



## Key Dates Timetables: **2015/16**

# General Certificate of Secondary Education (GCSE) Mathematics (including Pilots), English, English Language and Cambridge Nationals

The dates and details given below apply to GCSE Mathematics (including Pilots), English, English Language and Cambridge Nationals examinations taking place in November 2015.

## Key dates

### Entries

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| Basedata will be available on the OCR website by   | <b>1 September 2015</b> |
| Final entries to be received by OCR by   | <b>4 October 2015</b>   |
| Final entry withdrawals, to be eligible for refunds, must be received by OCR no later than             | <b>4 November 2015</b>  |
| Final entry withdrawals will not be accepted by OCR after  | <b>22 December 2015</b> |
| Entry feedback documents will be despatched following the complete processing of the centre's entries. |                         |

### Access Arrangements and Special Requirements

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| Access arrangement applications involving modified question papers to be received by OCR by   | <b>20 September 2015</b> |
| Access arrangement applications not involving modified question papers to be received by OCR by the start of the two year course and at the latest by | <b>4 October 2015</b>    |
| Special consideration applications to be received by OCR within 7 days of the examination.  |                          |

### Internal Assessment

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| Internal assessment mark sheets (MS1) will be despatched by            | <b>17 October 2015</b> |
| Moderator and coursework examiner address labels will be despatched by | <b>17 October 2015</b> |
| Coursework and Portfolio administration forms will be despatched by    | <b>17 October 2015</b> |
| Centre coursework marks to be received by OCR by                       | <b>5 November 2015</b> |

### Examination Materials

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| Question papers will be despatched in  | <b>October 2015</b>    |
| Attendance registers, examiner address labels and the examinations directory (where requested) will be despatched by | <b>24 October 2015</b> |
| Examination stationery will be despatched following the complete processing of the centre's entries.                 |                        |

### Timetable

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| Final date for requesting transferred candidate arrangements | <b>6 October 2015</b>     |
| Main period of examinations                                  | <b>3–13 November 2015</b> |

### Results

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| Restricted release of results to centres only by EDI and OCR Interchange at 00.01 on                     | <b>6 January 2016</b>   |
| Release of results to candidates by the centre on  | <b>7 January 2016</b>   |
| Enquiries about Results applications (including Missing and Incomplete Results) to be received by OCR by | <b>4 February 2016</b>  |
| Requests for late certifications to be received by OCR by  | <b>4 February 2016</b>  |
| Requests for non-priority scripts to be received by OCR by   | <b>28 February 2016</b> |
| Certificates will be despatched by   | <b>28 February 2016</b> |

November 2015

## Key dates

The dates and details given below apply to all Entry Level Certificate, FSMQ, Level 2 Award, Level 3 Certificate, Level 1&2 Certificate, Principal Learning, Projects and Cambridge Nationals units and certifications for the January 2016 examination series.

### Entries

|   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| Basedata will be available on the OCR website by  | <b>11 September 2015</b> |
| Estimated entries to be received by OCR by  | <b>21 September 2015</b> |
| Final unit and certification entries to be received by OCR by   | <b>21 October 2015</b>   |
| Final entry withdrawals, to be eligible for refunds, must be received by OCR no later than  | <b>21 November 2015</b>  |
| Final entry withdrawals will not be accepted by OCR after   | <b>24 February 2016</b>  |
| Entry feedback documents, including the certification entry warning report, will be despatched following the complete processing of the centre's entries. |                          |

### Examination Materials

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| Early question paper materials based on estimated entries will be despatched in   | <b>October 2015</b>    |
| Early question paper materials based on final entries will be despatched in   | <b>November 2015</b>   |
| Question papers for the main examination period will be despatched in   | <b>December 2015</b>   |
| Examiner address labels for the main examination period will be despatched to arrive at least one week before the examination |                        |
| Attendance registers and examination directory (where requested) will be despatched by  | <b>5 December 2015</b> |
| Examination stationery will be despatched following the complete processing of the centre's entries.                          |                        |

### Access Arrangements and Special Requirements

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|---|------------------------|
| Access arrangement applications involving modified question papers to be received by OCR by   | <b>4 October 2015</b>  |
| Access arrangement applications not involving modified question papers to be received by OCR by the start of the two year course and at the latest by | <b>21 October 2015</b> |
| Special consideration applications to be received by OCR within 7 days of the examination.  |                        |

### Timetable

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| Final timetable will be online by                            | <b>30 June 2015</b>      |
| Final date for requesting transferred candidate arrangements | <b>1 December 2015</b>   |
| Main period of examinations                                  | <b>6–14 January 2016</b> |

### Internal Assessment

|  |                         |
|--|-------------------------|
| Internal assessment mark sheets (MS1) will be despatched by                    | <b>5 December 2015</b>  |
| Moderator and coursework examiner address labels will be despatched by         | <b>5 December 2015</b>  |
| Coursework and Portfolio administration forms will be despatched by            | <b>5 December 2015</b>  |
| Cambridge Nationals coursework marks for visiting moderation to be received by | <b>10 December 2015</b> |
| Centre coursework marks to be received by OCR by                               | <b>10 January 2016</b>  |

### Results

|  |                      |
|--|----------------------|
| Restricted release of results to centres only by EDI and OCR Interchange on                              | <b>2 March 2016</b>  |
| Release of results to candidates on  | <b>3 March 2016</b>  |
| Requests for priority scripts to be received by OCR by   | <b>11 March 2016</b> |
| Enquiries about Results applications (including Missing and Incomplete Results) to be received by OCR by | <b>7 April 2016</b>  |
| Requests for late certification to be received by OCR by   | <b>7 April 2016</b>  |
| Requests for non-priority scripts to be received by OCR by   | <b>15 April 2016</b> |
| Certificates will be despatched by   | <b>31 May 2016</b>   |

January 2016

# GCSE, GCE, Entry Level Certificate, FSMQ, Level 2 Award, Level 3 Certificate, Principal Learning & Projects, Level 1&2 Certificate and Cambridge Nationals

## Key dates

The dates and details below apply to all GCSE, GCE, Entry Level Certificate, FSMQ, Level 2 Award, Level 3 Certificate, Principal Learning, Projects, Level 1&2 Certificate and Cambridge Nationals units and certifications for the June 2016 examination series.

| Entries  |                         |
|--|-------------------------|
| Estimated entries to be received by OCR by   | <b>10 October 2015</b>  |
| Basedata will be available on the OCR website by   | <b>13 November 2015</b> |
| Final unit and certification entries to be received by OCR by  | <b>21 February 2016</b> |
| Final date for entering June 2016 Cambridge Nationals, Level 1&2 Certificate, Level 2 Award, Level 3 Certificate and Principal Learning re-sit entries following the issue of the January 2016 results without incurring late entry fees | <b>21 March 2016</b>    |
| Final entry withdrawals to be eligible for refunds for GCSE, Entry Level Certificate, Level 2 Award, Level 1&2 Certificate and Cambridge Nationals must be received by OCR no later than   | <b>21 March 2016</b>    |
| Final entry withdrawals to be eligible for refunds for GCE, FSMQ, Level 3 Certificate, Principal Learning and Projects must be received by OCR no later than   | <b>21 April 2016</b>    |
| Final entry withdrawals will not be accepted for GCE, FSMQ, Level 3 Certificate, Principal Learning and Projects by OCR after  | <b>10 August 2016</b>   |
| Final entry withdrawals will not be accepted for GCSE, Entry Level Certificate, Level 2 Award, Level 1&2 Certificate and Cambridge Nationals by OCR after  | <b>17 August 2016</b>   |
| Entry feedback documents, including the certification entry warning report, will be despatched following the complete processing of the centre's entries.  |                         |

| Access Arrangements and Special Requirements  |                        |
|---|------------------------|
| Access arrangement applications involving modified question papers to be received by OCR by   | <b>31 January 2016</b> |
| Access arrangement applications not involving modified question papers to be received by OCR by the start of the two year course and at the latest by | <b>21 March 2016</b>   |
| Special consideration applications to be received by OCR within 7 days of the examination   |                        |

| Internal Assessment  |                      |
|--|----------------------|
| Coursework and Portfolio administration forms will be despatched by  | <b>16 March 2016</b> |
| Cambridge Nationals coursework marks for visiting moderation to be received by   | <b>31 March 2016</b> |
| Internal assessment mark sheets (MS1) for GCSE, GCE, Entry Level Certificate, Level 1&2 Certificate, Principal Learning, Projects and Cambridge Nationals coursework will be despatched by | <b>15 April 2016</b> |
| Moderator address labels will be despatched by   | <b>2 May 2016</b>    |

| Internal Assessment ... continued   |                    |
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| Centre coursework marks for GCSE, GCE (with the exception of Art and Design), Entry Level Certificate, Level 1&2 Certificate, Principal Learning (postal moderation), Projects and Cambridge Nationals to be received by OCR by | <b>15 May 2016</b> |
| Examiner marked coursework for GCE to be received by the examiner by  | <b>15 May 2016</b> |
| Centre coursework marks for GCE Applied Art and Design to be received by OCR by   | <b>15 May 2016</b> |
| Centre coursework marks for GCE Art and Design to be received by OCR by   | <b>31 May 2016</b> |

| Examination Materials  |  |
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| Visit arrangement forms will be despatched by  | <b>9 November 2016</b>                               |
| Early question paper materials based on estimated entries will be despatched (dependent upon paper set dates) in                                       | <b>November 2015<br/>January 2016<br/>March 2016</b> |
| Early question paper materials based on final entries will be despatched in  | <b>March 2016</b>                                    |
| Question papers for examinations taken between 16 – 27 May will be despatched in   | <b>April 2016</b>                                    |
| Attendance registers for examinations taken between 16 May – 10 June and examinations directory (where requested) will be despatched by                | <b>24 April 2016</b>                                 |
| Examination stationery will be received by centres by  | <b>27 April 2016</b>                                 |
| Question papers for examinations taken between 6 – 17 June will be despatched in   | <b>May 2016</b>                                      |
| Attendance registers for examinations taken between 13 – 29 June will be despatched by   | <b>22 May 2016</b>                                   |
| Question papers for examinations taken between 20 – 29 June will be despatched in  | <b>June 2016</b>                                     |
| Examiner and coursework examiner address labels will be received by centres at least one week before the examination or date of coursework submission. |  |

| Timetable  |                              |
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| Final timetable will be online by                            | <b>30 June 2015</b>          |
| Final date for requesting transferred candidate arrangements | <b>18 April 2016</b>         |
| Main period of examinations                                  | <b>16 May – 29 June 2016</b> |

| Results   |                          |
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| Restricted release of results to centres only for GCE, FSMQ, Level 3 Certificate, Principal Learning (Level 3) and Extended Project by EDI and OCR Interchange at 00.01 on  | <b>17 August 2016</b>    |
| Release of results to candidates by centres for GCE, FSMQ, Level 3 Certificate, Principal Learning (Level 3) and Extended Project on  | <b>18 August 2016</b>    |
| Restricted release of results to centres only for GCSE, Entry Level Certificate, Level 2 Award, Level 1&2 Certificate, Principal Learning (Level 2), Project and Cambridge Nationals by EDI and OCR Interchange at 00.01 on | <b>24 August 2016</b>    |
| Release of results to candidates by centres for GCSE, Entry Level Certificate, Level 2 Award, Level 1&2 Certificate, Principal Learning (Level 2), Project and Cambridge Nationals on                                       | <b>25 August 2016</b>    |
| Requests for GCE and Principal Learning priority scripts to be received by OCR by   | <b>26 August 2016</b>    |
| Priority 2 enquiries about results applications to be received by OCR by  | <b>26 August 2016</b>    |
| Enquiries about results applications to be received by OCR by   | <b>20 September 2016</b> |
| Requests for late certification to be received by OCR by  | <b>20 September 2016</b> |
| Missing and incomplete results requests to be received by OCR by  | <b>20 September 2016</b> |
| Requests for non-priority scripts to be received by OCR by  | <b>4 October 2016</b>    |
| Certificates will be despatched by  | <b>31 October 2016</b>   |

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