



PHYSICS A-LEVEL EXAMS 2018-19 For External Candidates

PHYSICS

Practical endorsements for new specification Science A-level qualifications are optional and are 'Pass/Fail' rather than graded – however, it is worth noting that many universities will not accept students without endorsements onto science-based courses.

A full Physics A-level consists of three written units and 12 practical assessments. Students are expected to have covered the syllabus in advance of beginning the Practical Endorsement Course. Although there is no endorsement for the AS qualification, the specification assumes candidates will have completed the first six tasks during the first year of their course and questions in the AS papers are set accordingly. Candidates are advised to study the Practical Handbook available on the AQA website.

EASTER: 1st-5th April (5 consecutive days)

Early Registration Fees

For registration before 1st August – please note that Tuition and Practical Endorsement Course fees will increase by 5% after this date.

| Option | Tuition | Written Exams | Practical Endorsement Course | Total |
|---------------|---------|---------------|------------------------------|-------|
| AS Exams | - | £175 | - | £175 |
| A-Level Exams | - | £350 | £1200 | £1550 |

Registration Fees

For registration after 1st August – please note that written exam fees will increase after 7th December due to late fees.

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|---------------|---------|---------------|------------------------------|-------|
| AS Exams | - | £175 | - | £175 |
| A-Level Exams | - | £350 | £1300 | £1650 |

****CAMPBELL HARRIS PRACTICAL ENDORSEMENT COURSES WILL COVER AQA SPECIFICATIONS****

Candidates sitting with Edexcel, OCR or WJEC will be able to enrol on the Campbell Harris Practical Endorsement course as the endorsements can be transferred between boards. Candidates are advised to study the relevant exam board's Practical Handbook in addition to completing the course, as while the techniques tested are the same, the specific tasks may vary between boards.

External students sitting multiple Science A-levels are strongly advised to choose the same examining board for all Science qualifications.