

AQA A-level Computer Science

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Assessments

Paper 1	+	Paper 2	+	Non-exam assessment
<p>What's assessed</p> <p>This paper tests a student's ability to program, as well as their theoretical knowledge of computer science from subject content 10–13 above and the skills required from section 22 above.</p>		<p>What's assessed</p> <p>This paper tests a student's ability to answer questions from subject content 14–21 above.</p>		<p>What's assessed</p> <p>The non-exam assessment assesses student's ability to use the knowledge and skills gained through the course to solve or investigate a practical problem. Students will be expected to follow a systematic approach to problem solving, as shown in section 22 above.</p>
<p>Assessed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On-screen exam: 2 hours 30 minutes • 40% of A-level 		<p>Assessed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written exam: 2 hours 30 minutes • 40% of A-level 		<p>Assessed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 75 marks • 20% of A-level
<p>Questions</p> <p>Students answer a series of short questions and write/adapt/extend programs in an electronic answer document provided by us.</p> <p>We will issue preliminary material, a skeleton program (available in each of the programming languages) and, where appropriate, test data, for use in the exam.</p>		<p>Questions</p> <p>Compulsory short-answer and extended-answer questions.</p>		