



## **Support for GCSE, AS and A Level examinations in modern foreign languages 2022**

**DfE has announced** that exam boards will publish advance information for all GCSE, AS and A level subjects, with the exception of GCSE English literature, GCSE history, GCSE ancient history, GCSE geography and art and design. Ofqual has published the following documents on advance information:

- **letter to exam boards**
- **Postcard overview with infographic**
- **Subject-by-subject guide**.

Ofqual has also published a refreshed version of a guide for students: **coping with exam pressure**, which was produced in conjunction with Professor Dave Putwain, a researcher (and a former school and college teacher) at Liverpool John Moores University.

### **Details of GCSE MFL**

#### **Modern foreign languages, GCSE**

##### **Changes for 2022**

1. Information on some of the exam content has been provided to help students focus their revision.
2. No requirement to use words not on vocabulary list.
3. Examiners will build in generosity for students when setting grade boundaries.

### **Details of AS and A Level MFL**

##### **Changes for 2022**

1. Information on some of the exam content has been provided to help students focus their revision.
2. No requirement to use words not on vocabulary list.



## AQA Advance information

All our advance information is on our website now. You can find it using the [subject finder on our website](#).

To support teachers with the advance information, see the [guidance for teachers and students on the use of advance information for 2022](#) which was published by the Joint Council for Qualifications (JCQ). The JCQ has also published FAQ documents for [schools and colleges](#) and [students](#) to answer questions about advance information.



## Pearson Edexcel

Advance information is available to access on the [Summer 2022 support page](#) for all relevant GCSE, A level and International GCSE subjects.

To help schools and colleges access the advance information more easily, we have also grouped all the documents together in zip files by qualification type and added them to our Summer 2022 support page. Simply download each zip file to access the advance information for each subject. We have also provided these zip files to Exams Officers via Edexcel Online.

Alternatively, if preferred, teachers can download advance information just for the language(s) that they teach from the summer 2022 support tab of each applicable language qualification, for example for GCSE French [here](#).

Please note that advance information should be read alongside the [JCQ advance information teacher guidance](#), which helps to explain the principles behind it, and how to use it to support exam preparation.

Pearson Edexcel have produced a document with links to every languages qualification they offer at GCSE, AS and A Level which you can [download here](#).



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