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SECONDARY ONE 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 identify and edit grammatical errors in a short written text.</p> <p><u>Section B: Situational Writing (30 marks)</u> Candidates write 150–200 words on a given situation which will involve viewing a visual text.</p> <p><u>Section C: Continuous Writing (30 marks)</u> Candidates write 200–250 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 Text 1.</p> <p><u>Section B: Narrative Comprehension (20 marks)</u> Candidates respond to a variety of questions based on Text 2 which is a narrative text or a recount.</p> <p><u>Section C: Non- narrative Comprehension (25 marks)</u> Candidates respond to a variety of questions based on Text 3, 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 simple note-taking exercise. Candidates will hear the recording only once.</p> <p>This component was conducted in Term 3.</p>
	<p>Paper 4: Oral Communication</p> <p><u>Spoken Interaction (15 marks)</u> Candidates engage in a discussion with the Examiners on a topic based on a video clip.</p> <p>This component was conducted in Term 2.</p>

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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>Paper 1: (60 marks) , Duration: 2 hrs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 第一部分：实用文 (Email Writing (20 marks)) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 考生必须写一个电子邮件，字数在120 以上。考生可以根据所提供的电邮内容写回复。 ● 第二部分：作文 (Composition (40 marks)) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 考生可以从三道题目中任选一题，字数在240 以上。考查的文体包括记叙文。 <p>试卷二：语文理解与应用</p> <p>Paper 2: 60 marks, Duration: 1 hr 30 min</p> <p>这份试卷考查的项目包括：</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 第一部分：语文应用 Vocabulary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A) 填写汉字 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 考生根据汉语拼音，选出适当的汉字，填写在句子中。 B) 词语搭配 (Vocabulary Matching) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 考生根据所提供的词语进行词语搭配。 C) 组词成句和完成句子 (Sentence Construction & Complete Sentence) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 考生将词语重新排列成句及完成句子。 D) 综合填空 (Cloze passage) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 考生根据所提供的短文内容和上下文的意思，选出正确的答案。 ○ 第二部分：阅读理解一 (Comprehension (Multiple Choice Questions)) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 考生根据所提供的2篇短文的内容，选出正确的答案。 ○ 第三部分：阅读理解二 (Comprehension (Open Ended)) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 考生根据所提供的1篇短文的内容回答问题。 <p>试卷三：口试</p> <p>Paper 3 (60 Marks)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 在考试前，考生会有10分钟的时间默读短文和准备看视频说话。 ● 第一部分：朗读短文 (Reading Aloud – Passage, 20 marks) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 考生必须朗读一个短文。 ● 第二部分：会话 (Conversation, 40 marks) <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>Paper 3: Listening Comprehension (20 marks)</p> <p>Duration: 30 mins</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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。

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MALAY LANGUAGE	<p>Paper 1 (2 hours) 60 marks (30%) Bahagian A: Respons Bebas - (20 marks)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Forum/Blog (Tidak formal) • E-mel (Formal) <p>Bahagian B: Penulisan Karangan (40 marks)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Naratif • Ekspositori
	<p>Paper 2 (1hr 30mins) 60 marks (30%) Bahagian A: Penggunaan Bahasa Melengkapkan teks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Soalan A1 : Teks 1 - (5 marks) • Soalan A2 : Teks 1 - (5 marks) <p>Bahagian B: Kefahaman 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Soalan B1 - Sambungan Dialog (10 marks) • Soalan B2 - Pemahaman MCQ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Teks 1 (4 marks) ○ Teks 2 (6 marks) <p>Bahagian C: Kefahaman 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 teks naratif (30 marks) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 6 soalan kefahaman dan 2 soalan kosa kata <p>Paper 3: 80 marks (40%) Bahagian A: Bacaan Lantang (20 marks)</p> <p>Bahagian B: Perbualan berdasarkan Video (40 marks)</p> <p>Listening Comprehension (30 mins)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MCQ-10 items (20 marks)

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MATHEMATICS	<p>Total Duration: 2 hours 30 minutes Total marks: 100 Weighting: 50% each for Paper 1 and 2.</p> <p>There will be a short break between the two papers.</p> <p>PAPER 1 (50marks):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 14 to 18 short answer questions. Duration: 1 hour 15 minutes <p>PAPER 2 (50marks):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7 to 9 questions of varying marks and lengths. The last question in this section will focus specifically on applying mathematics to a real-world scenario. Duration: 1 hour 15 minutes <p>Students are required to answer all questions.</p> <p>An approved calculator is allowed for both papers. All students are required to bring their mathematical set for the paper.</p>	<p>Chapters 1 to 12</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Factors and Multiples Real Numbers Approximation and Estimation Basic Algebra and Algebraic Manipulations Simple Equations In One Variable Angles, Parallel Lines and Triangles Ratio, Rate and Speed Percentage Sequences & Number Patterns Perimeters and Areas of Plane Figures Volumes and Surface Areas of Prisms & Cylinders Data Handling
SCIENCE	<p>Paper 1 (Question Booklet): 25 marks 25 marks (Multiple Choice Questions)</p> <p>Paper 2 (Answer Booklet): 60 marks Section A :50 marks (Structured Questions) Section B: 10 marks (Open ended Questions - 2 choose 1, each carrying 10 marks)</p> <p>Total marks: 85 marks Duration of paper: 1 hr 45 min Calculator and protractor is allowed</p>	<p>Chp 1: The Scientific Endeavour Chp 2: Exploring Diversity of Matter by its Physical Properties Chp 3: Exploring Diversity of Matter by its Chemical Properties Chp 4: Exploring Diversity of Matter Using Separation Technique Chp 5 : Ray Model of Light Chp 6 : Model of Cells Chp 7 : The Particulate Nature of Matter Chp 8: Atoms and Molecules (till page 6 of notes)</p>
LITERATURE IN ENGLISH	<p>Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes</p> <p>Section A (25 marks) Students will answer 1 question based on a poem. There will be 2 parts to the question.</p> <p>Section B (25 marks) Students will answer either a Passage-based Question or an Essay Question.</p>	<p>Seen Poetry Analysis</p> <p>Red Sky in the Morning</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Characterisation Relationships

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HISTORY	<p>Total: 35 marks Time: 1 h 15 min</p> <p>Source-based Questions (15 marks) 2 X Inference Question, 1 X Comparison Question based on 1 pictorial and 3 textual sources. Students need to answer all questions.</p> <p>Structured-essay Questions (20 marks) There are 2 sub-questions (a) and (b) to a question. Students would state facts/examples for (a) and describe 2 given reasons/impacts for (b). They can choose 2 out of 3 questions.</p>	<p>Chapter 1: How connected was early Singapore to the regions and the world?</p> <p>Chapter 2: How did Singapore become a British trading post?</p> <p>Chapter 3: How did British rule and external developments affect Singapore's growth as a port city?</p> <p>Chapter 4: What role did the people in Singapore play in its development as a port city from 1819 to 1942?</p> <p>Chapter 5: Did Singapore have to fall to the Japanese in World War 2?</p>
GEOGRAPHY	<p>Total: 36m Time: 1 h 15 min</p> <p><u>Section A (18 marks)</u> Students will complete structured questions.</p> <p><u>Section B (18 marks)</u> Students will complete structured questions.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chp 1: Introduction to geography • Chp 2: Sustainably managing natural resources • Chp 3: Water and its spatial distribution (Exclude Pg 64-67) • Chp 4: sustainable management of water • Chp 5: Spatial distribution of tropical rainforests and mangroves (Exclude pg 110-111, 116-117) • Chp 6: sustainable management of tropical rainforest and mangroves

Note: Students who are offered Subject Based Banding (SBB) are to refer to their respective subject stream exam formats.