

Key Stage 4 Sociology curriculum map

		Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 10	content	Foundations of Sociology and Families and Households • What is sociology? • What is Socialisation? • Consensus vs conflict • Functionalism • Marxism Interactionism • Feminism • The New Right	Families and Households • Family types • Sociological theories on the family (functionalism and Marxism) • Family Diversity • Changing Family trends • Marriage and Divorce • Gender roles in the family (symmetrical, conjugal	Sociological Perspectives on Education • Theories of Education (Functionalist and Marxist) • Educational provision in the UK - types • Education policies and impact on achievement (CAGE)	 Differences in Education Achievement Differences in education and achievement (class, gender) and ethnicity) Labelling, subculture, self-fulfilling prophecy, teacher expectation, streaming 	Research Methods • Research design • Scientific Method • Surveys • Sampling • Questionnaires • Interviews • Observation (participant and non-participant)	Research Methods in Context • Statistics • Case studies • Longitudinal studies • quantitative vs qualitative • Sociological case studies for each research method
Year 11	content	 Explanations of crime and deviance Difference between crime and deviance Social construction of crime and deviance Difference between formal and informal social control Functionalist view Marxist view Feminist view Interactionist view 	Understand patterns of crime • Main statistical data • Class and crime • Gender and crime • Ethnicity and crime • Age and crime • The prison system • Violent crime and sentencing • Media reporting of crime	Understand what is meant by social stratification • What is social stratification • Issues surrounding power and control • Concept of social stratification • Social perspectives on stratification • Social mobility and its influences.	 Understand the causes and effects of stratifications The causes and effects of poverty, and perspectives on how inequality can be dealt with. Sociological theories on the solution to poverty and inequality 	Revision - Exams	