Noadswood Computing Department Digital Media

GCSE Support



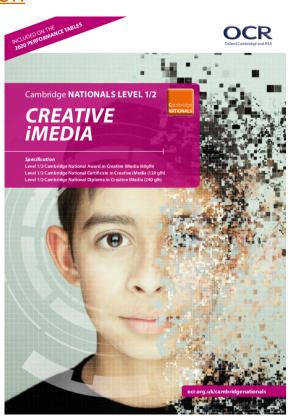
Computing Department

- * GCSE Computer Science or a Level 2 Qualification in Digital Media
- Cambridge National iMedia qualification

Qualification Details – iMedia

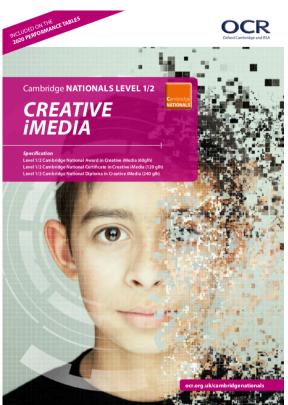
* OCR Cambridge National iMedia Level 2 qualification

- * Exam is worth 25% of the overall qualification
- * Coursework is worth the remaining 75%
- * Coursework consists of a 3 units (1 mandatory, 2 teacher specific)
- * Exam is taken in May/June series of Year 11
- * Grades are Distinction* (Level 2), Distinction (Level 2), Merit (Level 2), Pass (Level 2), Distinction (Level 1), Merit (Level 1), Pass (Level 1) and FAIL



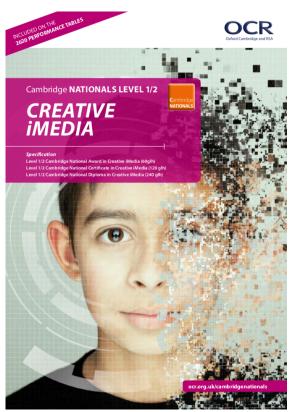
Qualification Details – iMedia

- * OCR Cambridge National iMedia Level 2 qualification
- * Exam (Ro81) 1.15 hour written paper in May/June
- * Exam worth 25% of overall qualification



Qualification Details: Year 9 and 10 – iMedia

- * OCR Cambridge National iMedia Level 2 qualification
- Coursework consists of 3 modules, each equally weighted: -
 - * Ro82 Digital Graphics (creation of digital graphics (Photoshop intensive)) which is mandatory
 - * Ro85 Website Product (creation of a website for a media product)
 - * Ro86 Digital Animation (creation of an animation using Key Frame)
 - Ro91 Designing a Game Concept (design, not the actual game)
 - * 2x modules will be chosen by class teacher between Ro85, Ro86 and Ro91

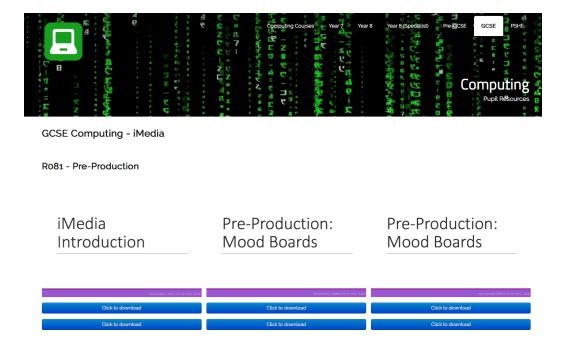


Where we are

- * As we stand, we have completed two of the modules with one remaining
- The first two modules are being collected and finished marks will be given back in the new year with the final module being completed by March
- * The exam component (25%) will be studied in one of the periods across the two weeks from January onwards

Student Resources

* All the class resources have been placed on the dedicated *Frog* pages



Support

* Alongside Frog having a variety of resources for each course, there are some specific materials which we really aid independent student revision for the iMedia course...

* iMedia will have a 'classic' written exam – as such they have been set h/w questions on a weekly basis going over the key content of the exam. Encouragement to complete these will really aid progression, as well as using the specific course revision guide (Amazon <u>link</u>)

OCR Cambridge Nationals

CREATIVE IMEDIA L1/2

Pre-production skills and Creating digital graphics



Kevin Wells



* Resources (all found on Frog) have multiple practice exam papers with mark schemes

Answer all the questions.

SECTION A

Youth# is a new youth centre. It is opening up ready for the start of the new school year so that there is somewhere for thereagers to go in the evening. It is a joint project between local youth workers after the Police Community Support Officers (PCSO). Youth# workers the start between the start between the You have been asked to develop a number of ore-works to develop are both of this.

1	Youth# wants to set up a website that will allow teenagers in the town to find out more information
	about the centre. One of the first pre-production documents that you have been asked to produce
	is a visualisation diagram of the website homepage.

(a)	(i)	State one purpose of the visualisation diagram.					
		[1]					
	(ii)	State \boldsymbol{two} items that could be included in the visualisation diagram for a website homepage.					
		1					
		2[2]					
(b)		xplain ${\bf one}$ reason why the visualisation diagram is a suitable choice for the websitomepage for Youth#.					
		[2]					
		[4]					
You	th# h	as asked for a mind map of the website to be created.					
Sta	te on	e purpose of a mind map when planning the website.					
		[1]					

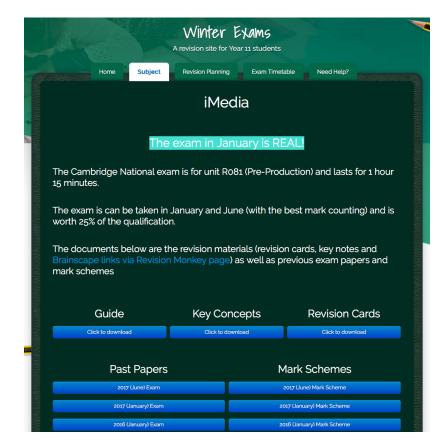
Question		uestion Answer		Marks	Guidance
1	а	i	One from e.g. allow to see webpage in visual form(1) allow to see an idea for webpage will work(1)	1	Answer must refer to the web based context
		ii	Two from e.g. logo(1) title(1) image(1) colours(1) font(s) (1) annotations (1)	2	Allow features of a webpage NOT website
	b		Two marks for suitable response with expansion. e.g. allows easy visual view(1) of website homepage (1) can easily see (1) if the webpage fits together well(1) so can see the layout of the webpage(1) and make a change if suitable(1)	2	Allow mix and match for suitable response based in the context of a website homepage.
2			One from e.g. Can see how pages can fit together to form site(1) Can generate ideas for content on page(s)/site(1)	1	Must refer to context of website.

* Brainscape Revision Cards





- * Exams site within FROG
- * The site has a link to all the resources for iMedia, including the Key Concepts, Revision Cards, Brainscape link and all the past papers with mark schemes
- * This site is highly recommended to visit when preparing for (all) the GCSE exams...



- * A combination of the following will aid preparation for the examinations: -
 - * Revision Guide
 - Practice Papers with Mark Schemes (Frog)
 - Brainscape and Classic Revision Cards
 - Homework weekly questions
 - * As the course progresses, keeping on-top of all coursework (can only be done within class)