

GCSE Welsh Second Language, GCE-AS/A Level Welsh Second Language, Entry Pathways Welsh Second Language & Pathways Work Welsh

We hope that you have had the opportunity to enjoy the summer holidays and are ready for a new term in your centres. We would like to wish you well at the start of a new academic year in your departments. In this newsletter you will find information to remind you exactly what we have on our subject pages and key dates in the coming year.

Professional Learning

This year we will be hosting a combination of face-to-face professional learning and live webinars. Please note, the live webinars will present feedback from the summer 2023 series and focus on the content of the senior examiners' and moderators' report. The face-to-face training will be focusing on teaching methods, making the best use of resources (GCSE) and appreciating literary texts (GCE).

Visit our website to book a place.

GCSE

Join us in our live webinar: 'Feedback on summer assessments' (free)

Microsoft Teams, 5 October 2023, 15:30-17:00.

Join us in our GCSE Welsh Second Language face to face Professional Learning: 'Teaching methods and making the best use of resources' 09:30-15:30:

Llanelli 19 February 2024; Cardiff 23 February 2024; Llandudno 26 February 2024

GCE

Join us in our live webinar: 'Feedback on summer assessments' (free)

Microsoft Teams, 12 October 2023, 15:30-17:00.

Join us in our GCE Welsh Second Language face to face Professional Learning: 'Appreciating literary texts' 09:30-15:30:

Llandudno 11 March 2024; Cardiff 15 March 2024.

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****Please note: pre-recorded webinar only****

The webinar 'Entry Pathways Welsh Second Language: 'Feedback on summer assessments' (pre-recorded) will be available on our subject page:

12 October 2023 (free).

GCSE

Speaking and listening assessment dates: The dates for 2024 GCSE Welsh Second Language Non-Examination Assessments are as follows – Unit 1 (3020U10) **16, 17 and 18 April 2024**; Unit 2 (3020U20) **22, 23 and 24 April 2024**. Sample submission date on Surpass plus relevant paperwork: **5 May 2024**.

Blended Learning Resources: Visit our Digital Resources website on the WJEC website to find a series of blended learning lessons/resources based on Units 1-4 GCSE Welsh Second Language.

Visit the secure website to read the moderator's report on the work of your centre's units 1 and 2 in the summer 2023 series.

GCE – AS/A Level

GCE Welsh Second Language Oral Examination Dates: The 2024 dates for the GCE Welsh Second Language Oral Examinations are as follows – Unit 1 (2020U10) and Unit 4 (1020U40): **8 April – 10 May 2024**.

Date of submission of Unit 2 samples together with relevant paperwork: **15 May 2024**.

Visit the secure website to read the moderator's report on the work of your centre's Unit 2 in the summer 2023 series.

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Resources: Visit our Digital Resources website on the WJEC website to find resources based on the 5 units (6365;6366;6367;6368 and 6369 E2 and E3).

January 2024 series: Samples of work together with the relevant paperwork must be submitted by **12 December** for the January 2024 series on IAMIS Upload (same system as January/summer 2023).

Remember to read the moderator's report on the work of your centre's units in the summer 2023 series.

PATHWAYS WORK WELSH

January 2024 series: Samples of work together with the relevant paperwork must be submitted by **12 December** for the January 2024 series on IAMIS Upload (same system as January/summer 2023).

Visit the secure website to read the moderator's report on the work of your centre's Work Welsh units in the summer 2023 series.