

**A LEVEL CURRICULUM OVERVIEW FOR CRIMINOLOGY**

**EXAM BOARD: WJEC Level 3 Applied Diploma SPECIFICATION CODE: 601/6248/X**



	<b>AUTUMN 1</b>	<b>AUTUMN 2</b>	<b>SPRING 1</b>	<b>SPRING 2</b>	<b>SUMMER 1</b>	<b>SUMMER 2</b>
	<b>Attentive &amp; Discerning</b>	<b>Faith-filled &amp; hopeful</b>	<b>Intentional &amp; prophetic</b>	<b>Compassionate &amp; Loving</b>	<b>Learned &amp; Wise</b>	<b>Curious &amp; Active</b>
<b>Year 12 Teacher 1 Unit 2</b>	Crime and deviance  Social construction of crime  Biological Theories  Individualistic Theories	Sociological Theories:  Functionalist Subcultural Interactionism Marxism Realist	Policy development	Social Change  Revision	Begin unit 1 coursework	Unit 1 coursework
<b>Year 12 Teacher 2 Unit 4</b>	Processes of law making  Organisation of the criminal justice system  Models of criminal justice  Forms and aims of punishment	Forms of social control  Theories of social control  The role of agencies in achieving social control	Limitations of agencies in achieving social control  Methods of achieving social control	Synoptic links  Revision	Begin unit 3 coursework	Unit 3 coursework
<b>Year 13 Teacher 1 Unit 4</b>	Processes of law making  Organisation of the criminal justice system  Models of criminal justice  Forms and aims of punishment	Forms of social control  Theories of social control	The role of agencies in achieving social control  Limitations of agencies in achieving social control	Methods of achieving social control  Revision	N/A	N/A
<b>Year 13 Teacher 2 Unit 3</b>	Personnel in the criminal justice system  Techniques of evidence collection  Types of evidence  Rights of suspects, victims and witnesses	CPS Requirements  Trial processes  Rules of evidence  Influences of criminal trials	The role of laypeople  Examining cases for reliability and validity	Securing a safe and just verdict	N/A	N/A