



PLUME ACADEMY - LEARNING OVERVIEW

Year	11
Course	Sociology GCSE
Specification Number/Exam Board	AQA 8192
End of course assessment and weightings	100% written examination Paper 1 Families and Education 50% Paper 2 Crime and Stratification 50%

Prior Learning

Students will build on and develop concepts, theories and skills learnt in Sociology during Year 10 to study Crime and Deviance and Social Stratification.

Curriculum Intent – What are the curriculum aims?

- To gain knowledge and understanding of key social structures, processes and issues through the study of families, education, crime and deviance and social stratification.
- To investigate facts and make deductions, develop opinions and new ideas on social issues, analyse and better understand the social world.
- To develop their analytical, assimilation and communication skills by comparing and contrasting perspectives on a variety of social issues, constructing reasoned arguments, making substantiated judgements and drawing reasoned conclusions.

Curriculum Implementation – What will my child will be learning?

Term 1	Half Term 1	Crime and Deviance - Concepts and theories explaining crime and deviance in society
	Half Term 2	Crime and Deviance - Crime statistics, the link between crime and the media and the relationship between crime and different social groups
Term 2	Half Term 3	Stratification - Theories and concepts explaining stratification, ways social class can be measured and the link between stratification and different social groups
	Half Term 4	Stratification – The study of poverty, the welfare state and power
Term 3	Half Term 5	Exam preparation
	Half Term 6	External examinations



Curriculum Impact – How will progress be assessed as I learn?

Regular exam questions in lessons and for homework

Quizzes- such as those in SMHW and Kahoot

Mid and end of unit tests

Mock examinations

Teacher feedback will be formal and informal as appropriate to tasks set.

Super-Curricular Opportunities – Support and Extending Learning

Useful study resources	If a student is really passionate about this subject...	As a parent/carer, I can assist my child in this subject by:
<p>https://www.britsoc.co.uk</p> <p>AQA GCSE 9-1 Sociology All in One Complete Revision and Practice Collins</p> <p>AQA GCSE 9-1 Sociology Revision Cards Collins</p> <p>AQA GCSE 9-1 Sociology Workbook Collins</p>	<p>Reading a newspaper and taking an interest in the national current in for example, The Guardian.</p> <p>Watch the documentaries:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stephen Lawrence: Time For Justice 2012 Panorama• How to break into the Elite 2019 BBC2	<p>-Encouraging them to complete homework to a good standard and on time</p> <p>-Testing your child regularly on their revision cards and mind maps, especially coming up to tests as logged on SMHW</p> <p>-Working with me to support your child's progress by attending parents evenings and contacting me if you are concerned about your child's progress</p>