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## SINGAPORE-CAMBRIDGE GCE A-LEVEL

### EXAMINATION RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR CANDIDATES



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Para 1.6, 2.2.9, 2.2.14, 3.20.7, 5.1, 6.2.4, 6.3.4.3, 6.3.5.3 and 7.3.2 have been updated with the link to the online SEAB Feedback Form as of 08 May 2025.

## 1 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 The Singapore Examinations and Assessment Board (SEAB), together with the Ministry of Education, Singapore (MOE) and Cambridge International Education, are the joint examining authorities for the Singapore-Cambridge GCE-Level examinations. The examinations are administered by SEAB.
- 1.2 This document contains the examination rules and regulations that you need to know if you are sitting for the examinations as a school or private candidate.
- 1.3 By registering for the examination, you agree to comply with the examination instructions, rules and regulations in this booklet and other examination documents issued by SEAB; and accept the possible consequences if you breach them.
- 1.4 SEAB may issue additional administrative or procedural instructions for the conduct of specific examinations (e.g. written papers, coursework, oral, and practical papers). You will be informed of the new or updated instructions through your school if you are a school candidate and email notifications to your registered email address if you are a private candidate. The new or updated instructions will also be published on [SEAB's website](https://www.seab.gov.sg) at <https://www.seab.gov.sg>. Unless stated otherwise, they will, form part of the examination rules and regulations for the examination year, effective from the date of announcement. You should check with your school or refer to [SEAB's website](https://www.seab.gov.sg) for any updates to the examination rules and regulations, prior to your examinations.
- 1.5 No part of this document, whether image, text or otherwise, may be copied, reproduced, published, adapted, modified, distributed, transmitted, communicated or by any means without the prior written permission of SEAB.
- 1.6 For clarifications, school candidates should approach your schools. Private candidates should contact SEAB via our feedback form at <https://www.go.gov.sg/askus-seab>.

## 2 EXAMINATION TIMETABLE AND ENTRY PROOF

### 2.1 Examination Timetables

The examination timetables are available on SEAB's website at [Important Dates for Candidates](#).

- 2.1.1 **You will be marked as “Absent” if you miss any component for a subject and you will not be awarded a grade for the subject.**
- 2.1.2 There are no re-sits for all examination papers except for the GCE A-Level H1 Mother Tongue Language (MTL) written and MTL Syllabus B written/oral/listening comprehension examinations, which can be taken a second time after the Mid-Year sittings. If you are eligible for these MTL examinations, you may register for the Year-End sitting after the release of your Mid-Year examination results.

## 2.2 Personalised Entry Proof

### 2.2.1 **Mid-Year Written Examinations**



Your entry proof with details of the examination dates, reporting times and examination venues will be available **from 23 May 2025**.

### 2.2.2 **Oral, Listening Comprehension and Year-End Written Examinations**



Your entry proof with details of the examination dates, reporting times and examination venues will be available **from 01 July 2025**.

### 2.2.3 **GCE A-Level Science Practical Examination Schedule**



You will be notified of the schedule and venue of each of your Science practical examinations at least 7 days before the examination's date. School candidates will be informed by your school. For private candidates, you will receive an email from SEAB to the email address which you submitted during registration in SEAB's Candidates Portal. For more information, refer to [section 7.3](#).

#### **For School Candidates**

2.2.4 If you have registered for the examinations, you will receive your Mid-Year or Year-End entry proof from your school

2.2.5 The entry proof will show the following details:

- Your centre / index number,
- Examination venue (shown as school code and centre name),
- The subjects and papers you have registered for, and
- The examination dates and times of your papers.

2.2.6 You must bring along the hardcopy entry proof or Science practical examination schedule on each examination day together with your NRIC/ FIN/ Student Pass, as it will be used to verify your attendance at the examination venue. A sample entry proof is shown on the next page.

2.2.7 If you have registered for two papers which are scheduled to be examined at the same time on the same day, arrangements will be made for you to take one paper first, have a 45-minute break, and take the next paper after. You will be informed of the arrangements through your school by **early September 2025**.

## Sample Entry Proof for School Candidates



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#### Entry Proof for School Candidates



This is the Centre / Index number assigned to you

Statutory Name : JOHN TAN  
 NRIC/FIN No. : XXXXX123A  
 Centre / Index No. : 3004 / 0999  
 Academic Level : JC 2  
 School Name : ANGLO-CHINESE JUNIOR COLLEGE  
 Class Name : 1

Date: 01-MAR-2022  
 Time: 09:00

The examination centre's school code is mentioned to each subject

Subject Code / Paper	Subject Name	Mode of assessment	Exam Series	* School Code	Exam Date	Start Time	Duration	Clash
9749 / 04	PHYSICS	SCIENCE PRACTICAL	YEAR-END	0803	17-Oct-2022		2 hr 30 min	NO
9729 / 04	CHEMISTRY	SCIENCE PRACTICAL	YEAR-END	0803	20-Oct-2022		2 hr 30 min	NO
8807 / 01	GENERAL PAPER	WRITTEN	YEAR-END	0803	07-Nov-2022	08:00	1 hr 30 min	NO
8807 / 02	GENERAL PAPER	WRITTEN	YEAR-END	0803	07-Nov-2022	10:30	1 hr 30 min	NO
9758 / 01	MATHEMATICS	WRITTEN	YEAR-END	0803	08-Nov-2022	08:00	3 hr 0 min	NO
9729 / 02	CHEMISTRY	WRITTEN	YEAR-END	0803	10-Nov-2022	08:00	2 hr 0 min	NO
9758 / 02	MATHEMATICS	WRITTEN	YEAR-END	0803	11-Nov-2022	08:00	3 hr 0 min	NO
8823 / 01	ECONOMICS	WRITTEN	YEAR-END	0803	15-Nov-2022	14:00	3 hr 0 min	NO
9729 / 03	CHEMISTRY	WRITTEN	YEAR-END	0803	16-Nov-2022	08:00	2 hr 0 min	NO
9749 / 02	PHYSICS	WRITTEN	YEAR-END	0803	18-Nov-2022	14:30	2 hr 0 min	NO
9749 / 03	PHYSICS	WRITTEN	YEAR-END	0803	22-Nov-2022	14:00	2 hr 0 min	NO
9729 / 01	CHEMISTRY	WRITTEN	YEAR-END	0803	24-Nov-2022	14:00	1 hr 0 min	NO
9749 / 01	PHYSICS	WRITTEN	YEAR-END	0803	25-Nov-2022	14:30	1 hr 0 min	NO
* School Code	Centre Name	Address						
0803	ANGLO-CHINESE JUNIOR COLLEGE	25, DOVER CLOSE EAST, 139745						

Your examination centre is mentioned here

#### Instructions to Candidates

- You are required to bring along this Entry Proof and your photo-identification document (e.g. NRIC or Student Pass) bearing the identification number as stated on this Entry Proof when you report for the examination. You have to report to the examination centre at least 30 mins before the commencement of the examination.
- If you are sitting for a Listening Comprehension (LC) examination, you must be seated at your assigned seat in the examination room by the start time of the paper that is indicated in this Entry Proof. Attendance will be taken, and examination instructions will be announced at the start time. The broadcast of the LC examination will begin 30 minutes after the start time. For Practical Examination(s) / Mother Tongue Syllabus B (Year-end) oral Examination / Higher Music Performing / Music Performing Examination (where applicable), you will be informed of your examination schedule through your school.
- For subjects where calculators/dictionaries are allowed, you must ensure that your calculators/dictionaries are listed in the "Approved Calculator List" / "Approved Dictionary List". The lists can be found online at [www.seab.gov.sg](http://www.seab.gov.sg). It is important that you read and be familiar with the "Instructions For Candidates Affected By A Major Disruption" document which can be found online at [www.seab.gov.sg](http://www.seab.gov.sg).

#### To Note:

- Candidates sitting the GCE N(A), N(T), O or/and A-Level Examinations are required to observe and comply with all instructions and regulations governing the examinations. These are stated in the "Examination Rules and Regulations for School Candidates" booklet which will be given to all school candidates through their schools. Candidates must also observe and comply with any additional instructions and procedures that SEAB may announce nearer to the examination dates. School candidates will be informed of any updates of instructions and procedures through their schools.
- The possession of any electronic/communication devices (e.g. mobile phones, tablets)/computerised aids (e.g. computerised wrist watches) is strictly not allowed in the examination premises (e.g. examination room/hall, quarantine room, waiting room). Candidates who are found with these devices may be prohibited from taking the examination, expelled from the examination room, refused entry for subsequent papers, have their results terminated or a grade penalty and/or be banned from registering for the examinations in future years.

End of Entry Proof



## For Private Candidates

- 2.2.8 If you have registered for the Mid-Year examinations, you will receive an email notification from SEAB's Candidates Portal on **23 May 2025** with instructions to download your entry proof for your Mid-Year examinations.



If you have registered for the Year-End examinations, you will receive an email notification from SEAB's Candidates Portal on **01 July 2025** with instructions to download your entry proof for your Year-End examinations.

- 2.2.9 Please contact SEAB via our feedback form at <https://www.go.gov.sg/askus-seab> if you do not receive the email notification or are unable to download your entry proof from the Candidates Portal one working day after the date in paragraph 2.2.8.

- 2.2.10 Your entry proof will show the following details:

- Your centre / index number,
- Examination venue (shown as school code and centre name),
- The subjects and papers you have registered for, and
- The examination dates and time of your papers.

- 2.2.11 You must bring along the hardcopy entry proof on each examination together with your NRIC/FIN, as it will be used to verify your attendance at the examination venue. A sample entry proof is shown on the next page.

- 2.2.12 You must indicate your mailing address accurately during registration. Your mailing address will be used to send the examination certificate(s) to you.

Where possible, SEAB will post you to examination centres near your mailing address for your examination(s). As the posting of the candidates is also dependent on other factors including the available examination centres for private candidates and the capacity in these centres, **you may not be assigned to examination centres that are nearest to your mailing address**. Please check your entry proof for the exact venue for the different subjects registered.

- 2.2.13 If you have registered for two papers which are scheduled to be examined at the same time on the same day, arrangements will be made for you to take one paper first, have a 45-minute break, and take the next paper after. You will be informed of the arrangements through SEAB by **end-September 2025** for the GCE A-Level examinations.

- 2.2.14 Please contact SEAB via our feedback form at <https://www.go.gov.sg/askus-seab> if you **are not informed of the arrangements by the respective timelines indicated above**.

## Sample Entry Proof for Private Candidates



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#### Entry Proof for Private Candidates



Date: 01-MAR-2022  
Time: 09:00

TAY MARY  
1 HOLLAND ROAD  
#04-000  
SINGAPORE 760000

This is the Centre / Index number assigned to you

Statutory Name : TAY MARY  
NRIC/FIN No. : XXXXX234B  
Centre / Index No. : 3513/2999

The examination centre's school code is mentioned next to each subject

Subject Code / Paper	Subject Name	Mode of assessment	Exam Series	* School Code	Exam Date	Start Time	Duration	Clash
9749/04	PHYSICS	SCIENCE PRACTICAL	YEAR-END		17-Oct-2022		2 hr 30 min	NO
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* School Code	Centre Name	Address						
0804	ST. ANDREW'S JUNIOR COLLEGE	5, Sorby Adams Drive, 357691						

Your examination centre is mentioned here

#### Instructions to Candidates:

- You are required to bring along this Entry Proof and your photo-identification document (e.g. NRIC or Passport or Printed Copy of Digital Student Pass) bearing the identification number as stated on this Entry Proof when you report for the examination. You have to report to the examination centre at least 30 minutes before the commencement of the examination.
- If you are sitting for a Listening Comprehension (LC) examination, you must be seated at your assigned seat in the examination room by the start time of the paper that is indicated in this Entry Proof. Attendance will be taken and examination instructions will be announced at the start time. The broadcast of the LC examination will begin 30 minutes after the start time.
- If you are sitting for a Science Practical Examination, you will be notified of your examination schedule, at least 7 days before the examination, by email or post. Contact SEAB at [www.seab.gov.sg/contactus](http://www.seab.gov.sg/contactus) if you did not receive your examination schedule before the examination. For subjects where calculators/dictionaries are allowed, you must ensure that your calculators/dictionaries are listed in the "Approved Calculator List"/"Approved Dictionary List". The lists can be found online at [www.seab.gov.sg](http://www.seab.gov.sg). It is important that you read and be familiar with the "Instructions For Candidates Affected By A Major Disruption" document which can be found online at [www.seab.gov.sg](http://www.seab.gov.sg).

#### To Note:

- Candidates sitting the GCE N(A), N(T), O or/and A-Level Examinations are required to observe and comply with all instructions and regulations governing the examinations. These are stated in the "Examination Rules and Regulations for Private Candidates" document. The instruction document can be found online at [www.seab.gov.sg](http://www.seab.gov.sg). Candidates must also observe and comply with any additional instructions and procedures that SEAB may announce nearer to the examination dates. Candidates should refer to SEAB website at [www.seab.gov.sg](http://www.seab.gov.sg) for updates of instructions and procedures before sitting for the examination.
- The possession of any electronic/communication devices (e.g. mobile phones, tablets)/computerised aids (e.g. computerised wrist watches) is strictly not allowed in the examination premises (e.g. examination room/hall, quarantine room, waiting room). Candidates who are found with these devices may be prohibited from taking the examination, expelled from the examination room, refused entry for subsequent papers, have their results terminated or a grade penalty and/or be banned from registering for the examinations in future years.

End of Entry Proof

### 3 EXAMINATION RULES AND REGULATIONS

You must be familiar with and comply with all examination rules and regulations. By registering for the examinations offered by SEAB, you are deemed to have read and understood the rules and regulations. If you contravene the examination rules and regulations, you may be prohibited from taking the examination(s), be expelled from examination premise, refused entry for subsequent papers, have your results annulled, be given a grade penalty, or have your results and/or examination certificate withheld or confiscated, banned from future examinations, or be reported to the police for investigation.

#### 3.1 You **must not have the following items in your possession within the examination premises (e.g. examination venue, quarantine room, waiting room):**

##### 3.1.1 Any unauthorised electronic, communication, smart or computerised devices.

Examples of unauthorised devices include but are not limited to:

- **Computerised devices**
  - Tablet
  - Pocket PC
  - Personal Digital Assistant
  - Digital diary
  - eBook
- **Smart devices**
  - Smart watch
  - Smart glasses
  - Fitness tracker
- **Communication devices**
  - Mobile phone
  - Smart watch
  - Earphones / Wireless earbuds
- **Other Electronic devices**
  - Camera
  - Audio recorder / player
  - Gaming device
  - Storage device

##### 3.1.2 Any unauthorised materials.

Examples of unauthorised materials include but are not limited to:

- Question paper(s) from previous examinations
- Writing paper
- Sticky note
- Book
- Notes / reference materials
- Conversion table / Formulae sheet in mathematical set or calculator cover

**All stationery / belongings taken into the examination venue (e.g. pencil case, calculator(s), mathematical set, ruler, entry proof / folder containing entry proof) must not have any unauthorised notes / information written on them.**

#### 3.2 You **must check your belongings** (eg. folder, pockets, pencil case, jacket, etc) to ensure that there is no unauthorised item before entering the examination premises and before sitting for your Oral Exam Silent Preparation.

#### 3.3 You **must not commit or attempt any acts of dishonesty or support such acts.**

For example, writing information / notes on any part(s) of your body, taking the examination on another person's behalf, possessing unauthorised devices and unauthorised materials, as well as giving answers to or obtaining answers from another candidate.



- 3.4 **You must not commit plagiarism or support such acts.**  
For example, copying from someone else's work, submitting work not of your own effort or not acknowledging the sources of information used in your work from internet, books, generative AI tools, etc. are not allowed.
- 3.5 **You must not communicate or attempt to communicate with other candidate(s) / unauthorised person(s)** during the examination, or during any other occasions when communication is prohibited. For example, when the answer scripts are being collected, or during your movement to the quarantine area.
- 3.6 You should always face the front and **not attempt to look around** during the examination to avoid any misunderstanding that you were attempting to commit a dishonest act.
- 3.7 **You must not exhibit improper conduct or misbehaviour** during the examination.  
For example, disturb other candidates, or disobey instructions from examination personnel.
- 3.8 You are not allowed to submit your answer scripts and leave the examination centre before the stipulated end time of examination for the paper that you are sitting for.
- 3.9 **You must not leave the examination venue, quarantine or holding room** unescorted or without permission from the examination personnel. You will not be compensated for any time spent on toilet breaks.
- 3.10 **You must not flip open or turn over the question paper or start the examination** until you are instructed to do so.
- 3.11 **You must not write or draw anything that is offensive or obscene** in your answers.
- 3.12 **You must stop writing/working on your answers and close the answer booklet (if applicable)** immediately when the invigilator makes the announcement to end the examination.
- 3.13 **You must not remove any examination material(s) and stationery** without permission.  
These can include:
- answer booklet(s), writing paper(s), storage device(s) and other used or unused examination stationery from the examination venue;
  - coursework material(s) / artefact(s) from the examination centre without seeking prior approval from SEAB;
  - laboratory equipment, device(s) and chemical(s).

3.14 **For School Candidates**

**You must not submit coursework** (in part or whole) which has been submitted for past examinations. The same coursework (in part or whole) must not be submitted for more than one paper.

### 3.15 For School Candidates

You must be in the appropriate school attire as approved by the school. Wearing of full school uniform is not required. If you are wearing outerwear (e.g. jacket, cardigan, windbreaker, sweater) into the examination venue, **you must ensure that your outerwear does not have any unauthorised materials or devices**. You may be asked to remove the outerwear for checks by examination personnel before or during the examinations.

### 3.16 For Private Candidates

**You must be in an attire which is appropriate for a school environment.** If you are wearing outerwear (e.g. jacket, cardigan, windbreaker, sweater) into the examination venue, **you must ensure that your outerwear does not have any unauthorised materials or devices**. You may be asked to remove the outerwear for checks by examination personnel before or during the examinations.

#### **Appropriate Attire**

##### **Male**

- Short sleeved T-shirts
- Jeans / long pants or knee-length bermudas
- Covered shoes
- Natural/black/dark brown hair colour

##### **Female**

- Sleeved tops, knee length bottoms or Jeans / long pants
- Covered shoes or buckled sandals
- Natural/black/dark brown hair colour

**It is compulsory for you to wear covered shoes and long pants/trousers during your Science practical examinations for safety reasons.**

### **Use of Calculators and Dictionaries**

3.17 Only approved calculators and dictionaries are allowed into the examination venue for examinations which allow the use of calculators and dictionaries. Any non-compliance will be considered as a breach of the examination rules and regulations, and you may be penalised.

### 3.18 Use of calculators



You are only allowed to use approved calculators for subjects that are listed in [Annex B](#). The list of approved calculator models is found on [SEAB's website](#) at <https://go.gov.sg/seab-approvedcalculators>. The calculators used in the national examinations should have the following minimum features:

1. Four arithmetic operations (+, −, ×, ÷) including the order of operations and use of brackets;
2. Fractional function which retains the fraction in the form 'a/b' and 'a b/c';
3. Square root ( $\sqrt{\phantom{x}}$ ) and cube root ( $\sqrt[3]{\phantom{x}}$ ) functions, and;
4. Value of Pi ( $\pi$ ).

The use of any calculator with unacceptable features or that allows for the retrieval of information / programmes during the examinations is an infringement of the rules and regulations. The Invigilator will check and remove your calculator(s) during the examinations if it is not approved for use.

- 3.18.1 **You are responsible for the working condition of your calculator(s).** Any malfunction of your calculator during the examination will not be accepted as justification for special consideration. You may bring more than one approved calculator into the examination venue.
- 3.18.2 **You are not allowed to share calculator(s)** with another candidate during the examination.
- 3.18.3 Your scientific calculator **must not** be programmable or have permanent features of a programmed kind (e.g. calculators capable of numerical integration and / or numerical differentiation). You are **not allowed to use the audio output** (if any) on your calculator unless pre-approved.
- 3.18.4 You are not allowed to use the following types of calculators:
- Calculators with **an external storage function** that allow users to input and store data via external storage media (e.g. memory cards, tapes, and plug-in modules);
  - Calculators with wireless communication capability with other machines
  - Calculators with capabilities for storing and playing back audio recording.
- 3.18.5 Your calculator and its cover **must not have any** mathematical formulas, conversion table, instructions or handwritings. If your calculator contains such information and if they cannot be removed, the information must be securely covered and you must inform the examination personnel of this before the start of the examination.
- 3.18.6 The original model number and brand must be indicated clearly on the calculator for verification purposes.

- 3.18.7 You do not need to obtain a sticker from SEAB to label an approved calculator. However, if you are a school candidate, your school might issue you with one for administrative reasons. You can paste the sticker on your calculator.
- 3.18.8 For examinations where graphing calculators are allowed for use, you must ensure the following:
- You have cleared any information and / or programmes stored in the graphing calculators before the examination. You can refer to **Annex A** on the steps to clear all memory in the graphing calculators;
  - You do not bring any prepared programmes into the examination room. Information (including text or formulae) and / or programmes stored in the calculator's memory must be cleared before the examination;
  - You do not bring any calculators with built-in symbolic algebra manipulations, symbolic differentiation, or integration into the examination room.
- 3.18.9 You would be considered to have breached the examination rules and regulations if you are found in possession of a calculator with unacceptable features and/or attempt to retrieve information / programmes from the calculator during the examinations. Your calculator may also be confiscated for the duration of your examinations.

**3.19 Use of dictionaries:**



- You are only allowed to use approved printed dictionaries or handheld electronic dictionaries (e-dictionaries) for subjects that are listed in [Annex C](#). The list of approved dictionaries is found on [SEAB's website](#) at <https://go.gov.sg/seab-approveddictionaries>.
- **There is no approved list of dictionaries for Non-Tamil Indian Languages (NTIL). Any monolingual dictionary for those examinations may be used.**
- There is no approved list of **hard-copy bilingual** dictionaries for GCE A-Level H2 Translation (Chinese). You may bring in any hard-copy bilingual dictionary (Chinese / English / English to Chinese / Chinese to English dictionary) **and thesaurus. Monolingual dictionaries and E-dictionaries listed in ANNEX C (List of Approved Dictionaries)** are also allowed for GCE A-Level H2 Translation (Chinese).
- Pictorial dictionaries such as "The Facts on File English/ Chinese Visual Dictionary" which functions as an encyclopaedia or compendium are not allowed for GCE A-Level H2 Translation (Chinese).
- **No annotation(s) on any pages of the dictionary is allowed (e.g. written notes, post-it pads, highlights and quick tabs).**
- The Invigilator will check and remove your dictionary during the examinations if it is not approved for use.

- 3.19.1 **You must not have** any dictionary with you if the use of a dictionary is prohibited for the examination paper that you are sitting.
- 3.19.2 Your e-dictionaries must be battery operated and set to the silent mode. Ear-pieces / headphones are not permitted in the examination venue.

Note: It is your responsibility to have a replacement set of batteries during your examination.

- 3.19.3 Any fault with your e-dictionary during the examination will not be accepted as justification for special consideration. If required, **you may bring more than one approved e-dictionary into the examination venue.**
- 3.19.4 You **must remove any external storage media** (e.g. memory card and plug-in modules) from your e-dictionary before the examination if your e-dictionary has an external storage function.
- 3.19.5 You would be considered to have breached the examination rules and regulations if you are found in possession of a dictionary with annotations or unacceptable features and/or attempt to retrieve information / programmes from the dictionary during the examinations. Your dictionary may also be confiscated for the duration of your examinations.

### 3.20 **Ownership of Examination Materials**

- 3.20.1 The national examination materials (e.g. examination question papers and answer scripts) are copyrighted and **must not be disseminated, published, reproduced in any other form or posted online**, without prior permission from SEAB. SEAB will take the necessary actions if there are any suspected copyright infringements.
- 3.20.2 SEAB may recall any issued documents (including result slips and examination certificates) from you at any time at its sole discretion. Reasons for such recalls include, but are not limited to, a discovery that a candidate had committed a serious breach of the examination rules and regulations. In such cases, the candidate must return the required documents to SEAB without delay. A failure to comply may result in legal proceedings against the candidate to recover such documents and the associated costs
- 3.20.3 All materials submitted for examination purposes (e.g. examination scripts, materials submitted for coursework, project work and research work) are deemed as examination materials and their rights shall be assigned to SEAB.
- 3.20.4 By registering for the examinations offered by SEAB, you shall assign your rights in the examination materials to SEAB, and acknowledge that SEAB may collect, use and disclose your data for the purpose of carrying out all functions and duties of the SEAB under the SEAB Act 2003.
- 3.20.5 After the “Appeal for Review of Examination Results” period, you may use a copy of your own examination materials for your personal use where such use is non-commercial and non-public (e.g. personal portfolio for admission applications to institutes of higher learning), and on the condition that you remove all examination labels as well as all references to the examinations and SEAB. If you wish to use your own examination



materials for exhibition, competition or publication, or for any other purpose, please seek authorisation from SEAB in accordance with Section 3.20.7 below.

- 3.20.6 After the “Appeal for Review of Examination Results” period, your school/examination centres may use and/or manage the examination material as they deem appropriate, on condition that such use and management is non-commercial, and all examination labels as well as all references to the examinations and SEAB are removed prior to such use and/or management.
- 3.20.7 If you are unsure as to whether the above sections apply to you, or if you need to obtain authorisation from SEAB for use of the examination materials, please contact SEAB at <https://www.go.gov.sg/askus-seab>. SEAB will consider your request and inform you of the outcome. Please note that you may only use the examination materials after receiving the written authorisation of SEAB.



**If you fail to comply with abovementioned rules and regulations or any other additional instructions issued by SEAB for any specific examination paper or subject, you would be deemed to have breached the examination rules and regulations. As a result, you may:**

- Be prohibited from taking the examination(s);
- Be expelled from the examination premise;
- Be refused entry for subsequent papers;
- Have your results annulled or be imposed with a grade penalty;
  - Have your result slip and / or examination certificate withheld or confiscated;
- Be banned from registering for future examination(s); and/or
- Be reported to the police for investigation and consequential prosecution.

## 4 INSTRUCTIONS FOR SITTING YOUR EXAMINATIONS

### 4.1 Reporting for your examination

- 4.1.1 You are required to report to your examination centre **at least 30 minutes** before the start of the examination. You must be seated at your assigned desk at least 15 minutes before the start of the examination. **For listening comprehension examinations, you must be seated at your assigned desk at least 30 minutes before the start of the examination** (refer to [Section 7.2](#) for more details).
- 4.1.2 **You will not be given any make-up time** if you report late for your examination. **If you report after the end of your examination, you will be marked as absent for the paper and will receive an “Absent” grade for the subject.**

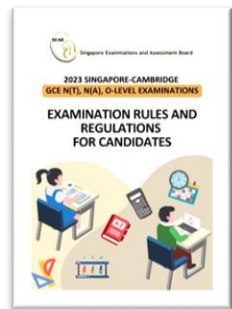
## 4.2 During your examination

- 4.2.1 You must **not** flip open the question paper and answer booklet or start reading and writing unless you are told to do so by the examination personnel.
  - 4.2.2 **You must place your entry proof and photo identification document (e.g. NRIC / Passport / Driver's License / Foreign Identification Documents / Student Concession Pass) on your desk throughout the examination.** The photo identification document should contain the name and identification number used for your registration for your examination.
  - 4.2.3 **Access Arrangements (AA):** If you are granted AA, you should present the AA outcome letter to the examination personnel before the start of the examination. You must alert the examination personnel immediately if your approved AA is not given to you.
  - 4.2.4 You should use **2B pencils for shading of the Personalised Multiple Choice Answer Sheet (PMCAS)**. A soft eraser should be used if you wish to change your answers.
  - 4.2.5 You should write your answers clearly in **blue /black ballpoint pen**.
  - 4.2.6 You **should not** use highlighters to highlight any part of your answers as this may affect the legibility of the answers. You are allowed to highlight the questions in the question papers and answer booklets.
- 4.3 **You must close your answer booklet(s)** or lower your laptop screen (for e-Examination) so that other candidates cannot see your answers, if you need to leave your desk during the examination.
- 4.3.1 You must submit your answers in the language in which the question paper is set, unless instructed otherwise by the questions.
  - 4.3.2 You are advised not to use **correction fluid/ tape** in the national examinations. There have been instances where the use of correction fluid had affected the legibility of the examination answer scripts. There have also been instances where answers were left incomplete after the correction fluid/ tape had been applied. In addition, answer scripts with correction fluid/ tape may be damaged if they are scanned.
  - 4.3.3 **You are not allowed to eat** in the examination venue. You can drink water and the water bottle must be placed on the floor next to your seat.

# Are you ready to sit for your examination?

This list is not exhaustive and serves only as a guide. You are advised to read the Examination Rules and Regulations thoroughly before sitting for your examinations.

1. **Do** read the Examination Rules and Regulations and be familiar with the examination procedures for the different papers that you have registered (e.g. *written, oral, listening comprehension, science practical, etc.*).
2. **Do** check your examination timetable and prepare the necessary items for the examination (e.g. *entry proof (EP), Photo ID, pen, 2B pencil and other essential stationery items*).
3. **Do** ensure that the items that you brought into the exam venue are allowed for use during examination (e.g. *calculators, dictionaries, etc.*).
4. **Do** dress appropriately.
5. **Do** allocate sufficient travelling time to your examination centre so that you can report at least 30 minutes before the start of your examination.
6. **Do** listen to all announcements given by the examination personnel carefully. Submit your answer scripts to the examination personnel before you leave the exam room.
7. **Don't** bring any unauthorised devices or materials into the exam venue. Make sure all stationery or belongings taken into the exam venue (e.g. *mathematical set, pencil case, EP*) are free of any unauthorised writings, notes, or formulae sheet in them.
8. **Don't** commit or attempt any acts of dishonesty, improper conduct, misbehaviour or support such acts during the examination.
9. **Don't** start writing or open the question/ answer booklet until you are told to do so.
10. **Don't** continue writing after the stop writing announcement has been made by the examination personnel.



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## 5 INSTRUCTIONS FOR UNEXPECTED SITUATIONS

### 5.1 Hospitalised candidates / Candidates with contagious diseases



If you are hospitalised or suffering from contagious diseases (e.g. chicken pox), you **must inform your school (for school candidates) or SEAB via our [feedback form](#) (for private candidates) as soon as you have seen a doctor.**

Arrangements can be made for you to sit the examination if:

- you have been certified as medically fit by a qualified medical practitioner to sit for the examination; and
- your request to sit for the examination is submitted through your school to SEAB (for school candidates) or directly to SEAB **via our feedback form** at <https://www.go.gov.sg/askus-seab> (for private candidates) before the start of examination.

SEAB can arrange for you to take the examination in the hospital if you are hospitalised, or at your own school or designated examination centre if you have certain types of contagious diseases. You will have to use your own stationery, dictionary, calculator etc when you sit your examination in the hospital, at your own school or at your designated examination centre.

### 5.2 Adverse conditions

For examinations conducted **at your own school or at centralised examination centres**, if you are **unable to sit for an examination due to unforeseen situations or have sat an examination under adverse conditions** (e.g. medical reasons, bereavement, physical injuries), you may apply for special consideration (SC), provided:

- 5.2.1 You have completed at least 50% of the component weighting for the affected subject; and
- 5.2.2 You have the relevant evidence and supporting documents to support your application (e.g. medical report / statement from a qualified medical practitioner or a death certificate due to bereavement reason).
- 5.2.3 For SC applications due to medical illness, only Medical Certificates with diagnosis or medical letters with diagnosis, covering the examination period and issued by doctors endorsed by the Singapore Medical Council, are accepted as supporting document for the applications.
  - SC applications with medical certificates which do not contain the doctor's diagnosis will not be accepted and will not be processed.
  - Medical certificates and medical letters must clearly state the doctor's diagnosis and be dated before or on the same day as the affected examination date(s), and state that you were unwell while taking the examination or are unfit to take the examination.
  - Medical documents submitted with dates not covering the assessment and examination date(s)/period will not be accepted.

5.2.4 Application for SC due to compassionate grounds may be made if you are assessed by the school to be affected by the bereavement of a person you are close to.

- Bereavement more than six months before assessment date(s) will not be accepted.


#### 5.2.5 For School Candidates

- You must inform your school early – before the start of the affected examination paper or immediately after the affected examination paper (including papers examined in own school or in other examination centres), if you have been adversely affected by the event.
- You may submit your SC application (s) with the supporting document(s) to SEAB through your school no later than 3 working days after the day of the affected examination paper.
- Late applications submitted **after the deadlines as stipulated in Para 5.2.7** or applications with incomplete information or supporting documents will not be accepted.
- You will not be eligible for SC if you have already received Access Arrangements (AA) for the same medical condition for the applied subject paper.

#### 5.2.6 For Private Candidates

- If you are affected by an event for any examination paper, you may submit SC application(s) with the supporting document(s) through SEAB's Candidates Portal at <https://myexams.seab.gov.sg/auth/login> using your Singpass or your username & password used during registration no later than 3 working days after the day of the affected examination paper. Upon login, click on Making Requests > Special Consideration.
- Late applications submitted **after the deadlines as stipulated in Para 5.2.7** or applications with incomplete information or supporting documents will not be accepted.
- For clarification on SC matters, you may refer to these [FAQ](#) or send an e-mail to [SEAB\\_GCE\\_SC@seab.gov.sg](mailto:SEAB_GCE_SC@seab.gov.sg).
- You will not be eligible for SC if you have already received Access Arrangements for the same medical condition for the applied subject paper.



- 5.2.7  You must submit your special consideration (SC) application no later than 3 working days after the day of your affected examination paper for processing and to avoid missing the deadlines.

5.2.8 **SEAB will not accept any SC applications after the dates as shown in the table below. Applications with incomplete information or supporting documents will also not be accepted.**

Latest date for submission of SC application	Exam Level	Remarks
By Tue, 22 Jul 2025	A-level	Applicable for candidates taking <b><i>Mother Tongue Language (MTL)/ MTL B Written Exams examined in Jun 2025 as well as oral and listening comprehension examinations examined in Jul 2025</i></b> .
By Fri, 31 Oct 2025	A-level	For <b>Science practical</b> papers
By Tue, 2 Dec 2025		For <b>Year-End</b> papers

### 5.3 Major Disruptions (e.g. Train Service Disruption, Massive Traffic Jam or Flood on an Examinations Day)

- In the event of a major train service disruption, you are not required to obtain or produce an excuse letter or travel chit from the MRT station for your examinations.
- You should follow the instructions provided at the train station on the bridging transport services available, or head to the Passenger Service Centre for assistance if you are caught in a major train service disruption.
- The list of examination centres near MRT / LRT stations can be obtained from:
  - [SEAB's website](https://www.seab.gov.sg/train-disruption-advice) at <https://www.seab.gov.sg/train-disruption-advice> .
  - SEAB's advisory posters at the MRT stations; and
  - LTA's 'MyTransport.SG' app

5.3.1 If you can arrive at your designated examination centre **before the end of the paper**:

5.3.1.1 You should still make your way to your designated examination centre;

5.3.1.2 You will be given the full duration to sit the paper **if you arrive before the end of the paper**.

5.3.2 If you are unable to arrive at your designated examination centre before the end of the paper:

5.3.2.1 You can go to an examination centre nearest to you to take your examination.

5.3.2.2 If you are a school candidate, you should inform your school.

5.3.2.3 If you are a private candidate, you should contact SEAB at <https://www.seab.gov.sg/about-us/contact-us> to notify SEAB of the examination centre that you are heading to.

5.3.3 If you arrive at the examination centre after the paper has ended or are unable to reach an examination centre at all, please inform your school if you are a school candidate, and contact SEAB at <https://www.seab.gov.sg/home/about-us/contact-us> if you are a private candidate.



You may be posted to another examination centre to take your examinations for certain subjects such as Music practical, Science practical, Art and foreign language examinations.

**For such papers, you must still report to the designated examination centre indicated on your entry proof** even if you are unable to reach the examination centre before the end of the paper.

5.3.4 If you have any enquiries regarding the major train service disruptions, you should contact your school if you are a school candidate, and contact SEAB at <https://www.seab.gov.sg/about-us/contact-us/> If you are a private candidate.

## 6 RESULTS AND EXAMINATION CERTIFICATES

### 6.1 Release of Results

	<b>Tentative Dates of Results Release for Mid-Year examinations</b>	<b>Tentative Dates of Results Release for Year-End examinations</b>
<b>GCE A-Level</b>	End-August of the examination year	Mid-February of the following year
<b>GCE A-Level (Project Work)</b>		Mid-April of the following year

You are advised to check out the 'Important Dates' section on the SEAB website for the tentative results release dates of the mid-year and year-end examinations.

#### 6.1.1 **For School Candidates**

**Mid-Year, Year-End and Project Work Results Release:** You will be issued your examination certificate through your school on the day of the results release exercise.

### 6.1.2 **For Private Candidates**

**Mid-Year Results Release:** You can view your Mid-Year examination results online via [SEAB's Candidates Portal](#). You may register to re-sit the MTL written examinations at the Year-End examination. The better MTL grade will be reflected when the Year-End results are released.

**Year-End Results Release:** You can view your Year-End examination results online via [SEAB's Candidates Portal](#).

If you are eligible for Singpass, you can view your examination results online via [SEAB's Candidates Portal](#) with your Singpass account.


If your Singpass PIN had expired, you can reset your password instantly online or request for a new PIN mailer via the [Singpass website](#) at <https://www.singpass.gov.sg>.

If you are not eligible for Singpass, (e.g. International Students), SEAB will send a system-generated username to your email address a few days before the results release exercise.

**Note:** The Singpass has been enhanced with a Two-Factor Authentication (2FA) for all e-government transactions that display sensitive individual data or those that require a high level of identity assurance. The SEAB's Candidates Portal is one such e-government service that requires a 2FA login. If you are eligible to apply for Singpass, you are advised to visit the [Singpass website](#) at <https://www.singpass.gov.sg> to register, activate and link your mobile phone / token with your Singpass account.

6.1.3 If there is cause for suspicion that any examination rules or regulations have been breached, SEAB may withhold your examination results until investigations are completed.

6.1.4 It is compulsory that you sit for all registered components of a subject, such as the oral, listening comprehension, coursework, practical and written papers. **You will receive an “Absent” grade for the subject if you do not turn up for one or more components, unless you have been granted exemption or special consideration by SEAB for that component.**

6.1.5  **If you withdraw from the examinations, you will have your national examination registration records deleted. You will not receive any results or examination certificates for any subjects or components that you have sat for. If examination results, such as the Mid-Year MTL examination results have already been released to you, those results will be invalidated.**

## 6.2 **Appeal for Review of Results**

6.2.1 You may apply to review your examination results if you feel that the grade you have obtained does not accurately reflect your achievement in the subject. An appeal fee will be charged for each subject.

- 6.2.2 A review of a candidate's results is aimed at verifying if the results are correct. It includes remarking and a thorough review of the accuracy of mark entries for the subject paper(s) by an independent senior marker who is different from the original marker. SEAB does not release marked scripts to candidates.

**6.2.3 For School Candidates**

You must submit your appeal application and make payment to your school if you wish for SEAB to review your examination results **within five (5) working days** from the day of results release. Late applications after the deadline will not be accepted.

**6.2.4 For Private Candidates**

You must submit your appeal application and make payment through [SEAB's Candidates Portal](#), **within five (5) working days** from the day of results release. Late applications after the deadline will not be accepted.

After submitting your application and making the payment, your appeal will be processed. Please note that the application cannot be withdrawn once it has been submitted, and no refunds will be provided.

For clarifications, please contact SEAB via the [feedback form](#) at <https://www.go.gov.sg/askus-seab>.

- 6.2.5 You can expect to receive the outcome within six (6) weeks after the appeal deadline. If you are a school candidate, you will receive the outcome through your school. If you are a private candidate, you will receive the outcome via an email that is sent to the email address submitted during registration. Should your appeal result in a change in examination results, the examination results will be adjusted accordingly, and a replacement examination certificate will be issued to you.

## 6.3 Examination Certificates

### 6.3.1 Eligibility for the Award of Examination Certificates



- Candidates who obtain at least a Grade E at H1-Level or H2-Level will receive a Singapore-Cambridge General Certificate of Education Advanced Level certificate.

### 6.3.2 Grading Systems

ADVANCED LEVEL GRADES (Exclude Subjects Examined at H3 Level)	REMARKS
A, B, C, D, E where Grade A is the highest and Grade E is the lowest.	GCE Advanced Level Pass for H1 and H2 subjects.
*S	Failed to obtain a pass in the subject. This will be reflected on the digitalised result but will not be shown on the certificate.
Ungraded	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• *S denotes Sub-pass.</li><li>• Performance in Oral / Aural in Chinese, Malay, Tamil is indicated as Distinction, Merit, Pass or Ungraded.</li><li>• Performance in Project Work is indicated as Pass or Ungraded.</li><li>• Subjects with “S”, “UNGRADED” or “ABSENT” will not be shown on the certificate.</li><li>• Performance in the Chinese B / Malay B / Tamil B is indicated as Merit, Pass or Ungraded. Mother Tongue B is not an A-Level subject.</li></ul>	

ADVANCED LEVEL GRADES (Subjects Examined at H3 Level)	REMARKS
Distinction	GCE Advanced Level Pass.
Merit	
Pass	
Ungraded	Failed to obtain a pass in the subject. This will not be shown on the certificate but will be reflected on the digitalised result.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Subjects with “UNGRADED” or “ABSENT” will not be shown on the certificate.</li></ul>	



### 6.3.3 **For School Candidates**

You will receive your examination certificate from your school on the day of the results release. You may request a reprint of your examination certificate if their name was printed wrongly due to a spelling error and did not reflect the name which you registered for your examination. Other reasons for reprinting certificates will not be accepted.

A request for a reprint must be submitted through your school within five (5) working days from the day of your results release. A service charge will apply for this request. Each request will be reviewed and is subject to approval. Requests received after the deadline will not be considered.

### 6.3.4 **For Private Candidates who are eligible to receive examination certificate**

The examination certificate will be delivered to your mailing address within five (5) working days from the date of the results release. The mailing addresses will be the address that you provided in the SEAB's Candidates Portal. The examination certificate includes the Mid-Year Mother Tongue Language subject in the GCE A-Level examinations, if candidates meet the award criteria.

6.3.4.1 You may request a reprint of your examination certificate if your name printed on the certificate does not match with the name which you registered for your examination. Other reasons for reprinting certificates will not be accepted. A request for a reprint must be submitted to SEAB within five (5) working days from the day of your results release. A service charge will apply for this request. Each request will be reviewed and is subject to approval. Requests received after the deadline will not be considered.

6.3.4.2 The following changes cannot be reflected on the examination certificate after you have registered for your examinations:

- a. Changes to your name via a deed poll
- b. Changes to your identity number following a change in citizenship status

6.3.4.3 For clarifications, please contact SEAB via the [Feedback Form](https://www.go.gov.sg/askus-seab) at <https://www.go.gov.sg/askus-seab>.

## 6.3.5 Digitised Examination results

- 6.3.5.1 If you are a Singapore Citizen or Singapore Permanent Residents and have a Singpass account, you will be able to retrieve your digitised examination results in the OpenCerts format **five (5) working days** after the release of your results. These examination results will be available via your [MySkillsFuture Skills Passport](#).
- 6.3.5.2 Please note that digitised results can be submitted electronically to the universities you are applying to. You may refer to [SEAB's website](#) at <https://www.seab.gov.sg/statements-of-results> for more information.
- 6.3.5.3 If your digitised past years' examination results are not available, you may submit a request to SEAB through our feedback form at <https://www.go.gov.sg/askus-seab>. More information can be found on [SEAB's website](#) at <https://www.seab.gov.sg/statements-of-results>



**SEAB does not issue duplicate hardcopies of the examination certificates. Replacement results are issued in the form of digitised examination results.**

## 7 ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR SPECIFIC SUBJECTS

### 7.1 Examinations with Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs)

**You will be** issued with a Personalised Multiple Choice Answer Sheet (PMCAS) to shade your answers for examination papers with MCQs. You are reminded to use 2B pencils to shade your answers in the PMCAS. A soft eraser should be used if you wish to change your answers.

### 7.2 Listening comprehension examinations

7.2.1 Listening comprehension examinations will be conducted through a broadcast. You must be seated at your assigned seat, 30 minutes before the start of the examination. The invigilators will mark your attendance and issue the examination materials to you before the start of the examination.

7.2.2 If you are unable to hear the broadcast clearly at any point during your examination, you must alert the invigilator.

### 7.3 Science practical examinations

#### 7.3.1 For School Candidates

You will receive your Science practical examination schedule from your school.

### 7.3.2 For Private Candidates

**You will be notified of your examination schedule at least 7 days before the examination, by email via the email address which you provided when you registered for your examination.** The schedule will include information such as the examination centre, reporting venue, reporting time, examination start time, examination end time and dismissal time.

**You should contact SEAB via our feedback form at <https://www.go.gov.sg/askus-seab>, if you did not receive your Science practical examination schedule 7 days before the examination date.** It is important that you arrive at the designated reporting venue of the examination centre 30 minutes before the reporting time indicated in your Science practical examination schedule.

**7.3.3 Science practical examinations are conducted in shifts. You are required to report to the reporting room before the start of the examination and you must report to the quarantine room after your examination.** You must surrender all electronic devices once you report to the examination personnel. You will be quarantined before and after the examinations.

**7.3.4 You may not be allowed to sit your Science practical examination if you report after the scheduled reporting time for your allocated shift.**

**7.3.5** If you are found in possession of any electronic devices while in the reporting room, Science laboratory or quarantine room, be it before or after the Science practical examination, you are liable for the same penalty as those who had committed an act of dishonesty.

**7.3.6 You are not allowed to bring in any reference materials and / or any unauthorised materials, including the Periodic Tables and / or devices as stipulated in the Examination Rules and Regulations ([Section 3](#)) into the science laboratory.**

**7.3.7** If you who contravene the above rules and regulations, you are liable for the same penalty as those who had committed an act of dishonesty.

## 7.4 Oral examinations

**7.4.1** You must refer to your entry proof for the specific date that you have been scheduled to sit the oral examination. **Please take note of your assigned examination centre for the oral examination.**

**7.4.2 On the day of the oral examination, you are required to report to your assigned examination centre at least 30 minutes before the start of the examination.** You will need to report to the waiting room / area and wait for your turn to be examined by the oral examiners.

**7.4.3** Upon reporting to the waiting room, you must surrender all unauthorised materials and electronic devices. If you are found in possession of such materials / electronic devices within the premises of the oral examination (e.g. waiting room, silent preparation room or examination room), you are liable for the same penalty as those who had committed an act of dishonesty.

## 7.5 GCE A-Level H2 Music examinations

- 7.5.1 For the GCE A-Level H2 Music Studies examination (9753/11 and 9753/12), music extracts are accessed via the eExam2 system. Log-in credentials will be provided by SEAB closer to the examination date. You are required to bring their own headsets for the examination. Hardcopy question papers will be issued. The examination will be conducted in November.
- 7.5.2 Where applicable, you must provide your own musical instruments for the GCE A-Level Music Creating (9753/02) coursework examinations and Performing (9753/03) practical examinations.

## 7.6 GCE A-Level H2 Independent Study, H3 Research Essays, and Research-based Programmes

- 7.6.1 If you have registered for the following national examinations mentioned below, you are required to submit materials for assessment.
- H3 Research Essay
  - H3 Research Project
  - H3 Research Programme
  - H2 Independent Study

You are **not** allowed to submit the same set of materials for assessment across different examinations. In addition, materials submitted for the current year of examination must **not** be materials that were already submitted for assessment in the preceding examinations or other assessments/examinations.

- 7.6.2 If you who contravene the above rules and regulations, you are liable to the same penalty as those who commit an act of dishonesty.

## 7.7 H3 Programmes offered by MOE Partners

### 7.7.1 Withdrawal Period

Three autonomous universities (AUs), namely, Nanyang Technological University (NTU), National University of Singapore (NUS) and Singapore Management University (SMU) are the examining agencies of the H3 programmes. A withdrawal period applies to the respective programmes:

H3 Programmes	Withdrawal Period
Taught programmes	within 2 weeks from the start of instruction
Science Research programmes	2 weeks from the confirmation of students' research proposals
Humanities & Social Science Research programme	2 weeks from the start of NUS HSSR school term

- 7.7.2 You are allowed to withdraw from the H3 programme(s) within the withdrawal period. After the withdrawal period, you are deemed to have registered with SEAB for the H3 programme(s). Should you withdraw from the programme(s) after the withdrawal period,

you will be charged an administrative fee, and an “ABSENT” grade will be reflected on your GCE A-Level results.

7.7.3 You should submit your Access Arrangements (AA) applications to the relevant AU(s) through your school. The applications should include any documents related to AA.

**7.7.4 Special consideration (SC) – Taught programmes**

7.7.4.1 Should you have sat the final examination under adverse conditions (e.g. medical reasons, bereavement, physical injuries), you may submit your special consideration (SC) application to the relevant AU(s) through your school, provided:

- You have completed 100% of the component weighting for the affected subject; and
- You have the relevant evidence and supporting documents to support your application (e.g. medical report / statement from a qualified medical practitioner or a death certificate due to bereavement reason).

7.7.4.2 You must inform your school before the start of the affected examination paper or immediately after the affected examination paper, if you have/would be adversely affected by the event. Please inform your school early, as your school needs to submit completed SC application(s) with the supporting documents to the AU(s), no later than 3 working days after your affected examination.

7.7.4.3 Late submissions or applications with incomplete information or supporting documents from the deadlines stated above would not be processed.

**7.7.5 Absent from the Final Examination – Taught programmes**

Should you be absent from the final examination, an “ABSENT” grade will be reflected on your A-Level results.

**7.7.6 Appeal for Review of Results**

You may apply to SEAB for a review of your examination results if you feel that the grade obtained does not accurately reflect your achievement in the programme(s). The AUs will conduct a review in compliance with SEAB’s and the respective AUs’ policies.

**7.8 GCE A-Level Literature in English Revised (8841 and 9539) or Legacy (8832 and 9509) and Theatre Studies and Drama (9519) Paper 1**

If you are sitting the GCE A-Level Literature in English Revised (8841 and 9539) or Legacy (8832 and 9509) papers and GCE A-Level Theatre Studies and Drama (9519) paper 1, you may take the texts they have studied into the examination venue with the following conditions:

**7.8.1 Materials that can be taken into the examination venue**

Only non-electronic original texts (i.e. original published editions) should be taken into the examination venue. You are only allowed to bring one hardcopy of each approved text. No photocopies or texts downloaded from the internet are allowed. No other materials, including critical works or study notes of any kind, should be taken into the examination venue. The use of dictionaries is not permitted.

#### **7.8.2 Underlining and highlighting of texts**

Only underlining, highlighting and the use of vertical lines are permitted. Nothing else should be written in the texts except your name. Separate pieces of paper such as sticky notes and tape flags are not allowed.

#### **7.8.3 Folding and Flagging of Pages**

Pages can be flagged with paper clips or by folding the page corners. Page numbers can be highlighted, underlined, or marked out with vertical lines. Any other kind of folding or flagging of pages in texts (e.g. use of sticky notes or tape flags) is not permitted.

### **7.9 GCE A-Level Mother Tongue Language and Literature Subjects**

If you are offering the following papers mentioned below, you may take the texts they have studied into the examination venue with conditions.

- GCE A-Level Chinese Language and Literature (9901/1 Part 2)
- GCE A-Level Chinese Language and Literature (9575/3)
- GCE A-Level Malay Language and Literature (9921/1 Part 2)
- GCE A-Level Malay Language and Literature (9576/3)
- GCE A-Level Tamil Language and Literature (9941/1 Part 2)
- GCE A-Level Tamil Language and Literature (9577/3)

#### **7.9.1 Material that can be taken into the examination venue**

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#### **7.9.2 Underlining and highlighting of texts**

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#### **7.9.3 Folding and Flagging of Pages**

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### **7.10 Geography**

Topographical maps used in Geography papers must be returned to the invigilators at the end of the examination.



## 7.11 e-Examinations

7.11.1 The following examination papers are conducted via SEAB's eExam2 System:

EXAMINATION LEVEL	SUBJECT NAME	SUBJECT CODE / PAPER NUMBERS
GCE A-Level	Computing	9569/2
	Chinese Language and Literature	9575/2
	Malay Language and Literature	9576/2
	Tamil Language and Literature	9577/2
	Translation (Chinese)	9571/1 and 9571/2
	China Studies in English	9628/1 and 9628/2
	China Studies in Chinese	9629/1 and 9629/2
	Music	9753/11 and 9753/12
GCE A-Level (Mid-Year and Year-End)	Chinese B	8611/1 and 8611/2
	Malay B	8613/1 and 8613/2
	Tamil B	8614/1 and 8614/2

7.11.2 **All oral examinations except the Foreign Languages are conducted electronically using SEAB's eExam2 System.**

A video stimulus will be shown as part of the oral examinations. For subjects where there are presentation topics as part of the oral examinations, the presentation topics will be shown using the SEAB eExam2 System.

7.11.3 You may visit [SEAB's website](https://www.seab.gov.sg) at <https://www.seab.gov.sg> to find out more details on the e-oral examinations, e-written examinations and/or computer-based practical examinations. Online tutorials are available for you to view and familiarise themselves prior to the e-Examinations.

Please refer to the links below:

- For school candidates - <https://www.seab.gov.sg/e-exam-resources/>
- For private candidates - <https://www.seab.gov.sg/e-exam-resources-for-private-candidates/>

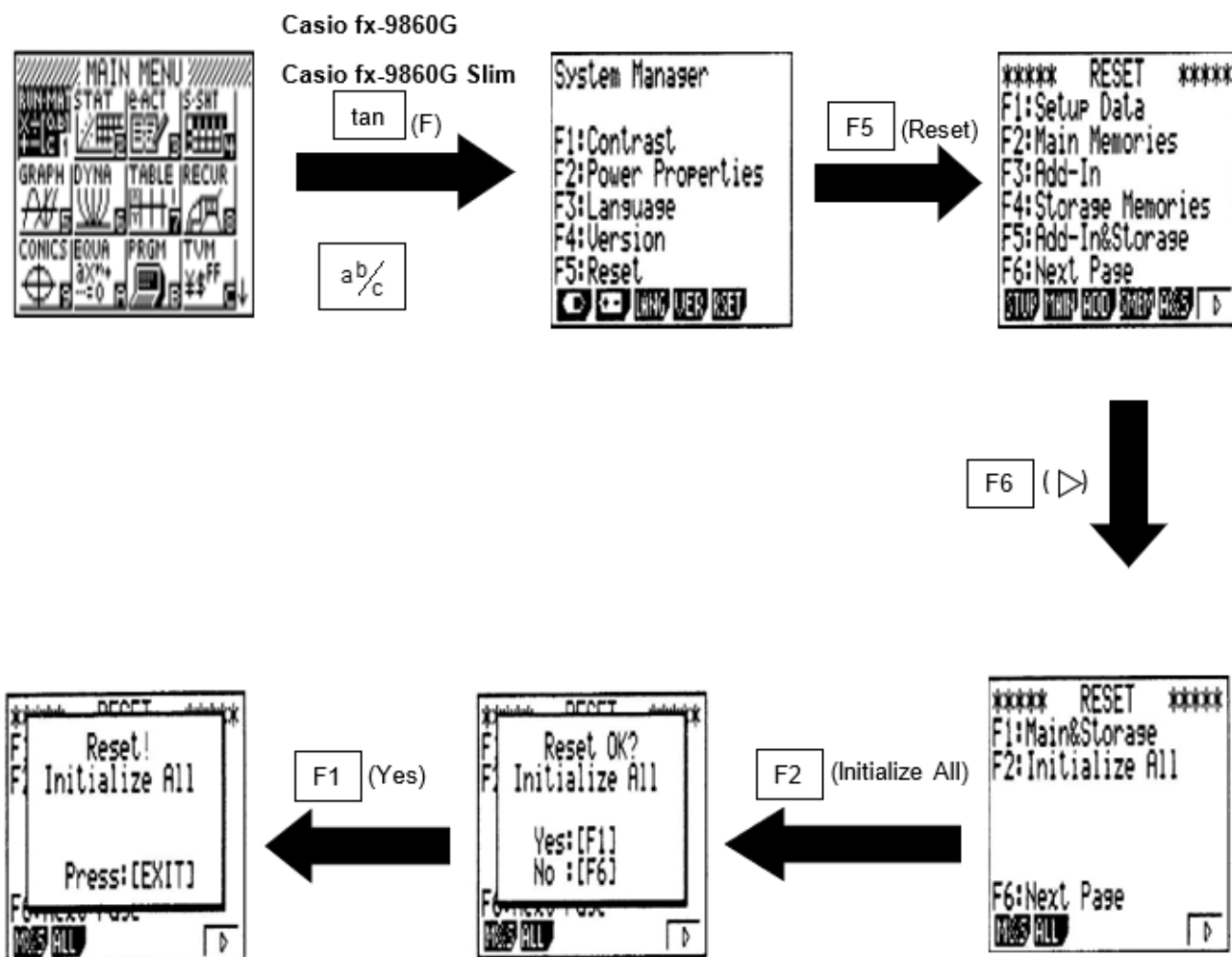
7.11.4 You will be sitting for the e-Examinations (if applicable) at your assigned examination centre. The necessary computing devices and IT support will be provided by the examination centre that you are posted to.

## 8 ANNEXES

### ANNEX A: Steps to clear all memory in graphing calculators (GC)

#### Casio GCs

Resetting the Casio FX-9860G, Casio FX-9860G Slim and Casio FX-9860 GII for the examinations



## Resetting Casio CFX-9850 GC for the examinations

Step 1: Highlight the MEM icon on the main menu and then press  or press

```
Memory
Memory Usage
Reset

To Select:[↑][↓]
To Set   :[EXE]
```

Step 2: Use  to move the highlighting down to "Reset" and then press

```
*****
*      RESET      *
*****
RESET ALL MEMORIES?

[F1]              [F6]
YES  RESET ALL  NO

(F1)              (F6)
```



Step 3: Press  (YES) to reset the calculator.

```
*****
*                  *
*      MEMORY CLEARED!      *
*                  *
*****
PRESS [MENU] KEY
```

## Texas Instrument GCs



### Steps to Clear All MEMORY for TI-83 GC

To reset all memory on the Texas Instrument graphing calculator, follow the following steps:


1. Press   to display the **MEMORY** menu.

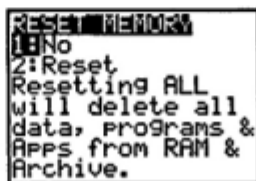


2. Select  7: Reset...

3. From the **RAM ARCHIVE ALL** menu, press   to display the **ALL** menu.



4. Select  1: All Memory... to display the **RESET MEMORY** menu.



5. Select  2: Reset

## Singapore Reset Procedures for TI-84 Plus Family of GCs

Step 1: Make sure the calculator is off

Step 2: Press  key while holding the  and  keys. You will see the following screen.

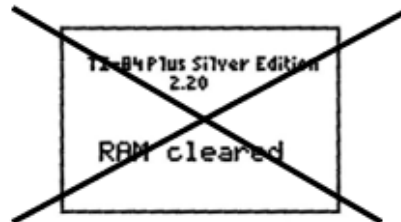


Step 3: Press the  key to select "OK". You will see the following screen with a blinking cursor on the upper left corner. Leave the calculator on this "MEM cleared" screen for invigilators to check.



MEM Cleared  
for Singapore

\*Note that the screen should read **MEM Cleared** and not RAM cleared.



**ANNEX B: List of Subjects where use of calculators is allowed**

Subject	Scientific calculator	Graphing Calculator
H1 Mathematics	✓	☑
H2 Mathematics	✓	☑
H3 Mathematics	✓	☑
H2 Further Mathematics	✓	☑
H1 Biology	☑	✓
H2 Biology	☑	✓
H3 Biology	☑	✓
H1 Chemistry	☑	✓
H2 Chemistry	☑	✓
H3 Chemistry	☑	✓
H1 Physics	☑	✓
H2 Physics	☑	✓
H3 Physics	☑	✓
H2 Computing	✓	✓
H1 Economics	✓	✓
H2 Economics	✓	✓
H3 Economics	✓	✓
H1 Geography	✓	✓
H2 Geography	✓	✓
H3 Geography	✓	✓
H2 Principles of Accounting	✓	✓
H2 Management of Business	✓	✓

☐ Required : Candidates would need to use it in the exam.

✓ Allowed : Candidates are free to use it in the exam if they wish to

Note: Candidates are not allowed to bring or use calculators for any other subjects not listed above.



## ANNEX C: List of Subjects where use of dictionaries is allowed

### GCE A-LEVEL

- You will be allowed to use the approved dictionaries if you sit these subjects.

#### GCE A-Level Mother Tongue Language Syllabus B subjects

SUBJECT NAME	SUBJECT CODE/PAPER NUMBER
Chinese B	8611/1
Malay B	8613/1
Tamil B	8614/1

#### GCE A-Level H2 Mother Tongue Language and Literature subjects

SUBJECT NAME	SUBJECT CODE/PAPER NUMBER
Chinese Language & Literature	9575/1
Malay Language & Literature	9576/1
Tamil Language & Literature	9577/1

- If you are sitting the GCE A-Level H2 Translation (Chinese) examination, you will be allowed to use the approved dictionaries. Please refer to [section 3.19](#) for more information.
- If you sit the following subjects mentioned below, you will be allowed to use the approved dictionaries for Paper 1, Part 1 of each of the subjects' examinations. The use of dictionaries is strictly prohibited during the conduct of Paper 1, Part 2.

SUBJECT NAME	SUBJECT CODE/ PAPER NUMBER	Duration of Part 1	Duration of Part 2
Chinese Language	8655/1	1 hr 30 mins	1 hr 30 mins
Malay Language	8656/1		
Tamil Language	8657/1		
Bengali	8827/1		
Gujarati	8828/1		
Hindi	8829/1		
Panjabi	8836/1		
Urdu	8837/1		

- The question papers will be issued separately in 2 parts: Part 1 consists of composition / functional-writing and Part 2 consists of comprehension and language usage.
- Part 1 will be issued to candidates first.

	Dictionary
Part 1	Allowed to use
Part 2	Not allowed. Place on floor before start of part 2

- c) Dictionaries can only be used for Part 1 of the paper.
  - d) At the end of Paper 1, Part 1, there will be an **administrative break of 15 minutes**. You must remain seated during the admin break.
  - e) During the administrative break, you will be instructed to **place their dictionaries on the floor**.
  - f) Paper 1, Part 2 question papers will only be issued after all candidates have placed their dictionaries on the floor.
  - g) **During the administrative break, you are NOT allowed to read the questions in Paper 1, Part 2, go through their answers in Paper 1, Part 1, or perform any writing.** After the admin break, you may either proceed with answering Paper 1, Part 2 first or continue with Paper 1, Part 1. Should candidates choose to continue with Paper 1, Part 1, they will not have access to their dictionaries.
  - h) The total examination duration **excludes the 15-minute administrative break**.
- If you are sitting the following subjects mentioned below, you will be allowed to use the dictionaries for Part 1 and the approved text for Part 2.

SUBJECT NAME	SUBJECT CODE/ PAPER NUMBER	Duration of part 1	Duration of part 2
	H3 Papers		
Chinese Language & Literature	9901/1	1 hr 15 mins	1 hr 45 mins
Malay Language & Literature	9921/1		
Tamil Language & Literature	9941/1		

- a) Question paper will be issued in 2 parts:

	Dictionary	Approved text
<b>Part 1</b>	<b>Allowed</b> to use	<b>Not allowed.</b> Place on floor before start of part 1
<b>Part 2</b>	<b>Not allowed.</b> Place on floor before start of part 2	<b>Allowed</b> to use

- b) Part 1 question papers will be issued to candidates first.
- c) You may bring in both approved dictionaries and approved literature texts into the examination hall / room. However, you must place their literature texts on the floor before the start of Part 1.
- d) At the end of Paper 1, Part 1, there will be an **administrative break of 15 minutes**. You should remain seated during the admin break.
- e) The invigilators will collect the answer scripts for Paper 1, Part 1 during the admin break.
- f) During the admin break, you will be instructed to:
  - place their dictionaries on the floor; and
  - place their literature texts on their desk.
- g) Paper 1, Part 2 question papers will only be issued after all candidates have placed their dictionaries on the floor.
- h) **During the administrative break, you are NOT allowed to read the questions in Paper 1, Part 2 and perform any writing.**
- i) The total examination duration **excludes the 15-minutes administrative break**.

## ANNEX D: List of approved texts for GCE A-Level H2 & H3 Mother Tongue Subjects

### GCE A-LEVEL H2 CHINESE LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE (CLL) (9575/3)

S/N	TITLE	PUBLISHER
Text 1	《大学先修班 H2/H3 华文与文学指定文学作品》——古典文学	玲子传媒私人有限公司, 2020
Text 2	《大学先修班 H2/H3 华文与文学指定文学作品》——现代文学	玲子传媒私人有限公司, 2020
Text 3	《现代文学指定文本--嘿咻店》	玲子传媒私人有限公司, 2017

(If you are taking the GCE A-Level H2 CLL examination, please note that the book containing the original text of all the poems, “Ci”, classical prose, short story & Modern Play etc. from the GCE A-Level H2 CLL syllabus published by Lingzi Media Pte Ltd will be the only publication which can be used in the open book examination. No photocopies or texts downloaded from the internet are allowed.

### GCE A-Level H3 CHINESE LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE (CLL) (9901)

S/N	TITLE	PUBLISHER
Text 1	《大学先修班H2/H3华文与文学指定文本古典文学》	玲子传媒私人有限公司, 2014
Text 2	《大学先修班 H2/H3 华文与文学指定文学作品》——古典文学	玲子传媒私人有限公司, 2020
Text 3	《红楼梦》（上）	人民文学出版社

\*文本中的前言、序、后记、跋、点评、导读、附录、赏析或评析等应该除去。(书中所附的注释除外)

Text 1: H2/H3 Chinese & Chinese Language and Literature 《大学先修班H2/H3华文与文学指定文本古典文学》 Lingzi Media Pte Ltd, 2014

If you are taking the GCE A-Level H3 CLL syllabus) examination, please note that the book containing the original text of all the poems, “Ci”, “Shi Ji” 《史记》 and “Lun Yu” 《论语》 from the GCE A-Level H3 CLL syllabus published by Lingzi Media Pte Ltd. It will be the only publication which can be used in the open book examinations. No photocopies or texts downloaded from the internet are allowed.

Text 3: Only original texts (original published editions) should be taken into the examination room. No photocopies or texts downloaded from the internet are allowed. Any Preface, Foreword, Introduction (“序”、“前言”、“导读”) and Postscript (“后记”) in the text must be removed.

## **Open Text regulations for GCE A-Level H2 CLL and H3 CLL examinations**

### **A Materials that can be taken into the examination room**

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**BAHAGIAN A: NOVEL DAN CERPEN**

**NOVEL**

**Batas Langit (Edisi Pelajar)** oleh Mohamed Latiff Mohamed, Angkatan Sasterawan '50, 2021

**CERPEN**

**Antologi Titik Pertemuan**, Angkatan Sasterawan '50, 2021

- a) Yang oleh Jamal Ismail
- b) Angin Timur Angin Barat oleh Shahnnon Ahmad
- c) Suatu Perjalanan Sebuah Peta Sebuku Roti oleh Basiran Haji Hamzah
- d) Tulang Pekasam Ikan Puyu oleh Azizi Hj Abdullah
- e) Jago oleh Ahmad Jaaffar Munasip

**BAHAGIAN B: PUISI TRADISIONAL DAN MODEN**

**Antologi Titik Pertemuan**, Angkatan Sasterawan '50, 2021

- a) *Orang-orang Miskin* oleh W.S. Rendra
- b) *Guru Oh Guru* oleh Usman Awang
- c) *Ini Nasi Yang Kusuap* oleh Masuri S.N.
- d) *Betapapun Gerak Cepat Kehidupan akan Kususuri Landasan ini* oleh Ahmad Mohd Tahir
- e) *Jerebu* oleh Rasiah Halil
- f) *Anak Tetangga Kelantan Lane* oleh Kamaria Buang
- g) *Syair Nasib Melayu* oleh Tenas Effendy
- h) *Syair Singapura Terbakar* oleh Munshi Abdullah
- i) *Syair Siti Zubaidah*

**BAHAGIAN C: DRAMA**

**Antologi Titik Pertemuan**, Angkatan Sasterawan '50, 2021

- a) *Anjing Untuk Diplomat* oleh Hamed Ismail
- b) *Terbelenggu* oleh Amanah Mustafi
- c) *Titik Pertemuan* oleh Rohman Munasip

**BAHAGIAN D: ANALISIS TEKS**

Analisis Teks Bebas

## GCE A-Level H3 MALAY LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE (9921)

- i) **Sulalatus Salatin (Sejarah Melayu)** (Cetera 1-5) - A. Samad Ahmad (Dewan Bahasa & Pustaka, 2010)
- ii) **Cerpen Pilihan** (Unit Bahasa Melayu, Cawangan Bahasa Ibunda, Bahagian Perancangan dan Pembangunan Kurikulum, Kementerian Pendidikan Singapura)
  - a) *Sisa* oleh Hadijah Rahmat
  - b) *Ke Mana Hati Hendak Kubawa* oleh M. Fuad Salim
  - c) *Lembu* oleh Ismail Wardi
  - d) *Igauan di Siang Hari* oleh Saedah Saad

### Open Text regulations for GCE A-Level H2 MLL and H3 MLL examinations

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## GCE A-Level H2 TAMIL LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE (9577/3)

### 'அ' பிரிவு: நாவல், சிறுகதை

#### **நாவல்:**

சமுதாய வீதி - நா.பார்த்தசாரதி

#### **சிறுகதைகள்:**

1. காஞ்சனை - புதுமைப்பித்தன்
2. விடியுமா? - கு.ப.ராஜகோபாலன்
3. கதவு - கி.ராஜநாராயணன்
4. தேடல் - நா.கோவிந்தசாமி
5. எண்ணங்கள் நிலையானவை அல்ல - மா.இளங்கண்ணன்
6. நாடோடிகள் - இராம.கண்ணபிரான்

### 'ஆ' பிரிவு: கவிதை

#### **கவிதைகள்:**

1. பழமொழி நானூறு

#### **நட்பின் இயல்பிலுள்ள நான்கு பாடல்கள்**

முட்டின் றொருவர் உடைய பொழுதின்கண் அட்டிற்றுத் தின்பவர் ஆயிரவர் - ஆபவே கட்டலர்தார் மார்பு! கலியூழிக் காலத்துக் கெட்டார்க்கு நட்பாரோ இல்	தெற்றப் பரிந்தொருவர் தீர்ப்ப ரெனப்பட்டார்க் குற்ற குறையை உரைப்பதாம் - தெற்ற அறையார் அணிவளையாய்! தீர்த லுறுவார் மறையார் மருத்துவர்க்கு நோய்
இனியாரை யுற்ற இடர்தீர் உபாயம் முனியார் செயினும் மொழியால் - முடியா துனியால் திரையுலாம் நூங்குநீர்ச் சேர்ப்பு! பனியால் குளநிறைத லில்	தந்தீமை யில்லாதார் நட்பவர் தீமையையும் எந்தீமை யென்றே உணர்பதாம் - அந்தண் பொருதிரை வந்துலாம் பொங்குநீர்ச் சேர்ப்பு! ஒருவர் பொறையிருவர் நட்பு

2. திருக்குறள்
  - ஆள்வினையுடைமை
  - சொல்வன்மை
  - வினைத்திட்டம்
3. தமிழ் - பாரதியார்
4. எந்நாளோ? - பாரதிதாசன்
5. எறும்பு - ந.பழனிவேலு
6. இயற்கை இன்பம் - சிங்கை முகிலன்
7. இரவிலும் பகலை எதிர்பார் - அமலதாசன்
8. கல்லின் காயம் - அப்துல் ரகுமான்
9. மரம் - வைரமுத்து
10. ஹைக்கூ கவிதைகள்
  - கூண்டுக்கு விடுதலை (நா.முத்துக்குமார்)
  - குருவிக்கூடுகள், கடவுளைத் தேடி (ஏ.தேவராஜன்)
  - சோம்பல் மாணவன், எறும்புகள் வரும் நேரம் (ந.பச்சைபாலன்)
11. ஆட்டனத்தி ஆதிமந்தி - கண்ணதாசன்

### 'இ' பிரிவு: நாடகம்

1. சிங்கப்பூர் மாப்பிள்ளை - சே.வெ. சண்முகம்
2. ஊஞ்சல் - சுஜாதா

### 'ஈ' பிரிவு: இலக்கியத் திறனாய்வு (பார்த்திராத பனுவல்கள்)

இப்பிரிவில் பயன்படுத்தப்படும் பனுவல்கள் பாடத்திட்டத்தில் பரிந்துரைக்கப்படாதவை.

## GCE A-Level H3 TAMIL LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE (9941)

### List of Approved Texts

S/N	TITLE	AUTHOR
1	தூண்டில் மீன் Thoondil Meen	மா. இளங்கண்ணன் M. Ilangkannan
2	தமிழ் இன்பம் Thamzhi Inbam	ரா. பி. சேதுப்பிள்ளை Dr R.P. Sethupillai

### Open Text regulations for GCE A-Level H2 TLL and H3 TLL examination

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#### B Underlining and highlighting of text

Only underlining, highlighting and the use of vertical lines are permitted. Nothing else should be written in the texts except your name. Separate pieces of paper such as sticky notes and tape flags are not allowed.

#### C Folding and Flagging of Pages

Pages can be flagged with paper clips or by folding the page corners. Page numbers can be highlighted, underlined, or marked out with vertical lines. Any other kind of folding or flagging of pages in texts (for example, use of sticky notes or tape flags) is not permitted.

## ANNEX E: Oral Examinations Instructions

### SINGAPORE-CAMBRIDGE GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF EDUCATION

#### ADVANCED LEVEL

8655/02 CHINESE LANGUAGE

8656/02 MALAY LANGUAGE

8657/02 TAMIL LANGUAGE

#### ORAL EXAMINATION

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1 The Oral examination consists of two parts. Candidates will sit the paper in the order given below:  
  
**Oral Presentation** : You will watch a video clip and give a 'not more than two minutes' Oral Presentation based on a given topic using the video as a stimulus.  
  
**Discussion** : You will then engage in a discussion with the Oral Examiners based on your Oral Presentation.
- 2 This is how the examination will be conducted:
  - a) Report to the Assistant Oral Examiner by the appointed time. You will be asked to sign against your name on the attendance sheet. You will key in the Exam Centre Key provided by the Assistant Oral Examiner for you to start the silent preparation.
  - b) You will put on a headphone to watch a video clip quietly and prepare a 'not more than two minutes' Oral Presentation based on a given topic using the video as a stimulus. You will be given **TEN (10) minutes** to do so, at the end of which you will be logged out automatically.
  - c) You will be given a piece of paper to write down your notes. You will bring the notes with you when you meet the Oral Examiners, and you may refer to the notes during the examination. You are not allowed to continue writing on the piece of paper while waiting to be examined by the Oral Examiners. The notes will not be assessed.
  - d) When it is your turn to be examined, report to the Oral Examiners.
  - e) Place the piece of notes in the box provided at the end of your Oral examination.
- 3 You must remember to bring your identification document with a photograph (e.g. NRIC or passport) and when you report for the Oral examination. Please note that the Oral examination is compulsory. If you do not attend it, you will not be awarded a grade for the subject even if you are present for the remaining papers.

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### ADVANCED LEVEL

8611/03 CHINESE B

8613/03 MALAY B

8614/03 TAMIL B

### ORAL EXAMINATION

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1 The Oral Examination consists of two parts. Candidates will sit the paper in the order given below:  
**Oral Presentation :** You will deliver a prepared presentation of about two minutes based on your selected topic related to the module – *Culture*.  
**Conversation :** You will watch a video clip. Thereafter, you will engage in a conversation related to the theme of the video clip with the oral examiners.
- 2 This is how the examination will be conducted:
  - a) Report to the Assistant Oral Examiner by the appointed time. You will be asked to sign against your name on the attendance sheet.
  - b) Prepare yourself for the Oral Presentation and put on the headphone to watch the video clip. You will be given **TEN (10) minutes** to do so.
  - c) **You will be given a piece of paper to write down your notes. You will bring the notes with you when you meet the Oral Examiners, and you may refer to the notes during the examination. You are not allowed to continue writing on the piece of paper while waiting to be examined by the Oral Examiners. The notes will not be assessed.**
  - d) When it is your turn to be examined, report to the Oral Examiners.
    - At the Oral Examiners station, if the video clip differs from what was given to you earlier, you must inform the Oral Examiners immediately.
    - Place the piece of notes in the provided box at the end of your oral examination.
- 3 You must remember to bring your identification document with a photograph (e.g. NRIC or passport) when you report for the Oral examination. Please note that the Oral examination is compulsory. Candidates who fail to attend it will not be awarded a grade in the subject even if you are present for the remaining papers.

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### **ADVANCED LEVEL**

**H1 French 8831/01**  
**H1 German 8833/01**  
**H1 Japanese 8835/01**  
**H2 French 9735/01**  
**H2 German 9736/01**  
**H2 Japanese 9737/01**  
**H2 Spanish 9578/01**

### **ORAL EXAMINATION**

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

The Oral Examination consists of three parts. Candidates will sit the paper in the order given below:

#### **Section 1 PRESENTATION**

You will be expected to give an oral presentation of:

- about 2 minutes (H1 French/German/Japanese); or
- about 3 minutes (H2 French/German/Japanese/Spanish)

based on a specific topic (listed under Topic Areas in the syllabus), which you have chosen and prepared beforehand.

#### **Section 2 TOPIC CONVERSATION**

You will be expected to hold a conversation with the Oral Examiner based on the topic you have chosen to present in Section 1.

#### **Section 3 GENERAL CONVERSATION**

You will be asked questions based on your background and interests. The Oral Examiner will then move on to a more mature conversation discussing more abstract and/or current issues within the general topic areas.

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