

## Sociology A-Level Sociology

**Subject** Sociology

Exam Board AQA

**Specification Numbers** 7192

**Teacher Responsible** Mr S Julian

**Introduction** Sociology is the study of the development, structure, and functioning of human

society. Students of sociology investigate the social causes and consequences of

a number of factors in human life.

Such factors can include the structure and nature of relationships in the family

to the representations of gender and sexuality in the media.

Aims of the Course The course aims to provide students with a broad understanding of the world

around them.

Students are encouraged to look at society from a variety of different viewpoints,

with a specific focus on the areas of the family, education, the media and crime.

**How You Are Assessed** The course is 100% examination.

There are 3 papers, each is 2 hours long.

Paper One

Education with Theory and Methods

**Paper Two** 

Family and Media

**Paper Three** 

Crime & Deviance with Theory & Methods

**Links to Future Careers** Sociology is well-suited to careers in:

- Teaching
- Lecturing
- Social work
- Social policy
- Banking
- The media
- Criminal justice system

## **Entry Requirement**