

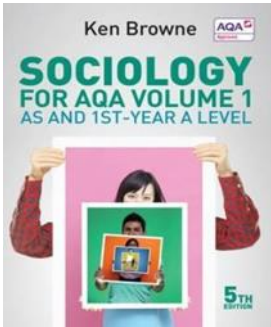
The Sixth Form at George Abbot

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Subject: Sociology

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Pre Sixth Form Tasks

Task	Detail	Demonstrated		
		Yes	Partially	No
Organisation	<p>1. Purchase the key text book: Sociology for AQA volume 1 AS and 1st-year A Level Fifth Edition Ken Browne Polity Press ISBN-13: 978-0-7456-9130-5</p>  <p>2. You need to buy 3 folders, A4 paper and page dividers.</p> <p>3. Use Chapter 1 from the above textbook to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain what Sociology is. • Complete the glossary below and give an example of each term. • Fill in the gaps on page 11. • Make brief notes on Sociological perspectives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Structuralism (what it is) and summarise the structuralist perspectives – Functionalism and Marxism. - Social Action or Interpretivist theories. • Explain what is meant by 'structuration'. • Summarise the Feminist, New Right and Postmodern perspectives. • Check that you can complete the activity from page 20-21. • Check that you are confident with the revision checklist from page 22 (and if you are not confident, go back and add some extra notes to what you have already done). • Read over the key terms from page 23, and add any words that you are unsure of to the glossary already created. • Finally collect newspaper articles (these can be online) that you think are relevant to Sociology, and explain their relevance. 			
Further Reading				
Additional task(s)				

Key term	Definition	Example of term
Social institutions		
Socialisation		
Culture		
Identity		
Roles		
Role conflict		
Role model		
Values		
Norms		
Social control		
Social class		
Upper class		
Middle class		
Working class		
Underclass		
Social mobility		
Life chances		
Status		
Ascribed status		
Achieved status		

Ethnicity		
Gender		

All tasks completed	Yes	No
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