# Year 9





### SECONDARY SCHOOL KEY ASSESSMENT 3

TIMETABLE AND REVISION GUIDANCE



For any queries relating to individual subjects, please email the relevant class teacher or Head of Faculty. If you have any queries relating to assessments or you would like further information regarding Key Assessments, please do not hesitate to email Matthew Morris at mmorris@kingstoneacademy.co.uk.

	Key Assessment 3 Timetable (Term 3 2024-25)						
	Week A - 23/6/2025						
Time	s	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
9.00am	P1	9A1 Maths GL Assessment [1 Hour]		Year 9 RE [50 Minutes]	9A1 Design Tech. Practical [1 Hour]	Year 9 Maths [2 hours]	Assessments in Black will take place in the Performing Hall as a centralised examination.
10.00am	P2	9A2 Maths GL Assessment [1 Hour]	9A1 Art Practical [1 Hour]		Year 9 Chemistry [30 Minutes]	*Would need to start at 8.50am Form Time	Assessments in red will take place in
11.20am	Р3		9A3 Maths GL Assessment [1 Hour] 9B1 Maths GL Assessment [1 Hour] 9B2 Maths GL Assessment [1 Hour]	9B1 Food Practical [1 Hour] 9B1 Computing [50 Minutes]	9B1 Art Practical [1 Hour]		classrooms at the designated lesson time.
12.20pm	P4		9A3 Maths GL Assessment [1 Hour] 9B1 Maths GL Assessment [1 Hour] 9B2 Maths GL Assessment [1 Hour]		9A3 Entry Level English [1 Hour]	Year 9 Geography [50 Minutes]	Assessments in blue will take place in a Computer Room as they are a GL or NGRT Assessment.
2.20pm	P5	9A3 Art Practical [1 Hour]		Year 9 Biology [30 Minutes]	9B1 Design Tech. Practical [1 Hour]	9A1 Food Practical [1 Hour] 9A1 Computing [50 Minutes]	
			Week B - 30	0/6/2025			
Time	S	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
9.00am	P1			9B1 Science GL Assessment [1 Hourl	9A1 English GL Assessment [1		
10.00am	P2	Year 9 Music [40 Minutes] (Period 2)	Year 9 French [50 Minutes]	9B1 Science GL Assessment [1 Hour]	Hour]		
11.20am	Р3		9A2 Art Practical [1 Hour]	9A1 Science GL Assessment [1	9B2 Art Practical [1 Hour]	9A1 Spanish [50 Minutes]	
12.20pm	P4			Hour]	Year 9 Food [45 Minutes]	,	
2.20pm	P5		Year 9 History [50 Minutes]	Year 9 Physics [30 Minutes]	Year 9 Drama [40 Minutes]		
			Week A - 7				
Time		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
9.00am	P1		9B2 Science GL Assessment [1 Hour]				
10.00am	P2	0.05	, ,				
11.20am 12.20pm	P3 P4	9A2 English GL Assessment [1 Hour] 9A3 English GL Assessment [1 Hour] 9B2 English GL Assessment [1 Hour]		9B1 English GL Assessment [1 Hour]			
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### Computer Science (this is a termly rotation)

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Exam Length	40 minutes		
Topics to	Python programming:		
Revise	- Assigning and changing variables		
& Success Criteria	<ul> <li>if, elif, else</li> <li>input()</li> <li>while</li> <li>print()</li> <li>Representations: Audio and visual</li> </ul>		
Resources (including	Isaaccomputerscience.org W3schools.com/python		
useful websites	Thursday lunchtime coding club (m12)		

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### Design Technology (This is a termly rotation)

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Exam Length	1 hour
Topics to Revise	Making assessment- each student will complete a practical element to show the use of correct tools and safety measures needed to be successful.
& Success	The students will be assessed on skills they have learnt this half term, looking at:
Criteria	. Accuracy . Quality of finish . Skill level
Resources (including useful websites	Online resources- Seneca/ BBC Bitesize

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Art & Design			
Exam Length			
Topics to Revise	Drawing assessment- each student will complete a still life drawing of a		
&	composition of food. The students will plan and prepare in the		
Success Criteria	lesson before hand to gain feedback and guidance.		
	The students will be assessed on the key drawing skills they have learnt this half term:		
	<ul><li>Quality of line</li><li>Detail</li></ul>		
	<ul><li>Accuracy</li><li>Shading</li></ul>		
	Application of tone		
Resources (including useful websites	Your booklet – you will be allowed this during the assessment.		
	KHS Drawing Revision Guide.pptx		

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	Drama	
Exam Length	45 minute written assessment	
Topics to Revise	Melodrama written assessment, evaluating the work produced this term.	
&	3 questions to complete on Melodrama, use the script extracts to support your answers	
Success Criteria	<ol> <li>Description of the Villain's movements (4 marks)</li> <li>Description of the Hero's Voice (6 marks)</li> <li>Description of the Heroine's Voice and movement (10 marks)</li> </ol>	
Resources (including useful websites	Melodrama 25.pptx Drama - BBC Bitesize	

### English

	English
Exam Length	60 minutes
Topics to Revise &	Key Assessment 3 = GL Progress Test.  The <b>GL Progress Test in English</b> is a national assessment used by schools to check how well you're developing your English skills compared to other students your age across the country.  It will assess:
Success Criteria	<ul> <li>Reading – how well you understand different types of texts (like fiction, non-fiction, and poetry), including your ability to find information, understand vocabulary, and make inferences.</li> <li>Spelling, Punctuation &amp; Grammar (SPaG) – your knowledge of English grammar rules, punctuation, and accurate spelling.</li> <li>The test will be taken online. You'll answer a mix of multiple-choice questions and short written responses. The test takes about 45 to 60 minutes,</li> </ul>
	Success Criteria  To do well in the reading part of the test, I can:
	<ul> <li>□ Find and retrieve key information from a text quickly and accurately</li> <li>□ Understand the meaning of unfamiliar words by using clues in the sentence</li> <li>□ Summarise or identify the main idea of a paragraph or text</li> <li>□ Infer meaning (work out what is suggested but not directly said)</li> <li>□ Understand characters' thoughts, feelings, or motivations</li> <li>□ Identify the writer's purpose or tone (e.g. to persuade, describe, inform)</li> <li>□ Recognise how language techniques (e.g. similes, rhetorical questions) are used to create meaning</li> <li>□ Compare information or viewpoints across different texts if required</li> <li>To do well in the SPaG part of the test, I can:</li> <li>□ Use and recognise correct sentence punctuation (e.g. full stops, capital letters, commas, question marks)</li> <li>□ Know when to use apostrophes for possession and contraction</li> </ul>

	<ul> <li>Identify different word types (e.g. noun, verb, adjective, adverb)</li> <li>Understand sentence structures (e.g. simple, compound, complex)</li> <li>Use correct verb tenses and spot errors in tense usage</li> <li>Recognise standard English grammar and avoid common</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>errors (e.g. "I was" not "I were")</li> <li>Spell high-frequency and tricky words accurately – use the link to the year group specific spellings below to help you!</li> <li>Apply grammar rules to identify and fix mistakes in a sentence</li> </ul>
Resources (including useful websites	<ul> <li>Your exercise book</li> <li>Spelling, punctuation and grammar revision</li> <li>Y9 Spelling List – learn as many of these as you can:</li> <li>Y9 Spelling List KA3.docx</li> <li>Comma rules</li> </ul>
	Bing Videos Using apostrophes Using apostrophes - BBC Bitesize There / Their / They're How to use their, they're and there - BBC Bitesize Punctuation Knowledge Organiser Punctuation rules KO.pptx
	The following sites are also useful, but will require you to set up a log in to access some free materials:  ReadTheory.org  Offers free, personalised comprehension practice.  https://readtheory.org
	Students complete texts at their level and answer multiple-choice questions that build reading stamina and inference skills.  CommonLit (Years 6–11)  Free library of fiction and non-fiction texts with guided questions. <a href="https://www.commonlit.org">https://www.commonlit.org</a> Ideal for practicing deeper thinking and analysing writer's techniques.

# English Entry Level Certificate Mrs Powell's class ONLY

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Exam Length	2 x 30-minute assessments = 1 hour in total
Topics to Revise	Key Assessment 3 =  Paper 1 = Pageling paper fiction and Non-fiction Writing
Revise	Paper 1 = Reading non-fiction and Non-fiction Writing  Paper 2 = Reading fiction and Imaginative Writing
&	
Success Criteria	The Entry Level Certificate, Level 1 <b>Reading</b> papers test your ability to:  ☑ Read and understand short, straightforward texts. ☑ Identify main points and details. ☑ Recognise the purpose and audience of texts. ☑ Identify how language is used to achieve effects.
	Success Criteria for Reading:
	Reading for Meaning Reading for Detail Understanding Purpose and Audience Identifying Main Points
	The Entry Level Certificate, Level 1 <b>Writing</b> papers test your ability to:
	<ul> <li>✓ Write short, clear texts for different purposes.</li> <li>✓ Use basic punctuation and grammar accurately.</li> <li>✓ Organise ideas in a sensible way.</li> <li>✓ Use simple descriptive language (for fiction = Fiction: short stories, diary entries, or descriptions.) and clear instructions or information (for non-fiction = Non-fiction: letters, emails, articles, instructions, or information leaflets.).</li> </ul>
	Success Criteria for Writing:  TAP and Plan. The writing matches the task. Writing is organised. Capital letters for names and starts of sentences. Full stops, commas, and question marks. Use "I", "he/she", "it" correctly. Check spellings of simple words. Use descriptive words and imagery.
Resources	READING:
(including	How to Practise

### useful websites

<u>Functional Skills English (Levels 1 and 2) - BBC Bitesize</u> (use the Learn the Basics section to help you)

Read short news articles online (e.g., BBC Newsround).

Practise reading signs and notices around you (e.g., at the library, in shops).

Practice skimming texts quickly. Think: Who is it for? What is it about?

Practice reading texts and scanning for key words. Identify important details (who, what, where, when, why).

As you read, think - Is the text:

To inform? (facts, instructions)

To persuade? (opinions, emotive language)

To entertain? (stories, descriptions)

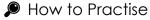
Summarise short paragraphs in one sentence.

Look for topic sentences at the start of paragraphs.

Vocabulary Work

Practise working out meanings from context (clues in the sentence).

### Writing:



<u>Functional Skills English (Levels 1 and 2) - BBC Bitesize</u> (use the Learn the Basics section to help you)

Punctuation Knowledge Organiser Punctuation rules KO.pptx

Practise writing questions:

### Fiction -

Write a short story about finding something unexpected.

Who finds it? Where? What do they do with it?

### Non-fiction:

Write an email to a friend inviting them to a party.

Include the time, date, place, and what they should bring.

### Food (This is a termly rotation)

Exam Length	Written Assessment 60 minutes & Practical Assessment 60 minutes.	
Topics to Revise	Practical assessment - each student will complete a practical lesson where they will assessed on the topics that they have learnt this half term.  Students will demonstrate that they can:	
& Success Criteria	<ul> <li>Work safely and hygienically</li> <li>Selecting the correct equipment</li> <li>Use of a cooker</li> <li>Knife skills</li> <li>Working at a good pace</li> <li>Working independently</li> </ul>	
	Written assessment- each student will complete a written assessment which will check their knowledge of the topics and skills learnt so far this rotation. Students will need to know:  • Personal Hygiene  • Food Safety and Bacteria  • Carbon Footprint and Food Security  • Food Packaging and Food Waste  • Factors that affect food choices  • Multicultural Foods and Cuisine	
Resources (including useful websites	BBC Bitesize <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zdn9jhv">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zdn9jhv</a> Work booklet	

### French

Exam Length	50 minutes		
Topics to Revise &	Food Future Plans and the world of work Free time and sport Talking about past events		
Success Criteria	<ul> <li>• Understand a longer paragraph in French</li> <li>• Write longer sentences in French, to demonstrate your range of vocabulary knowledge and understanding of grammar</li> <li>• Spell accurately when I write French</li> <li>• Include opinions and justify your answers</li> <li>• Link short sentences using connectives</li> <li>• Use verbs in past/future tense</li> <li>• Include time expressions</li> <li>• Include sequencers to add structure to my writing</li> </ul>		
Resources (including useful websites	Year 9 language guide – vocab and structures Work booklets – healthy lifetsyle/future plans/ BBC Bitesize – future tense www.languagesonline.org.uk - future tense/job		

### Geography

	Geograpny
Exam Length	55 Mins
Topics to Revise	The assessment will focus on the work we have covered this year. Topics the assessment will cover include:  • Coasts – This includes coastal processes (erosion, transportation &
&	deposition), features formed by these processes and coastal management schemes.
Success Criteria	<ul> <li>Development – This includes measuring development,         Demographic Transition Model and Population Structures, Reasons         for uneven development and what can be done to close the         development gap (eg Fair Trade, Large &amp; Small Aid projects and         Tourism)</li> <li>Nigeria – Impact of Transnational Corporations (Shell Oil) and how         development can affect the environment, examples of trade and         aid within Nigeria.</li> <li>Ecosystems – Including Tropical Rainforests and the issue of</li> </ul>
Resources (including	Deforestation (Causes, Effects & Responses)  Your main focus for revision should be your exercise book. There are revision guides and websites that can also be used. Please ensure these
useful websites	are for the AQA GCSE Geography course

### History

	Thistory
Exam Length	50 mins
Topics to Revise &	<ul> <li>The assessment will focus on:</li> <li>The welfare state and racial inequality in Britain</li> <li>The civil right movement in America in the 1950s onwards</li> <li>The Whitechapel area in 1888.</li> </ul>
Success Criteria	<ul> <li>There will also be knowledge questions on:</li> <li>causes and WW1, WW2 and social impact both during and after</li> <li>Hitler's rise to power</li> <li>The Holocaust</li> </ul>
	Success Criteria: There will be knowledge questions to assess how much of the key content has been absorbed and remembered throughout the whole of Year 9 History.
	<ul> <li>Change and continuity:         <ul> <li>A well-developed written analysis of the changes in equality after WW2</li> <li>Includes accurate and relevant information, showing excellent knowledge and understanding of the time period.</li> <li>All key words are used correctly</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Source Usefulness:         <ul> <li>Includes an analysis of what the source shows and why the source is useful for the event</li> <li>Analysis of provenance to assess the reliability of a source</li> </ul> </li> <li>All key words are used correctly</li> </ul>
Resources (including useful websites	Knowledge Organisers: Please use your knowledge organisers in your exercise books (at back of book). These have the key vocabulary and information of each topic. Here is a link to our History Revision documents at KHS:  KASS 3 Revision
	BBC Bitesize: Causes of World War One - BBC Bitesize  KS3 / GCSE History: Hitler's rise to power - BBC Bitesize

<u>A summary of the Holocaust - The Holocaust - 3rd level History Revision</u> - BBC Bitesize

<u>Evacuation - Social Impact of WWII in Britain - National 5 History</u> Revision - BBC Bitesize

<u>Labour reforms - the Welfare State 1945-1951 - Labour Reforms - The Welfare State 1945-1951 - National 5 History Revision - BBC Bitesize</u>

The arrival of the Windrush - BBC Bitesize

<u>Life for black Americans in the early 1950s - Life for black Americans</u> <u>after World War Two - Edexcel - GCSE History Revision - Edexcel - BBC</u> <u>Bitesize</u>

Housing, overcrowding and crime - Crime and punishment in Whitechapel, c.1870-c.1900 - Edexcel - GCSE History Revision - Edexcel - BBC Bitesize

### **Mathematics**

Exam Length	2 Hours (120 marks)		
Topics to	General number skills - place value, rounding etc		
Revise	Probability words		
	Convert fractions, fraction of amount, percentage of amount		
&	Money problems		
	Expressions, substitutions		
Success	Coordinates		
Criteria	Probability scale, ratio		
	Simplifying, solving, substitution		
	Conversion graphs		
	Proportion problems		
	Train timetables		
	Simplifying ratio		
	Reflection, rotational symmetry		
	Compound measures, scale drawings		
	Factorise, rearrange formula		
	Angle proofs		
	Decimal and fraction calculations		
	Algebraic area of a rectangle		
	Averages - find numbers in the list		
	3D shapes		
	Estimation Prime factorisation		
	Critisise questionnaire Form and solve eugations		
	Ratio and fractions		
	Inverse proportion		
	Reverse percentages, multipliers		
	Simultaenous equations		
	Standard form calculations		
Resources	Use your Sparxmaths login to find the main revision task for this assessment.		
(including	You can also use:		
useful	Corbettmaths for extra videos and questions.		
websites	ixl.com for explainers and other questions.		

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	Music			
Exam Length	40-minute listening exam			
Topics to Revise	<ul> <li>Elements of Music (Pitch, duration, dynamics, etc)</li> <li>Major and minor chords – identify aurally</li> <li>Time signatures – how many beats in a bar 2/4, 3/4, or 4/4</li> </ul>			
&	<ul> <li>BPM – Beats per minute</li> <li>Duration table</li> </ul>			
Success Criteria	<ul> <li>Instruments of the orchestra – be able to identify them aurally and their family</li> <li>Treble clef and bass clef notation (Every Good Boy Deserves Football) and (Great Big Dragons Fly Around) and flats (b) and sharps (#)</li> <li>Baroque Music</li> <li>Film Music</li> <li>Gaming Music</li> <li>Dance Music</li> </ul>			
Resources (including useful websites	<ul> <li>Major or Minor Chords? Ear Training Game for Musicians (Beginner Level)         YouTube video to test your knowledge of Major/Minor chords</li> <li>Time Signature Ear Training - Clap the Beats YouTube video to help with counting the beats in a bar 2/4, 3/4, or 4/4</li> <li>Explore dynamics and tempo in music - BBC Bitesize</li> <li>Metre and rhythm - Tempo, metre and rhythm - AQA - GCSE Music Revision - AQA - BBC Bitesize (for examples of BPM)</li> <li>The Baroque Era.pptx (slides 30-35 for bass clef notation)</li> <li>Musical journeys: Discovering the orchestra - BBC Bitesize</li> </ul>			

The instruments of the orchestra - BBC Bitesize

YEAR 7 MUSIC - ELEMENTS OF MUSIC - Copy.pptx (For elements of music definitions and duration table etc). Slides 5, 6, and 33 very important!

# Year 9 Key Assessment 3 Revision Guide Physical Education Exam Length 2 hours Topics to Application of basic skills learnt in lessons. Skills will be tested in activities in isolation, with students also given the opportunity to perform in a competitive situation, against a range of abilities. Activities will include Cricket, Athletics, Tennis & Rounders. Resources

(including useful websites

# **Religious Education**

Exam Length	40 minutes		
Topics to	Islam –		
Revise	Key Beliefs		
_	<ul> <li>Muhammed and the revelation of the Qu'ran</li> </ul>		
&	<ul> <li>Duty in Islam – the 5 pillars, following the Prophet</li> <li>Muhammed's example</li> </ul>		
Success Criteria	Christianity - Incarnation –		
Ciliena	<ul> <li>Jesus as God on earth – prophecies, miracles and "I Am " statements</li> </ul>		
	Counter arguments that Jesus is not God		
Resources	Sharepoint folder including all the lesson powerpoints and the KO.		
(including	Also – text book pages and gap fill knowledge organiser.		
useful	Key Assessment 3 RE Revision		
websites			

### Science - BIOLOGY

for Combined Science, HIGHER AND FOUNDATION PAPERS

Exam Length	30 minutes		
Topics to	CB1 – Ke	ey Concepts	
Revise	<u> </u>		
KCVISC	CB1	Key Concepts in Biology	
&	COI	(Paper 1 and Paper 2)	
Ck	CB1a	Microscopes	CB2 – Cells and
	CB1b	Plant and animal cells	
Success	CB1b	Core practical – Using microscopes	<u>Control</u>
Criteria	CB1c	Specialised cells	
	CB1d	Inside bacteria	
	CB1e	Enzymes and nutrition	
	CB1f	Enzyme action	
	CB1g	Enzyme activity	
	CB1g	Core practical – pH and enzymes	
	CB1h	Transporting substances	
	CB1h	Core practical - Osmosis in potato slices	
	CB2	Cells and Control (Paper 1)	
	CB2a	Mitosis	
	CB2b	Growth in animals	
	CB2c	Growth in plants	
	CB2d	Stem cells	
	CB2e	The nervous system	
	CB2f	Neurotransmission speeds	
	CDZI	Neurotransmission speeds	
	each of the Firstly, seco	Criteria:  ch of the three topics by clicking the heading the BBC Bitesize sections. For 6-mark question and the properties on the condition of the condition o	ons using the structure:
Resources	Year 9 exc	ercise books.	
(including	www.ser	neca.com	
useful		ucake.co.uk,	
websites		- YouTube	
websites	Cognilo	- 1001006	

# Science - CHEMISTRY

for (	Combined	Science, HIGHER AND FOUNDATION PAPERS	
Exam Length	30 minutes		
Topics to	CC2 Methods of Separating and Purifying Substances		
Revise	CC2	Methods of Separating and Purifying	
		Substances (Paper 3)	
&	CC2a	Mixtures	
Success	CC2b	Filtration and crystallisation	
Criteria	CC2c	Paper chromatography	
	CC2d	Distillation	
	CC2d	Core practical – Investigating inks	
	CC2e	Drinking water	
	CC3 Ato	mic Structure	
	CC3	Atomic Structure (Paper 3 and Paper 4)	
	CC3a	Structure of an atom	
	CC3b	Atomic number and mass number	
	CC3c	Isotopes	
	CC4 The	Periodic Table	
	CC4	The Periodic Table (Paper 3 and Paper 4)	
	CC4a	Elements and the periodic table	
	CC4b	Atomic number and the periodic table	
	CC4c	Electronic configurations and the periodic table	
	through eastructure: all working	ch of the three topics by clicking the heading and working ach of the BBC Bitesize sections. For 6-mark questions using the Firstly, secondly, also, as well as and finally. For calculations, show g. You will need a calculator, ruler, pencil and pen.	
Resources	Year 9 exercise books.		
(including useful	www.seneca.com www.Educake.co.uk,		
websites		- YouTube	

# Science - PHYSICS

for Combined Science, HIGHER AND FOUNDATION PAPERS

Exam Length	30 minutes		
Topics to	<u>CP3 - Cc</u>	onservation of Energy.	
Revise			l
&	CP3	Conservation of Energy (Paper 5)	
_	CP3a	Energy stores and transfers	
Success	CP3b	Energy efficiency	<u>CP4 – Waves</u>
Criteria	CP3c	Keeping warm	
	CP3d	Stored energies	
	CP3e	Non-renewable resources	
	CP3f	Renewable resources	
	CP4	Waves (Paper 5)	
	CP4a	Describing waves	
	CP4b	Wave speeds	
	CP4b	Core practical - Investigating waves	
	CP4c	Refraction	
	Success Revise ec	Criteria:  Ich of the three topics by clicking the head	ding and working through
		he BBC Bitesize sections. For 6 mark question	G
	,	ondly, also, as well as and finally. For calc eed a calculator, ruler, pencil and pen.	culations, show all working.
Resources	Year 9 exercise books.		
(including	www.seneca.com		
useful	www.Educake.co.uk,		
websites	Cognito	<u>- YouTube</u>	

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Spanish			
Exam Length	50 minutes		
Topics to Revise &	Future Plans and the world of work opinions Talking about past events – using the past tense Using the future tense		
Success Criteria	<ul> <li>Success criteria</li> <li>To show a secure understanding of the vocabulary on future plans and world of work</li> <li>To be able to translate short sentences from English to Spanish accurately</li> <li>To be able to use the past and future tense accurately</li> <li>To show an understanding on conjugating basic verbs</li> </ul>		
Resources (including useful	Vocabulary lists and sentence builders for class Revision notes provided by Mr Williams KS3 Spanish on BBC bitesize www.languagesonline.org.uk - Spanish Grammar for present/past and future tense.		

websites