



St Andrew's Secondary School
Weighted Assessment Overview 2024
Secondary 2

Subject	Weightage	Course	Date	Format	Duration/Deadline	Topics Tested
English Language	WA1 (10%)	G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)	T1W5 2 Feb e-Assessment on TGIF	Error Editing & Written task	I hr	Refer to notes/specimen paper given *SLS - Student Learning System *GC - Google Classroom
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	T1W4 (22 Jan – 26 Feb)	Individual project: Formal Letter (SLS/GC)	2 Weeks Due in T1W6 (5 Feb to 9 Feb)	
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	WA 2 (15%)	G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)	T2W5 (15 Apr- 19 Apr)	Comprehension	40 mins	
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	T2W5 (15 Apr – 19 Apr)	Narrative Comprehension		
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	WA 3 (15%)	G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)	T3W6 (29 Jul – 2 Aug)	Comprehension	40 mins	
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	T3W6 (29 July – 2 Aug)	Comprehension- Text 3		
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				

	EOY (60%)	<p>G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)</p>	Please refer to EOY exam schedule	<p>Paper 1: Writing Section A: Editing Section B: Situational Writing Section C: Continuous Writing</p> <p>Paper 2 Language Use and Comprehension Section A: Language Use Part 1: Modified Cloze I Part 2: Modified Cloze II Section B: Reading Comprehension Part 3: Comprehension I Part 4: Comprehension II</p> <p>Paper 3 Listening</p>	<p>Paper 1: 1 hr 20 min Paper 2: 1 hr 20 min Paper 3: 45 min</p>	
		<p>G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)</p>		<p>Paper 1: Writing Section A: Editing Section B: Situational Writing Section C: Continuous Writing</p> <p>Paper 2: Comprehension Section A: Text 1 & Text 2 (Inclusive of Visual Text) Section B: Narrative Text Section C: Non-narrative Text (Inclusive of Summary)</p> <p>Paper 3: Listening</p>	<p>Paper 1: 1 hr 50 min Paper 2: 1 hr 50 min Paper 3: 45 min</p>	
		<p>G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)</p>				

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Mother Tongue Languages *	WA1 (10%)	CL - B Syllabus	T1W4	e-oral	Due in T1W8 (Fri)	Refer to instructions provided by the MTL teachers for the respective courses
		G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)				
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)				
		G3 & HCL (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	WA 2 (15%)	CL - B Syllabus	T2W5	Comprehension and Language Application	40 mins	Refer to instructions provided by the MTL teachers for the respective courses
		G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)				
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)				
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
		HCL				
	WA 3 (15%)	CL - B Syllabus	T3W4	Composition writing (typing required)	40 mins	Refer to instructions provided by the MTL teachers for the respective courses
		G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)		Blog response (typing required)	30 mins	
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)		Writing: Email	40 mins	
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
		HCL				
	EOY (60%)	CL - B Syllabus	Please refer to EOY exam schedule	Paper 1: Picture composition (typing required) Paper 2: Comprehension and Language Application	Paper 1: 50 mins Paper 2: 1 hr Paper 3: Listening Comprehension - 30 mins, Oral - 15 mins	Refer to notes/specimen paper given

				Paper 3: Oral and Listening Comprehension		
		G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)		P1 (Part 1) - Blog-response (typing required) P1 (Part 2) - Comprehension and Language Application P2 - Oral P3 - Listening Comprehension	Paper 1 (Part 1): 30 min Paper 1 (Part 2): 40 min Paper 2: 15 min Paper 3: 30 min	
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)				
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)		Paper 1: Email and Essay writing Paper 2: Comprehension and Language Application Paper 3: Oral and Listening comprehension	Paper 1: 1 hr 45 mins Paper 2: 1 hr 30 mins Paper 3: Listening Comprehension - 30 mins, Oral - 15 mins	
		HCL		Paper 1: Email and Composition Paper 2: Comprehension and Language Application Paper 3: Oral	Paper 1: 1 hr 45 mins Paper 2: 1 hr 30 mins Paper 3: 15 mins	

*For details of WA for following Mother Tongue Languages (Malay 'B'/Tamil 'B'), Foreign Languages (French/German/Arabic), Non-Tamil Indian Languages (Hindi) and Special Programme (MSP/CSP) conducted at Language Centres, please refer to the information given by the respective Language Centres.

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Science	WA1 (10%)	G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)	T1W7 * scheduled eAssessment during TGIF 16 Feb	Multiple-Choice Questions	35 min	Chapter 4: Electricity
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)				Chapter 9: Application of Forces and Transfer of Energy
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	WA 2 (15%)	G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)	T2W6	Multiple-Choice & Structured Questions	40 mins	Chapter 5: Heat Chapter 9: Cells
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)				Chapter 10: Transfer of Heat Energy and Its Effects Chapter 11: Chemical Changes
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	WA 3 (15%)	G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)	T2W4 - T3W3 (8 Apr - 12 July)	River Studies (Project)	14 Weeks Due on T3W3: 12/7/2024	Refer to instructions given in the River Studies Handbook
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)				
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				

	EOY (60%)	G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)	Please refer to EOY exam schedule	Multiple-Choice & Structured Questions	1 hr 45 min	Chapter 4: Electricity Chapter 5: Heat Chapter 9: Cells Chapter 10: Getting energy and nutrients from food Chapter 11: Human reproduction Chapter 12: Taking Good Care of My Body
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)				Chapter 9: Application of Forces and Transfer of Energy Chapter 10: Transfer of Heat Energy and Its Effects Chapter 11: Chemical Changes Chapter 12: Interactions within Ecosystems Chapter 13: Electrical Systems Chapter 14: Human Digestive System Chapter 15: Transport Systems in Living Things Chapter 16: Human Sexual Reproductive System
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				

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Mathematics	WA1 (10%)	G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)	T1W6 (5 Feb – 9 Feb)	Structured Questions *Approved scientific calculators allowed	40 mins	Sec 1: Chapter 9: Area and Perimeter Sec 2: Chapter 1: Triangles & Quadrilaterals Chapter 2: Linear Algebraic Expressions
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)		Structured Questions *Approved scientific calculators allowed	40 mins	Sec 1: Chapter 4: Basic Algebra & Algebraic Manipulation Chapter 5: Simple Equations in One variable Sec 2: Chapter 1: Linear Equations and Inequalities Chapter 2: Linear Functions and Graphs
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)		Structured Questions *Approved scientific calculators allowed	40 mins	Sec 1: Chapter 4: Basic Algebra & Algebraic Manipulation Chapter 5: Simple Equations in One variable Chapter 13: Volume and Surface Area of Prisms and Cylinders Sec 2: Chapter 1: Linear Inequalities Chapter 2: Linear Equations in Two Variables
	WA 2 (15%)	G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)	T2W8 (6 May – 10 May)	Structured Questions *Approved scientific calculators allowed	40 mins	Chapter 3: Linear Equations in One variable Chapter 4: Function and Graphs Chapter 5: Proportion
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)				Chapter 3: Linear Equations in 2 variables Chapter 4: Expansion and Factorisation of Algebraic Expression Chapter 5: Algebraic Fractions Chapter 6 :Proportion

		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				Chapter 3: Expansion and Factorisation of Algebraic Expressions Chapter 4: Algebraic Fractions and Formulae Chapter 5: Quadratic Functions, Graphs and Equations Chapter 6: Proportion
	WA 3 (15%)	G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)	T3W8 (12 Aug – 16 Aug)	Structured Questions *Approved scientific calculators allowed	40 mins	Chapter 6: Rate and Speed Chapter 7 (Maths in Practical Situations) Chapter 8 (Congruence and Similarity)
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)				Chapter 7 Quadrilaterals and other polygons Chapter 8 Congruence and Similarity Chapter 9 Pythagoras' Theorem Chapter 10.1 Volume & Surface Area of Pyramids
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				Chapter 7: Congruence and Similarity Chapter 8: Pythagoras' Theorem Chapter 9: Trigonometric Ratios Chapter 10: Volume & Surface Area of Pyramids and cones (10.1 & 10.2)
	EOY (60%)	G1 (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)	Please refer to EOY exam schedule	Structured Questions *Approved scientific calculators allowed	Paper 1: 1 hr Paper 2: 1 hr	Sec 1 Textbooks: All Chapters Sec 2 Textbooks: All Chapters
		G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)			2 hr	Sec 1 Textbooks: All Chapters Sec 2 Textbooks: All Chapters
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				Sec 1 Textbooks: All Chapters Sec 2 Textbooks: All Chapters

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Literature	WA1 (10%)	G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	T1W4 (24 Jan - 26 Jan)	Project: writing a poem + 2 paragraphs analysis (Project)	3 Weeks Due in T1W7 (12 Feb – 16 Feb)	Literary devices and Theme
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	WA 2 (15%)	G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	T2W8 (6 May – 10 May)	PBQ essay on <i>Flowers for Algernon (FfA)</i>	40 mins	<i>Flowers for Algernon /PEEL</i>
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	WA 3 (15%)	G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	T3W5 (22 Jul - 26 Jul)	Essay and list of quotes from <i>FfA</i> (Project)	3 Weeks Due in T3W8 (12 Aug – 16 Aug)	<i>Flowers for Algernon/PEEL</i>
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	EOY (60%)	G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	Please refer to EOY exam schedule	1. <i>FfA</i> essay 25m 2. Unseen Poetry essay 25m	1h 30 min	<i>Flowers for Algernon / Unseen Poetry</i>
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				

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History	WA1 (10%)	G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	T1W8 (19 Feb – 23 Feb)	Performance Task HI Individual: 3 Sources + Inference	Due in T1W8 (19 Feb – 23 Feb)	Chapter 10
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)	T1 W9 (26 Feb – 1 Mar)	HI Group: Structured Essay	Due in T1 W9 (26 Feb – 1 Mar)	
	WA 2 (15%)	G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	T2W8 (6 May – 10 May)	Source-based Question & Structured Question (Take-home Assignment)	1 Week Due in T2W8 (6 May – 10 May)	Chapters 6 & 7
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	WA 3 (15%)	G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	T3W8 (12 Aug – 16 Aug)	Source-based Question & Structured Question	30 mins	Chapter 8
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	EOY (60%)	G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	Please refer to EOY exam schedule	Source-based Question & Structured Question	1 hr 20 min	Chapters 8 & 9
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				

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Geography	WA1 (15%)	G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	Starts in T1W5 (29 Jan – 2 Feb)	Geographical Investigations (On-going Project Work - inclusive of individual and group component)	Due in Term 1 Week 8 (19 Feb – 23 Feb)	Geographical Investigation on Housing Refer to instructions and timeline given
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	WA 2 (15%)	G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	Starts in T1W9 (26 Feb –1 Mar)		Due in Term 2 Week 1 (18 Mar – 22 Mar)	
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	WA 3 (10%)	G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	T3W6 (29 Jul – 2 Aug)	Short Structured Questions	40 min	Chapter 8 and 9
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	WA 4 (10%)	G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	T4W1 (9 Sept – 13 Sept)	Geographical Response Questions	40 min	Chapter 10 and 11
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				
	EOY (50%)	G2 (Subjects taken at Normal Academic Course)	Please refer to EOY exam schedule	Short Structured Questions	1 hr 15 min	Chapters 8 to 11
		G3 (Subjects taken at Express Course)				

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Computer Applications	WA1 (10%)	For G1 Only (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)	T1W7 (17 Feb) *e-Assessment on TGIF	Multiple-Choice & Structured Questions	40 min	CPF + MEL (Sec 1 & 2 topics)
	WA 2 (15%)		T2W8 (6 May – 10 May)	Practical Test	40 min	DOP (Sec 1 to 2 topics)
	WA 3 (15%)		T3W8 (12 Aug – 16 Aug)	Practical Test	40 min	AGM (Animation)
	EOY (60%)		Please refer to EOY exam schedule	Paper 1: Multiple-Choice & Structured Questions Paper 2: Practical Questions	Paper 1: 1 hr Paper 2: 1hr 30 mins	Paper 1: CPF, MEL, DOP, IMC & SST Paper 2: DOP, AGM & SST
Social Studies	WA1	For G1 Only (Subjects taken at Normal Technical Course)				
	WA 2		End of Term 1	Performance Task 1 (Take home assignment)	Due in T2W5 (17 Apr - 21 Apr)	Chapter 1-2
	WA 3					
	EOY		End of Term 3	Performance Task 2 (Take home assignment)	Due in T4W3 (25 Sept - 29 Sept)	Chapter 3-5

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<u>Design & Technology</u>	WA 1 (60%)	Common Curriculum for all courses	T1W8 (19 Feb – 23 Mar)	Design Journal + Prototype (Design Project 1)	T1W8	Design Process: -Need analysis, ideation (Shape borrowing), SCAMPER, - Development of ideas, -Creating mock-up model, -Prototyping -Practical processes (Sawing, Filing, Drilling, Finishing, Sanding, Joining and Soldering)
	WA2 (40%)		T2W8 (6 May – 10 May)	Design Journal + Prototype (Design Project 2)	T2W8	
	WA 3					
	EOY					
Music		Common Curriculum for all courses				
	WA1 (50%)		T1 W9 - T1 W10	Group Performance	T1 W10	Instrumental Ensemble Playing
	WA3 (50%)		T3 W9 - T3 W10	Group Song-writing Project	T3 W10	Music Composition
ART	WA1 (15%)	Common Curriculum for all courses	T1W5-T1W6 (29 Jan - 9 Feb)	Coloured pencil Project	Due in T1W6 (5 Feb- 9Feb)	Tonal Values in Coloured Pencil Task
	WA2 (15%)		T2W5- T2W6 (15 Apr –26 Apr)	Acrylic painting Project	Due in T2W6 (22 Apr –26 Apr)	Acrylic painting Task
	WA3 (15%)		T3W3 - T3W4 (8th to 19th Jul)	Digital Prep Work Project	Due in T3W4 (15th Jul-19th July)	Digital Prep Work Task
	EOY (55%)		T3W6- T4W1 (29 Aug to 13 Sept)	Optical Illusion EOY Project	Due T4Wk1 (9-13 Sept)	EOY Art Project
<u>Food & Consumer Economics</u>	WA1					
	WA2					
	WA3 (30%)	Common Curriculum for all courses	T3W6 (29 Jul –2 Aug)	Section A MCQ Section B Fill in the blanks Section C Short answer questions (Total is 30 marks)	Theory test during lesson Duration 40 mins	Chapters 1,2, and 5

	EOY (70%)		Starts on T3W7 Ends on Term4 Wk 2	Research, Decision Making, Execution, Poster and Evaluation (Coursework Project)	Two components: Practical Exam: Week 8 (12th to 16th Aug) Final Coursework Submission: Term 4 Wk 2 (20th Sept 2024)	Chapters 1,2,3 and 5

For students who has been granted approval by Singapore Examination and Assessment Board (SEAB), the table below shows the extra time given- for each specific time duration:

Extra time	
30 mins	5 mins
30 mins < exam duration < 1 hr	10 mins
1 hr ≤ Exam duration < 1 hr 30 mins	15 mins
1 hr 30 mins ≤ Exam duration < 2 hrs	25 mins
2 hrs ≤ Exam duration < 2 hrs 30 mins	30 mins
2 hrs 30 mins ≤ Exam duration < 3 hrs	40 mins
Exam duration ≥ 3 hrs	45 mins

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