

## A Level Media Studies For Exams From 2024

### Exam Content Organiser and PLCs

| EXAM SECTION   | Media Language | Representation | Audience | Industry | Media Contexts |
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| <b>Component 1: Media Products, Industries and Audiences</b>   |                |                |          |          |                |
| <b>Advertising and Marketing</b>   |                |                |          |          |                |
| Tide print advert (1950s)<br>Super. Human. Tokyo 2020 (Paralympics 2020)   |                |                |          |          |                |
| Kiss of the Vampire poster (1963)  |                |                |          |          |                |
| <b>Music Video</b><br>Formation, Beyoncé (2016)<br>Riptide, Vance Joy (2013)                                       |                |                |          |          |                |
| <b>Newspapers</b><br>The Daily Mirror – 1 <sup>st</sup> February 2022<br>The Times – 1 <sup>st</sup> February 2022 |                |                |          |          |                |
| <b>Film</b><br>I Daniel Blake (2016)<br>Black Panther (2018)   |                |                |          |          |                |
| <b>Radio</b><br>Woman's Hour: extracts from two episodes   |                |                |          |          |                |
| <b>Video Games</b><br>Assassin's Creed franchise   |                |                |          |          |                |
| <b>Component 2: Media Forms and Products in Depth</b>  |                |                |          |          |                |
| Section A: Television in the Golden Age: Black Mirror and The Returned   |                |                |          |          |                |
| Section B: Magazines: Mainstream and Alternative Media: Woman's Realm and Huck                                     |                |                |          |          |                |
| Section C: Media in the Online Age: Zoe Sugg/Zoella and Attitude   |                |                |          |          |                |

| Personalised Learning Checklist- Component One Set Texts                            |                | Confident | Need to review | Unconfident |
|---|----------------|-----------|----------------|-------------|
| <b>Advertising and Marketing</b><br><br>Tide print advert (1950s)                   | Media Language |           |                |             |
|   | Representation |           |                |             |
|   | Audience       |           |                |             |
|   | Context        |           |                |             |
| <b>Advertising and Marketing</b><br><br>Super. Human. Tokyo 2020 (Paralympics 2020) | Media Language |           |                |             |
|   | Representation |           |                |             |
|   | Audience       |           |                |             |
|   | Context        |           |                |             |
| <b>Advertising and Marketing</b><br><br>Kiss of the Vampire poster (1963)           | Media Language |           |                |             |
|   | Representation |           |                |             |
|   | Context        |           |                |             |
| <b>Music Video</b><br>Formation, Beyoncé (2016)                                     | Media Language |           |                |             |
|   | Representation |           |                |             |
|   | Context        |           |                |             |
| <b>Music Video</b><br>Riptide, Vance Joy (2013)                                     | Media Language |           |                |             |
|   | Representation |           |                |             |
|   | Context        |           |                |             |
| <b>Newspapers</b><br>The Daily Mirror – 1 <sup>st</sup> February 2022 ('Partygate') | Media Language |           |                |             |
|   | Representation |           |                |             |
|   | Industry       |           |                |             |
|   | Audience       |           |                |             |
|   | Context        |           |                |             |
| <b>Newspapers</b><br><br>The Times – 1st February 2022                              | Media Language |           |                |             |
|   | Representation |           |                |             |
|   | Industry       |           |                |             |
|   | Audience       |           |                |             |
|   | Context        |           |                |             |
| <b>Film</b><br>Black Panther (2018)   | Industry       |           |                |             |
|   | Context        |           |                |             |
| <b>Film</b><br>I Daniel Blake (2016)  | Industry       |           |                |             |
|   | Context        |           |                |             |
| <b>Radio</b><br>Woman's Hour: extracts from two episodes                            | Industry       |           |                |             |
|   | Audience       |           |                |             |
|   | Context        |           |                |             |
| <b>Video Games</b><br>Assassin's Creed franchise                                    | Industry       |           |                |             |
|   | Audience       |           |                |             |
|   | Context        |           |                |             |

| Personalised Learning Checklist- Component Two   |                | Confident | Need to review | Unconfident |
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| <b>Section A:</b> Television in the Golden Age<br>Option: Humans                       | Media Language |           |                |             |
|  | Representation |           |                |             |
|  | Industry       |           |                |             |
|  | Audience       |           |                |             |
| <b>Section A:</b> Television in the Golden Age<br>Option: The Returned                 | Media Language |           |                |             |
|  | Representation |           |                |             |
|  | Industry       |           |                |             |
|  | Audience       |           |                |             |
| <b>Section B:</b> Magazines: Mainstream and Alternative Media<br>Option: Woman's Realm | Media Language |           |                |             |
|  | Representation |           |                |             |
|  | Industry       |           |                |             |
|  | Audience       |           |                |             |
| <b>Section B:</b> Magazines: Mainstream and Alternative Media<br>Option: Huck          | Media Language |           |                |             |
|  | Representation |           |                |             |
|  | Industry       |           |                |             |
|  | Audience       |           |                |             |
| <b>Section C:</b> Media in the Online Age<br>Option: Zoella                            | Media Language |           |                |             |
|  | Representation |           |                |             |
|  | Industry       |           |                |             |
|  | Audience       |           |                |             |
| <b>Section C:</b> Media in the Online Age<br>Option: Attitude                          | Media Language |           |                |             |
|  | Representation |           |                |             |
|  | Industry       |           |                |             |
|  | Audience       |           |                |             |

| Theory PLC   | Confident | Need to review | Unconfident |
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| <u>MEDIA LANGUAGE</u><br><br>SEMIOTICS- ROLAND BARTHES<br><br>STRUCTURALISM/BINARY OPPOSITION- CLAUDE LEVI-STRAUSS<br><br>STRUCTURALISM - VLADIMIR PROPP<br><br>NARRATOLOGY- TZVETAN TODOROV<br><br>POSTMODERNISM- JEAN BAUDRILLARD<br><br>GENRE THEORY- STEVE NEALE |           |                |             |
| <u>AUDIENCE</u><br><br>RECEPTION THEORY- STUART HALL<br><br>CULTIVATION- GEORGE GERBNER<br><br>END OF AUDIENCES- CLAY SHIRKY<br><br>FANDOM- HENRY JENKINS<br><br>MEDIA EFFECTS- ALBERT BANDURA<br><br>USES AND GRATIFICATIONS – BLUMLER AND KATZ                     |           |                |             |
| <u>INDUSTRY</u><br><br>POWER AND MEDIA INDUSTRY: CURRAN AND SEATON<br><br>REGULATION- LIVINGSTONE and LUNT<br><br>POWER AND MEDIA INDUSTRY: DAVID HESMONDHALGH   |           |                |             |
| <u>REPRESENTATION</u><br><br>FEMINIST THEORY- bell hooks<br><br>GENDER- JUDITH BUTLER<br><br>FEMINIST THEORY- LIESBET VAN ZOONEN<br><br>STUART HALL  |           |                |             |

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| IDENTITY- DAVID GAUNTLETT                   |  |  |  |
| POST COLONIAL THEORY/ETHNICITY- PAUL GILROY |  |  |  |

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| The area of the theoretical framework I feel most confident with is  |  |
| The area of the theoretical framework I feel least confident with is |  |
| The set text I feel most confident with in Component One is          |  |
| The set text I feel least confident with in Component One is         |  |
| The set text I feel most confident with in Component Two is          |  |
| The set text I feel least confident with in Component Two is         |  |

Rank the media texts you have studied from most confident (1) to least confident (17):

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| 2.  | 12. |
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| 4.  | 14. |
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| 10. |     |