MATHEMATICS (GCSE)

Mathematics GCSE	***AQA Mathematics***
	There will be three papers each of equal weighting. One of the papers will be non-calculator. There are 2 tiers, Higher and Foundation. The Higher tier will award grades 9 – 4, the Foundation 5 – 1. (Grade 5 is equivalent to a low grade B).

SUCCESS TIPS

- Always come prepared to your lessons with all your equipment especially a calculator. You should become familiar with your own calculator so you know how to use it in the exam.
- Always complete your homework as this gives you essential practise of the current topic and also allows you to see the type of questions you will need to be able to answer with the knowledge you have.
- Seek help if you do not understand as a problem left becomes harder to solve as time goes on.
- Practise tackling exam questions. Teachers will use these in their lessons and will give out past papers in the run up to exams.
- Start practising now, little and often is much better for Mathematics as you need to learn how to apply your knowledge in the context of each question.
- Use the revision resources are available:

  www.mymaths.co.uk Username: Masefield, password: jmhs1617
- Attend revision classes laid on for you
- For the exam
  - Always show your **full method**
  - Understand the **Key vocabulary** that will be used in questions.
  - **Underline key words** so that your comprehension of the question is improved.
  - **Learn** the Formulae needed.