

Queenstown Secondary School
Mid-Year Examination 2022
Scheme of Assessment SA1

Sec 2 Normal (Academic)

Subject	Paper	Duration	Description		Marks	Weighting	
English	Paper 1: Grammar & Writing	1 hr 50 mins	This paper is divided into two sections:		Total: 70	35%	
			Section A – Grammar (Editing)		10		
			Section B - Situational Writing		30		
			Section C – Continuous Writing		30		
	Paper 2: Reading & Response	1 hr 50 mins	Section A: Comprehension Text 1 and Text 2		5	35%	
			Section B: Comprehension Text 3		20		
			Section C: Comprehension Text 4		15		
Section D: Personal or Critical Response			10				
Paper 3: Listening Comprehension	45 mins	Section A	Candidates respond to a variety of listening tasks based on a number of audio recordings which the candidates will hear twice.	24	10%		
		Section B	Candidates listen to an audio recording and do a simple note-taking exercise. Candidates will hear the recording only once.	6			
Paper 4 : Oral	15 mins	Part 1: Planned Response	Candidates offer a planned personal response to a given question.	15	20%		
Mother Tongue	Paper 1	2 hr	This paper is divided into 2 sections: Students answer both Section 1 and Section 2. Section 1: Email Writing Students write email based on 1 of the 2 topics given . Section 2: Composition Students write composition based on 1 of the 2 topics given. (Dictionary or E-dictionary is ONLY allowed for this paper.)		60	50%	
	Paper 2	1 hr 30 mins	Vocabulary, Language usage and ComprehensionVov		60	50%	
Mother Tongue B	Paper 1	50 mins	This paper is conducted via SEAB eExam System. Students can choose to write an email based on email topic given or write a composition based on the pictorial topic given. (Dictionary or E-dictionary is ONLY allowed for this paper.)		20	50%	
	Paper 2	1 hr	Vocabulary, Language usage and Comprehension		30	50%	
Mathematics	Paper 1	1 hr 15 mins	14-16 short answer and structured questions 2-4 marks per qsn Calculator is allowed Include Sec 1 topics		50	50%	
	Paper 2	1 hr 15 mins	7-8 structured and long questions 4 - 8 marks per qsn The last question will focus specifically on applying mathematics to real-world scenario Calculator is allowed Include Sec 1 topics		50	50%	
	Topics: Sec 1 topics: all						
	Sec 2 topics: Chapter 1 Linear Equations and Inequalities In One Variable Chapter 2 Linear Functions and Graphs Chapter 3 Linear Equations in Two Variables Chapter 7 Proportion Chapter 9 Congruence and Similarity						
Science		1hr 45 mins	Section A: Multiple Choice Questions [40 marks]		100	100%	
			Section B: Structured Questions [30 marks]				
			Section C: Free Response Questions [30 marks]				
Topics: Ch 7: Model of Matter - The Particulate Nature of Matter Ch 8: Model of Matter - Atoms and Molecules Ch 9: Application of Forces and Transfer of Energy Ch 10: Transfer of Heat Energy and its Effects Ch 11: Chemical Changes							
Geography		1 hr 15 mins	Section A - Sustainable Cities [15 marks] Section B - Transport Systems [20 marks]		35	100%	
	Topics 1) Chapter 7 : How can we build sustainable cities? 2) Chapter 10 : Transport Systems and their spatial distribution 3) Chapter 11 : Sustainable management of transport systems						
History		1 hr 15 mins	Section A: Source Based Case Study (Infer, Infer with Purpose & Comparison skills) [25m] Section B: Structured Essay Question (Describe and explain) [10m]		35	100%	
	Topics 1) Chapt 6: What did the people in Singapore experience during the Japanese Occupation? 2) Chapt 7: How did the people in Singapore respond to British rule after World War 2?						
Literature		1 hr 30 mins	Section A: Set Text - Passage-based Section B: Set Text - Passage-based and Personal Response		40	100%	
	Set Text: Poetry Anthology: Singapore Stories						
Design and Technology	Coursework	Semester 1	Project 1		42	30%	
			Project 2		47	70%	
	Topics: 1. Design Factors 2. Design Model 3. Research 4. Design Needs, Brief and Specifications 5. Isometric Sketching 6. Idea Generation via SCAMPER 7. Model Making 8. Development of Selected Idea 9. Actualisation of Design Solution						
Art	Coursework	Semester 1	Students will be applying the one point perspective technique to design their dream room.		100	30%	
	Topic: One point perspective						