

INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY B (1995) + SHORT COURSE (1095) New GCSEs for teaching from September 2001

NEW!



GCSE

KEY FEATURES OF THE NEW SPECIFICATION

- New course!
- Can be taught alongside a range of other vocational qualifications such as CLAIT and CIT
- Appropriate for whole cohorts with considerable flexibility to enable co-teachability
- Builds upon prior learning by taking a practical and systematic approach to develop a body of skills, knowledge and understanding in a work-related context
- 60% fully supported coursework assessment with flexibility in terms of evidence requirements
- ICT work carried out by candidates in other areas of the curriculum and outside school can be used as the basis of coursework evidence
- Utilises the Key Skills Test to ensure maximum flexibility and candidate choice ensuring full proxy arrangements for awarding IT Key Skill units

SUPPORT OFFERED BY OCR

- Full programme of INSET training
- Specimen question papers and mark schemes
- Coursework guidance materials
- Exemplar materials
- Report on the examination, compiled by senior examining personnel after each examination session
- Individual feedback to each Centre on the moderation of internally assessed work
- Test/exam generator planned on CD-ROM

PUBLISHER SUPPORT

GCSE Information and Communication for OCR, published by Heinemann, is written by Steve Cushing. This is the endorsed OCR text for the specification.

WHAT RELATED QUALIFICATIONS ARE OFFERED BY OCR?

CoA Information Technology	VCE Information and Communication Technology
GCSE ICT A	AS/A Level Information and Communications Technology
GNVQ Information and Communication Technology (including Part One)	