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SECONDARY TWO EXPRESS (G2 SUBJECTS)	
SUBJECT	EXAM FORMAT
ENGLISH LANGUAGE	<p>Paper 1: Writing (1 hour 50 minutes)</p> <p><u>Section A: Editing (10 marks)</u> Candidates to identify and edit grammatical errors in a short written text.</p> <p><u>Section B: Situational Writing (30 marks)</u> Candidates write 200–250 words on a given situation which will involve viewing of a visual stimulus.</p> <p><u>Section C: Continuous Writing (30 marks)</u> Candidates write 250–350 words on one of four topics set.</p>
	<p>Paper 2: Comprehension (1 hour 50 minutes)</p> <p><u>Section A: Visual Text Comprehension (5 marks)</u> Candidates respond to questions based on Texts 1 and 2, one of which is a visual text.</p> <p><u>Section B: Narrative Comprehension (20 marks)</u> Candidates respond to a variety of questions based on Text 3 which is a narrative or a recount.</p> <p><u>Section C: Non-Narrative Comprehension (25 marks)</u> 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>
	<p>Paper 3: Listening (About 45 minutes)</p> <p><u>Section A (22 marks)</u> Candidates respond to a variety of listening tasks based on a number of audio recordings, which the candidates will hear twice.</p> <p><u>Section B (8 marks)</u> Candidates listen to an audio recording and do a note-taking exercise. Candidates will hear the recording only once.</p> <p>This component will be conducted in Term 4 Week 3.</p>
	<p>Paper 4: Oral Communication</p> <p>The two parts in this paper are thematically linked.</p> <p><u>Part 1: Planned Response (15 marks)</u> Candidates plan and deliver a response of up to 2 minutes to a video clip and accompanying prompt presented on a computer screen.</p> <p><u>Part 2: Spoken Interaction (15 marks)</u> Candidates engage in a discussion with the Examiners on a topic broadly related to the video clip used in Part 1.</p> <p>This component was conducted earlier in Term 2 Week 9.</p>

	HIGHER CHINESE LANGUAGE
	<p>试卷一：这份试卷包括实用文和作文两部分。考生在写作时，可以使用考评局规定的词典。</p> <p><i>Paper 1: 80 marks</i> <i>Duration: 2hr</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● 第一部分：实用文 <i>Email Writing (20 marks)</i> 考生必须写一个电子邮件，字数在150 以上。 考生可以根据所提供的两个电邮内容，选择写一个电邮。● 第二部分：作文 <i>Composition (60 marks)</i> 考生可以从三道题目中任选一题，字数在240以上。 三道题目的文体均为情境作文。 <p>试卷二：语文理解与应用</p> <p><i>Paper 2: 60 marks</i> <i>Duration: 1 hr 30 min</i></p> <p>这份试卷考查的项目包括：</p> <p style="text-align: center;">一、填写汉字</p> <p style="text-align: center;">二、辨词填空</p> <p style="text-align: center;">三、造句/完成句子</p> <p style="text-align: center;">四、短文填充</p> <p style="text-align: center;">五、阅读理解（一）</p> <p style="text-align: center;">六、阅读理解（二）</p> <p>试卷三：口试</p> <p><i>Paper 3: 50 Marks</i> <i>Duration: 10 - 15 mins</i></p> <p>在考试前,考生会有10分钟的时间默读短文和准备看视频会话。</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● 第一部分：朗读短文 <i>(Reading Aloud – Passage)</i><ul style="list-style-type: none">○ 考生必须朗读一个短文。● 第二部分：会话 <i>(Conversation)</i><ul style="list-style-type: none">○ 考生针对所提供的视频,谈谈自己的感受或看法。 <p>试卷三：听力理解</p> <p><i>Paper 3: Listening Comprehension 20 marks</i> <i>Duration: 30 mins</i></p> <p>这份试卷包括两部分，共有10道选择题。考生先听录音，然后回答问题。</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 第一部分 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 包括三个极短对话或语段 ● 第二部分 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 包括三个理解篇章，考查的内容包括：日常会话、广告、说明、故事、新闻报道等。
MOTHER TONGUE LANGUAGES	<p style="text-align: center;">CHINESE LANGUAGE</p> <p>试卷一：这份试卷包括实用文和作文两部分。考生在写作时，可以使用考评局规定的词典。</p> <p><i>Paper 1: 60 marks</i> <i>Duration: 2hr</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 第一部分：实用文 Email Writing (20 marks) 考生必须写一个电子邮件，字数在150 以上。 考生可以根据所提供的两个电邮内容，选择写一个电邮。 ● 第二部分：作文 Composition (40 marks) 考生可以从三道题目中任选一题，字数在300以上。 三道题目的文体均为情境作文。 <p>试卷二：语文理解与应用</p> <p><i>Paper 2: 70 marks</i> <i>Duration: 1 hr 30 min</i></p> <p>这份试卷考查的项目包括：</p> <p style="text-align: center;">一、填写汉字</p> <p style="text-align: center;">二、辨词填空</p> <p style="text-align: center;">三、造句/完成句子</p> <p style="text-align: center;">四、短文填充</p> <p style="text-align: center;">五、阅读理解（一）</p> <p style="text-align: center;">六、阅读理解（二）</p> <p>试卷三：口试</p> <p><i>Paper 3: 50 Marks</i> <i>Duration: 10 - 15 mins</i></p> <p>在考试前,考生会有10分钟的时间默读短文和准备看视频会话。</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 第一部分：朗读短文 (<i>Reading Aloud – Passage</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 考生必须朗读一个短文。 ● 第二部分：会话 (Conversation)

- 考生针对所提供的视频,谈谈自己的感受或看法。

试卷三：听力理解

Paper 3: Listening Comprehension 20 marks

Duration: 30 mins

这份试卷包括两部分，共有10道选择题。考生先听录音，然后回答问题。

- **第一部分**
 - 包括三个极短对话或语段
- **第二部分**
 - 包括三个理解篇章，考查的内容包括：日常会话、广告、说明、故事、新闻报道等。

MALAY LANGUAGE

Paper 1: Composition (60 marks)

Duration: 2hr (Paper 1):

Bah A: Penulisan Fungsional (20m) - Menulis respons tidak kurang daripada 110 patah perkataan (Pilih satu)

- Respons Blog/Forum
- E-mel Rasmi

Bah B: Penulisan Esei: Karangan Naratif & Karangan Deskriptif (40m)- Menulis karangan yang panjangnya tidak kurang daripada 210 patah perkataan (Pilih satu)

- 1 soalan jenis karangan naratif
- 1 soalan jenis karangan deskriptif

Paper 2: Language and Comprehension (70 marks)

Duration: 1 hr 30mins

Bahagian A: Penggunaan Bahasa (20m)

- Soalan A1- Melengkapkan teks
- Soalan A2 - Mengedit teks

Bahagian B: Pemahaman 1(20marks)

- Soalan B1 - Pemahaman Analisis Betul/Salah (2)
- Soalan B2 - Pemahaman MCQ (2)

Bahagian C: Pemahaman 2 (30marks)

Pemahaman Subjektif- 1 teks naratif

Paper 3 (70 marks)

Lisan (50 marks)

Duration: 20 mins

- Bacaan Lantang (10m)
- Perbualan berdasarkan Video (40m)

	Listening Comprehension (20 marks) Duration: 30 mins • MCQ-10 items	
SUBJECT	EXAM FORMAT	TOPICS TESTED
MATHEMATICS	The paper comprises Sections 1 and 2. Section 1 : 12 to 13 short answer and structured questions Section 2 : 7 to 8 structured and long - answer questions Duration : 2 h 30 min Total marks : 100 Weightage : 50 % for Section 1 and 50% for Section 2. Calculator is allowed for the paper. Answer all questions in Sections 1 and 2	Chapter 1 : Linear Inequalities Chapter 2 : Linear Equations in Two Variables Chapter 3 : Expansion & Factorisation of Algebraic Expressions Chapter 4 : Algebraic Fractions & Formulae Chapter 5 : Quadratic Functions, Graphs and Equations Chapter 6 : Proportion Chapter 7 : Congruence & Similarity Chapter 8 : Pythagoras' Theorem Chapter 9 : Trigonometric Ratios Chapter 10 : Volume and Surface Area of Pyramids, Cones and Spheres Chapter 11 : Statistical Diagrams Chapter 12 : Measures of Central Tendency Chapter 13 : Probability Lower Sec Topics 1) Factors and Multiples 2) Real numbers 3) Approximation and Estimation 4) Basic Algebra and Algebraic manipulation 5) Percentage
SCIENCE	Question Paper (25 m) 25 Multiple Choice Questions Answer Booklet (60 m) Section A - 50 marks (Structured Questions) Section B - 10 marks (Open Ended Questions), Choose 1 question out of 2, each carrying 10 marks Duration : 1 hr 45 min Total marks : 85 marks Calculator is allowed	Chapter 8: Atoms and Molecules Chapter 9: Application of Forces and Transfer of Energy Chapter 10: Transfer of Heat Energy and its Effects Chapter 11: Chemical Changes Chapter 13: Electrical Systems Chapter 14: Human Digestive System Chapter 15: Transport Systems in Living Things Chapter 16: Human Sexual Reproductive System (Until Menstrual Cycle Only)
GEOGRAPHY	Duration: 1 hour 15 min Total: 36 marks <u>Section A: Structured Questions (18 marks)</u> Students are to answer all questions. <u>Section B: Structured Questions (18 marks)</u> Students are to answer all questions.	Chapter 7: How Can We Build Sustainable Cities? Chapter 8: Housing and its Spatial Distribution Chapter 9: Sustainable Development of Housing Chapter 10: Transport and Their Spatial

		Distribution Chapter 11: Sustainable Management of Transport Systems
LITERATURE IN ENGLISH	<p>Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes</p> <p><u>Section A (25 marks)</u> Students will answer 1 question based on a seen poem.</p> <p><u>Section B (25 marks)</u> Students will answer either a Passage-based Question or an Essay Question.</p>	<p>Seen Poetry Analysis</p> <p>Set Text - Emily of Emerald Hill:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Appreciation of Plot ● Analysing Characters and their Relationships with one another ● Appreciation of Thematic Issues surfaced in the text ● Using PEEL approach to structure student's personal response
HISTORY	<p>Duration: 1 h 15 mins Total: 35 marks</p> <p><u>Source-based questions (15 marks)</u> Students to answer all questions</p> <p><u>Structured-essay questions (20 marks)</u> Students answer 2 out of 3 questions. Each question has 2 sub questions (a) and (b).</p>	<p>Chapter 6: What Did the People Experience During the Japanese Occupation?</p> <p>Chapter 7: How Did the People in Singapore Respond to British Rule After World War II?</p> <p>Chapter 8: How did Singapore become an independent nation?</p> <p>Chapter 9: How did Singapore safeguard its independence after 1965?</p> <p>Chapter 10: To what extent did people's lives change after independence?</p>
ART	<p>Question Paper will be given on day of Exam Duration: 2 hours Total Marks: 50 marks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Students are to choose <u>ONE</u> out of 2 questions / stimuli given. ● Students are to create an artwork which must include at least 1 metamorphosed drawing with a background, middle ground and foreground and complete with full rendering in dry medium (colour pencil / pencil / micron pens) learnt using the images given in their chosen question. ● The final artwork must be in line with the theme of their chosen question. ● Students are to bring their own colouring materials for the Art Exam. 	