| Gan Eng Seng School End of Year Examination 2023 Year 3 Express |  |  |  |
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| Subject | Format | Topics | Duration |
| English Language | PAPER ONE [70] - 35\% <br> Writing <br> Section A: Editing [10] <br> Candidates identify and edit grammatical errors in a short written text. <br> Section B: Situational Writing [30] Candidates write 250-350 words on a given situation which will involve viewing a visual text. <br> Section C: Continuous Writing [30] Candidates write 350-500 words on one of four topics set. |  | 1 h 50 min |
|  | PAPER TWO [50] - 35\% <br> Comprehension <br> Section A [5] <br> Candidates respond to questions based on Text 1, a visual text. <br> Section B [20] <br> Candidates respond to a variety of questions based on Text 2, which is a narrative or a recount. <br> Section C [25] <br> Candidates respond to a variety of questions based on Text 3, a nonnarrative text, and write an 80 -word response to a summary writing task. |  | 1 h 50 min |


|  | PAPER THREE [30] - 10\% <br> Listening <br> Section A [22] <br> Candidates respond to a variety of listening tasks based on a number of audio recordings, which candidates will hear twice. <br> Section B [8] <br> Candidates listen to an audio recording and do a simple note-taking exercise. <br> Candidates will hear the recording only once. |  | 45 min |
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|  | PAPER FOUR [30] - 20\% <br> Oral Communication <br> The two parts in this paper are thematically linked. <br> Part 1: Planned Response [15] Candidates plan and deliver a response to a video clip and accompanying prompt presented on a computer screen. <br> Part 2: Spoken Interaction [15] Candidates engage in a discussion with the Examiners on a topic based on the same video clip. |  | 20 min (including 10 min of preparation time) |
| Mathematics | Paper 1: [90 Marks][Weighting: 50\%] About 26 short answer questions on fundamental skills and concepts. <br> Candidates are to answer ALL questions. The questions include 7-8 marks questions assessing the mathematical processes of reasoning, communication, connections, modelling and higher order thinking skills. These may appear in Paper 1 or Paper 2. | Chapter 1 Quadratic Equations and Quadratic Functions Chapter 2 Linear Inequalities Chapter 3 Indices Chapter 4 Coordinate Geometry Chapter 5 Functions And Graphs Chapter 6 Conditions Of Congruence And | 2 h 15 min |


|  | Paper 2: [90 Marks][Weighting: 50\%] Candidates are to answer ALL 9 to 10 questions of various marks and lengths testing more on higher order thinking skills. The last question of 9-10 marks in this paper will focus specifically on applying mathematics to a real-world scenario. | Similarity <br> Chapter 7 Further <br> Trigonometry <br> Chapter 8 <br> Applications Of <br> Trigonometry <br> Chapter 9 Arc <br> Lengths, Sector Areas <br> and Radian Measures <br> Chapter 10 Properties <br> Of Circles <br> Include sec $1 / 2$ topics <br> Factors and Multiples <br> Polygon <br> Algebraic <br> Manipulation <br> Number Patterns <br> Pythagoras Theorem <br> Arithmetic <br> Scale of Map <br> Estimation <br> Approximation <br> Percentage <br> Construction <br> Linear function and <br> graph <br> Proportion <br> Data Handling <br> Statistical Averages <br> Volume and Surface <br> Area of Solids <br> Ratio and Rates | 2 h 15 min |
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| Additional | [100 Marks] About 12-14 questions | Chapter 1 Quadratic | 2 h 30 min |
| Mathematics | of varying marks and lengths. Candidates are to answer ALL questions. <br> The last question of 6-8 marks in this paper focuses specifically on applying mathematics to a real-world scenario. | Functions <br> Chapter 2 Equations and Inequalities Chapter 3 Surds <br> Chapter 4 Polynomials and Partial Fractions <br> Chapter 5 Exponential Equations and Logarithmic Functions Chapter 6 Binomial <br> Theorem <br> Chapter 7 Coordinate Geometry <br> Chapter 8 Circles |  |


|  |  | Chapter 9 Application of Straight Line Graphs Chapter 10 <br> Trigonometric <br> Functions <br> Chapter 11 <br> Trigonometric <br> Equations and Identities |  |
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| Principles of Accounts | Paper 1: [40 Marks] 3 to 4 compulsory structured questions. Candidates are to answer ALL questions. |  | 1h |
|  | Paper 2: [60 marks] Answer 4 compulsory structured questions. <br> - One question requires the preparation of financial statements for a business for one financial year. <br> (20 marks) <br> - A scenario-based question (7 marks) will be part of one of the 3 remaining questions. <br> [Weighting: 60\%] |  | 2h |
| Humanities (Social Studies) (2260/01 OR 2261/01) | Section A (35m) <br> Candidates are to answer all 5 questions. <br> Section B (15m) <br> Candidates are to answer BOTH questions. | Section A: Source- <br> Based Cse Study (SBCS) <br> Skills tested: <br> 1. Inference <br> 2. Purpose <br> 3. Comparison <br> 4. Reliability <br> 5. Utility <br> Section B: Structured- <br> Response Question <br> Issue 1: Exploring <br>  <br> Governance <br> Chapters 1-4 | 1 h 45 min |


|  |  | Issue 2: Living in a Diverse Society Chapters 5\&6 |  |
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| Humanities (Geography) (2260/02) | Structured Essay Questions: <br> Question 1: Geography in Everyday Life [15m] <br> Question 2: Plate Tectonics [20m] | Topics: <br> 1) Geography in Everyday Life <br> 2) Plate Tectonics | 1 h 15 min |
| Humanities (History) (2261/02) | Section A (Source Based Case Study, 30m) <br> Candidates are to answer all questions. Section B (Structured Essay Questions, 20m) <br> Candidates are to answer TWO OUT OF THREE questions | Chapters1-4 | 1 h 50 min |
| Pure History | Section A (Source Based Case Study, 30m) <br> Candidates are to answer all questions. Section B (Structured Essay Questions, 20m) <br> Candidates are to answer TWO OUT OF THREE questions | Chapters 1, 4-8 | 1 h 50 min |


| Design \& Technology (7059) | Paper 1 Written Examination (2 hours) [ $40 \%$ of the total mark for the subject.] <br> Candidates are to answer all questions. <br> The questions will be design-centric. Question 1 requires knowledge application of Section 1 Design. <br> Question 2 to Question 4 require knowledge application of Section 2 Technology; specifically structures, mechanisms and electronics. <br> The mark allocation is: Question 1:26 out of 80 marks Question 2-4 : 54 out of 80 marks | Section 1 Design <br> 1 Planning and monitoring your design project <br> 2 Formulating your design brief and specifications <br> 3 Generating and developing your ideas <br> 4 Communicating your proposed design solution <br> 5 Realising the prototype <br> Section 2 Technology <br> 6 Materials <br> 7 Structures <br> 8 Control systems <br> 9 Electronics <br> 10 Mechnanisms <br> 11 Workshop Processes | 2 h |
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| Biology 6093 | Paper 1: 40 compulsory multiple choice questions [40 marks] Weighting: 37.5 \% | As stated in paper 2 | 1 h |
|  | Paper 2: Structured and Free Response [80 marks] <br> Weighting: 62.5 \% <br> Section A [70 marks]: will contain a number of compulsory structured questions, with one free response question and one data-based question as the last two questions. The last two questions will carry a total of 20 marks. The data-based question requires candidates to interpret, evaluate or solve problems using a stem of information. The data-based question will carry 8-12 marks. <br> Section B [10 marks]: will consist of two free response questions. <br> Candidates must answer only one out of these two questions. | Chap 1. Cell Structure \& Organisation <br> Chap 2. Movement of Substances Chap 3. Biological molecules Chap 4. Enzymes Chap 5. Nutrition in Humans Chap 6. Transport in Humans Chap 7. Respiration in Humans Chap 8. Excretion in Humans Chap 9. Homeostasis (Hormones) Chap 12. Nutrition and Transport in Plants | 1 h 45 min |


| $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { Chemistry } \\ & 6092 \end{aligned}$ | Paper 1: 40 compulsory multiple choice questions [40 marks] Weighting: 37.5 \% | As stated in paper 2 | 1 h |
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|  | Paper 2: Structured and Free Response [80 marks] <br> Weighting: 62.5 \% <br> Section A [70 marks]: will contain a number of compulsory structured questions, with one free response question and one data-based question as the last two questions. The last two questions will carry a total of 20 marks. The data-based question requires candidates to interpret, evaluate or solve problems using a stem of information. The data-based question will carry 8-12 marks. <br> Section B [10 marks]: will consist of two free response questions. <br> Candidates must answer only one out of these two questions. | Chapters: <br> 1. Experimental Chemistry <br> 2. Kinetic Particle <br> Theory <br> 3. Atomic Structure <br> 4. Chemical Bonding <br> 5. Structure and <br> Properties of <br> Materials <br> 6. Chemical Formulae and Equations <br> 7. Mole Concept and Stoichiometry <br> 8. Acids and Bases <br> 9. Salts <br> 11. Qualitative <br> Analysis <br> 14. The Periodic Table <br> 15. The Reactivity <br> Series (up to Textbook 15.2) | 1 h 45 min |
| Physics 6091 | Paper 1: 40 compulsory multiple choice questions [40 marks] Weighting: 37.5 \% | Chapter 1: Physical Quantities, Units \& Measurements | 1 h |
|  | Paper 2: Structured and Free Response [80 marks] <br> Weighting: 62.5 \% <br> Section A [70 marks]: will contain a number of compulsory structured questions, with one free response question and one data-based question as the last two questions. The last two questions will carry a total of 20 marks. The data-based question requires candidates to interpret, evaluate or solve problems using a stem of information. The data-based question will carry 8-12 marks. <br> Section B [10 marks]: will consist of two free response questions. <br> Candidates must answer only one out of these two questions. | Chapter 2: Kinematics <br> Chapter 3: Dynamics I <br> (Mass \& Weight) <br> Chapter 4: Dynamics <br> II (Forces) <br> Chapter 5: Turning <br> Effects of Forces <br> Chapter 6: Pressure <br> Chapter 7: Energy <br> Chapter 8: Kinetic <br> Particle Model of <br> Matter <br> Chapter 9: Thermal <br> Processes <br> Chapter 10: Thermal <br> Properties of Matter <br> Chapter 11: General <br> Wave Properties I <br> (Introduction) <br> Chapter 13: | 1 h 45 min |


|  |  | Electromagnetic <br> Waves <br> Chapter 14: Light |  |
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|  |  |  | 1 h 30 min |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Science (Phy, Chem) } \\ & 5086 \end{aligned}$ | Paper 1: 40 compulsory multiple choice questions [40 marks] Weighting: 23.5 \% | As stated in Paper 2 \& Paper 3 | 1 h |
|  | Paper 2: Structured and Free Response (Physics) [65 marks] <br> Weighting: 76.5 \% <br> Section A will carry 55 marks and will contain a number of compulsory structured question. The last question will carry 10 marks Section B will carry 10 marks and will contain two questions. Candidates must answer each of 10 marks. Candidates are required to answer only one of these two questions. | Chapter 1: Physical <br>  <br> Measurements <br> Chapter 2: Kinematics <br> Chapter 3: Forces and <br> Pressure <br> Chapter 4: Dynamics <br> Chapter 5: Turning <br> Effects of Forces <br> Chapter 6: Energy <br> Chapter 7: Kinetic <br> Particle Model of <br> Matter <br> Chapter 8: Thermal <br> Processes <br> Chapter 9: General <br> Wave Properties 1 <br> (Introduction) <br> Chapter 11: <br> Electromagnetic <br> Waves <br> Chapter 12: Light | 1 h 15 min |


|  | Paper 3：Structured and Free Response （Chemistry）［65 marks］ <br> Weighting： 76.5 \％ <br> Section A will carry 55 marks and will contain a number of compulsory structured question．The last question will carry 10 marks Section B will carry 10 marks and will contain two questions．Candidates must answer each of 10 marks． Candidates are required to answer only one of these two questions． | Chap 1．Experimental Chemistry <br> Chap 2．Kinetic <br> Particle Theory <br> Chap 3．Atomic <br> Structure <br> Chap 4．Chemical <br> Bonding <br> Chap 5．Structure and <br> Properties of <br> Materials <br> Chap 6．Chemical <br> Formulae and <br> Equations <br> Chap 7．Mole Concept and Stoichiometry <br> Chap 8．Acids and <br> Bases <br> Chap 9．Qualitative <br> Analysis <br> Chap 11．Periodic <br> Table <br> Chap 12：Reactivity <br> Series | 1 h 15 min |
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| Chinese Language | Paper 1：电邮（20 分），作文（40 分） | Not Applicable | 2 h |
|  | Paper 2 ：综合填空（5 分），词语替换（10 分），阅读理解一（20 分），阅读理解二（35 分） | 单元一至 单元六 | 1 h 30 min |
|  | Paper 3 ：听力（20 分）／口试（50分） | Not Applicable | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \min / 15 \\ & \min \end{aligned}$ |
| Higher Chinese | Paper 1 ：电邮（20 分），作文（60 分） | Not Applicable | 2 h |
|  | Paper 2 ：综合填空（10分），病句改正（10 分），阅读理解一（10 分），阅读理解二（38 分），片段缩写（12 分） | 单元一至单元六 | 1 h 45 min |
|  | Paper 3：口试（40 分） | Not Applicable | 15 min |
| Malay Language | Paper 1 ：Bahagian A（20 marks）：E－mel rasmi／Blog／Forum；Bahagian B（40 marks）：Naratif／Ekspositori | Not Applicable | 2 h |
|  | Paper 2 ：Bahagian A：Bahasa（20 marks）；Bahagian B：Kefahaman Objektif（20 marks）；Bahagian C： Kefahaman Subjektif（30 marks） | Not Applicable | 1h 30 min |
|  | Paper 3 ：Kefahaman Mendengar（20 marks）；Lisan－Bacaan \＆Perbualan（50 marks） | Not Applicable | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \min / 15 \\ & \min \end{aligned}$ |


| Tamil Language | Paper 1 : மின்னஞ்சல் (20marks), <br> கட்டுமை (40marks) | Not Applicable | 2 h |
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|  | Paper 2 : மரபு (10marks), <br> கருத்துமாறா (10marks), <br> அமைப்பு (10marks), தெரிவு <br> (10marks), சுயவிடை(30marks) | Not Applicable | 1 h 30 min |
|  | Paper 3 : கேட்டல் (20marks), <br> வாய்மொழி (50marks ) | Not Applicable | $30 \mathrm{~min} / 15$ <br> min |
|  | *The total marks will be converted <br> into 100\% |  |  |

