



Clonturk
Community College

**3rd Year
JC Subject Topic List**

ENGLISH

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

MIDTERM BREAK

Studying Fiction –
Historical, Fantasy, Classic

Studied Novel

Studied Novel

Exam Preparation and Practice

*Topics covered subject to change

NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS

BREAK

Studied Poetry & Unseen Poetry

Studied Poetry & Unseen Poetry
Exam Preparation and Practice

Functional Writing –
Speeches and Debates Revision

Functional Writing
Exam Preparation and Practice

Winter Assessment Revision

*Topics covered subject to change

ENGLISH

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Functional Writing –
News and Articles Revision

Functional Writing
Exam Preparation and Practice

Mock Exam Preparation

Media Studies –
News and Advertising
Revision

Media Studies -
Exam Preparation and Practice

Studied Poetry – Selection of Poems

Studied Poetry
Exam Preparation and Practice

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Studied Poetry
Exam Preparation and Practice

Studied Drama
Exam Preparation and Practice

Studied Novel
Exam Preparation and Practice

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introduction of the amendments since COVID,
in the event that it is reintroduced,
students would complete their CBA 2
after the Christmas of 3rd Year

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MATHS HIGHER LEVEL

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER
MIDTERM BREAK

Ratio & Proportion
Financial Maths
Statistics

*Topics covered subject to change

NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS
BREAK

Probability & Sets
Linear, Quadratic &
Exponential Relationships
Functions 1 & 2

*Topics covered subject to change

MATHS HIGHER LEVEL

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Numbers
Geometry
Co-ordinate Geometry
Constructions
Algebra Skills
Financial Maths
Triangles

*Topics covered subject to change

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Revision & Exam Preparation

*Topics covered subject to change

MATHS ORDINARY LEVEL

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

MIDTERM BREAK

Algebra 3

Statistics

Probability & Sets

*Topics covered subject to change

NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS

BREAK

Linear, Quadratic &

Exponential Relationships

Functions 1 & 2

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MATHS ORDINARY LEVEL

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Geometry 2 & 3
Constructions
Algebra Skills

*Topics covered subject to change

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Revision & Exam Preparation

*Topics covered subject to change

IRISH

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER
MIDTERM BREAK

Laethanta Saoire

Cúpla

Brú ar dhaoine óga

NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS
BREAK

An Gheallach

An Timpeallacht

IRISH

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Teicneolaíocht

Spórt

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Classroom based assessment 2

Ag ullmhú do na scrúdaithe

SPANISH

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER MIDTERM BREAK

Holidays
How You Get There
Future Holidays
Beach and Holiday Vocab
Simple Future

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NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS BREAK

School and Facilities
Subjects and Teachers
Timetable and Time
Rules
Present Cont

*Topics covered subject to change

SPANISH

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Past Tesne
Gifts for Birthday
Last Weekend/Summer
Time Expressions
Zoo Animals
Body Parts
Doler
Sickness and Advice for Healthy Life
Indirect Pronouns
Imperfect Past
Medicine
Language Exchange
Reg Form
School Trip
Revise Grammar
Camping and Memories

*Topics covered subject to change

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Invitation
Pocket Money
Part Time Job and How you Spend your Money
What you Would Like to do in the Future
What You Do with the Lottery
Conditional Tense
Jobs
How to Get Around Airport
Train Tickets
Reserve a Hotel Room
Hotel Facilities
Negation
Synonyms
Revision and Exam Preparation

*Topics covered subject to change

CSPE

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER MIDTERM BREAK

Democracy
Ireland & Identity
The President & the Seanad
Dáil Éireann & The Corridors of Power
Making the Law
The Right to Vote in Elections
Gender Representation & Elections
Northern Ireland

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NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS BREAK

Northern Ireland
The European Union
The UN
Local Democracy
Rules & Laws

*Topics covered subject to change

CSPE

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Where Do Laws Come From?

The Irish Legal System

Who's Who in the Court?

Law Enforcement

Young People & the Law

What is Mass Media?

Old Media

New Media

Role of Media in Democracy

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EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Fake News

CBA - CSPE Action Record

*Topics covered subject to change

PE

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER MIDTERM BREAK

Soccer
Rounders

*Topics covered subject to change

NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS BREAK

Circuits
Health Related Activities

*Topics covered subject to change

PE

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Olympic Handball
Basketball

*Topics covered subject to change

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Athletics

*Topics covered subject to change

SPHE

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

MIDTERM BREAK

Self-Management

Goal Setting
Aims & Goals
SMART Goals
Time Management
Strategies & Techniques For
Studying & Exams
Sources of Information about
Health & Wellbeing

How I See Myself & Others

Internet Safety
Public Versus Private

Being an Adolescent

What it Means to be an Adolescent
Sexuality

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NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS

BREAK

Being Healthy

Rights as a Young Person
Child Abuse
Effects of Living with Abuse
Information on Being
Healthy and Appropriate Care

Substance Abuse

Main Categories of Drugs
Impact of Drugs on Mind & Body
Personal & Social Resources Needed to
Avoid Substance Use Problems
Information and Support in
Relation to Substance Abuse

*Topics covered subject to change

SPHE

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Communication Skills & Conflict Management

Good Manners
Conflict
Skills in Managing Conflict

Anti-Bullying Bullying Cyberbullying Sexting

Positive Menal Health
Relaxation Methods
Mental Ill Health
Causes of Mental Ill Health
Difficulties in Living with Mental Ill Health

CBA

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EASTER BREAK - SUMMER **BREAK**

Loss & Bereavement

Strategies of Minding
Their Self and Others in Tough Times
Stress and Its Causes
Stress and Its Mental,
Physical, Behavioural and Emotional Consequences
Grieving
Loss & Bereavement in Different Cultures
Positive Ways of Remembering People Who Died
*Topics covered subject to change

Relationships & Sexuality

Change in Relationships Over Time'
Romantic Relationships
Healthy & Unhealthy Relationships
Difficulties in Relationships
Staying Safe While Dating
Sex, Sexuality and Sexual Health
Transgender
LGBTIQIA+ Community
Rights & Responsibilities in Relationships
STIs
Consent
Nature of Media on Sex & Sexuality
Gender Stereotyping
Sexual Objectification

*Topics covered subject to change

DIGITAL MEDIA LITERACY

3RD YEAR

Social Media and its Impact
Privacy
Expressing Yourself Online
Teenagers' Online Rights
Following Your Passion
CBA - End of Year

*Topics covered subject to change

ETHICAL EDUCATION

3RD YEAR

September - December

Strand 7: Power & Participation

January - April

Strand 8: Gender Equality

Strand 9: Global Citizenship Education

April - May

End of Year Project

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SCIENCE

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

MIDTERM BREAK

The Study of a Habitat
Maintaining Biodiversity
Electricity - Current Electricity
Electronics

*Topics covered subject to change

NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS

BREAK

Respiration and Photosynthesis
The Water and Carbon Cycles
Rates of Reaction
Energy Transfer in
Chemical Reactions

*Topics covered subject to change

SCIENCE

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Issues that arise from Generation and
Use of Electricity
Materials Science - Fit for Purpose?
Environmental Impact of Materials
Impact of Physics on
Modern Technology
Climate Change

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EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Revision and Exam Preparation

*Topics covered subject to change

HISTORY

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER MIDTERM BREAK

Ireland 1884 - 1914:

Politics, Culture and Sport

Ireland 1916-1923: The Struggle for
Independence

Ireland During World War II:
The Emergency

*Topics covered subject to change

NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS BREAK

An Importance Decade:

Ireland in the 1960s

The Troubles in Northern Ireland
Women in Twentieth Century Ireland

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HISTORY

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

World War I and Its Consequences
Life in Communist Russia
Life in Fascist Germany
The Causes of World War II
Special Study: Genocide
The Cold War

*Topics covered subject to change

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

An Important Decade: The 1960s
in Europe and the World

European Integration
OR
The United Nation

Revision and Exam Preparation

*Topics covered subject to change

GEOGRAPHY

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER MIDTERM BREAK

Energy Resources
Soil & Forestry
Fishing
Farming

*Topics covered subject to change

NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS BREAK

Secondary
Tertiary
Population

*Topics covered subject to change

GEOGRAPHY

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Climate Change
Global Climates
Urbanisation
Migration
Settlement

*Topics covered subject to change

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Globalisation
Revision and Exam Preparation

*Topics covered subject to change

ART

3RD YEAR

3rd Year – CBA 2 & Final Assessment

Skills: Advanced 2D and 3D Techniques, Combining Drawing, Painting, and Sculpture

CBA 2: Research Project on a Selected Theme, Focusing on Artistic Expression

Final Assessment: State-graded Project Showing Technical and Creative Growth

*Topics covered subject to change

BUSINESS STUDIES

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER MIDTERM BREAK

Economic Indicators
Business Documents
Forms of Business
Financial Planning

*Topics covered subject to change

NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS BREAK

Income Statements
Sources of Finance

*Topics covered subject to change

BUSINESS STUDIES

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Balance Sheet
Government Economic Policy
Taxation

*Topics covered subject to change

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Ratios
Digital Technology
Revision & Exam Preparation

*Topics covered subject to change

HOME ECONOMICS

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

MIDTERM BREAK

Food Groups

Milk, Yoghurt & Cheese Group

Meat/Fish/Eggs and

Meat Alternative Group

Cereals Group

Fruit & Veg Group

Fats, Spreads and Oils

**Breakfasts and Lunches,
Soups and Sauces**

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NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS

BREAK

Food Processing and Food Labelling

Consumer Studies - Budgeting

*Topics covered subject to change

HOME ECONOMICS

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Safety in the Home

The Family and Home Management

Revision for Mock Examinations
CBA 2

Preparation for Cookery Exam

*Topics covered subject to change

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Reflecting and Evaluating
Our Learning
Revision for Junior Certificate
Home Economics

*Topics covered subject to change

MUSIC

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

MIDTERM BREAK

Found Sounds, Film & Advertising

Rhythm in Music

Rests, Anacrusis & Syncopation

Melody in Music

Melodic Features

Dictation

Chromatic & Pentatonic Scales

*Topics covered subject to change

NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS

BREAK

Modern Music: 20th & 21st Centuries

Irish Popular Music

Choral Music

Rap & Jazz

*Topics covered subject to change

MUSIC

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Everyday Music
The Music Business

*Topics covered subject to change

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER
BREAK

Harmony in Music
Backing Chords

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CLASSICAL STUDIES

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

MIDTERM BREAK

Trajan

Joining the Roman Army

Equipment and Training

Trajan's Column

Organisation of the Roman Army

Medicine in the Army

The Praetorian Guard

Roman Roads

Camps and Forts

Punishments

The Triumph

Triumphal Arches

NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS

BREAK

Examination of Ancient Sources –

Theme of Anger

Aristotle, Plutarch and Seneca

Comparison of Myth,

Ancient Writing and Epic

Architecture Terminology

Architecture Study –

1 Temple, 1 Theatre

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CLASSICAL STUDIES

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Rome Centre of an Empire.

City Layout

Timeline

Nero

Domus Aurea

Vespasian

Colosseum

Domitian and Titus

Arch of Titus

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EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Comparison with a Local Building.

Evaluating Sources

Ara Pacis

Baths of Caracalla

Philosophy as a Profession

Hoplites, Sparta and Athens

Politics in Athens and Sparta

Build your own Ancient Town

Revision and Exam Preparation

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WOOD TECHNOLOGY

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER MIDTERM BREAK

CBA 2 - Evaluation & Reflection
Joint Work
Design of Junior Certificate Project
Prototyping
Portfolio for
Junior Certificate Project

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NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS BREAK

Finish Design of
Junior Certificate Project
Begin Junior Certificate Project
Junior Certificate Portfolio
Laminating

*Topics covered subject to change

WOOD TECHNOLOGY

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

Continued Work on
Junior Certificate Project
Fixtures & Fittings
Finishes

*Topics covered subject to change

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Finish Junior Certificate Project -
Assembly & Finish
Complete Junior Certificate Portfolio
Revision and Exam Preparation

*Topics covered subject to change

TECHNICAL GRAPHICS

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER
MIDTERM BREAK

Conic Sections 2
CBA 2

*Topics covered subject to change

NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS
BREAK

Orthographic Projection 2
Project

*Topics covered subject to change

TECHNICAL GRAPHICS

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

True Shape
Axonometric Projection

*Topics covered subject to change

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

Developments 2
Perspective Projection
Revision and Exam Preparation

*Topics covered subject to change

TECHNOLOGY

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER
MIDTERM BREAK

*Topics covered subject to change

NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS
BREAK

*Topics covered subject to change

TECHNOLOGY

JANUARY - EASTER BREAK

*Topics covered subject to change

EASTER BREAK - SUMMER BREAK

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