

## Sec 1 End-of-Year Examination 2023

### G1 Subjects

Subject	Format and Scope
English Language	<p><b><u>Paper 1: Writing</u></b> Duration: 1h 20 min Marks: 70 marks (35%)</p> <p><u>Section A: Editing [10 marks]</u> Candidates edit grammatical errors in a given text.</p> <p><u>Section B: Situational Writing [30 marks]</u> Candidates write a text of at least 120 words. A stimulus text, which may include visuals, will be provided.</p> <p><u>Section C: Continuous Writing [30 marks]</u> Candidates write a text of at least 90 words on one of two topics set.</p> <p><b><u>Paper 2: Language Use and Comprehension</u></b> Duration: 1h 20 min Marks: 60 marks (45%)</p> <p><u>Section A: Language Use</u> Part 1: Modified Cloze I [10 marks] Candidates complete a cloze passage testing vocabulary. Part 2: Modified Cloze II [10 marks] Candidates complete a cloze passage testing grammar.</p> <p><u>Section B: Reading Comprehension</u> Part 3: Comprehension I [10 marks] Candidates answer questions on a narrative or a recount. Part 4: Comprehension II [30 marks] Candidates answer questions on non-narrative texts, one of which includes visuals.</p> <p><b><u>Paper 4: Oral Communication (e-Examination)</u></b> Duration: 20 minutes per candidate (including 6 minutes of preparation time) Marks: 40 marks (20%)</p> <p>Part 1: Reading Aloud Candidates read aloud a short text, presented on a computer screen.</p> <p>Part 2: Spoken Interaction Candidates engage in a discussion with the Examiners on a topic based on a visual stimulus, in the form of a video clip.</p>

<p>Basic Chinese Language</p>	<p><b><u>Paper 1: Language Use and Comprehension</u></b> (70 min) [35 marks]  Written response to online post  Cloze Passage  Comprehension 1  Comprehension 2</p> <p><b><u>Paper 2</u></b>  Oral (15 min) [45 marks]</p> <p><b><u>Paper 3</u></b>  Listening Comprehension (30 min) [20 marks]</p>
<p>Basic Malay Language</p>	<p><b><u>Paper 1: Language Use and Comprehension</u></b> (70 min) [35%]  Cloze Passage (MCQ)  Comprehension 2 (MCQ)  Short-response Comprehension &amp; SMS writing</p> <p><b><u>Paper 2</u></b>  Oral (15 min) [45%]</p> <p><b><u>Paper 3</u></b>  Listening Comprehension (30 min) [20%]</p>
<p>Mathematics</p>	<p><b>Duration:</b> 2 hours  <b>Marks:</b> 80</p> <p><b>Topics:</b> All chapters from Textbook 1A and 1B  <b>Format:</b> Answer all the questions.  <b>Others:</b> Use of a calculator is allowed.</p>

Science	<p><b>Duration:</b> 1h 30min  <b>Total marks:</b> 100</p> <p><b><u>Section A (40 marks)</u></b>  40 MCQ</p> <p><b><u>Section B (60 marks)</u></b>  Structured questions</p> <p><b><u>Topics</u></b>  T1:Laboratory Measurements and Procedures  T6:Matter  T7:Water Pollution  T8:Air Pollution  T9:Cells  T10:Getting Energy and Nutrients from Food</p>
CPA	<p><b><u>Paper 1 (Written)-50%</u></b>  Duration: 1 hour  MCQ, Matching, structured questions, short answer questions</p> <p><b><u>Paper 2 (Practical)-50%</u></b>  Duration: 1h 30min  Software tested:  Task 1-MEL (inkscape)  Task 2-MS Word  Task 3-MS Powerpoint</p>

## G2 Subjects

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English Language	<p><b><u>Paper 1: Writing</u></b> Duration: 1 hour 50 minutes Total marks: 70 (40%) This paper is divided into three sections.</p> <p><b><u>Section A: Editing [10 marks]</u></b> Candidates identify and then edit grammatical errors by writing the corrections in the spaces provided. Errors in punctuation and spelling will not be tested in this section.</p> <p><b><u>Section B: Situational Writing [30 marks]</u></b> Candidates write a text of 150–200 words based on a given situation which will involve viewing a visual text. Candidates are required to write the text (e.g. an email, a letter, a report or a speech) to suit the purpose, audience and context.</p> <p><b><u>Section C: Continuous Writing [30 marks]</u></b> Candidates choose one out of four topics to write a text of 200–350 words in continuous prose. The topics set may cover different types of texts, e.g. narrative or exposition.</p> <p><b><u>Paper 2: Comprehension</u></b> Duration: 1 hour 50 minutes Total marks: 50 (40%)</p> <p><b><u>Section A [5 marks]</u></b> Candidates respond to questions based on Texts 1 and 2, one of which is a visual text.</p> <p><b><u>Section B [20 marks]</u></b> Candidates respond to a variety of questions based on Text 3 which is a narrative or a recount.</p> <p><b><u>Section C [25 marks]</u></b> 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><b><u>Paper 4 Oral Communication (e-Examination)</u></b> Duration of Paper 4: 20 minutes per candidate (including 6 minutes of preparation time) Total marks: 15 (20%)</p> <p><b><u>Part 1: Planned Response [15 marks]</u></b> Candidates plan and deliver a response to a video clip and accompanying prompt presented on a computer screen.</p>

Chinese Language	<p><b>Paper 1: Writing</b> (2 hours) [60 marks]  1 Functional Writing [20 marks]  1 Essay [40 marks]</p> <p><b>Paper 2: Language Use and Comprehension</b> (1h 30min) [60 marks]  Fill in the blanks  Cloze Passage  Comprehension (MCQ)  Comprehension (Open-ended)</p> <p><b>Paper 3 (for EOY)</b>  Oral (15 min) [60 marks]  Listening Comprehension (30 min) [20 marks]</p>
Malay Language	<p><b>Paper 1: Writing</b> (2 hours) [60 marks, 30 %]  Part A: Functional Writing  Part B: Composition (2 questions, choose 1)</p> <p><b>Paper 2: Language Use and Comprehension</b> (1h 30 min) [60marks, 30 %]  Fill in the blanks  Comprehension (MCQ)  Comprehension (OE)</p> <p><b>Paper 3</b> [40 %]  Oral (30 mins) [60marks, 30%]  Listening Comprehension (MCQ/Fill In the Blanks) (30 mins) [20 marks, 10%]</p>
Mathematics	<p><b>Duration:</b> 2 hours  <b>Total marks:</b> 80</p> <p>Answer all the questions.  <b>Section A:</b> 40 marks, 10-13 questions  <b>Section B:</b> 40 marks, 6-8 questions</p> <p><b>Topics:</b> Textbooks 1A &amp; 1B</p> <p>Use of calculator expected. Clear working steps expected.</p>

Science	<p><b>Duration:</b> 1h 45min  <b>Total marks:</b> 100</p> <p><b>Section A:</b> MCQ, 40 questions (40 m)  <b>Section B:</b> Structured questions, answer space given (30 m)  <b>Section C:</b> Free Response questions, answer space given (30 m)</p> <p><b>Topics:</b>  Chapter 1 The Scientific Endeavour  Chapter 2 Physical Properties  Chapter 3 Elements Compounds Mixtures  Chapter 4 Separation Techniques  Chapter 5 Light  Chapter 6 Cells  Chapter 7 Particulate Nature of Matter  Chapter 8 Atoms and Molecules</p>
Geography	<p><b>Duration:</b> 1h 15 min  <b>Total marks:</b> 36 marks</p> <p><b>Section A:</b> Structured Questions - Water Resources (18m)  <b>Section B:</b> Structured Questions - Tropical Forests (18m)</p> <p><b>Topics:</b>  <u>Geographical Concepts (infused into both sections)</u>  Chapter 1 (Section one to three)  Chapter 2 (Section one to three)</p> <p><u>Water Resources</u>  Chapter 3  Chapter 4</p> <p><u>Tropical Forests</u>  Chapter 5 (Section one to four, six to seven)  Chapter 6 (Section one and two)</p>
History	<p><b>Duration:</b> 1h 15 min  <b>Total marks:</b> 35 marks</p> <p><b>Section A:</b> Source-based Questions (2 inference questions and 1 comparison question - 15 marks)  <b>Section B:</b> Structured Questions (2 questions: each question has 1 identify and 1 describe sub-questions – 20 marks)</p> <p><b>Topics:</b> Chapter 4 (Section A) and Chapters 3 and 5 (Section B)</p>

Literature in English	<p><b>Duration:</b> 1h 30 min</p> <p><b>Section A:</b> [25 marks] <u>Modified Passage-based Question - <b><i>Something Old, Something New, Something Borrowed</i></b></u> Candidates will respond to the 2 sub-questions given.</p> <p><b>Section B:</b> [25 marks] <u>Seen Poetry</u> Candidates will respond to 1 Question. The Question will either be based on</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. International Poetry - One Question (consisting 2 sub-questions)</li><li style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></li><li>2. Local Poetry - One Question (consisting 2 sub-questions)</li></ol>
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## G3 Subjects

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English Language	<p><b>Paper 1 Writing</b>            Duration of Paper 1: 1 hour 50 minutes            Total marks: 70 (40%)</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 180-250 words on a given situation which will involve viewing a visual text.</p> <p><u>Section C: Continuous Writing [30 marks]</u>            Candidates write 250–400 words on one of four topics set.</p> <p><b>Paper 2 Comprehension</b>            Duration of Paper 2: 1 hour 50 minutes            Total marks: 50 (40%)</p> <p><u>Section A [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 [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 [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><b>Paper 4 Oral Communication (e-Examination)</b>            Duration of Paper 4: 20 minutes per candidate (including 6 minutes of preparation time)            Total marks: 15 (20%)</p> <p><u>Part 1: Planned Response [15]</u>            Candidates plan and deliver a response to a video clip and accompanying prompt presented on a computer screen.</p>
Chinese Language	<p><b>Paper 1: Writing</b> (2 hours) [60 marks]            1 Functional Writing [20 marks]            1 Essay [40 marks]</p> <p><b>Paper 2: Language Use and Comprehension</b> (1hr 30 min) [70 marks]            Fill in the blanks</p>



	<p>vocabulary editing  Cloze Passage  Comprehension (MCQ)  Comprehension (Open-ended)</p> <p><b>Paper 3 (for EOY)</b>  Oral (15 min) [50 marks]  Listening Comprehension (30min) [20 marks]</p>
<p>Higher Chinese Language</p>	<p><b>Paper 1: Writing</b> (2 hours) [80 marks]  1 Functional Writing [20 marks]  1 Essay [60 marks]</p> <p><b>Paper 2: Language Use and Comprehension</b> (1h 45min) [80 marks]  Fill in the blanks  Text Editing  Cloze Passage  Comprehension (MCQ and Open-ended)  Comprehension (Open-ended)</p> <p><b>Paper 3 (for EOY)</b>  Oral (15 min) [40 marks]</p>
<p>Malay Language</p>	<p><b>Paper 1: Writing</b> (2 hours) [60marks, 30%]  Part A: Functional Writing  Part B: Composition (2 questions, choose 1)</p> <p><b>Paper 2: Language Use and Comprehension</b> (1h 30 mins) [70 marks, 35%]  Fill in the blanks  Comprehension (MCQ)  Comprehension (OE)</p> <p><b>Paper 3</b> [70marks, 35%]  Oral (30 mins) [50 marks]  Listening Comprehension (MCQ/FIB) (30 mins) [20 marks]</p>

<p>Mathematics</p>	<p><b>Duration:</b> 2 hours  <b>Total marks:</b> 80</p> <p>Answer all the questions.  <b>Section A:</b> 40 marks, 10-13 questions  <b>Section B:</b> 40 marks, 6-8 questions  <b>Topics:</b> Chapter 1 to 13.3</p> <p>Use of calculator expected. Clear working steps expected.</p>
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