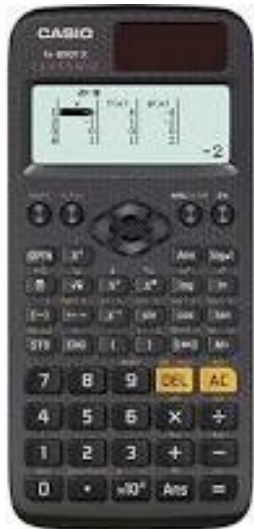


Calculator Information

There are three calculators that Ashby maths department would recommend. A scientific calculator is REQUIRED for all KS3 and KS4 students.



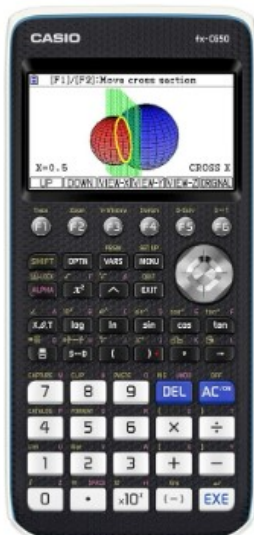
Casio fx-85GT or Casio fx-83GT

This calculator is the minimum model required for GCSE students. Nowadays all foundation students are required to be able to use a scientific calculator and this has all of the functions required to be able to complete the foundation exam to a high standard. This calculator does not have all of the functions that are required for further mathematical study.



Casio CLASSWIZ fx-991EX

This is one of the best non-graphical calculators available and it is also the **minimal** requirement for the new A Level syllabus. It has functions which make the GCSE exam easier, including quadratic and simultaneous equation solvers. This would be a very good calculator for all GCSE syllabuses, but would come highly recommended for those studying towards Higher Tier GCSE.



Casio fx-CG50 or Casio fx-9860GIII

These are powerful graphical calculators.

These have all the functionality that is required for A-level exams and therefore if you know that this is a path that you would like to follow in the future then get ahead by buying this calculator now and getting your money's worth from it! Before committing to purchasing this calculator it's advisable to consult with your maths teacher.

This calculator has **all the functions** that the Classwiz calculator has, plus graphing functions which make it extremely useful for any maths exam.