

**Gan Eng Seng School**  
**End of Year Examination 2023**  
**Year 1 Express**

<b>Subject</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Topics</b>	<b>Duration</b>
English Language	<p>PAPER ONE [70]* Writing</p> <p>Section A: Editing [10] Candidates identify and edit grammatical errors in a short written text.</p> <p>Section B: Situational Writing [30] Candidates write 250–350 words on a given situation which will involve viewing a visual text.</p> <p>Section C: Continuous Writing [30] Candidates write 250–400 words on one of four topics set.</p>		1 h 50 min
	<p>PAPER TWO [50]* Comprehension</p> <p>Section A [5] Candidates respond to a variety of questions based on Texts 1 and 2, one of which will include visuals.</p> <p>Section B [20] Candidates respond to a variety of questions based on Text 3, which is narrative in nature.</p> <p>Section C [25] Candidates respond to a variety of questions based on Text 4, a non-narrative text, and write an 80-word response to a summary writing task.</p>		1 h 50 min

	<p>PAPER THREE [30]* Listening</p> <p>Section A [22] Candidates respond to a variety of listening tasks based on a number of audio recordings, which candidates will hear twice.</p> <p>Section B [8] Candidates listen to an informational text and do a simple note-taking exercise. Candidates will hear the recording only once.</p>		45 min
Mathematics	<p>Paper 1: [50 Marks] Calculator is not allowed. About 14 – 16 short answer and structured questions carrying 2 – 4 marks each. To include 4 – 6 marks questions assessing the mathematical processes of reasoning, communication, connections, modelling and higher order thinking skills in Paper 1.</p>	<p>Chapter 1 Primes, Highest Common Factor and Lowest Common Multiple Chapter 2 Integers, Rational Numbers and Real Numbers Chapter 3 Approximation And Estimation Chapter 4 Basic Algebra and Algebraic Manipulation Chapter 5 Linear Equations Chapter 6 Linear Functions and Graphs Chapter 7 Number Patterns Chapter 8 Percentage Chapter 9 Ratio, Rate And Speed Chapter 10 Basic Geometry Chapter 11 Polygons and Geometrical Constructions Chapter 12 Perimeter and Area Of Plane Figures Chapter 14 Statistical Data Handling</p>	1 h 15 min
	<p>Paper 2: [50 Marks] About 7 – 8 structured and long answer questions carrying 4 – 8 marks each. To include a problem in real-world context as the last question. Such a problem contains authentic information where students have to extract the relevant mathematics, formulate the problem mathematically, solve it and interpret the solution in the context of the problem.</p>		1 h 15 min

Science	Paper 1: 30 Compulsory Multiple Choice Questions [30 marks] Weighting: 30 %	Chapter 1: The Scientific Endeavour Chapter 2: Exploring Diversity of Matter by their Physical Properties Chapter 3: Exploring Diversity of Matter by its Chemical Composition Chapter 4: Exploring Diversity of Matter Using Separation Techniques Chapter 5: Ray Model of Light Chapter 6: Model of Cells – the Basic Unit of Life Chapter 7: Model of Matter - The Particulate Nature of Matter Chapter 8: Model of Matter - Atoms and Molecules	2 h
	Paper 2: Structured questions [70 marks] Weighting: 70 % Section A [30 marks] Answer all questions. Section B [40 marks] Choose 4 out of 5 Questions (include 1 compulsory data based question)		
English Literature	Essay [50] Section A: Set Text [25] Section B: Unseen Poem/Prose [25]		1 h 40 min
Geography	Section A: Sustainable Management of Water [18m] Section B: Tropical Rainforest and Mangroves [18m] Answer all questions	Chapter 3: Water and Its Spatial Distribution Chapter 4: Sustainable Management of Water Chapter 5: Spatial Distribution of Tropical Rainforests and Mangroves Chapter 6: Sustainable Management of Tropical Rainforests and Mangroves	1 h 15 min
History	Section A (Source Based Case Study, 20m) Answer ALL questions Section B (Structured Questions, 15m) Answer THREE OUT OF FOUR questions	Chapters 1-4	1 h 15 min
Chinese Language	Paper 1 : 电邮 (20 分), 作文 (40 分)	Not Applicable	1 h 45 min
	Paper 2 : 填写汉字(6 分), 辩词填空 (6 分), 完成句子/造句(8	单元一 至 单元六	1 h 30 min

	分), 综合填空 (10 分) 阅读理解一(10 分), 阅读理解二 (30 分)		
	Paper 3 : 口试朗读 (20 分), 听力 (20 分)	Not Applicable	60 mins (via SLS) / 30 min
Higher Chinese	Paper 1 : 电邮 (20 分), 作文(60 分)	Not Applicable	2 h
	Paper 2 : 填写汉字(8 分), 辩词填空 (8 分), 完成句子 (10 分), 选词填空(10 分), 阅读理解一 (10 分), 阅读理解二 (24 分)	单元一 至 单元六	1 h 30 min
	Paper 3 : 口试朗读 (10 分), 听力 (20 分)		60 mins (via SLS) / 30 min
Malay Language	Paper 1 : Bahagian A (10 marks): Teks fungsional; Bahagian B (20 marks): Naratif	Not Applicable	1 h 45 min
	Paper 2 : Bahagian A: Melengkapkan teks (10 marks); Bahasa (5 marks); Bahagian B: Kefahaman Objektif (10 marks); Bahagian C: Kefahaman Subjektif (15 marks),	Not Applicable	1 h 30 min
	Paper 3 : Kefahaman Mendengar (10 marks); Lisan - Bacaan (20 marks)	Not Applicable	30 min/ 60 mins (via SLS)
Tamil Language	Paper 1 : மின்னஞ்சல் (20marks), கட்டுரை (40marks)	Not Applicable	1 h 45 min
	Paper 2 : மரபு (10marks), கருத்துமாறா (10marks), அமைப்பு (10marks), தெரிவு (10marks), சுயவிடை (30marks)	Not Applicable	1 h 30 min
	Paper 3 : கேட்டல் (20marks) வாய்மொழி (20 marks)	Not Applicable	60 mins (via SLS) / 30 min
	* The total marks will be converted into 100%		