

## POST 16 SUBJECT OVERVIEW

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**Name of Subject** - Extended Project Qualification

### Which Examination Specification is Studied for this Course?

AQA

### Why should I study this course?

This 1 year course provides training in academic skills in order to work independently and complete a project of your choosing. Projects can be either theoretical or practical. They can be entirely tailored to your interests or potential career options.

### Who is suitable to study this course?

Students generally take EPQ as an additional course in year 12.

### What GCSE Qualifications Support the Study of this Course?

All GCSE subjects support the study of this course due to the flexibility of the subject content of the chosen project.

### What are the Qualification Requirements for this Course?

It would be desirable to have a level 5 in GCSE English.

### How is the Course Delivered?

Students will have a 2 hour session each week where your Supervisor will teach the taught element of the course. You will learn about research, note taking, planning, time management and referencing methods. Students will propose the content of their own project and once confirmed they will be able to independently plan and complete their project.

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<b>Half Term</b>	<b>Year 12</b>
<b>Autumn 1</b>	Taught Skills
<b>Autumn 2</b>	Proposal and Project Planning
<b>Spring 1</b>	Mid Project Review
<b>Spring 2</b>	Final Project Review and Presentation
<b>Summer 1</b>	Final Submission and Course End
<b>Summer 2</b>	

### **How is the Course Assessed?**

This course is 100% assessed on coursework

Evidence gathered over time. It is marked holistically across 4 assessment objectives -

20% Planning

20% Research

40% Project Realisation

20% Reflection

### **What is our Recommended Subject Reading list to Support your Study?**

<https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/projects/project-qualifications/EPQ-7993/spec-at-a-glance>

