Key Stage 5 Engineering



Year 13 Engineering Curriculum Information

	Key Question:	Specification:	Skill Focus: (AO)
Term	Unit 4:	Unit 3: Engineering	Unit 3 Learning Aim
1:	How to explore	Product Design and	A: Design triggers, challenges, constraints and opportunities, and
	commercial	Manufacture. External	materials and processes.
	engineering and	Assessment.	B: Interpreting a brief into operational requirements and
	business activities		analysing existing products
	such as cost control,	Unit 4: Applied	
	quality systems, and	Commercial and Quality	Unit 4 learning Aim
	value management.	Principles in Engineering.	A: Examine business functions and trade considerations that help
		Internal Assessment.	engineering organisations thrive.
	Unit 5:		B: Explore activity-based costing as a method to control costs
	How learners will	Unit 5: A Specialist	and to determine if an engineering product or service is
	apply project-	Engineering Project.	profitable.
	management	Internal Assessment.	
	principles to		Unit 5 Learning Aim
	undertake a 30 –	Unit 24: Maintenance of	A: Investigate an engineering project in a relevant specialist area.
	hour individual	Mechanical Systems.	B: Develop project-management processes and a design solution
	project that will	Internal Assessment	for he specialist engineering project as undertaken in industry.
	produce a product,		
	system or process	Unit 39: Modern	Unit 24 Learning Aim
	relevant to their	Manufacturing Systems.	A: Examine the characteristics of lubricants and their application
	specialist area of	Internal Assessment.	in mechanical systems.
	study.		B: Investigate the characteristics and applications of common
			consumable components used in mechanical systems.
			Unit 39 Learning Aim
			A: Understanding the functions of manufacturing operations and
			factors influencing their success.
			B: Examine process systems that are commonly used in the
			manufacturing industry.
Term	Unit 24:	Unit 3: Engineering	Unit 3 Learning Aim
2:	How to explore the	Product Design and	C: Using an iterative process to design ideas and develop a
	processes and	Manufacture. External	modified product proposal.
	components	Assessment.	D: Technical justification and validation of the design solution.
	associated with the		
	maintenance of	Unit 4: Applied	Unit 4 learning Aim
	mechanical systems.	Commercial and Quality	C: Explore how engineering organisations use quality systems
		Principles in Engineering.	and value management to create value.
	Unit 39:	Internal Assessment.	
	How to investigate		Unit 5 Learning Aim
	the principles of	Unit 5: A Specialist	C: Undertake the solution for a specialist engineering project and
	processing systems	Engineering Project.	present the solution as undertaken in industry.
	used in	Internal Assessment.	
	manufacturing and		Unit 24 Learning Aim
	how operations are	Unit 24: Maintenance of	C: Investigate the operation and application of power
	organised to make	Mechanical Systems.	transmissions components used in mechanical systems.
	the most efficient	Internal Assessment	
	use of time, materials		Unit 39 Learning Aim
	and equipment.	Unit 39: Modern	C: Investigate the principles of Lean manufacturing and how
		Manufacturing Systems.	these influence productivity.
		Internal Assessment.	
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Term	Unit 3:	Unit 3: Engineering	Exam preparation
3:	How to explore engineering product	Product Design and Manufacture. External	Unit 3 Learning Aims
	design and complete	Assessment.	Onit's Learning Ains
	activities that	Assessment.	A1: Design triggers
	consider function,		A2: Design challenges.
	sustainability.		A3: Equipment level and system level constraints.
	, materials and form.		A4: Material properties.
			A5: Mechanical power transmission.
			A6: Manufacturing processes.
			B1: Design for a customer.
			B2: Regulatory constraints and opportunities.
			B3: Market Analysis.
			B4: performance analysis.
			B5: Manufacturing analysis.
			C1: Design Proposals.
			C2: Communicating designs.
			C3: Iterative development process.
			D1: Statistical methods.
			D2: Validating designs.

Year 13 Engineering Assessment Information

Assessment	Time/Venue	What will be assessed?
Assessment 1:	20 Guided learning hours per Unit, per Learning Aim- Classroom. (160 guided learning hours total assessment time)	Full formal assessment of official internal assignment briefs for Units 4, 5, 24 and 39 (Assessment will be based on learning aims A and B, assignment briefs 1 and 2).
Assessment 2:	20 Guided learning hours per Unit, per Learning Aim- Classroom. (80 guided learning hours total assessment time)	Full formal assessment of official internal assignment briefs for Units 4, 5, 24 and 39 (Assessment will be based on learning aim C, assignment brief 3).
Assessment 3: Mock Examination	2 Hours – Exam Venue	A mock paper based on the external unit 3 exam.

