



**Entering WJEC Short Course (Cash-in 4339 SC, QN C00/0481/5)  
and Full Course (Cash-in 4330 SA, QN C00/0477/3)  
GCSE Information and Communication Technology (ICT)**

As outlined in the WJEC GCSE ICT specification, candidates may take Unit 1 and Unit 2:

- and cash-in for the short course qualification
- before Unit 3 and Unit 4 and cash-in for a full GCSE qualification at the end of the course
- in the same series as Unit 3 and Unit 4 and cash-in for a full GCSE qualification.

**Where candidates have cashed-in Unit 1 and Unit 2 for the short course award, the outcomes from Unit 1 and Unit 2 cannot contribute to a full course award.**

It is important to note that candidates **are permitted** to cash-in a full course and a short-course in the same series **if they have completed sufficient units to allow both cash-ins for the same series.** For example, they may have sat Unit 1 and Unit 2 in year 10 and then go on to sit Unit 1 and Unit 2 again, along with Unit 3 and Unit 4 in year 11.

For candidates 'cashing-in' a short course and a full course qualification **in the same series, in order to satisfy terminal requirements,** WJEC will process the **short course cash-in first.** This may therefore have a detrimental effect upon the overall full course grade.

Please note that centres will **not be permitted** to remove any cash-in **once results have been issued.** If a centre wishes to remove any candidate's cash-in, an amendment file must **be submitted in the normal way prior to August 1<sup>st</sup>** of the year of the cash in.