

# CRIMINOLOGY

# YEAR 12

## AUTUMN 1

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| <p><b>Unit 1.</b><br/>Analyse different types of crime. Explain the reasons that certain crimes are unreported. Explain the consequences of unreported crime. Describe media representation of crime.</p> | <p><b>Unit 2.</b><br/>Compare criminal behaviour and deviance. Explain the social construction of criminality.</p> | <p>Prior Learning<br/>New subject content but skills of analysis, comparison and inference are called upon from KS4 study in English.</p> |
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## AUTUMN 2

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| <p><b>Unit 1.</b><br/>Explain the impact of media representations on the public perception of crime Evaluate methods of collecting statistics about crime. Compare campaigns for change. Evaluate the effectiveness of media used in campaigns for change.</p> | <p><b>Unit 2.</b><br/>Describe biological theories of criminality. Describe individualistic theories of criminality.</p> | <p>Prior Learning<br/>Types of crimes, definitions of crime and deviance.</p> |
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## SPRING 1

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| <p><b>Unit 1.</b><br/>Evaluate the effectiveness of media used in campaigns for change. Plan a campaign for change relating to crime. Design materials for use in campaigning for change.</p> | <p><b>Unit 2.</b><br/>Describe sociological theories of criminality<br/>Analyse situations of criminality.</p> | <p>Prior Learning<br/>Media representations of crime,<br/>Biological and individualistic theories of crime.</p> |
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## SPRING 2

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| <p><b>Unit 1.</b><br/>Justify a campaign for change. Preparation for U1 controlled assessment. Complete 8 hour controlled assessment.</p> | <p><b>Unit 2.</b><br/>Evaluate the effectiveness of criminological theories to explain causes of criminality. Assess the use of criminological theories in informing policy development.</p> | <p>Prior Learning<br/>Unit 1. Changings awareness of crime.</p> |
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## SUMMER 1

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| <p><b>Unit 2.</b><br/>Explain how social changes affect policy development<br/>Discuss how campaigns affect policy making.</p> | <p><b>Unit 2.</b><br/>Student will complete a mock paper, revision lessons and actual exam approx. 19/05/21.</p> | <p>Prior Learning<br/>Unit 1. Changings awareness of crime. Unit 2. Criminological theories.</p> |
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## SUMMER 2

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| <p><b>Unit 3.</b><br/>1.1 and 1.2 content.</p> | <p>Prior Learning<br/>Units 1 and 2.</p> |
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## CAREERS LINKS

Employment opportunities are often within the criminal justice system, victim support agencies, law firms, Crown Prosecution Service, or the National Probation Service.

## CHARACTER LINKS

Moral virtues of respect, integrity, humility are called upon when examining issues related to criminality. Intellectual virtues of reflection, curiosity and critical judgement are needed when analysing and exploring causes and effectiveness of criminal theories.

## KEY ASSESSMENT DATES

Unit 1: students will complete end of topic tasks on Google Classroom in preparation for their 8 hour controlled assessment (March 2022).  
Unit 2: students will complete end of topic tests throughout the year in preparing for their examination in May 2022.