

**MATHEMATICS GCSE
EXAMINATION BOARD WJEC
SPECIFICATION NUMBER 184**

DESCRIPTION OF SPECIFICATION

Pupils will follow the WJEC Mathematics syllabus which covers the four areas of Mathematics as set down in the National curriculum:

- Using and Applying Mathematics.
- Number and Algebra
- Shape and Space
- Handling Data

TYPE OF WORK INVOLVED

Over the 2 year course pupils will develop their mathematical knowledge and understanding using oral, written and practical skills in a way that will encourage confidence and provide satisfaction and enjoyment.

METHOD OF ASSESSMENT

External assessment takes the form of two written exam papers – one calculator and one non calculator. Each of these is worth 50% of the marks.

There are two tiers of entry – Higher and Foundation

FUTURE PROSPECTS

Mathematics is vital for any future career, whether it is in the field of employment or in further education.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Scientific Calculator Casio Fx83
Geometry set