

Being a successful GCSE / Level 2 student: Useful Websites and stuff....



General support for teenagers including well being

- www.projecteducation.co.uk/gcse offers links to GCSE chat forums.
- www.bbc.co.uk & www.childline.org.uk/explore/Pages/Explore.aspx
- www.youthaccess.org.uk/
- Chat Health Texting Service: Leicester City: 07520 61538 and Leicestershire & Rutland: 07520 615387
- www.healthforteens.co.uk
- <https://www.kooth.com/> online counselling service

General parent support

- www.parentlineplus.org.uk confidential helpline for parents on 0808 800 2222
- www.projecteducation.co.uk

Exam boards

- www.aqa.org.uk the Assessment and Qualifications Alliance (AQA)
- www.edexcel.org.uk Edexcel
- www.ocr.org.uk Oxford, Cambridge and RSA Examinations (OCR)
- <https://www.eduqas.co.uk/>

Coursework and revision

- Secure area in Key Stage 4 revision and support section on the academy website for access for revision materials for each subject – password: #Wigston2018
- www.coursework.info
- www.sparknotes.com
- www.gcseguide.co.uk – Use the ‘bookshop’ option to see what revision guides are available in each subject area.
- www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize
- www.gcse.com
- www.senecallearning.com - most subjects use this revision platform.
- <https://www.thenational.academy/> - National Oak Academy

Careers

- <http://careers-enterprise.wigstonmat.org/> Wigston Academy careers page – with up to date careers advice and guidance, including volunteering opportunities, apprenticeship vacancies and links to the local labour market in Leicester and Leicestershire
- <https://www.startprofile.com/> All students use the START website as part of their PSHE lessons, looking at a range of careers and how their skills and qualities link to a wide range of employment opportunities.
- <https://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk/>
- www.icould.com - Career advice, HE choices
- www.apprenticeships.org.uk & <https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/apprenticeshipsearch> - National Apprenticeship Services
- www.futuremorph.org - STEM careers
- www.targetjobs.co.uk - Careers info – construction, accountancy, banking, law, engineering, environment, media . . . etc.

- <https://www.princes-trust.org.uk/> can help with students who are looking to start a business from 16-24 years and other general careers based work.

Subjects:

Information for all GCSE/Level 2 subjects can be found on the Wigston Academy Website in the student area in the Key Stage 4 Revision and Support Area, in addition these are excellent resources that can be accessed for free and staff may use links for these via Satchel:One.

GCSE Bitesize also has appropriate materials for all curriculum subjects for Year 10 and 11 and a range of activities to complete.

British Council

<https://www.britishcouncil.org/school-resources/find> - Resources for English language learning

Science:

Gojimo (app download)

Temple GCSE (aap download)

GCSE 9-1 (app download)

GCSE Science Watch and Test (app download)

Maths:

My Maths: www.mymaths.co.uk

Log in: Wigston 1 Password: Square17

<https://corbettmaths.com/>

English Literature and Language

British Council - <https://www.britishcouncil.org/school-resources/find> - Resources for English language learning

<https://www.aqa.org.uk/>

<https://englishatwmat.org.wordpress.com/>

www.sparknotes.com

Business Studies:

www.businessed.co.uk

www.tut2u.net

