

Student Revision Conference

# GCSE Maths: achieving Grades 4 and 5

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“ *The presenter clearly understood how to engage and motivate. Our students clearly benefitted from the event.* ”

Branston Community Academy

## MAXIMISE MATHS GRADES

With this comprehensive exam focussed revision conference



## ABOUT THIS CONFERENCE

This workshop has been revised following the most recent GCSE exams and individual school 2020 “catch-up” programmes. The focus of this workshop is to support students in securing Grades 4 and 5 in their GCSE Mathematics examination. Students will develop the skills required for problem solving approaches; enabling them to access problems; have the skills to meet the challenges of answering Grade 4 and 5 questions and be able to present their solutions to examiners clearly.

This course is designed for delivery in school and can be booked for a suitable date for your school, as such the timings are only a guideline and can be modified to fit your school day. The course leader will liaise in advance with the subject lead to ensure the content of the workshops matches up with experiences and strategies already employed in school.

This can be booked as full day on higher content or we can create a split workshop in which half of the day is spent on the 6-9 higher content and half the day on the 4-5 foundation content.

- A fast-paced day to keep students engaged and motivated: take away the most crucial strategies for exam success
- Develop high quality examination technique, understanding and confidence
- Gain first-hand guidance and advice from a subject expert, unpicking and addressing how to ensure students achieve at least their target grades
- Have the opportunity to ask questions directly to the subject expert
- Take away conference notes with revision guidance that really works
- Can be tailored into a split day with a grade 6-9 workshop

## KEYNOTE SPEAKER

**Will Rigby:** Secondary Mathematics Advisor to MATs, LAs and governments. Regional Advisor for the North of England on the DfE Core Maths Support Programme and KS2-5 mathematics teacher with 41 years of teaching and advising experience. Former Chief Examiner, Senior Examiner, Ofqual Subject Expert and author.

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## PROGRAMME

<b>Welcome and Introductions</b>	10.00 – 10.10am
<b>Ways to ensure Grades 4 and 5</b>	10.10 – 11.00am
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Explore high quality revision tactics with our examiner and look at what worked in previous years' exam answers</li><li>● Obtain expert guidance on how to be awarded maximum marks for working out and answers.</li><li>● Gain knowledge of how to develop answers to pick up crucial marks</li><li>● <b>STUDENT ACTIVITY:</b> using examples of student answers, this is a hands-on practical marking activity with the students becoming the examiner</li></ul>	
Morning Break	11.00 – 11.20am
<b>Methods and Applications for AO1 Fluency – how to maximise the final grade</b>	11.20 – 12.20pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Discover what the examiners are looking for and what not to do</li><li>● Work on the vital techniques for hitting the 50% content in each assessment</li><li>● <b>STUDENT ACTIVITY:</b> Questions focusing on achieving Grades 4 and 5 – with example responses and challenging student activities.</li><li>● Decide which is <b>Bad, Better</b> and which is the <b>Best</b> and see how to improve responses</li><li>● Quick fire strategies to overcome common misconceptions</li></ul>	
Lunch	12.20 – 12.50pm
<b>Q&amp;A followed by Methods and Applications for AO2 Student Reasoning, Understanding and Inference</b>	12.50 – 1.50pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Excellent examiner guidance on developing reasoning and an algebraic approach to coherent solutions – “Someone has to read your working!”</li><li>● Mop up functionality marks and improve student inference skills</li><li>● <b>STUDENT ACTIVITY:</b> Workbook challenge – strategies to tackle more complex problems using example responses.</li></ul>	
<b>Methods and Applications for AO3 Problem Solving</b>	1.50 – 2.50pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Remembering key information and tackling problem solving questions</li><li>● <b>STUDENT ACTIVITY:</b> Examples of the common misconceptions and errors that students make – and how to avoid these!</li><li>● Maximising marks in AO2 and AO3 questions: top examiner tips</li></ul>	
<b>Final Top Tips and close</b>	2.50 – 3.00pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Final Top tips</li><li>● “Getting ready to achieve your Best Grade” – what students need to do after today!</li></ul>	

## Bring the student revision experience in school, by booking a fully tailored version of this course or any other, for your students.

Our team are ready to work with you to create an outstanding day of revision and examiner advice, to ensure your students get the best results possible.

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### GCSE Maths: achieving Grades 6 to 9

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### Pearson Edexcel A-level Maths

Manchester

Wednesday 10 March 2021

London

Wednesday 17 March 2021

CODE 8368

### OCR A-level Physics

London

Wednesday 17 March 2021

CODE 8324

## HOW TO BOOK

Places are £25 per student plus VAT, one free teacher for every 10 student places if booking as a school.


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