

GCSE Study Planner Name:

Successful GCSE Students Study in short bursts of 25 minutes followed by a 10 minute break. At least 1 hour per day building to 3 hours over the year. Block out the times you know you WON'T be Studying first (eating tea, going to the gym, meeting friends etc). Then put in the subjects you will be studying. Use the following techniques to study:

- Making Flash Card / Mind Maps / Word Diagrams / Visual Organisers
- Testing using the above and websites such as Seneca, MyMaths, Physics tutor etc.
- Practising past papers and acting on feedback

| Day / Time | Study Support 3.20 – 4pm | 4-5  | 5-6  | 6-7 | 7-8 | 8-9 |
|------------|--------------------------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Monday     |                          |      |      |     |     |     |
| Tuesday    |                          |      |      |     |     |     |
| Wednesday  |                          |      |      |     |     |     |
| Thursday   |                          |      |      |     |     |     |
| Friday     |                          |      |      |     |     |     |
|            |                          |      |      |     |     |     |
|            |                          | 9-12 | 12-3 | 3-6 | 6-9 |     |
| Saturday   |                          |      |      |     |     |     |
| Sunday     |                          |      |      |     |     |     |

Example Study Planner for September / October

| Day / Time | Study Support 3.20<br>– 4pm               | 4-5                 | 5-6                                | 6-7                              | 7-8                        | 8-9                      |
|------------|---|---------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Monday     | <i>Silent Study (Past papers)</i>         | <i>Walk the dog</i> | <i>Tea</i>                         | <i>Maths / Chemistry</i>         | <i>Xbox</i>                | <i>Xbox</i>              |
| Tuesday    | <i>Biology week 1<br/>Option Y week 2</i> | <i>Friends</i>      | <i>Tea</i>                         | <i>Physics / Biology</i>         | <i>Football Training</i>   | <i>Football Training</i> |
| Wednesday  | <i>Silent Study</i>                       | <i>English</i>      | <i>Tea</i>                         | <i>Walk the dog</i>              | <i>Geography / History</i> | <i>Xbox</i>              |
| Thursday   | <i>Gym</i>                                | <i>Gym</i>          | <i>Tea</i>                         | <i>English / Media</i>           | <i>Biology</i>             | <i>Friends</i>           |
| Friday     | <i>RE</i>                                 | <i>Walk the dog</i> | <i>Tea</i>                         | <i>Friends</i>                   | <i>Friends</i>             | <i>Friends</i>           |
|            |   |                     |                                    |                                  |                            |                          |
|            |   | 9-12                | 12-3                               | 3-6                              | 6-9                        |                          |
| Saturday   |   | <i>Football</i>     | <i>Maths / Physics / Chemistry</i> | <i>Friends</i>                   | <i>Friends</i>             |                          |
| Sunday     |   | <i>Free Time</i>    | <i>Free Time</i>                   | <i>Biology / English / Media</i> | <i>Friends</i>             |                          |