

ACHIEVE Student Support Pack Armadale Academy

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Section 1: Student Quick Start



Student Quick Start

The quickest way to access ACHIEVE is by following these 3 simple steps:

- 1. Visit https://achieve.hashtag-learning.co.uk/
- 2. Sign up with your email address and password
- 3. When prompted, enter the Armadale Academy code **ThnzXeeb**

From here you can select all your National 5 and Higher courses, and access the Learn, Assess and Self-evaluate modules for each.

Further Help and Support

This guide provides a summary of the ACHIEVE help guides which can be found within the program and on our website: https://letsachieve.co.uk/support/help/

Section 2: Courses and Classes



Adding Courses

To get started with ACHIEVE, set up the courses that you are studying.

Step 1

Select *Manage Courses* from the *My Courses* menu.

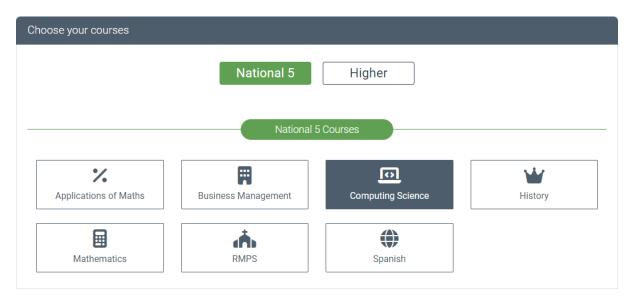
Step 2

Select the level of study from the available buttons.



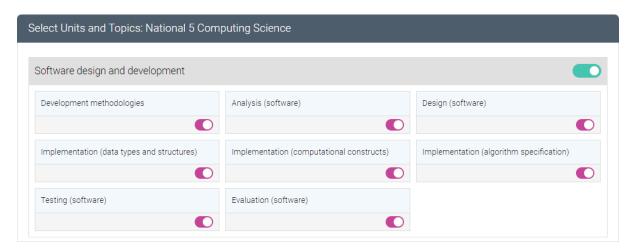
Step 3

Select all courses that you are studying.



Step 4 (optional)

Some courses such as History or Modern Studies have optional topics and units. Select the optional topics on your course (or check with your teacher about which topics will be covered). To turn off topics and units, select the *Optional Units / Topics* option from the *My Courses menu*.



Joining Classes

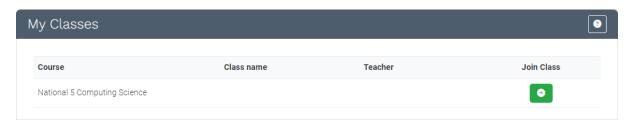
Join a class set up by your teacher.

Step 1

Select **Join Classes** from the **My Courses** menu.

Step 2

Click Join Class next to the relevant course.



Step 3

Enter the class code given to you by your teacher and click **Save**.



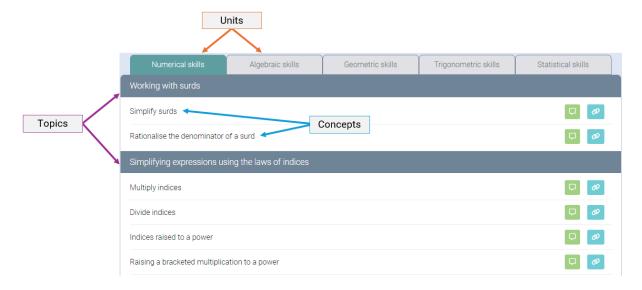
Section 3: Learn, Assess & Self-evaluate



Using Learn

The Learn module is your starting point as you work towards a National 5 or Higher qualification. It is an interactive digital textbook, with all the key concepts that you need to know fully explained and illustrated.

Courses are broken down into Units - each accessible via the tabs at the top of the screen. Units are divided into Topics, each containing a number of key Concepts.



Learn Buttons

Each Learn Concept gives you the following options:

Concise explanation of the concept

Links to further learning

Extended questions and activities

Links to past paper questions

Using Assess

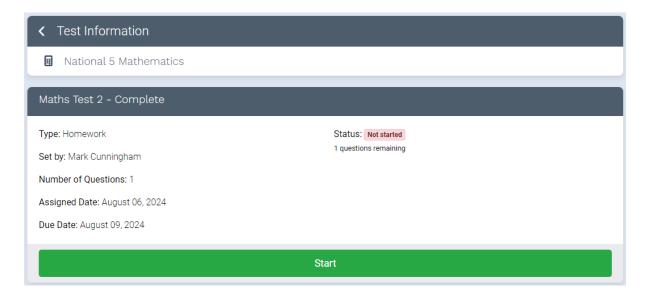
Use the Assess feature to test your knowledge and understanding of different Concepts or Topics on your course and get instant feedback.

There are two ways to use the Assess module:

- 1. Assigned tests (ie, tests created by your teacher)
- 2. Student managed assessments (tests you select for yourself)

Assigned Tests

Assigned tests are tests that your teacher has asked you to complete. Click **Start** to begin a test. Correct answers are displayed after each question.



Student Managed Assessments

ACHIEVE has a built-in assessment engine with thousands of practice questions. Choose this option to complete online assessments and receive instant feedback.

- **Step 1:** Choose from Topic, Unit or Course assessments.
- **Step 2:** Choose the number of questions in the assessment.
- **Step 3:** Complete the assessment. Correct answers are displayed after each question.

Assessment feedback and summary

At the end of each assessment or test, you will be given feedback on:

- your overall score
- a summary of strengths and areas for improvement

You can review an overall summary of all assessments including:

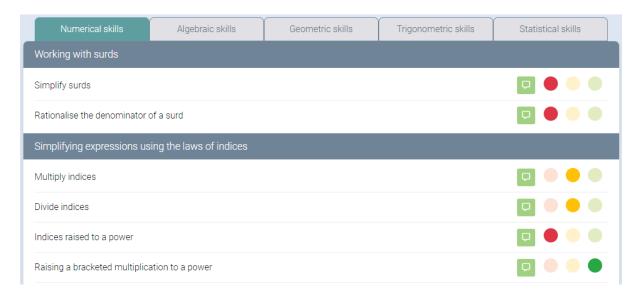
- number of questions answered correctly / attempted
- areas of strengths / areas for improvement



Using Self-evaluate

When studying you need to be able to identify the areas you know well and the areas you need to improve on.

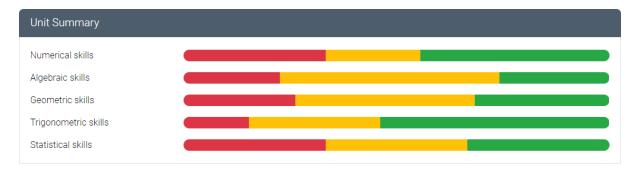
Use Self-evaluate to traffic-light your progress in each course.



- **GREEN**: My knowledge and understanding is strong, and I am confident
- AMBER: My knowledge and understanding is okay, but I am not fully confident
- **RED**: My knowledge and understanding is weak and I not at all confident am confident

Overview

Use Self-evaluate to gain an overview of your strengths and weaknesses by Unit and by Topics.



Numerical skills	
Simplify surds	12 Jan 2023
Rationalise the denominator of a surd	(21 Sep 2023
Indices raised to a power	21 Sep 2023
Add fractions	(01 Nov 2020)
Subtract fractions	05 Nov 2019
Multiply fractions	05 Nov 2019

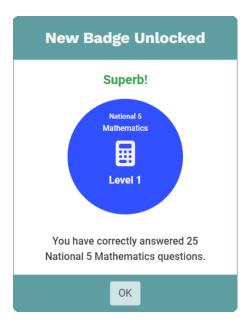
Badges and Streaks

ACHIEVE recognises your progress with badges and streaks:

Badges

Badges are automatically awarded when you answer a certain number of questions correctly. Each badge you earn helps you level up in your course. There are 40 badge levels in ACHIEVE, so there's always something to aim for!

Your teacher can also award you badges for different achievements, such as completing great homework, putting in exceptional effort, making good progress, or showing leadership skills.



Streaks

A Streak tracks your best run of consecutive correct answers in a course.

Each time you answer a question correctly in ACHIEVE, your streak increases by 1. If you get a question wrong, your streak resets to 0. The highest streak you've achieved in each subject is recorded as your personal best.

You can see how your streak compares with other students from your school or across Scotland by checking out the Streaks table.

Streaks

Date	Course	Streak 🗲	School rank	Scotland rank
12 Aug 2024	National 5 Computing Science	10	#1	# 73
08 Aug 2024	National 5 Mathematics	1	#1	# 176
19 Aug 2024	National 5 Modern Studies	1	#1	# 27