



# Supporting your child through their Sociology GCSE



## The sociology exams

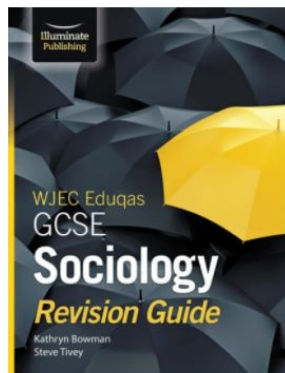
Paper	Paper	Length	%	Date	
1	Understanding social processes	1 hr 45 mins	50	08/05/2026	AM
2	Understanding social structures	1 hr 45 mins	50	15/05/2026	PM

### **Useful websites:**

- <https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/sociology-gcse>
- <https://www.youtube.com/@allsociology>
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## Revision Guides

This revision guide is specifically for the WJEC/Eduqas sociology course and available from all good bookshops. Prices will vary so please shop around.



## Exam Content

<b>Paper One</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Key concepts and processes of cultural transmission</li> <li>• Family</li> <li>• Education</li> <li>• Sociological research methods</li> </ul>
<b>Paper Two</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social differentiation and stratification</li> <li>• Crime and deviance</li> <li>• Applied methods of sociological enquiry</li> </ul>

## Supporting with Revision

Revision is vital for all students but it can lead to a great deal of stress and anxiety. We've included some tips below for parents:

- Encourage your child to start revision early.
- Encourage your child to be organised and use a revision timetable. Plan in advance which specific topics they are going to revise. They can do this on paper or using Google Calendar.
- Planning revision carefully including breaks is an important part of making it effective.
- Creating flash cards that summarise a key term, topic or theory can be effective but remember to keep going over these.
- Alternatively creating and re-creating mind maps can be a useful revision activity.
- Encourage your child to use a revision guide/website link from below.
- They can familiarise themselves with past papers and mark schemes on the exam board website (above).

## Revision Sessions

Revision sessions are held weekly

**Monday 3.30 - 4.30 pmF3**

Please see Mr Fellowes for details of topics for each week

## Equipment for the exams

- Black pen
- Pencil
- Highlighter
- Ruler