Recommended Online Revision Tools for GCSE



GCSEpod.com

Cost?

Paid for by the school. Free for St Anne's students

What is it?

A curated database of over 6,000 revision videos. It is easy to use and should feel familiar to anyone comfortable with Netflix or YouTube.

Why is it useful?

Unlike YouTube, the content is filtered by exam board and subject so each student will only see the content they need. The videos are made by subject specialists and are endorsed by industry leaders. Many departments in school will set their GCSE classes homework assignments to complete in GCSEpod.

How do students access it?

Online at GCSEpod.com on any computer or smart device. Students can also download the app to a smart device. Content can be <u>streamed</u> instantly from the internet or downloaded then watched later when internet is not available.

Getting started

Students have already been registered, so they just need to activate their account by following the instructions below. If they have already activated but can't remember their details, please ask them to contact Miss Vlismas in the Library.

- 1. Go to www.gcsepod.com and click "Login" in the top right-hand corner
- 2. Click "New here? Get started."
- 3. Select "Student"
- 4. Enter your child's name, date of birth and 'St Anne's' [no full stop after 'St']
- 5. Create a username, password, and a password hint.



SenecaLearning.com

Cost?

Free for all users. A premium version is available, but not essential.

What is it?

An interactive revision and homework platform for KS2, KS3, GCSE and A Level that cover more 95% of all exams taken in England. It provides a mixture of content to study and questions to answer. It is exam board specific and is written by senior examiners and subject experts.

Why is it useful?

It adapts to each student, giving them an individualised learning path depending on their knowledge. It uses learning algorithms and cognitive science to ask questions at the right times, rephrase questions that students have gotten wrong and regularly refresh information. Research has shown Seneca to have 2x the impact of paper revision guides on student learning.

How do students access it?

Online at www.senecalearning.com.

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