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GET
PROGRAMMES OF ASSESSMENTS
ANNUAL TEACHING PLANS

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1. Foundation Phase

a. Mathematics

Weighting of Content Areas-remains

As the concepts and skills are packaged in a more integrated and unitary format:

The weighting of content areas remains unchanged.

Weighting of Content Areas					
Grade	Numbers, Operations and Relationships	Patterns, Functions and Algebra	Space and Shapes (Geometry)	Measurement	Data Handling
1	65%	10%	11%	9%	5%
2	60%	10%	13%	12%	5%
3	58%	10%	13%	14%	5%

Revised Programme of Assessment

Grade	Subjects	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
1	HL	1	1	1	1
	FAL	1	1	1	1
	MATHS	1	1	1	1
	LIFE SKILLS	1	1	1	1
2	HL	1	1	1	1
	FAL	1	1	1	1
	MATHS	1	1	1	1
	LIFE SKILLS	1	1	1	1
3	HL	1	1	1	1
	FAL	1	1	1	1
	MATHS	1	1	1	1
	LIFE SKILLS	1	1	1	1

2. Intermediate Phase

a. Life Skills

Term	Grade 4	Grade 5	Grade 6	Marks per term	
				For recording	For reporting
1	PSW: Written Task	PSW: Written Task	PSW: Written Task	30	100
	PET	PET	PET	30	
	CAT: VA/PA	CAT: VA/PA	CAT: VA/PA	40	
2	PSW: Controlled test	PSW: Controlled test	PSW: Controlled test	30	100
	PET	PET	PET	30	
	CAT: VA/PA	CAT: VA/PA	CAT: VA/PA	40	
3	PSW: Project	PSW: Project	PSW: Project	30	100
	PET	PET	PET	30	
	CAT: VA/PA	CAT: VA/PA	CAT: VA/PA	40	
4	PSW: Examination	PSW: Examination	PSW: Examination	30	100
	PET	PET	PET	30	
	CAT: VA/PA	CAT: VA/PA	CAT: VA/PA	40	

- The Physical Education Task (PET) must be completed in each term;
- Term 1 Written Task (Assignment/ Case study /Design and Make);
- Term 2 Controlled test will include term 1 and 2 content;
- Term 3 Project;
- Controlled tests is replaced by Examinations in 2023; and
- Term 4 Examination will include term 3 and 4 content.

End of year SBA Weightings

- School Based Assessment – 80%
- Examination – 20%

b. Mathematics

Amendments to School Based Assessment (SBA)

- No amendments

Subject: Mathematics

Intermediate Phase: Grades 4-6

	TERM	Grade	Task Number	Task Name	Mark allocation (fixed or suggested)	Weighting out of 100%	Weighting out of 80%
SCHOOL BASED ASSESSMENT SBA	TERM 1	4	1	Assignment	25 (Minimum suggested)	20%	16%
		5					
		6					
		4	2	Test	25 (Minimum suggested)	15%	12%
		5					
		6					
	TERM 2	4	1	Investigation	25 (Minimum suggested)	15%	12%
		5					
		6					
		4	2	June Test	25 (suggested)	20%	16%
		5			30 suggested)		
		6			40 suggested)		

	TERM 3	4	1	Project	25 (Minimum suggested)	15%	12%
		5					
		6					
		4	2	Test	25 (Minimum suggested)	15%	12%
		5					
		6					
TOTAL SBA	3		2 per term or 6 per year	2 per term or 6 per year		100%	80%
END OF THE YEAR TEST	TERM 4	4	1	December Test	25 (suggested)	100%	20%
		5			30 suggested)		
		6			40 suggested)		

c. Natural Sciences and Technology

Grade 4 to 6: Proposed Amendment of Weightings

Phase	CAPS prescription	COVID Period 2020 - 2022	2023/24 Proposals 2023/24
Foundation (Grade R – 3)	100% SBA	100% SBA	100% SBA
Intermediate (Grade 4 – 6)	60% (SBA): 40% (Exams)	80% (SBA): 20 % (Exams)	80% (SBA): 20% (Exams)
Senior Phase (Grade 7 – 9)	40% (SBA): 60 (Exam)	80% (SBA): 20% (Exams)	60(SBA):40% (Exams)
Grade 10 &11	25% (SBA):75% (Exams)	60% (SBA): 40% (Exams)	40% (SBA):60 % (Exams)
Grade 12	25% (SBA):75% (Exams)	25% (SBA):75% (Exams)	25% (SBA):75 % (Exams)

Intermediate Phase Subject: Natural Sciences and Technology

Grade	Number of tasks	Brief description of the task e.g. test/assignment/project/ practical etc.	Allocated Term	Marks	Weighting
4	1	Practical Task/Investigation	1	15	80%
	2	Test		20	
	3	Practical Task/Investigation	2	15	
	4	Controlled test Term 2 work only		20	
	5	Practical Task/Investigation	3	15	
	6	Test		20	
	7	Controlled test Term 3 (60%) and Term 4 (40%)	4	30	20%
5	1	Practical Task/Investigation	1	15	80%
	2	Test		20	
	3	Practical Task/Investigation	2	15	
	4	Controlled test Term 2 work only		20	
	5	Practical Task/Investigation	3	15	
	6	Test		20	
	7	Controlled test Term 3 (60%) and Term 4 (40%)	4	40	20%
6	1	Practical Task/Investigation	1	15	80%
	2	Test		20	
	3	Practical Task/Investigation	2	15	
	4	Controlled test Term 2 work only		20	
	5	Practical Task/Investigation	3	15	
	6	Test		20	
	7	Controlled test Term 3 (60%) and Term 4 (40%)	4	40	20%

d. Social Science

Programme of Assessment Grade 4

Geography

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
	Test: 25 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Controlled Test: 25 Marks Term 1 content: 10 marks Term 2 content: 15 Marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Test: 25 Marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Controlled Test: 25 Marks Term 3 content: 10 marks Term 4 content: 15 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing
Final SBA Weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%
Term weight	50%	50%	50%	50%
	SBA 80%			EXAMS 20%

History

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
	Project: 25 marks	Controlled Test: 25 Marks Term 1 content: 10 marks Term 2 content: 15 Marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Test: 25 Marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Controlled Test: 25 Marks Term 3 content: 10 marks Term 4 content: 15 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing
Final SBA Weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%
Term weight	50%	50%	50%	50%
	SBA 80%			EXAMS 20%

Programme of Assessment Grade 5

Geography

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
	Test: 30 marks Map Skills	Controlled Test: 30 marks Term 1 content: 10 marks Term 2 content: 20 Marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Project: 30 marks	Controlled Test: 30 marks Term 3 content: 10 marks Term 4 content: 20 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph
Final SBA Weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%
Term Weight	50%	50%	50%	
	SBA 80%			Exam weight 10%
				EXAMS 20%

History

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
	Test: 30 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Controlled Test: 30 marks Term 1 content: 10 marks Term 2 content: 20 Marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Test: 30 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Controlled Test: 30 marks Term 3 content: 10 marks Term 4 content: 20 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph
Final SBA Weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%
Term Weight	50%	50%	50%	
	SBA 80%			Exam weight 10%
				EXAMS 20%

Programme of Assessment Grade 6

Geography

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	
	Test: 40 marks Map Skills	Controlled Test: 40 marks Term 1 content: 15 marks Term 2 content: 25 Marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Test: 40 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing		Controlled Test: 40 marks Term 3 content: 15 marks Term 4 content: 25 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing
Final SBA Weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%	Exam weight 10%
Term Weight	50%	50%	50%		
	SBA 80%				EXAMS 20%

History

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	
	Test: 40 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Controlled Test: 40 marks Term 1 content: 15 marks Term 2 content: 25 Marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Project: 40 marks		Controlled Test: 40 marks Term 3 content: 15 marks Term 4 content: 25 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing
Final SBA Weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%	Exam weight 10%
Term Weight	50%	50%	50%		
	SBA 80%				EXAMS 20%

3. Senior Phase

a. Creative Arts

Programme of Assessment Senior Phase: Creative Arts

Grade	Number of tasks	Brief description of the task e.g. test/assignment/project/ practical etc.	Allocated Term	Marks	Weighting
7-9	2	Practical Assessment Artform 1 Artform 2	1	25 25	60%
7-9	4	Controlled Test Artform 1 Artform 2	2	25 25	
		Practical Assessment Artform 1 Artform 2		25 25	
7-9	2	Practical Assessment Artform 1 Artform 2	3	25 25	
7-9	4	Written Examination Artform 1 Artform 2	4	25 25	40%
		Practical Examination Artform 1 Artform 2		25 25	

b. EMS

Grade	Number of tasks	Brief description of the task e.g. test/assignment/project/ practical etc.	Allocated Term	Marks	Weighting
7	1	Case study/ Assignment with rubric/memo. Topics to include: • The history of money • Needs and wants	1	50	10%
	2	Controlled Test It should cover work from weeks 6 to 9. Cognitive levels • LO = 30% • MO = 50 % • HO = 20%	1	50	10%
	3	Mid Controlled Test should consist of the following: Term 1 work = 30% content covered Term 2 work + 70% content covered	2	100	20%
	4	Project: Entrepreneurs' Day Practicality and some form of simulation at school level is recommended. Rubric/marking grid should accompany the worksheet	3	50	20%
	5	Final Examination Financial Literacy: 50 marks The Economy: 25 marks Entrepreneurship: 25 marks	4	100	40%
8	1	Data response with rubric/marking grid should cover sub-topics: • Government • National budget	1	50	10%
	2	Controlled Test should include among others: • Accounting concepts • Source documents Cognitive levels: • LO = 30% • MO = 50 %	1	50	10%

Grade	Number of tasks	Brief description of the task e.g. test/assignment/project/ practical etc.	Allocated Term	Marks	Weighting
		HO = 20%			
	3	Mid Controlled Test must include all topics covered in Term 1 and 2. Paper 1: Financial Literacy: 50 marks Paper 2 The Economy: 25 marks Entrepreneurship: 25 marks	2	100	20%
	4	Project/ Case Study: Rubric/marking grid should accompany the worksheet	3	50	20%
	5	Final Examination Paper 1: Financial Lit: 50 marks Paper 2 The Economy: 25 marks Entrepreneurship: 25 marks	4	100	40%
9	1	Assignment Rubric/memo should accompany the task and topics are: - Economic systems - Circular flow	1	50	10%
	2	Controlled Test It should include all Term 1 topics: - Accounting equation - CRJ & CPJ - General Ledger - Trial Balance	1	50	10%
	3	Mid Controlled Test It should cover Term 1 and 2 topics. Paper 1: Financial Literacy: 50 marks Paper 2: The Economy (25 marks) & Entrepreneurship (25 marks)	2	100	20%
	4	Project with rubric/marking grid/memo	3	50	20%
	5	Final Examination Paper 1: Financial Literacy (70 marks) Paper 2: The Economy (25 marks) & Entrepreneurship (55 marks)	4	150	40%

c. Life Orientation

Term	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9	Marks per term	
				For recording	For reporting
1	Written Task	Written Task	Written Task	70	100
	PET	PET	PET	30	
2	Controlled test	Controlled test	Controlled test	70	100
	PET	PET	PET	30	
3	Project	Project	Project	70	100
	PET	PET	PET	30	
4	Examination	Examination	Examination	70	100
	PET	PET	PET	30	
• The Physical Education Task (PET) must be completed in each term; • Term 1 Written Task (Assignment/ Case study /Design and Make); • Term 2 Controlled test will include term 1 and 2 content; • Term 3 Project; • <u>Controlled tests is replaced by Examinations in 2023</u>; and • Term 4 Examination will include term 3 and 4 content.					
End of year SBA Weightings					

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Based Assessment – 60%• Examination – 40% |
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d. Mathematics

Grade 7: Amendments to School Based Assessment (SBA)

- SBA: 60% and End of the year Exam: 40%
- End of the exam has Paper 1 and Paper 2
- Paper 1 (NOR & PFA)
- Paper 2 (SS, M & DH)

Grade 8: Amendments to School Based Assessment (SBA)

- SBA: 60% and End of the year Exam: 40%
- End of the exam has Paper 1 and Paper 2
- Paper 1 (NOR & PFA)
- Paper 2 (SS & M)

Grade 9: Amendments to School Based Assessment (SBA)

- SBA: 60% and End of the year Exam: 40%
- End of the exam has Paper 1 and Paper 2
- Paper 1 (CA 1 & CA 2)
- Paper 2 (CA 3 & CA 4)

Subject: Mathematics

Senior Phase: Grades 7-9

	TERM	Grade	Task Number	Task Name	Mark allocation (fixed or suggested)	Weighting out of 100%	Weighting out of 60%
SCHOOL BASED ASSESSMENT SBA	TERM 1	7	1	Assignment	50	20%	12%
		8			(Minimum suggested)		
		9					
		7	2	Test	40	15%	9%
		8			(suggested)		
		9			50		
	TERM 2	7	1	Investigation	(suggested)	15%	9%
		8			40		
		9			(suggested)		
		7	2	June Test	50	20%	12%
		8			(suggested)		
		9			75		

	TERM 3				(suggested)		
		7	1	Project	50 (Minimum suggested)	15%	9%
		8					
		9					
		7	2	Test	40 (suggested)	15%	9%
		8			50 (suggested)		
		9			50 (suggested)		
TOTAL SBA	3		2 per term or 6 per year	2 per term or 6 per year		100%	60%
END OF THE YEAR TEST	TERM 4	7	1	December Exams (Paper 1 & 2)	50 per paper (suggested)	100%	40%
		8			60 per paper (suggested)		
		9			75 per paper (suggested)		

e. Natural Sciences

Proposed Amendment of Weightings

Phase	CAPS prescription	COVID Period 2020 - 2022	2023/24 Proposals 2023/24
Foundation (Grade R – 3)	100% SBA	100% SBA	100% SBA
Intermediate (Grade 4 – 6)	60% (SBA): 40% (Exams)	80% (SBA): 20 % (Exams)	80% (SBA): 20% (Exams)
Senior Phase (Grade 7 – 9)	40% (SBA): 60 (Exam)	80% (SBA): 20% (Exams)	60(SBA):40% (Exams)
Grade 10 &11	25% (SBA):75% (Exams)	60% (SBA): 40% (Exams)	40% (SBA):60 % (Exams)
Grade 12	25% (SBA):75% (Exams)	25% (SBA):75% (Exams)	25% (SBA):75 % (Exams)

Senior Phase Subject: Natural Sciences

Grade	Number of tasks	Brief description of the task	Allocated Term	Marks	Weighting
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		e.g. test/assignment/project/ practical etc.			
7	1	Practical Task/Investigation	1	20	60%
	2	Test		30	
	3	Practical Task/Investigation	2	20	
	4	Controlled test Term 2 work only		30	
	5	Project	3	30	
	6	Test		30	
	7	Examination Term 3 (60%) and Term 4 (40%)	4	50	40%
8	1	Practical Task/Investigation	1	20	60%
	2	Test		30	
	3	Practical Task/Investigation	2	20	
	4	Controlled test Term 2 work only		30	
	5	Project	3	30	
	6	Test		30	
	7	Examination Term 3 (60%) and Term 4 (40%)	4	50	40%
9	1	Practical Task/Investigation	1	20	60%
	2	Test		30	
	3	Practical Task/Investigation	2	20	
	4	Controlled test Term 2 work only		30	
	5	Project	3	30	
	6	Test		30	
	7	Examination Term 3 (60%) and Term 4 (40%)	4	60	40%

f. Social Sciences

i. Grade 7

Geography

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
	Project: 50 marks	Controlled Test: 50 marks Term 1 content: 15 marks Term 2 content: 35 Marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Test: 50 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	End Year Examination: 50 marks Term 3 content: 15 marks Term 4 content: 35 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph
Final SBA Weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight
Term Weight	50%	50%	50%	50%
	SBA 60%			EXAMS 40%

History

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
	Test: 50 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Controlled Test: 50 marks Term 1 content: 15 marks Term 2 content: 35 Marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing NB: No essay writing in the June Controlled Test	Test: 50 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	End Year Examination: 50 marks Term 3 content: 15 marks Term 4 content: 35 marks Types of questions: Source-based, paragraph and essay writing.
Final SBA Weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight
Term Weight	50%	50%	50%	50%
	SBA 60%			EXAMS 40%

ii. Grade 8

Geography

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
	Test: 50 marks Map Skills	Controlled Test: 75 marks Term 1 content: 35 marks Term 2 content: 40 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Project: 50 marks	End Year Examination: 75 marks Term 3 content: 35 marks Term 4 content: 40 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing
Final SBA Weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%
Term Weight	50%	50%	50%	Exam weight 15%
	SBA 60%			EXAMS 40%

History

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
	Test: 50 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Controlled Test: 75 marks Term 1 content: 35 marks Term 2 content: 40 Marks Types of questions: Source-based, paragraph and essay writing	Test: 50 marks Types of questions: Source-based, paragraph and essay writing	End Year Examination: 75 marks Term 3 content: 35 marks Term 4 content: 40 marks Types of questions: Source-based, paragraph and essay writing
Final SBA Weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%
Term Weight	50%	50%	50%	Exam weight 15%
	SBA 60%			EXAMS 40%

iii. Grade 9

Geography

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
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	Test: 50 marks Map Skills	Controlled Test: 75 marks Term 1 content: 35 marks Term 2 content: 40 Marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Test: 50 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing		End Year Examination: 75 marks Term 3 content: 35 marks Term 4 content: 40 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph
Final SBA Weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%	Exam weight 15%
Term Weight	50%	50%	50%		
	SBA 60%				EXAMS 40%

History

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	
	Test: 50 marks Types of questions: Source-based and paragraph writing	Controlled Test: 75 marks Term 1 content: 35 marks Term 2 content: 40 Marks Types of questions: Source-based, paragraph and essay writing	Project: 50 marks	End Year Examination: 75 marks Term 3 content: 35 marks Term 4 content: 40 marks Types of questions: Source-based, paragraph and essay writing	
Final SBA Weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%	Exam weight 15%
Term Weight	50%	50%	50%		
	SBA 60%			EXAMS 40%	

g. Technology

Programme of Assessment:

Review of the Programme of Assessment (POA) as follows:

SBA weighting change to **60 % SBA and Exams 40%**

SBA per term weighting change:

Term 1 = Investigate- 15 marks Design- 20 marks Make- 35 Marks [Total: 70 marks] - 20% (SBA)

Term 2 = Test- 20% (SBA)

Term 3 = Investigate- 15 marks Design- 20 marks Make- 35 Marks [Total: 70 marks] - 20% (SBA)

Term 4 = 40% (Exam)

Breakdown of Programme of Assessment

GRADE	TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3	TERM 4
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	PAT 1		TEST	PAT 2		EXAM
7	Investigate	15	30	Investigate	15	30
	Design	20		Design	20	
	Make	35		Make	35	
TOTAL		70	30		70	30
SBA %		20%	20%		20%	40%
Term Total		100	100		100	
SBA Weighting	60%					

Breakdown of Programme of Assessment

GRADE	TERM 1		TERM 2	TERM 3		TERM 4
	PAT 1		TEST	PAT 2		EXAM
8 & 9	Investigate	15	40	Investigate	15	40
	Design	20		Design	20	
	Make	35		Make	35	
TOTAL		70	40		70	40
SBA %		20%	20%		20%	40%
Term Total		100	100		100	
SBA Weighting	60%					