

# Food Preparation & Nutrition—GCSE



Year 10		Year 11		
<p><b>Food Exam Theory:</b></p> <p>Food Preparation and Nutrition theory taught through a range of practical sessions, theory lessons and practise food investigations. To fully prepare for assessments in Year 11</p>	<p>Progress monitored using a range of assessments including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mini-tests</li> <li>• Practice exam questions</li> <li>• Extended written tasks</li> <li>• 2 mock Non-Exam Assessments (NEA):</li> </ul> <p>NEA 2 (Food Preparation):</p> <p>September—December</p> <p>Development of complex practical skills and adapting dishes to a specific dietary need.</p> <p>NEA1 (Food Science Investigation):</p> <p>May—July</p> <p>Development of food investigation skills identifying the functional and chemical properties of food.</p>	<p><b>Food Science Investigation</b></p> <p>September—November</p> <p>10 hours (15% of final grade)</p> <p>Investigate the working characteristics, functional and chemical properties of ingredients through a practical investigation.</p>	<p>Section A: Research (6 marks)</p> <p>Section B: Investigation (15 marks)</p> <p>Section C: Analysis &amp; Evaluation (9 marks)</p>	
	<p><b>Mock Exam March</b></p> <p><b>1 hour 45 minutes</b></p>	<p><b>Food Preparation</b></p> <p>November—March</p> <p>20 hours (35% of final grade)</p> <p>Plan, prepare and cook three dishes to meet the needs of a specific context.</p> <p>Nutritional knowledge will be a requirement for all tasks.</p>	<p>Section A: Researching the task (6 marks)</p> <p>Section B: Demonstrating technical skills (18 marks)</p> <p>Section C: Planning the final menu (8 marks)</p> <p>Section D: Making the final dishes (30 marks)</p> <p>Section E: Analyse and evaluate (8 marks)</p>	
		<p><b>Exam Revision</b></p> <p><b>(50% of final grade)</b></p> <p>Theoretical knowledge of the following modules:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Food, nutrition and health</li> <li>• Food science</li> <li>• Food safety</li> <li>• Food choice</li> <li>• Food provenance</li> </ul>	<p><b>Breakdown of Marks</b></p> <p>Multiple choice questions: 20 marks</p> <p>Five questions, with sub questions: 80 marks</p> <p><b>Total = 100 marks</b></p>	