

Year: 12

Subject: A Level Media Studies

2026–2027

Half Term 1 (31 st August – 23 rd October) 8 weeks	Wk1	Wk2	Wk3	Wk4 ICA	Wk5	Wk6	Wk7	Wk8	October Half Term Holiday		
	Toolkit for Analysing Media Products				Advertising and Marketing			Music Videos			
Half Term 2 (2 nd November – 18 th December) 7 weeks	Wk9	Wk10	Wk11	Wk12	Wk13	Wk14	Wk15	Christmas Holiday			
	Music Videos		Radio		Film						
Half Term 3 (4 th January – 12 th February) 6 weeks	Wk16	Wk17	Wk18 AW	Wk19	Wk20 DP1	Wk21	February Half Term Holiday	AW = Assessment Window DP = Data Point PE = Parents' Evening Trial = Trial Exam Period WE = Work Experience IDC = Internal Data Collection			
	Newspapers				Videogames						
Half Term 4 (22 nd February – 26 th March) 5 weeks	Wk22	Wk23 PE	Wk24	Wk25	Wk26 Trial	Easter Holiday					
	Component 1 Revision and Practice	NEA: Cross-Media Production			Trial Exams						
Half Term 5 (12 th April – 28 th May) 7 weeks	Wk27	Wk28 DP2	Wk29	Wk30	Wk31	Wk32	Wk33			May Half Term Holiday	
	NEA: Cross-Media Production										
Half Term 6 (7 th June – 16 th July) 6 weeks	Wk34 WE	Wk35 WE	Wk36	Wk37	Wk38 ICA	Wk39	Summer Holiday				
	Work Experience		NEA: Cross-Media Production								