives Complete of primary	Builds on: knowledge of sociological research methods and statistical evidence on criminal behaviour Leads to practical knowledge of	Additional knowledge used to understand findings of primary research	40 marks awarded for viva presentation	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns	Metacognition Strategy-planning Seeing alternatives perspectives Originality Evolutionary thinking Collaboration Confident Creative and enterprising
	and secondary research leading to a presentation	research and some application of theoretical views on criminal behaviour				
Functionalist, strain, and subcultural theories (2)	After studying this Topic, students will: Understand the functionalist perspective on crime,	Builds on: knowledge of patterns of criminal behaviour Leads to: understanding of	Getting Started activity, p70 Research Activity, p73 'The positive functions of crime'	Forms Quiz Then either 4,6-, and 10-mark exam questions or	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions	Metacognition Big picture thinking Abstraction Critical thinking Concern for society Enquiring



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	including the functions of crime. Understand the concept of strain and its role in explaining deviance. Be able to explain the differences between different strain and subcultural theories. Be able to evaluate functionalist, strain and subcultural theories of crime and deviance.	competing explanations to explain criminality by social class	Media Activity, p74 'Why do people commit crime?' Analysis and Evaluation question, p75 Textbook, pp70-77 <i>Crime and Deviance</i> Workbook, pp 1-10 Clip for Media activity p74: <u>https://www.youtub</u> <u>e.com/watch?v=cRt</u> <u>RKH8lspU</u>	30 essay exam question Seneca	Numeracy to understand statistical patterns of crime Sociology Review where appropriate	Open-minded
Interactionism and labeling theory (3)	After studying this Topic, students will: Understand why interactionists regard crime and deviance, and official statistics on crime, suicide, and mental illness, as socially constructed. Understand the labelling process and its consequences for those who are labelled.	Builds on: prior knowledge of statistical patterns of crime by social class and functionalist explanations Leads to: greater understanding of alternative explanations of criminality by social class	Textbook pp78-85 <i>Crime and Deviance</i> Workbook, pp 11-19 Websites for Webquest activity p81: <u>https://www.crimeso</u> <u>lutions.gov/Program</u> <u>Details.aspx?ID=325</u> <u>http://findyouthinfo.</u> <u>gov/node/50028</u> Getting Started activity, p78	Forms Quiz Then either 4,6-, and 10-mark exam questions or 30 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns of crime Sociology Review where appropriate	Self-regulation Precision Automaticity Concern for society Enquiring Open-minded



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	Be able to evaluate the strengths and limitations of labelling theory in explaining crime and deviance.		Discussion activity, p80: 'The negotiation of justice'. Application question, p81 Webquest activity, p82: 'Reintegrative shaming'			
Class, power, and crime (4)	After studying this Topic, students will: Understand why Marxists see crime as inevitable in capitalist society. Understand Marxist and neo-Marxist approaches to crime and deviance, and the similarities and differences between them. Be able to evaluate the strengths and limitations of Marxist and neo-Marxist and neo-Marxist and neo-Marxist and neo-Marxist and deviance.	Builds on: prior knowledge of statistical patterns of crime by social class and competing explanations for these patterns – functionalism/labelli ng Leads to: greater understanding of alternative explanations of criminality by social class. The links between labelling and Marxist theories.	Textbook pp86-95 <i>Crime and Deviance</i> Workbook, pp 20- 30 Websites for Webquest activity p89: <u>http://durhamprobo</u> <u>no.blogspot.co.uk/2</u> <u>014/12/is-corporate-</u> <u>manslaughter-and-</u> <u>corporate.html</u> <u>https://www.youtub</u> <u>e.com/watch?v=vcR</u> <u>MVqHYFYs</u> Getting Started activity, p86 Application question, p88	Forms Quiz Then either 4,6-, and 10-mark exam questions or 30 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns of crime Sociology Review where appropriate	Connection finding Seeing alternatives Critical thinking Automaticity Concern for society Enquiring Open-minded



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	Understand the nature and extent of white collar and corporate crime, and be able to evaluate sociological explanations of it		Webquest activity, p89 'Corporate manslaughter' Application question p90 Webquest activity, p94 'Corporate crime'			
Realist theories of crime (5)	After studying this Topic, students will: Understand the difference between realist and other approaches to crime. Know the main features of right and left realist approaches to crime and understand their political context and similarities and differences between them. Be able to evaluate the strengths and limitations of right and left realist approaches to crime.	Builds on: prior knowledge of statistical patterns of crime by social class and competing explanations for these patterns – functionalism/labelli ng/Marxism Leads to: greater understanding of alternative explanations of criminality by social class. The links between competing theories	Getting Started activity, p96 Analysis and Evaluation question, p98 Research activity, p101 'Causes of and solutions to crime' Application question, p102 Discussion activity, p102 'Left versus right' Textbook pp96-103 <i>Crime and Deviance</i> Workbook, pp 31-38	Forms Quiz Then either 4,6-, and 10-mark exam questions or 30 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns of crime Sociology Review where appropriate	Strategy planning Intellectual confidence Intellectual playfulness Automaticity Collaboration Creative and enterprising Resilience
Ethnicity, crime, and justice (6)	After studying this Topic, students will:	Builds on: prior knowledge of	Getting Started activity, p114	Forms Quiz Then	SPAG, reading for meaning	Connection finding



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	Know the patterns of ethnicity and criminalisation as shown by different sources of data. Understand the relationship between the criminal justice process and ethnicity. Be able to evaluate sociological explanations of the relationship between ethnicity, offending and criminalisation. Understand the relationship between ethnicity, racism, and victimisation	statistical patterns of crime by social class and competing explanations for these patterns – functionalism/labelli ng/Marxism Leads to: greater understanding of alternative explanations of criminality by ethnicity. The links between competing theories of ethnicity and social class	Media activity, p117: 'Ethnicity and criminal justice in America' Application question, p118 Media activity, p119: 'Urban riots and race' Textbook pp114-121 <i>Crime and Deviance</i> Workbook, pp 50- 58 Clip for Media activity p117: http://www.ted.com/ talks/bryan stevenso n we need to talk about an injustice Clips for Media activity p119 https://www.youtub e.com/watch?v=cCj ZEZt3QKc&list=PL98 DB4FDBA66FB189 https://www.youtub e.com/watch?v=fW6 kY6HfAqk&list=PL98 DB4FDBA66FB189&i ndex=2	4,6-, and 10-mark exam questions or 30 essay exam question Seneca	Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns of criminality Tied to Black History month Sociology Review where appropriate	Seeing alternatives perspectives Evolutionary thinking Confident Open-minded Perseverance Collaboration



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PPE (7)	Preparation for exams			A Level Paper 1 A Level Paper 2	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns	Intellectual confidence Imagination Complex and multi-step problem solving Precision Automaticity Speed Practice
Gender, crime, and justice (8)	After studying this Topic, students will: Know the main gender differences in recorded patterns of offending. Understand and be able to evaluate the debates about the treatment of men and women in the criminal justice system. Be able to evaluate explanations of the relationship between women and crime, and between men and crime.	Builds on: prior knowledge of patterns of criminality by factors such as social class, and ethnicity, in addition to explanations for these patterns. Leads to: greater understanding of the way in which characteristics such as class, ethnicity and gender are intersectional	Getting Started activity, p104 Analysis and Evaluation question, p105 Application question, p106 Discussion activity, p109 'Female crime: explanations on trial' Media activity, p112: 'Violence, media and masculinity' Textbook pp 104-113 <i>Crime and Deviance</i> Workbook, pp 39- 49 Clip for Media activity p112: <u>https://www.youtub</u> <u>e.com/watch?v=3ex</u> <u>zMPT4nGI</u>	Forms Quiz Then either 4,6-, and 10-mark exam questions or 30 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns of criminality Tied to International Men's Day Sociology Review where appropriate	Intellectual confidence Seeing alternatives Intellectual playfulness Automaticity Concern for society Enquiring Practice Resilience



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Crime and the media (9)	After studying this Topic, students will: Know the patterns of media representations of crime and how these differ from the picture of crime in official statistics. Understand and be able to evaluate different views about the media as a cause of crime and fear of crime. Know and be able to evaluate views of the media's role in the creation of moral panics. Understand the relationships between the new information media and crime and social control.	Builds on: prior knowledge of patterns of criminality by factors such as social class, ethnicity, and gender, in addition to explanations for these patterns. Leads to: greater understanding of the way in which the media cause the criminalisation of key groups in society.	Getting Started activity, p122 Media activity, p126: 'Counterculture and commodification' Media activity, p128: 'Moral panic' Textbook pp122-129 <i>Crime and Deviance</i> Workbook, pp 59- 69 Clip for Media activity p126: https://www.youtub e.com/watch?v=LiC <u>o uUD2SY</u> Clip for Media activity p128: https://www.youtub e.com/watch?v=URY fLan-510 https://www.youtub e.com/watch?v=- HTpt1nFPkc https://www.youtub e.com/watch?v=65 <u>OP7w1NIHo</u>	Forms Quiz Then either 4,6-, and 10-mark exam questions or 30 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns of criminality and written media Sociology Review where appropriate	Connection finding Seeing alternatives perspectives Evolutionary thinking Confident Open-minded Perseverance Collaboration
Globalisation, green crime,	After studying this Topic, students will:	Builds on: prior knowledge of explanations linked	Getting Started activity, p130	Forms Quiz Then either	SPAG, reading for meaning	Connection finding Seeing alternatives Critical thinking



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human rights, and state crime (10)	Understand the ways in which globalisation and crime are related and be able to evaluate explanations of this relationship. Understand the different types of green crime and be able to evaluate sociological explanations of environmental harm. Understand the relationship between state crimes and human rights and be able to evaluate definitions and explanations of such crimes.	to Marxism – crimes of the powerful. Students will also have knowledge of the concept of globalisation. Leads to: greater understanding of the transgressive nature of more recent sociological explanations of crime	Analysis and Evaluation question, p132 Webquest activity, p133 'Global crime networks' Application question, p135 Activity, p137 'State- corporate crime and war' Textbook pp130-141 <i>Crime and Deviance</i> Workbook, pp 70- 85 Clip for Media activity p133: http://www.ted.com/ talks/misha_glenny_i nvestigates_global_c rime_networks Clips for activity p137: https://www.youtub e.com/watch?v=x9D OQMETdos https://www.youtub e.com/watch?v=tVEJ g7-GqqQ	4,6-, and 10-mark exam questions or 30 essay exam question Seneca	Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns of criminality and case studies on state crime Sociology Review where appropriate	Automaticity Concern for society Enquiring Open-minded



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			<u>https://www.youtub</u> <u>e.com/watch?v=Par</u> FskGisns			
Control, punishment, and victims (11)	After studying this Topic, students will: Understand and be able to evaluate a range of crime prevention and control strategies. Understand and be able to evaluate different perspectives on punishment and surveillance. Know the main tends in sentencing and understand their significance. Know the main patterns of victimisation and be able to evaluate sociological perspectives on victimisation.	Builds on: prior knowledge of explanations of criminality and victimisation by factors such as ethnicity, gender, and social class. Leads to: greater understanding of the crime prevention strategies, punishment, and victimology	Getting Started activity, p142 Application question, p143 Webquest activity, p144 'Situational crime prevention' Analysis and Evaluation question, p144 Media activity, p148: 'Surveillance' Application question, p152 Textbook pp142-153 <i>Crime and Deviance</i> Workbook, pp 86- 101 Websites for Webquest activity p144: http://www.popcent er.org/25techniquess ζ http://www.popcent er.org/tools/displace ment	Forms Quiz Then either 4,6-, and 10-mark exam questions or 30 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Sociology Review where appropriate	Self-regulation Precision Automaticity Concern for society Enquiring Open-minded



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			Clip for Media activity p148: <u>https://www.youtub</u> <u>e.com/watch?v=_hX</u> 1r2Tbv5g			
Paper 3 Crime with Theory and Methods	Preparation for exams	Builds on: prior knowledge of patterns and explanations of crime Leads to: effective techniques to answer examination questions	De coding questions	A level practice paper Paper 3 – Crime element only	SPAG, reading for meaning	Intellectual confidence Imagination Complex and multi-step problem solving Precision Automaticity Speed Practice



Paper 1 and Paper 3: Theory and Research Methods

Unit	Core knowledge	Sequence	Enrichment/EBL	Assessment	Literacy, numeracy, PSHE, FBV, other links	ACP and VAA development
Sociology and	After studying this	Builds on: prior	Getting Started	10-mark exam	SPAG, reading for	Metacognition
science (12)	Topic, students will:	knowledge gained	activity, p186	question	meaning	Big picture thinking
	Know the difference	from theoretical	Analysis and	or	Tolerance for those with	Flexible thinking
	between positivist	consideration of	Evaluation question,	20 essay exam	different opinions	Enquiring
	and interpretivist	research methods.	p188	question	Sociology Review where	Open-mindedness
	views of whether	Links to science and	Analysis and	Seneca	appropriate	
	sociology can be a	ideology in beliefs	Evaluation question,			
	science and be able		p191			
	to apply this to the	Leads to: greater	Media Activity, p192			
	issue of suicide.	understanding of	'Karl Popper and			
	Know a range of	difference	falsificationism'			
	views on natural	methodological	Application			
	science and their	perspectives	question, p193			
	implications for	especially positivism	Media Activity, p193			
	sociology as a	and interpretivism	'The case of Dr.			
	science.		Velikovsky'			
	Be able to evaluate		Textbook pp186-195			
	the arguments for		Theory and Methods			
	and against the view		Workbook, pp39-53			
	that sociology can or		Clip for Media			
	should be a science.		activity p192:			
			https://www.youtub			
			e.com/watch?v=80G			
			<u>Sz1laR c</u>			
			Clip for Media			
			activity p192:			
			https://www.youtub			
			e.com/watch?v=CIQ			
			<u>YEQ4FcfY</u>			



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Objectivity and values in sociology (13)	After studying this Topic, students will: Understand the meaning of objectivity, subjectivity and value freedom. Know the main views put forward of the relationship between sociology and values. Be able to evaluate the strengths and limitations of different views as to whether sociology can and should be value-free.	Builds on: prior knowledge of methodology Leads to:.greater understanding of objectivity and subjectivity in research	Getting Started activity, p196 Media activity, p199 'Social scientists and the military' Textbook pp196-201 <i>Theory and Methods</i> Workbook, pp54-62 Clips for Media activity p199: <u>https://www.youtub</u> <u>e.com/watch?v=pTg</u> <u>6g9mR2FQ</u> <u>https://www.youtub</u> <u>e.com/watch?v=jnj9</u> <u>D5pr8f8</u> <u>https://www.youtub</u> <u>e.com/watch?v=Dqu</u> <u>fC2X3y4U</u>	10-mark exam question or 20 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Sociology Review where appropriate	Strategy-planning Intellectual confidence Connection finding Critical thinking Precision Speed and automaticity Confident Open-minded Practice
Functionalism (14)	After studying this Topic, students will: Know the main features of the functionalist view of the social system. Understand Merton's contribution to the development of functionalism.	Builds on: prior knowledge of functionalism in substantive subjects across the specification – education, family, belief and crime Leads to: a greater understanding of	Getting Started activity, p202 Analysis and Evaluation question, p203 Research activity, p204 'The social system'	10-mark exam question or 20 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Sociology Review where appropriate	Strategy-planning Intellectual confidence Connection finding Critical thinking Precision Speed and automaticity Confident Open-minded Practice



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	Be able to evaluate the strengths and limitations of the functionalist perspective on society.	the usefulness of functionalist theories for studying society	Analysis and Evaluation question, p205			
Marxism (15)	After studying this Topic, students will: Know and understand Marx's main ideas and concepts. Understand the differences between humanistic and structural Marxism. Be able to evaluate the strengths and limitations of Marxist approaches to the study of society.	Builds on: prior knowledge of Marxism in substantive subjects across the specification – education, family, belief and crime Leads to: a greater understanding of the usefulness of Marxist theories for studying society	Getting Started activity, p208 Media activity, p211 'Karl Marx' Box 3.11 question, p213 Discussion activity, p214 'Can ideas bring about revolution?' Textbook pp 208- 215 <i>Theory and Methods</i> Workbook, pp73-86 Clips for Media activity p211: https://www.youtub e.com/watch?v=fSQ gCy_ilcc	10-mark exam question or 20 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Sociology Review where appropriate	Strategy-planning Intellectual confidence Connection finding Critical thinking Precision Speed and automaticity Confident Open-minded Practice



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Feminist theories (16)	After studying this Topic, students will: Know the main types of feminist theories. Understand the similarities and differences between feminist theories. Be able to evaluate the strengths and limitations of feminist theories.	Builds on: prior knowledge of feminism in substantive subjects across the specification – education, family, belief and crime Leads to: a greater understanding of the usefulness of feminist theories for studying society	Getting Started activity, p216 Webquest activity, p218 ''SlutWalks' and feminism' Application question, p219 Application questions, p220 Discussion activity, p222 'Which feminism?' Textbook pp 216- 223 <i>Theory and Methods</i> Workbook, pp87-98 Websites for Webquest, p218 http://www.bbc.co.u k/news/world-us- canada-13320785 http://www.bbc.co.u k/news/uk-13739876 http://www.mtv.com /news/ 2290058/amber- rose-slut-walk- feminist-movement/ http://feministing.co m/2011/05/09/you-	10-mark exam question 20 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns Sociology Review where appropriate	Strategy-planning Intellectual confidence Connection finding Critical thinking Precision Speed and automaticity Confident Open-minded Practice



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			<u>can-call-us-that-</u> <u>name-but-we-will-</u> <u>not-shut-up/</u> <u>https://www.youtub</u>			
			<u>e.com/watch?v=ol-</u> <u>ND8oQREc</u>			
Action theories (17)	After studying this Topic, students will: Understand the difference between structural and action theories. Know the main types of action theory and understand the differences between them. Be able to evaluate the strengths and limitations of action theories	. Builds on: prior knowledge of social action theories in substantive subjects across the specification – education, family, belief and crime Leads to: a greater understanding of the usefulness of social action theories for studying society	Getting Started activity, p224 Analysis and Evaluation question, p225 Media activity, p227 'Symbolic interactionism' Application question, p228 Media activity, p228 'Goffman and the performed self' Application question, p231 Textbook pp 224- 233 <i>Theory and Methods</i> Workbook, pp99-114 Clip for Media activity p227:	10-mark exam question 20 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Sociology Review where appropriate	Strategy-planning Intellectual confidence Connection finding Critical thinking Precision Speed and automaticity Confident Open-minded Practice



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			https://www.youtub e.com/watch?v=jFQI			
			IM8IRZU			
			Clips for Media			
			activity p228:			
			https://www.youtub			
			e.com/watch?v=6Z0			
			<u>XS-QLDWM</u>			
			https://www.youtub			
			e.com/watch?v=krg			
Globalisation,	After studying this	Builds on: prior	<u>UVduKFL4</u> Getting Started	10-mark exam	SPAG, reading for	S Strategy-planning
modernity and	Topic, students will:	knowledge of late	activity, p234	question	meaning	Intellectual confidence
postmodernity (18)	Know some of the	modernity and	Application	or	Tolerance for those with	Connection finding
	reasons for the trend	postmodernity	question, p237	20 essay exam	different opinions	Critical thinking
	towards globalisation.	theories in	Analysis and	question	Sociology Review where	Precision
	Understand the	substantive subjects	Evaluation question,	Seneca	appropriate	Speed and automaticity
	difference between	across the	p238			Confident
	modernity,	specification –	Media activity, p239			Open-minded
	postmodernity and	education, family,	'Risk society'			Practice
	late modernity.	belief and crime	Textbook pp 234-			
	Be able to evaluate		241			
	the strengths and limitations of	Leads to: a greater	Theory and Methods			
	postmodernist and	understanding of the usefulness of	Workbook, pp115- 127			
	other theories of	late modernity and	1 1			
	recent changes in	postmodernity	Clip for Media			
	society.	theories for studying	activity p239:			
	,	society	J 1			



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			<u>https://www.youtub</u> <u>e.com/watch?v=NJ</u> <u>ms4Y0Q6nY</u>			
Sociology and social policy (19)	After studying thisTopic, students will:Understand thedifference betweensocial problems andsociologicalproblems.Know the factors thatmay affect the extentto which sociologycan influence socialpolicy.Know the mainsociologicalperspectives on therelationship betweensociology and socialpolicy and be able toevaluate theirstrengths andlimitations.	Builds on: prior knowledge of social policy in substantive subjects across the specification – education, family, and crime Leads to: a greater understanding of whether sociological research should influence governmental policies in society	Getting Started activity, p242 Application question, p243 Discussion activity, p246 'Differing perspectives on policy'	10-mark exam question or 20 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Sociology Review where appropriate	Strategy-planning Intellectual confidence Connection finding Critical thinking Precision Speed and automaticity Confident Open-minded Practice



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PPE (20)	Preparation for exams			A Level Paper 3	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns	Intellectual confidence Imagination Complex and multi-step problem solving Precision Automaticity Speed Practice

Paper 2: Beliefs in society (This is the second Paper 2 topic; the first Paper 2 topic (Families) was taught in year 12)

Unit	Core knowledge	Sequence	Enrichment/EBL	Assessment	Literacy, numeracy, PSHE, FBV, other links	ACP and VAA development
Theories of religion	After studying this	Builds on: prior	Getting Started	Forms Quiz	SPAG, reading for	Metacognition
(21)	Topic, students will:	knowledge of	activity, p4	Then either	meaning	Big picture thinking
	Understand different	theoretical	Application question,		Tolerance for those	Abstraction
	sociological	explanations from	p7	2 x 10-mark exam	with different	Critical thinking
	definitions of religion.	substantive topics	Analysis and	question	opinions	Concern for society
	Understand how	taught in other	Evaluation question,	or	Sociology Review	Enquiring
	different sociological	sections of the	p7	20 essay exam	where appropriate	Open-minded
	theories explain the	course.	Media Activity, p8:	question		
	role and functions of		'American civil	Seneca		
	religion, and how	Leads to: students	religion'			
	religion contributes	will understand	Textbook, pp4-11			
	to social stability.	functionalist, feminist,	Beliefs in Society			
	Be able to evaluate	and Marxists	Workbook, pp1-8			
	different sociological	explanations of the	Clip for Media activity			
	definitions and	role of religion in	p8:			
	theories of religion.	society				



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			https://www.youtube.			
			<pre>com/watch?v=rWFz7</pre>			
			<u>p3yA88</u>			
Religion and social	After studying this	Builds on: prior	Getting Started	Forms Quiz	SPAG, reading for	Strategy planning
change (22)	Topic, students will:	knowledge of	activity, p12	Then either	meaning	Intellectual
	Be able to describe a	functionalist, feminist,	Media activity, p14:		Tolerance for those	confidence
	range of examples of	and Marxists	'Weber and	2 x 10-mark exam	with different	Intellectual
	religion and analyse	explanations of the	Calvinism'	question	opinions	playfulness
	their role in social	role of religion in	Analysis and	or	Sociology Review	Automaticity
	change.	society.	Evaluation questions,	20 essay exam	where appropriate	Collaboration
	Understand		p15	question		Creative and
	sociological	Leads to: students	Application question,	Seneca		enterprising
	explanations of the	will understand how	p16			Resilience
	role of religion in	Neo-Marxist and	Media activity, p17:			
	promoting social	Weber understand	'Liberation theology'			
	change.	the role of religion in	Textbook, pp12-19			
	Be able to evaluate	society	Beliefs in Society			
	different sociological		Workbook, pp9-16			
	explanations of the		Clips for Media			
	relationship between		activity p14:			
	religion, social		https://www.youtube.			
	stability, and social		<pre>com/watch?v=mxf3B</pre>			
	change.		<u>kVS7TA</u>			
			https://www.youtube.			
			<u>com/watch?v=j-</u>			
			<u>OsIHDzsU4</u>			
			Clips for Media			
			activity p17:			



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			https://www.youtube. com/watch?v=cmzTq TXT1t0 https://www.youtube. com/watch?v=2qxTJc beYu4			
Secularisation (23)	After studying this Topic, students will: Know the main trends in patterns of religious belief and practice in the UK and USA. Understand and be able to analyse the possible causes of secularisation. Be able to evaluate arguments and evidence for the view that secularisation is occurring.	Builds on: prior knowledge of functionalist, feminist, and Marxists explanations of the role of religion in society. Leads to: students will understand how Neo-Marxist and Weber understand the role of religion in society	Getting Started activity, p20 Analysis and Evaluation question, p22 Media activity, p24: 'Secularisation' Application question, p25 Webquest activity, p26: 'U.S. public becoming less religious' Textbook, pp20-27 <i>Beliefs in Society</i> Workbook, pp17-25 Clip for Media activity	Forms Quiz Then either 2 x 10-mark exam question or 20 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns of religiosity Sociology Review where appropriate	Connection finding Intellectual confidence Intellectual playfulness Precision Automaticity Creative and enterprising Open-minded Resilience



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Religion, renewal, and choice (24)	After studying this Topic, students will: Understand the reasons why some	Builds on: prior knowledge of trends secularisation in UK and USA	https://www.youtube. com/watch?v=d9W0 g6RqdV0 Website for Webquest activity p26: http://www.pewforu m.org/2015/11/03/u- s-public-becoming- less-religious/ Getting Started activity, p28 Application question, p30	Assessment Forms Quiz Then either 2 x 10-mark exam	, , ,	development Strategy-planning Connection finding Critical thinking Speed and accuracy
	sociologists reject the idea of secularisation. Be able to analyse alternative interpretations of the nature and position of religion today. Understand and be able to evaluate debates about the nature and extent of secularisation.	Leads to: students will have a clear understanding of evidence which is an alternative to secularisation. Students will have a firm idea of issues linked to defining and measuring religiosity	Research activity, p33 'Mind, body and spirit' Application question, p33 Media activity, p35: 'Supply-led religion' Textbook, pp28-37 Beliefs in Society Workbook, pp26-34 Websites for research activity: http://www.lancaster. ac.uk/fss/projects/iep pp/kendal/sixthform. htm	question or 20 essay exam question Seneca	opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns of religiosity Sociology Review where appropriate	Speed and accuracy Concern for society Enquiring Practice



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			http://www.lancaster. ac.uk/fss/projects/iep pp/kendal/methods.h tm Clip for Media activity p35: https://www.youtube. com/watch?v=IGmLF SPkyhs			
Religion in a global context (25)	After studying this Topic, students will: Understand some of the different ways in which religion interacts with its global context. Understand the role of religion in economic development in a globalising world. Understand and be able to evaluate explanations of the nature of religious fundamentalism. Understand and be able to evaluate explanations of the	Builds on: prior knowledge of this and other worldly beliefs. Students will also have knowledge of the concept of globalisation. Leads to: students will have a clear understanding of impacts globalisation has had on religious beliefs	Getting Started activity, p38 Media activity, p44: 'Pentecostalism' Textbook, pp 38-45 <i>Beliefs in Society</i> Workbook, pp35-41 Clip for Media activity p44: <u>https://www.youtube.</u> <u>com/watch?v=fu66g</u> <u>Nre4OI</u>	Forms Quiz Then either 2 x 10-mark exam question or 20 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns of religiosity Sociology Review where appropriate	Strategy-planning Connection finding Critical thinking Speed and accuracy Concern for society Enquiring Practice



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	role of religion in international conflict.					
Organisations, movements, and members (26)	After studying this Topic, students will: Know the main types of religious organisation and their characteristics. Understand and be able to evaluate explanations of different types of religious/spiritual organisations and movements. Understand and be able to evaluate explanations of the reasons for the growth and development of different	Builds on: prior knowledge of trends in religiosity and fundamentalism as a form of religious organisation. Leads to: students will have a clear understanding of different types of religious organisations, reasons for their growth and patterns of religiosity by age, gender, ethnicity, and class	Getting Started activity, p46 Application question, p48 Analysis and Evaluation question, p49 Discussion activity, p49: 'Types of religious organisations Textbook, pp46-57 <i>Beliefs in Society</i> Workbook, pp42-52 Websites for Discussion activity p49: https://en.wikipedia.o rg/wiki/Methodism	Forms Quiz Then either 2 x 10-mark exam question or 20 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Numeracy to understand statistical patterns of religiosity Sociology Review where appropriate	Strategy-planning Intellectual confidence Connection finding Critical thinking Precision Speed and automaticity Confident Open-minded Practice



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	religious/spiritual organisations and movements. Know the main patterns of participation by class, ethnicity, gender and age and the reasons for these patterns.		https://en.wikipedia.o rg/wiki/Unification C hurch of the United States https://en.wikipedia.o rg/wiki/Christian Scie nce https://en.wikipedia.o rg/wiki/Scientology https://en.wikipedia.o rg/wiki/Catholicism			
Ideology and science (27)	After studying this Topic, students will: Know the difference between open and closed belief systems. Understand and be able to evaluate different views of science as a belief system. Understand and be able to evaluate different views of the nature of ideology.	Builds on: prior knowledge of Marxism and feminism as ideological beliefs Leads to: greater understanding of the way in which science and ideology are belief systems like religion	Getting Started activity, p58 Analysis and Evaluation question, p60 Media activity, p61: 'Witchcraft among the Azande' Application question, p62 Media activity, p62: 'What is ideology?' Textbook, pp58-65 <i>Beliefs in Society</i> Workbook, pp53-63	Forms Quiz Then either 2 x 10-mark exam question or 20 essay exam question Seneca	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions Sociology Review where appropriate	Intellectual confidence Imagination Critical thinking Automaticity Confident Risk-taking Resilience



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			Clip for Media activity p61: <u>https://www.youtube.</u> <u>com/watch?v=JIX7Rf</u> <u>YAY5U</u> Clip for Media activity p62: <u>https://www.youtube.</u> <u>com/watch?v=5Ch5Z</u> <u>CGi0PQ</u>			
Beliefs in society	Preparation for exams	Builds on: prior knowledge of beliefs in society Leads to: effective techniques to answer examination questions		A level practice paper Paper 2 – Beliefs in society section	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions	Intellectual confidence Imagination Complex and multi- step problem solving Precision Automaticity Speed Practice
Quantitative research methods (28) REVISION	After studying this Topic, students will: Know the main features and types of the following quantitative research method and sources of data: experiments, questionnaires,	Builds on: prior knowledge gained regarding quantitative research methods in year 12 Leads to: better understanding of research methods used by sociologists	Getting Started activity, p158 Analysis and Evaluation question, p160 Media Activity, p162 'Racial discrimination in everyday life'	10-mark exam question or 20 essay exam question	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions	Intellectual confidence Imagination Complex and multi- step problem solving Precision Automaticity Speed Practice



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	structured interviews		Analysis and			
	and official statistics.		Evaluation question,			
	Be able to evaluate		p163			
	the practical, ethical		Analysis and			
	and theoretical		Evaluation question,			
	strengths and		p167			
	limitations of each of		Discussion Activity,			
	these methods and		p169 'Which			
	sources.		quantitative			
	Understand the		method?'			
	usefulness of each of		Application question,			
	these methods and		p171			
	sources in relation to		Discussion activity,			
	wider issues of		p171 'Official statistics			
	methodological and		– a useful resource?'			
	theoretical		Textbook, pp158-173			
	perspective, science,		Theory and Methods			
	values and		Workbook, pp1-22			
	objectivity.		Clips for Media			
			activity p162:			
			https://www.youtube.			
			<u>com/watch?v=YyL5E</u>			
			<u>cAwB9c</u>			
			https://www.youtube.			
			<u>com/watch?v=gOS3</u>			
			<u>BBmUxvs</u>			
Qualitative research	After studying this	Builds on: prior	Getting Started	10-mark exam	SPAG, reading for	Intellectual
methods (29)	Topic, students will:	knowledge gained	activity, p174	question	meaning	confidence
REVISION	Know the main	regarding qualitative		or		Imagination
	features and types of					



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	the following qualitative research methods and sources of data: unstructured interviews, participant	research methods in year 12 Leads to: better	Application question, p177 Analysis and Evaluation question, p181	20 essay exam question	Tolerance for those with different opinions	Complex and multi- step problem solving Precision Automaticity Speed
	observation and documents. Be able to evaluate the practical, ethical and theoretical strengths and limitations of each of these methods and sources. Understand the usefulness of each of these methods and sources in relation to wider issues of methodological and theoretical perspective, science,	understanding of research methods used by sociologists	Research activity, p182 'Different types of observation' Research activity, p184 'Comparing research methods' Textbook pp174-185 <i>Theory and Methods</i> Workbook, pp23-38			Practice
	values and objectivity.					
Revision (3/4 weeks)	Preparation for exams	Builds on: prior knowledge of beliefs in society Leads to: effective	Tutor2U revision activities and clips. <u>https://www.tutor2u.</u> <u>net/sociology</u>	A level practice paper Paper 1, 2 and 3	SPAG, reading for meaning Tolerance for those with different opinions	Intellectual confidence Imagination Complex and multi- step problem solving



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		examination questions				Automaticity Speed Practice