

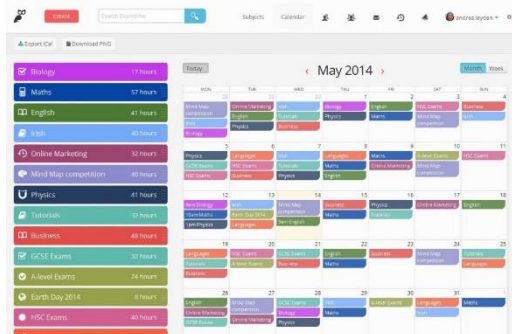
Top 10 Revision Tips

1. Start Early

Do not leave it until the last minute. Make sure you start revising weeks rather than days before the exam.

2. Create a Revision Timetable

Building a revision timetable can add structure to your revision and help you identify which GCSE subjects you need to prioritise to get better marks. Creating a revision timetable is a great way to organise your study time, plus it also helps boost your motivation to revise for your exams.



3. Take regular study Breaks

Do you feel stressed, tired and that no new information is entering your head? There is no point forcing yourself to study for hours upon hours as this will not result in a positive outcome. Taking regular study breaks and exercising is proven to be engaging your brain in studying and improve your exam performance in the long-run.

4. Use Mind Maps to focus your revision and connect ideas

If you find it difficult to remember tons of new study notes, Mind Maps may be the key to improving your memory. The theory behind mind mapping explains that making associations by connecting ideas helps you to memorise information easier and quicker.



5. Do plenty of past papers

It is all about practice! Ask your teachers for some practice papers so you can get used to the way the questions are phrased and also what they are looking for in your answers.

6. Create Revision Flash cards

Using Flash Cards, write key facts and figures or definitions to key words. These are particularly effective when you make them as question and answer cards as you can give them to friends and family to test you.

7. Create wall posters

Make posters with key words, diagrams and labelled images and stick them on the wall of your bedroom. These are often the last things you will see at night and the first things you will see in the morning, constantly enabling you to remember key information

8. Post-it-notes around the house

This is a great way for you to constantly see key revision content and your brain will also connect information with where the post-it-note is. For example, the answer for



Quadratic Equations was on the fridge.

9. Try some revision Apps

There are many great revision Apps for students to try such as:

- SelfControl
- Gojimo
- Quizlet
- Memrise

10. Adapt for different GCSE Subjects

It may seem obvious but many students try to study for different subjects using the same study methods. Your GCSE revision should take account of the differences between your subjects.

For example, Flashcards are an ideal study aid to help you prepare for a Spanish, French, German and exam such as GCSE Science where you need to remember key definitions. An Online Quiz is a great way to test your GCSE Maths skills