



GCSE/A LEVEL 2017/18

Tutor-supported distance learning courses for Royal Navy, Royal Marines and Royal Fleet Auxiliary Personnel.

Standard and Enhanced Learning Credit Scheme Provider.



Greenwich Hospital



MARINE SOCIETY COLLEGE

We believe seafarers deserve access to career and life-enhancing education, wherever they are in the world.

We help RN/RM and RFA personnel to get ahead through our tailored distance learning programmes – so no matter where you are in the world, you will never miss out on an opportunity to learn new skills and gain qualifications.

Find out how we can help you get where you want to be:

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“The Marine Society provides great support to sailors – Royal Navy & Merchant Navy. Learning through life makes us better mariners and better people.”

Real Admiral John Clink
CBE RN, Flag Officer
Sea Training

WHY STUDY WITH US?

Support

We have partnered with leading distance learning providers who offer experienced and proactive subject-specialist support. We're the number one choice for RN/RM/RFA personnel studying at sea. We've been delivering learning solutions for Royal Navy personnel for generations and pride ourselves on our customer service standards.

Value for money

Thanks to our partnership with Greenwich Hospital, we can offer reduced prices for your learning. You can also use your RN Standard Learning Credits to reduce the cost further; contact your Education Centre for more information.

Flexibility

There are no set start dates so you can enrol at any time during the year. The courses are flexible and can fit around your work and family commitments. Exam dates are set but you can work through the study material at your own pace.

Free online resources

You can easily access learning resources and important documents through our Virtual Learning Environment (VLE). A personal learning platform will be created for you upon enrolling, giving you the ability to access the materials you need.

Exams

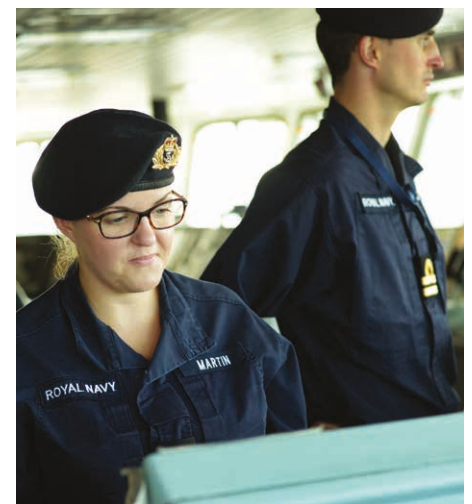
As a registered exam centre, we can enter you for exams and take care of the paperwork. We can also arrange for exams to be taken at sea, on your Navy base or when deployed.

Oxford Open Learning (OOL)

OOL are one of the UK's leading distance learning providers. They provide comprehensive learning resources and experienced tutors that work with you throughout your studies. You will receive proactive and flexible support, whether learning on land or at sea.

Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA)

In partnership with ACCA we are able to offer free online learning programmes for those interested in accountancy and business. There are four six-week tutor-led courses that can be taken at your own pace. There is a registration fee of £79 and examination fees are reduced by 50% for Marine Society learners. Contact us for more information.



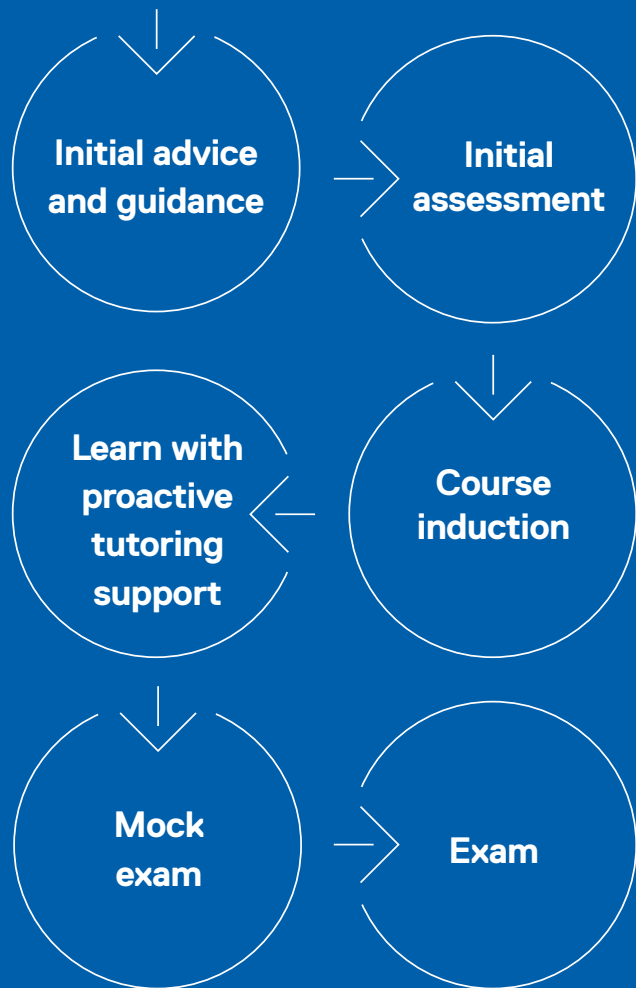
WHAT TO EXPECT

We offer a clear, unique and tailored pathway to help you get the most out of your learning experience. Supporting you every step of the way, our courses are structured as follows:



“Greenwich Hospital is delighted to be able to support naval service personnel and their spouses to undertake the wonderful GCSE and A Level courses provided by the Marine Society. We hope we are able to help more people reach their full potential by supporting these courses.”

John Gamp, Greenwich Hospital Charity Director



We provide free and confidential advice on your study options.

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HOW TO ENROL

Chosen your course? Get in touch or go online for an enrolment form. marine-society.org/enrol

Apply

Our enrolment form is available on our website, or you can call/email us to have a copy sent to you directly and we will answer any questions you may have. Once you're ready, send your completed form to us via email or post.

Call us on [020 7654 7050](tel:02076547050) or email education@ms-sc.org.

You can discuss your choices with us and we can help you through the induction process, from your application and diagnostic assessments to your first assignment.

Next steps

Study

Work through your study materials under the supervision of your tutor, submitting work on a regular basis. Your tutor marks your work with constructive comments and offers helpful feedback. All tutor support is available to you via email and phone. Extensions and deferrals may be possible on account of work commitments – talk to us if you're unsure.

Assess

We enter you for your exams and handle the paperwork. We can arrange for you to sit your exam on your naval base, on board ship or when deployed, giving you the flexibility to study while working.



If you have previously studied or taken exams and want to enter for exams only, we can help.

Exam entry only:

I/GCSE £89
AS Level £99
A Level £149

“The Marine Society has been very helpful throughout the learning process and I cannot thank them enough for all the support I received.”

LH(HC) Kyle Frederick RN

COURSES

Royal Navy personnel receive £100 discount for I/GCSEs and £150 for A Levels. RFA personnel and RN spouses can receive a 50% discount thanks to our Greenwich Hospital Partnership.

IGCSE courses

Available for winter (January) and summer (May/June) exams.

Qualification and subject	Awarding body	Full cost	RN/RM cost	RFA & RN spouse cost
IGCSE Biology	Edexcel	£437.70	£337.70	£218.85
IGCSE Chemistry	Edexcel	£437.70	£337.70	£218.85
IGCSE Economics	Edexcel	£437.70	£337.70	£218.85
IGCSE English	Edexcel	£437.70	£337.70	£218.85
IGCSE English Literature	Edexcel	£437.70	£337.70	£218.85
IGCSE Human Biology	Edexcel	£437.70	£337.70	£218.85
IGCSE Maths	Edexcel	£437.70	£337.70	£218.85
IGCSE Physics	Edexcel	£437.70	£337.70	£218.85
IGCSE Science Double Award	Edexcel	£775.40	£575.40	£387.70

IGCSE/GCSE courses

Summer exams only.

Qualification and subject	Awarding body	Full cost	RN/RM cost	RFA & RN spouse cost
GCSE English Literature	AQA	£429.55	£329.55	£214.78
GCSE Law	AQA	£432.80	£332.80	£216.40
GCSE Maths	AQA	£429.55	£329.55	£214.78
GCSE Psychology	AQA	£431.35	£331.35	£215.68
GCSE Sociology	AQA	£431.35	£331.35	£215.68
IGCSE Business Studies	Edexcel	£437.70	£337.70	£218.85
IGCSE Geography	Edexcel	£437.70	£337.70	£218.85
IGCSE History	Edexcel	£437.70	£337.70	£218.85

AS Levels

Summer exams only.

Qualification and subject	Awarding body	Full cost	RN/RM cost	RFA & RN spouse cost
AS Level Biology	Edexcel	£332.45	£232.45	£166.23
AS Level Business	AQA	£333.70	£233.70	£166.85
AS Level Economics	AQA	£333.70	£233.70	£166.85
AS Level English	AQA	£321.95	£221.95	£160.98
AS Level English Literature	AQA	£321.95	£221.95	£160.98
AS Level History	AQA	£321.95	£221.95	£160.98
AS Level Law	AQA	£333.70	£233.70	£166.85
AS Level Maths	AQA	£333.70	£233.70	£166.85
AS Level Psychology	AQA	£321.95	£221.95	£160.98
AS Level Sociology	AQA	£321.95	£221.95	£160.98

A Levels

Summer exams only.

Qualification and subject	Awarding body	Full cost	RN/RM cost	RFA & RN spouse cost
A Level Biology	Edexcel	£564.90	£414.90	£282.45
A Level Business	AQA	£534.20	£384.20	£267.10
A Level Economics	AQA	£534.20	£384.20	£267.10
A Level English	AQA	£534.20	£384.20	£267.10
A Level English Literature	AQA	£534.20	£384.20	£267.10
A Level History	AQA	£534.20	£384.20	£267.10
A Level Law	AQA	£559.80	£409.80	£279.90
A Level Maths	AQA	£559.80	£409.80	£279.90
A Level Psychology	AQA	£534.20	£384.20	£267.10
A Level Sociology	AQA	£534.20	£384.20	£267.10

You can make further savings by applying for Standard Learning Credits (£175) and Enhanced Learning Credits.

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Prices include course materials, proactive tutor support and exam entry. Please note that exam dates are set by the awarding bodies and cannot be changed.



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