



# Getting Ahead – Pre-course Work

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## Mathematics (Core) Level 3 Certificate

Welcome to Core Maths. Core Maths is a one-year course with exams in mid-May. Core Maths is not as onerous as a full A Level subject, there are only two teaching sessions per week (compared to three for a full A Level) and independent studying is largely limited to completing classwork and preparing for in-class tests.

In preparation for the start of the course, you may like to be mindful of just how much numbers and quantitative methods are used to clarify, illustrate or justify everyday situations from sports coverage to product advertising, news coverage etc.

Keep your eyes and ears open to how much maths you see around you.

### Getting Equipped

You will need the following:

- Two Lever Arch files (or equivalent) to store booklets in, at home.
- One slim folder (or part of a larger folder) to transport current booklet and other paperwork from college to home.
- Calculator (GCSE standard) e.g. Casio fx-85
- Pens, pencils, ruler.