

Eduqas GCSE Latin Resources Guide

This booklet provides an overview of the support, guidance and resources available to those teaching the Eduqas GCSE Latin specification across our suite of websites.

Subject webpage

The Eduqas GCSE Latin <u>subject webpage</u> on the Eduqas website is the starting place for anyone teaching the specification and contains a range of official documentation relating to the qualification including the specification, sample assessment materials and past papers.

Online Exam Review

The Online Exam Review website hosts marked examination exemplar in an interactive digital format.

Secure website

The <u>secure website</u> gives teachers access to past papers and marking schemes ahead of their publication on the public website.

For teachers to access the secure website, they will need a username and password, which can be set up by their Examinations Officer.

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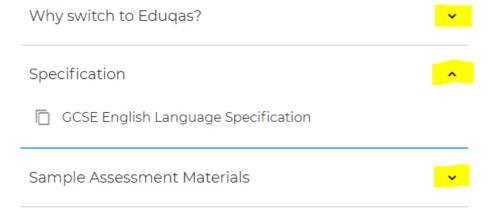


1. Key Documents

A list of Key Documents is available on the <u>subject webpage</u> of the Eduqas website and can be accessed by selecting <u>Resources > Key Documents</u>.



The documents are arranged in categories, and the documents in each category can be viewed by clicking the downward arrow alongside the category name.



Below are direct links to some of the documents that you will need to get started teaching the qualification.



GCSE Latin Specification



Guidance for Teaching



A guide to switching to Eduqas



Sample Assessment Materials



2. Past Papers



Question papers from past examination series are available for:

Component 1 – Latin Language.

Component 2 – Latin Literature and Sources (Themes).

Component 3A – Latin Literature (Narratives).

Component 3B – Roman Civilisation.

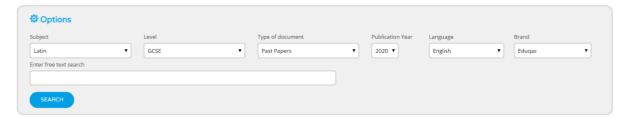
Past papers on secure website (shortly after end of exam series)

Past papers are published initially on the <u>secure website</u> shortly after the end of the examination series.

To locate the past papers, select 'Past Papers & Marking Schemes' from the 'Resources' menu at the top of the screen:



Then use the dropdown menus to choose the papers that you are looking for:

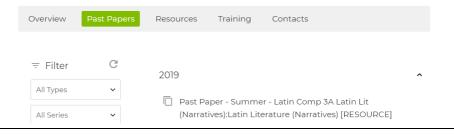


Past papers on public website (from six months after Results day)

Past papers are published on the public website approximately six months after results for a series have been issued:

Series	Past Papers on public website							
June series	1 March							
November series	1 August							
January series	1 October							

They can be accessed on the <u>subject webpage</u> under the <u>Past Papers</u> tab.





3. Marking Schemes



Marking schemes are available to accompany question papers from past examination series, providing instructions on how to apply the marking criteria, examples of indicative content, and assessment grids articulating the banded descriptors for different levels of responses.

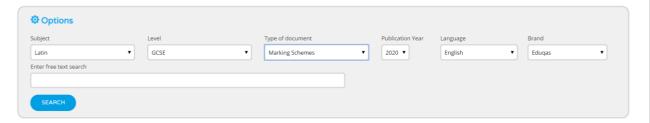
Marking schemes on secure website (from Results day)

Marking schemes are published initially on the <u>secure website</u> on Results day for the examination series.

To locate the marking schemes, select 'Past Papers & Marking Schemes' from the 'Resources' menu at the top of the screen:



Then use the dropdown menus to choose the marking schemes that you are looking for:

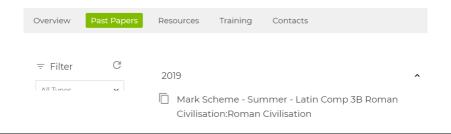


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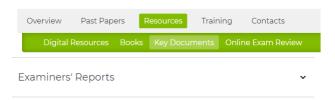


4. Examiners' Reports

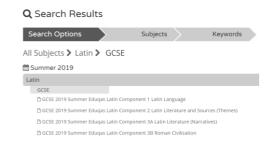


The Principal Examiners' reports provide helpful observations and commentary on candidates' performance across the examined series.

They are published on Results day for each series and are available on the <u>subject webpage</u> under <u>Resources > Key Documents</u>.



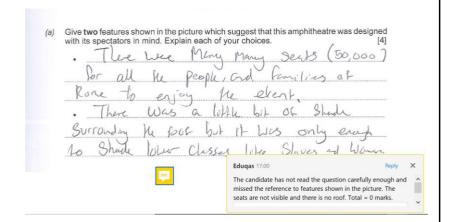
5. Online Exam Review (Marked Exemplar)



A set of Online Exam Review material for each exam component is published providing a number of clean and marked exemplars of candidate responses to key questions from previous examinations. These allow students to review others' responses and discuss ways in which they may be improved, thus developing their own skills.

These materials are available on our <u>Online Exam</u>
<u>Review</u> website and are made available shortly after results are issued for each series.

🔲 Eduqas 2019 Online Exam Review
∨ ☐ C990UB0-1 Eduqas GCSE Latin
Component 3B - Roman Civilisation
✓ □ Item Level Data
Facility factor graph
✓ □ Topic 1: Roman Entertainment and Leisure
✓ ☐ Question 3 (a)
Mark scheme
✓ □ Example 1
Example 1 marked
✓ ☐ Example 2
Example 2 marked
✓ ☐ Example 3
Example 3 marked



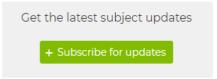
If you are accessing the OER document in a web browser and are only able to see a single page, please download the document and re-open it in Adobe Reader in order to fully access the exemplar material. Copies of candidate responses are also available to download from our <u>subject page</u> as a single pdf document together with instructions for printing with or without Principal Examiner comments.



6. Newsletters



Click the <u>Subscribe for updates</u> button on the right-hand side of the <u>subject webpage</u> to sign up for email updates about the qualification, including the termly subject-specific newsletters published each September, January and April.



Past newsletters are also available from the <u>subject</u> webpage under *Resources* > *Key Documents*.

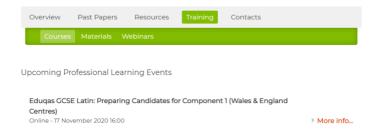


7. CPD Materials

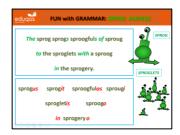
Annual CPD programme

Eduqas offers an annual programme of CPD training events, featuring face-to-face and/or online sessions designed for practitioners to get all the latest feedback on assessments, an insight into our teaching resources, and a range of practical tips and strategies for the classroom.

Details of forthcoming sessions are listed on the <u>subject webpage</u> under <u>Training > Courses</u>.



Materials from past CPD events



Materials from CPD training events held in previous years are available on the <u>subject webpage</u> and can be accessed by selecting <u>Training > Materials</u>.





The focus of each year's provision is outlined below.

Autumn 2019	Assessment > classroom practice – review the recent summer assessment series, explore examples of marked candidate responses, and suggestions for teaching.								
Autumn 2018	Assessment > classroom practice – reviewing the summer's assessment and preparing for the year ahead								
January 2017	Preparing to Teach – training for those new to teaching the Eduqas Latin specification								

Pre-recorded webinars



A number of pre-recorded webinars are available on the <u>subject webpage</u> under <u>Training > Webinars</u>.



A selection of the available webinars for Eduqas GCSE Latin is detailed below.

Component 3A



This <u>pre-recorded webinar</u> is designed to support to teaching of GCSE Latin Component 3A: Latin Literature Narratives.

Roman Civilisation



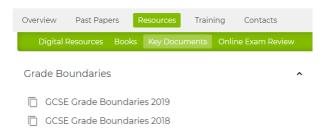
This <u>pre-recorded webinar</u> is designed to support to teaching of GCSE Latin Component 3B: Roman Civilisation.



8. Grade Boundaries and Exam Results Analysis

Grade boundaries

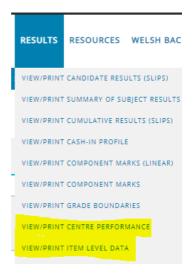
Grade boundaries from past examination series are available on the <u>subject webpage</u> under <u>Resources > Key Documents</u>.



These tables will show the overall mark needed to gain each grade, as well as notional grade boundaries for each individual component.

Eduqas GCSE (Single Award) Grade Points – June 2019												
Entry Code	Subject/Component	Maximum Mark	Weighting Factor	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
C990PA	LATIN (COMBINATION A)	200		170	155	140	126	113	100	77	54	32
C990PB	LATIN (COMBINATION B)	200		170	155	141	127	113	100	77	55	33
C990U1	Component 1 - Latin Language	100	1.0000	89	83	78	70	62	53	40	27	14
C990U2	Component 2 - Latin Literature and Sources (Themes)	60	1.0000	47	42	37	33	29	26	20	15	10
C990UA	Component 3 (Option A) - Latin Literature (Narratives)	40	1.0000	34	30	25	23	22	21	17	12	8
C990UB	Component 3 (Option B) - Roman Civilisation	40	1 0000	34	30	26	24	22	21	17	13	9

Exam Results Analysis



Exam Results Analysis can be used by teachers to:

- Evaluate their own performance against specification norms.
- Identify strengths and weaknesses for a candidate/ cohort and suggest areas of improvement.
- Assist individual candidates in improving their own performance.

It can be accessed on the <u>secure website</u> and allows you to compare your students' performance on each question with that of the candidature overall, letting you see where they have done well and where there might be room for improvement. To do this, under the 'Results' tab, click on 'View/Print Item Level Data' or 'View/Print Centre Performance' for comparable data.

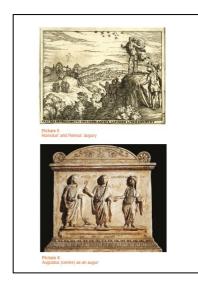
A detailed guide to using the Exam Results Analysis facility is available on the <u>subject webpage</u> under <u>Resources > Key Documents</u>.



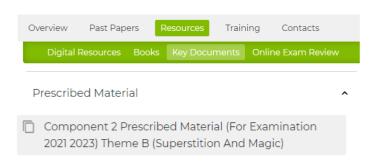


9. Prescribed Material and Vocabulary Lists

Component 2 – Latin Literature (Themes)



Booklets of prescribed material for both themes, along with the accompanying vocabulary lists, are available on the subject webpage under Resources > Key Documents.



The themes for examination in 2021, 2022 and 2023 are:

Booklets of prescribed texts for both options, along with the

Theme A – Travel by Land and Sea.

Theme B – Superstition and Magic.

Component 3A – Latin Literature (Narratives)

Prescribed Material

accompanying vocabulary lists, are available on the subject webpage under Resources > Key Documents. Past Papers Resources Overview Training

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Component 3A Prescribed Text (for examination in 2020 and 2021) - Pliny - The eruption of Vesuvius.

The options for examination in 2021 are:

Pliny - The eruption of Vesuvius.

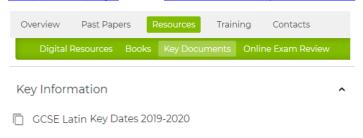
Ovid - The Flood.



10. Key Dates



A list of key dates for Eduqas GCSE Latin is available on the <u>subject webpage</u> under <u>Resources > Key Documents</u>.



Published at the start of each academic year, this document gives you all the important dates you need to plan for the year ahead.

11. Resources produced by the Cambridge School Classics Project

In addition to the resources provided by Eduqas, the <u>Cambridge School Classics Project</u> have produced a vast range of free online resources to support the teaching of GCSE Latin and these resources are available from the <u>CSCP</u> website.

