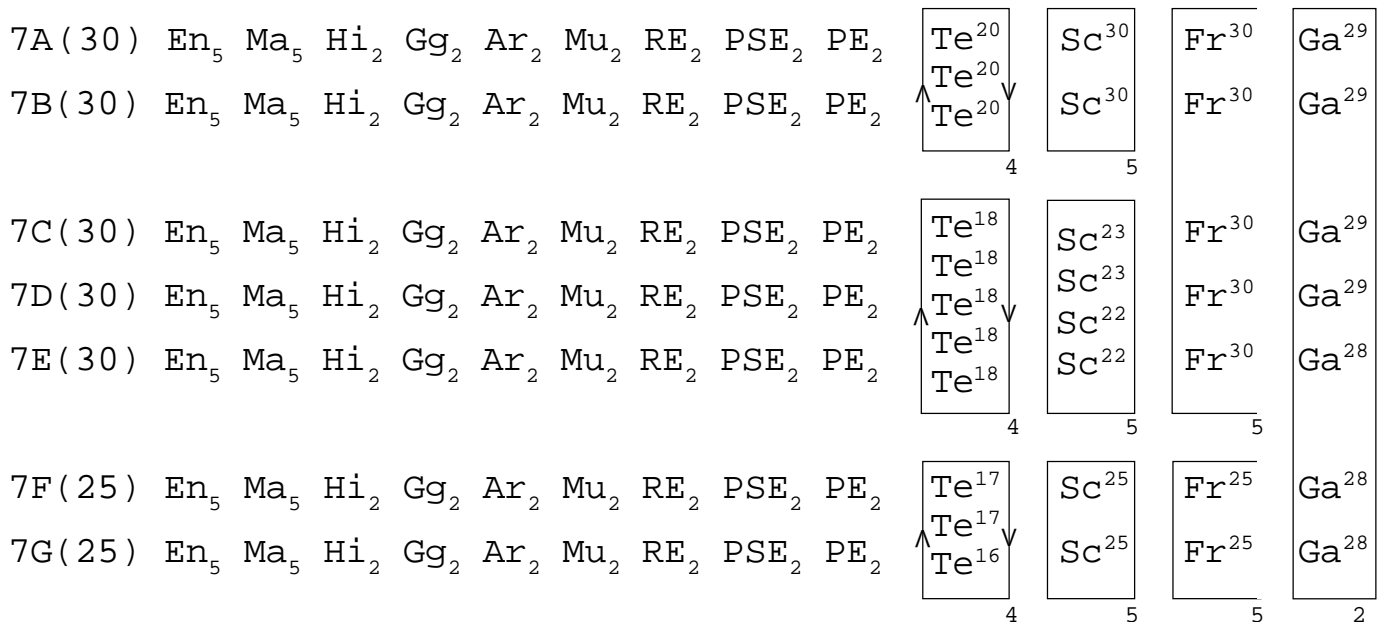


# Curriculum Notation

Consider this curriculum:



This diagram or 'curriculum plan' is shown in '**Curriculum Notation**'.

The numbers in brackets, and the superscripts, are *pupil numbers*.

The subscripts are the *numbers of periods* of teaching time.

The diagram shows:

- some subjects which are 'pure class' activities (see English, Maths, etc.);
- some which are grouped for a rotating 'circus' or 'carousel' (Technology);
- some which are grouped to be timetabled at the same time, either for 'setting' by ability (French), or for other purposes (Science, Games).

It also shows the way that the 'forms' or 'tutor-groups' (7A, etc.) are 'banded' (7AB, 7CDE, etc.).

Ofsted have a standard list of subject codes (as above, except SE for PSE).

For more details of how to draw a **Curriculum Diagram**, click on this link:

<http://www.timetabler.com/SupportCentre/CurriculumDiagram.xls>

Each item shown in the diagram above is an 'activity' in **TimeTabler**.

- It can be a 'pure class' activity,  
eg. for the 7A English above you would enter : **7A SSSSS En1**  
(where En1 would be the initials of that English teacher, teaching 7A for 5 single periods, each to be on a different day).
- It can be an activity needing a 'teacher-team',  
eg. for Games across the year-group : **7ABCDEFG D Ga1 Ga2 Ga3 Ga4 Ga5 Ga6 Ga7**  
(where Ga1, Ga2, etc would be the initials of the 7 teachers in this teacher-team, to be teaching for a Double period).