The Scheme of Assessment for Preliminary Examination provides an overview of the various assessment components for each subject. Any adjustments will be communicated to students directly by subject teachers.

Subject	Paper	Description (Components/Topics)	Duration	Marks	Remarks
		Section A: Editing		10	
F	Paper 1 (Writing)	Section B: Situational Writing	1hr 50min	30	
		Section C: Continuous Writing		30	
English Language	Paper 2	Section A: Visual Text		5	
	Comprehension)	Section B: Comprehension (Narrative text)	1 hr 50min	20	
		Section C: Comprehension (Non-narrative text) & Summary		25	
P	aper 3 (Listening)	Listening	45min	30	
Mathematics	Paper 1	Number & Algebra, Geometry & Measurement, Statistics & Probability	2 hrs	80	
	Paper 2 Paper 1	Number & Algebra, Geometry & Measurement, Statistics & Probability Algebra, Geometry & Trigonometry, Calculus	2hr 30 min 2hr 15 min	100 90	
Add Mathematics	Paper 2	Algebra, Geometry & Trigonometry, Calculus	2hr 15 min	90	
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		Movement of Substances			
		Nutrients			
		Enzymes			
		Nutrition in Humans			
		Nutrition in Plants			
		Transport in Humans			*Combined MCQ with
	Paper 1	Transport in Plants	1 hr*		other Science (total 40
	. apc. 1	Respiration in Humans			marks)
Sc Bio	Paper 4	Excretion in Humans	1hr 15 min	206515	,
	·	Homeostasis The Nervous System			**Combined Practical
P	aper 5 (Practical)	The Nervous System The Human Eye	1hr 30 min**		with other Science (total
		Hormones			30 marks)
		Reproduction in Plants			
		Reproduction in Humans			
		Heredity			
		Molecular Genetics			
		Ecology			
		Our Impact on the Ecosystem			
		Chapter 1: Kinetic Particle Theory			
		Chapter 2: Measurement and Experimental Techniques			
		Chapter 3: Separation and Purification			
		Chapter 4: Elements, Compounds and Mixtures			
		Chapter 5: Atomic Structure			
		Chapter 7: Writing Chamical Equations			
		Chapter 7: Writing Chemical Equations Chapter 8: The Mole			*Combined MCQ with
	Paper 1	Chapter 9: Chemical Calculations	1 h*	20	other Science (total 40
		Chapter 10: Acids and Bases			marks)
Sc Chem	Paper 2	Chapter 11: Salts (include both Salts Preparation & Qualitative Analysis)	1 h 15 m	65	
	= /=	Chapter 12: Oxidation and Reduction			**Combined Practical
P	aper 5 (Practical)	Chapter 13: Metals	1 h 30 m**	15	with other Science (total
		Chapter 14: The Periodic Table			30 marks)
		Chapter 15: Energy Changes			
		Chapter 16: Speed of Reaction			
		Chapter 17: The Atmosphere and Environment			
		Chapter 18: An Introduction to Organic Chemistry			
		Chapter 19: Alkanes and Alkenes	1		
		Chapter 20: Alcohols and Carboxylic Acids			
		Chapter 1: Physical Quantities and Units	1		
		Chapter 2: Kinematics	1		
		Chapter 3: Dynamics Chapter 4: Mass, Weight and Density			
		Chapter 5: Turning Effect of Forces			
		Chapter 6: Pressure			
		Chapter 7: Work, Energy and Power			*Combined MCQ with
	Paper 1	Chapter 8: Kinetic Model of Matter	1 h*	20	other Science (total 40
	- r - =	Chapter 9: Thermal Transfer of Matter	1]	marks)
Sc Phy	Paper 2	Chapter 10: Thermal Properties of Matter	1 h 15 m	65	-'
		Chapter 11: General Properties of Waves	1		**Combined Practical
P	aper 5 (Practical)	Chapter 12: Light	1 h 30 m**	15	with other Science (total
		Chapter 13: Electromagnetic Spectrum	1		30 marks)
		Chapter 14: Sound	1		
		Chapter 15: Static Electricity	1		
		Chapter 16: Current Electricity	1		
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		Chapter 17: D.C. Circuits			
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		Chapter 2: Measurement and Experimental Techniques			
		Chapter 3: Separation and Purification			
		Chapter 4: Elements, Compounds and Mixtures			
		Chapter 5: Atomic Structure			
		Chapter 6: Ionic Bonding			
		Chapter 7: Covalent and Metallic Bonding			
		Chapter 8: Writing Chemical Equations			
		Chapter 9: The Mole			
	Paper 1	Chapter 10: Chemical Calculations	1hr	40	
		Chapter 11: Acids and Bases			
Pure Chemistry	Paper 2	Chapter 12: Salts	1hr 45 min	80	
		Chapter 13: Oxidation and Reduction			
	Paper 3 (Practical)	Chapter 14: Metals	1hr 50 min	40	
		Chapter 15: Electrolysis			
		Chapter 16: The Periodic Table			
		Chapter 17: Energy Changes			
		Chapter 18: Speed of Reaction			
		Chapter 19: Ammonia			
		Chapter 21: An Introduction to Organic Chemistry			
		Chapter 22: Alkanes and Alkenes			
		Chapter 23: Alcohols and Carboxylic Acids			
		Chapter 24: Macromolecules			
		Chapter 2: Cells			
		Chapter 3: Movement of Substances			
		Chapter 4: Nutrients			
		Chapter 5: Enzymes			
		Chapter 6: Nutrition in Humans			
		Chapter 7: Nutrition in Plants			
		Chapter 8: Transport in Humans			
		Chapter 9: Transport in Plants			
	Paper 1	Chapter 10: Respiration in Humans	1 h	40	
		Chapter 11: Excretion in Humans			
Pure Biology	Paper 2	Chapter 12: Homeostasis	1 h 45 min	80	
	- 1	Chapter 13: The Nervous System			
	Paper 3 (Practical)	Chapter 14: The Human Eye	1 h 50 min	40	
		Chapter 15: Hormones			
		Chapter 16: Cell Division			
		Chapter 17: Reproduction in Plants			
		Chapter 18: Reproduction in Humans			
		Chapter 19: Heredity			
		Chapter 20: Molecular Genetics			
		Chapter 21: Ecology			
		Chapter 22: Our Impact on the Ecosystem			
		Chapter 1: Physical Quantities and Units			
		Chapter 2: Kinematics			
		Chapter 3: Dynamics			
		Chapter 4: Mass, Weight and Density			
		Chapter 5: Turning Effect of Forces			
		Chapter 6: Pressure			
		Chapter 7: Work, Energy and Power			
		Chapter 8: Kinetic Model of Matter			
		Chapter 9: Thermal Transfer of Matter			
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		Chapter 11: Thormal Proporties of Matter			
Pure Physics	Paper 2	Chapter 12: Capacal Properties of Matter	1 h 45 min	80	
		Chapter 12: General Properties of Waves			
	Paper 3 (Practical)	Chapter 14: Electromagnetic Spectrum	1 h 50 min	40	
		Chapter 15: Sound			
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		Chapter 16: Static Electricity			
		Chapter 17: Current Electricity			
		Chapter 18: D.C. Circuits			
		Chapter 19: Practical Electricity			
		Chapter 20: Magnetism			
		Chapter 21: Electromagnetism			
		Chapter 22: Electromagnetic Induction	1		
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	Paper 1	Section A: Email Writing	2 hr	60	
	Paper 1 (Writing)	Section B: Essay Writing	2 hr	60	
Chinese Language	(Writing)	Section B: Essay Writing Section A: Cloze Passage			
Chinese Language	(Writing)	Section B: Essay Writing Section A: Cloze Passage Section B: Comprehension (Multiple Choice Question)	2 hr 1 hr 30 min	70	
Chinese Language	(Writing) Paper 2 (Comprehension)	Section B: Essay Writing Section A: Cloze Passage Section B: Comprehension (Multiple Choice Question) Section C: Comprehension (Open Ended Question)	1 hr 30 min	70	
Chinese Language	(Writing) Paper 2 (Comprehension) Paper 3 (Listening)	Section B: Essay Writing Section A: Cloze Passage Section B: Comprehension (Multiple Choice Question) Section C: Comprehension (Open Ended Question) Listening Comprehension	1 hr 30 min 45min	70 20	
Chinese Language	(Writing) Paper 2 (Comprehension) Paper 3 (Listening) Paper 1 (Writing)	Section B: Essay Writing Section A: Cloze Passage Section B: Comprehension (Multiple Choice Question) Section C: Comprehension (Open Ended Question)	1 hr 30 min	70	
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Tamil Language	Paper 1 (Writing)	Section B: Essay Writing	2hr	40	
		Section A: Grammer	1 hr 30 min		
	Paper 2	Section B: Comprehension (MCQ)		70	
	(Comprehension)	Section C: Comprehension (Open-Ended)			
	Paper 3 (Listening)	Listening Comprehension	45min	20	
	Paper 1	4 compulsory structured questions.	1 hr	40	All topics tested
POA (7087)	Paper 2	4 compulsory structured questions. • One question requires the preparation of financial statements for a business for one financial year. (20 marks) • A scenario-based question (7 marks) will be part of one of the 3 remaining questions	2 hr	60	All topics tested
	Paper 1	4 compulsory structured questions.	1 hr	40	All topics tested
POA (7175)	Paper 2	Section A (48 marks) Answer 3 compulsory structured questions. One question will be on the preparation of financial statement, Section B (12 marks) Answer any 1 out of 2 structured questions.	2 hr	60	All topics tested
Comb Hum (Social Studies)	2272/ Paper 1 2273/ Paper 1	Section A (35 Marks) 5 Source Based Question (Based on all skills learnt) Section B (15 Marks) 2 Free Response Questions (Content based on all 11 chapters) All questions are compulsory	1hr 45min	50	
Comb Hum (Geography)	2272	Section A (13 marks) Two questions on Geographical Investigations will be set based Global Tourism Variable Weather and Changing Climate Answer one question in this section. Section B (12 marks) Two structured questions will be set: Global Tourism Variable Weather and Changing Climate Answer one question from this section. Section C (25 marks) Two structured questions will be set: Living with Tectonic Hazards Food Resources Answer one question from this section.	1hr 40mins	50	
Comb Hum (History)	Paper 2	Section A (30 marks) 1 compulsory Source-Based Case Study Section B (20 marks) Choose 1 out of 2 Structured-Essay Questions	1hr 40 min	50	
D&T	Paper 1	Question 1: Case-based design question (26 marks) Questions 2 to 4: Design application quesions on Electronics, Mechanisms & Structures respectively (16 marks each)	2 hr	80	CW - 60% Paper 1 - 40%
NFS	Paper 1	Section A: 15 marks (multiple choice questions) Section B: 55 marks (short-answer-type questions and data-response-type questions) Section C: 30 marks (open-ended questions)	2 hr	100	CW - 60% Paper 1 - 40%
Art	Paper 1	Drawing and Painting	3 hr	100	CW - 60% Paper 1 - 40%