



INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY

Although an A Level in ICT is not essential for any university degree programme, it provides an excellent preparation for courses in all computing and business related subjects. The course is practically orientated with 40% of the marks based on coursework projects.

In a world increasingly dominated by the computer, the skills learnt are invaluable both for work and home use.

MODULES STUDIED: Examining Board – AQA

Unit 1:	<u>Information: Nature Role and Context</u>	Exam Length: 1 hr 30 mins 15% of total marks
Unit 2:	<u>Information: Management and Manipulation</u>	Exam Length: 1 hr 30 mins 15% of total marks
Unit 3:	<u>The Use of Generic Application Software for Task Solution</u>	Coursework 20% of total marks
Unit 4:	<u>Information Systems within Organisations</u>	Exam Length: 2 hours 15% of total marks
Unit 5:	<u>Information: Policy, Strategy and Systems</u>	Exam Length: 2 hours 15% of total marks
Unit 6:	<u>Use of Information Systems for Problem Solving</u>	Coursework 20% of total marks

RECOMMENDED READING

Author	Title	Publisher
Matt and Leeming	Information and Communication Technology AS Level	Hodder & Stoughton
Matt and Leeming	Information and Communication Technology for A2	Hodder & Stoughton
Doyle	Understanding Information and Communication Technology for AS level	Nelson Thornes