

Shimna Integrated College



Winter Exams 2021
Year 10
Preparation Pack



Revision Hints and Tips

Revision tips

- Start your revision in good time
- Plan a revision timetable
- Highlight homework deadlines and exam dates and times
- Plan 30 minute or maximum of one hour slots for each subject
- Revise specific topics in a subject, not the whole subject
- Cover areas from each subject several times
- Only revise a couple of topics per evening
- Leave some time to relax

Try some of these to see which work best for you

- Online resources
- Flashcards
- Mind maps
- Record information and listen back
- Post it notes
- Time lines
- Use colour to write or highlight key words and ideas in your notes
- Work with a friend to help and test each other
- Revision booklets
- Music in the background can help
- Put mobile phones away! Don't waste time on social media

Being prepared for the exam

- You'll need a couple of pens, a sharpened pencil, a rubber, a ruler and protractor
- You might want to wear a watch in the exam

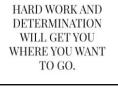
Tackling the exam

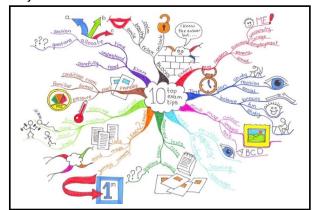
- Read each question carefully
- Check how many marks are available for each question. Don't write too much or too little.
- Answer the question don't just repeat the question or write something irrelevant
- Check information in graphs and tables. Have you read it correctly?
- Check all calculations
- Check spelling. Write the answer even if you're not sure of the spelling as you may get a mark
- Write your answer if you feel confident. If not, go onto the next question. Don't spend time on questions you're unsure of until you've gone through the paper once.
- Make sure you have enough time left to tackle the questions which are worth a high number of marks, but which may be at the end of the paper.













SUBJECT	Art
PAPER TITLE	Tonal study of an orange
LENGTH OF EXAM	1 hour

What topics are assessed in the exam?	Accurate proportions and perspective Well observed tonal range (light to dark) Well observed details (texture etc)
An example of a question that could appear on the exam	Produce a tonal study of the orange which has been set up on your desk.
What useful revision tips are there for the exam?	Watch the instructional video(s) on Google Classroom Use the examples in your sketchbook to practise.
What are some of the typical mistakes students make in this exam?	Starting to draw too far up the page and running out of room. Starting to draw too small which makes shading and detail more difficult. Leaning too heavily on the pencil to begin with which makes it difficult to make adjustments to the drawing regarding measurements and proportions. Adding a heavy outline all the way around which flattens the shape.
Which revision websites or books should I use?	Google Classroom Youtube Your own sketchbook
What is the teacher looking for when marking this exam?	Accurate measurements and good proportions. A good sized drawing which fills the page. Well observed details. Good tonal range. No heavy outline all the way around, good observation of light and dark. Neat work.



SUBJECT	Drama
PAPER TITLE	Theme- The Tempest
LENGTH OF EXAM	1hour

What topics are assessed in the exam?	 The Tempest Devised Theatre Bertolt Brecht Creating a character
An example of a question that could appear on the exam	Who is the most important character in the play The Tempest? Explain your answer.
What useful revision tips are there for the exam?	 Look at the work you have created in your 'work books' How to re-word a paragraph to suit a younger audience. Revise your research material
What are some of the typical mistakes students make in this exam?	Don't spend too long on one question.
Which revision websites or books should I use?	 Revise using your portfolio of work Revise using your research material
What is the teacher looking for when marking this exam?	 Be honest when answering the questions. Use drama terms



SUBJECT	English
PAPER TITLE	Reading Fiction and Personal Writing
LENGTH OF EXAM	1 hour 30 minutes

What topics are assessed in the exam?	 How to read and respond to a literary text. How to plan and write a piece of personal writing
An example of a question that could appear on the exam	 What does the loudspeaker tell the citizens to do? How do you know that Jonas is an obedient child? How does the writer build a sense of Jonas embarrassment? Write about at least three language devices and use Point Evidence Explain Write about a person/place/event that was significant to you.
What useful revision tips are there for the exam?	Read your revision guide, do the practice questions and papers your English teacher will give you.
What are some of the typical mistakes students make in this exam?	 Not answering questions in full sentences. Not doing what the question asks. Not writing in enough detail, look carefully at the questions that have more marks and write more in response to them! Not using a PEE response in the questions that have more marks. Not planning for the writing section. Not taking paragraphs for each new person, place topic, etc.
Which revision websites or books should I use?	The English department's Revision Guide.
What is the teacher looking for when marking this exam?	Detailed answers to questions in the reading section, supported by evidence from the text (quotes). Personal writing should be planned and structured using paragraphs. The writing should be engaging and the student should aim to employ a range of language devices and interesting vocabulary.



SUBJECT	French: Test in Dec 2021
PAPER TITLE	Module 1 Mon monde
LENGTH OF EXAM	4 skills are assessed at Christmas: listening, speaking, reading, and writing.
	Speaking will be via student recording after exam week.

What topics are assessed in the exam?	Likes, dislikes, opinions After school activities, when and who with Best friend description(name, age,height,hair,eyes,personality, how you get along with them and reason why with "parce que") How you celebrated your birthday and opinion (past) What you did last weekend, what you wore(past), contrasted with what you normally wear(present) Connectives, qualifiers, sequencers Grammar: Aimer + noun, aimer + infinitive, using verbs in present tense, jouer awith sports and jouer de with instruments,negatives- nepas and nerien, verbs avoir (to have) and être(to be), adjective agreement, past tense and opinion in past.
An example of a question that could appear on the exam	For the listening test you will be played audio recordings and will have to answer questions based on what you hear. Many of these questions will be multiple choice, true or false statements or you may have to select a picture or English word/short phrase which matches what the person says. You will also give some short answers in English and select some French answers by choosing the correct letter and identifying if opinions are positive/negative or positive & negative For the speaking test you will either make a recording of your answers to the speaking questions and role-play and upload to Google Classroom OR your teacher will ask you the questions and role-play in class. The class teacher will tell you which way it is to be done for your class. The reading test at this stage involves matching phrases and opinions in French to what they mean in English or to a picture. Short to more complex sentence translation from French into English. Short passages of reading comprehension. These will be based on the vocabulary, opinions, structures, and phrases from P28 &29. For the writing assessment you will be asked to translate some personality adjectives into French and translate some short sentences on after school activities and opinions, descriptions of your own and your friends hair and eyes, what you wear at the weekend and what you did last weekend. (all from P 28&29) You will be asked to choose the correct label for pictures of activities from choices given in French. Fill in missing words for sentences about after-school activities. Finally you will write about your best friend, your activities and your last birthday. You will have to write at least 100 words**, but many people write a lot more.



- You should mention the following details in full sentences in French:
 - Write about your best friend. Say what they are called, their age, their height, hair,eyes,how you get on with them and why.(include a range of adjectives and qualifiers(assez-quite,très-very, un peu-a bit), remember to use "parce que" (because) to give the reason why you get on or don't get on with them.)Present tense.
 - Describe activities you like to do in your free time/at the weekend.
 When you do it and who with. Use connectives to extend your sentences(et-and, mais-but, aussi-also, cependant- however, parce que -because, alors/donc-so/therefore) You could also use sequencers to describe what you like to do at the weekend.(D'abord-first of all, ensuite-next, puis- then, après-after, finalement-finally.)
 - Give your opinion on after-school activities.(j'aime/j'adore/j'aime beaucoup/je déteste ..) Include qualifiers with your opinions. (assezquite,très-very, un peu-a bit),Include a negative (je n'aime pas). Give a reason with "parce que" (because)
 - Write about your last birthday(past tense). Include time references
 e.g l'année dernière(last year). Include sequencers. Include opinion in
 the past.(C'était- it was). Include connectives and a range of verbs in
 the past.
 - Ask a question
 - Say goodbye

What useful revision tips are there for the exam?

When learning vocabulary learn if the word is masculine or feminine i.e does it begin with un/une?

Revising vocabulary for reading and listening means **<u>DOING</u>** something with it. To revise your vocabulary effectively for French make sure you are **<u>DOING</u>** some of the following:

- Prepare a topic lap book on P28 & 29 vocabulary of textbook. You will be shown how to do this in class.
- put it into quizlet(each year group has their own shimna French quizlet page –ask your teacher how to join)
- make flash cards (French one side English on the other)
- make flash cards (French one side and a picture on the other)
- make verb cards (put the infinitive on one side and the conjugated verb on the other, Your teacher will show you...just ask!)
- make post-it notes and stick them in your room where you will see them (do this for trickiest vocab and words you usually spell wrong)
- record the vocab onto your phone

^{**}You will have time to prepare for this in class with your teacher and will be guided on how to get top marks.



	get someone to ask you it
	make a powerpoint of it with pics
	Colour code! Use different colours to help you e.g write "le" in
	blue and "la" in red.
	Highlighters- use a highlighter to highlight verb endings you
	need to remember
	Underline or circle words or parts of words that are important.
What are some of	Students don't practise out loud at home for the recording. Those who get
the typical	someone to ask them the questions and practise saying their answers out
mistakes students make in this	loud at home are most confident and perform best in the recording.
exam?	Students don't pay enough attention to accuracy in the writing exam. For
CAGIII.	example when learning spellings students ignore accents or the correct
	direction of the accents. Pay attention to this.
	Students who perform best in the writing spend time writing and correcting
	their mistakes until they get it right. So they should be able to show a few drafts of their paragraph completed using the look, cover, write, check
	technique and cue cards.
Which revision	www.linguascope.com
websites or books	www.quizlet.com
should I use?	https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCkHGejolcXi9fAPejx2cFwg
	Good examples on Google Classroom
What is the	Clear pronunciation, ready answers.
teacher looking	Accurate spelling and gender (un/une)
for when marking	An answer which is relevant to the question
this exam?	Full sentences
	Complex sentences with connectives, qualifiers, opinions(past and present),
	sequencers, time references and tenses.



SUBJECT	Geography
PAPER TITLE	If the world was an orange
LENGTH OF EXAM	1 hour 30

What topics are assessed in the exam?	4/6 figure grid references Measuring distance Direction Drawing a sketch map Height on maps Latitude/longitude World mountains/oceans/rivers/countries (that we have studied – see worksheets in your book) Continents of the world Remember to study your Quizlet key terms sheet for 'If the world was an orange' topic
An example of a question that could appear on the exam	Labelling world maps (continents/oceans/important lines of latitude and longitude/rivers/mountains/countries). Drawing a sketch map from an OS map. Labelling a cross section. Using map skills from Year 8 – grid references/measuring distance etc.
What useful revision tips are there for the exam?	Tick off each thing on the revision list when you are confident you know it well. Spend time practicing your skills at home until you are confident with the more difficult skills like drawing a sketch map and labelling a cross section.
What are some of the typical mistakes students make in this exam?	Not revising the maps (physical/political/continents) in their book in enough detail. Not giving the latitude reading first. Not writing N/S or W/E after they give a number in degrees for latitude or longitude. Not practicing their map skills.
Which revision websites or books should I use?	Go over all work/worksheets in your geography book. Quizlet key terms – jbaguley1, Year 10 'If the world was an orange' and 'continents and oceans' Website – BBC Bitesize geography KS3 – OS map skills and atlas skills. https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/guides/z6j6fg8/revision/1 https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/guides/ztqtyrd/revision/1
What is the teacher looking for when marking this exam?	Good understanding of the map skills covered in class and all of the key terms provided on Quizlet.



SUBJECT	German
PAPER TITLE	Echo , chapter 1
LENGTH OF EXAM	3 skills will be assessed: listening, reading, and writing. (1hr) If you are in Ian's class, speaking will be assessed via submission of a recording to Google Classroom in class. If you are in Ms Susay's class she will tell you what to do for speaking after the other exams.

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What topics are assessed in the exam?	Topics: Seasons, holidays, weather, countries, activities you did on holidays, the time, making plans. The vocabulary you need can be found on Google Classroom (p. 22 – 23 of the text book).
An example of a question that could appear on the exam	In the listening exam: listen out for information on the time and the weather and key words and phrases. In the reading exam: read short and longer texts and match up pictures and words. Answer in German and English. In the writing exam: translate some sentences into German and answer questions in German about your holidays (where you went, for how long, what the weather was like, who you went with, what the accommodation was like, what you did on holiday. Give opinions and reasons and use linking words. Normalerweise spiele ich im Sommer jeden Tag mit meinen Freunden. Mein bester Freund heißt Bob, er hat lange blonde Haare und grüne Augen. Wir spielen Fußball oder Tennis. Manchmal gehen wir schwimmen. Ich liebe Sport, weil es lustig ist. Letztes Jahr bin ich auch wandern gegangen, das hat Spaß gemacht, denn ich liebe die Bergel Bob ist nicht wandern gegangen, er geht nicht gern wandern. Er spielt lieber Musik. Das Wetter ist oft kalt im Winter, und es regnet viel hier. Das finde ich nicht gut! Im Sommer ist das Wetter viel besser, weil es oft sonnig ist! Man kann im Sommer viel Sport treiben, aber im Winter ist es zu kalt. Letztes Jahr bin ich mit meiner Familie nach Berlin gefahren. Das war sehr gut, weil Berlin sehr interessant ist. Ich liebe Berlin! Ich habe jeden Tag Pizza gegessen und Cola getrunken. Wir sind jeden Tag schwimmen gegangen und ich bin auch ins Museum gegangen, das war toll! Wir haben in einem Hotel gewohnt. Das Hotel war gut aber nicht sehr modern. Meine Mutter hat das Hotel nicht gut gefunden, weil es nicht modern war. Ich habe das Hotel gut gefunden, weil es ein Schwimmbad hat. Nächstes Jahr fahren wir nach nach Spanien, weil ich nach Madrid fahren möchte.
What useful revision tips are there for the exam?	Use quizlet.com to learn the vocabulary for the listening and reading exams. Your teacher will tell you how to find the correct set of words. Make flashcards of the words in German and English. Start revising well in advance of the exam!



	Practice speaking and record yourself. Ask your teacher to record themselves saying a piece on your phone for you. Practice writing out from memory what you intend to write.
What are some of the typical	Spelling! Try to aim to be as accurate as possible! Watch your word order. Don't leave out verbs in a sentence!
mistakes students make in this	Try and stretch yourself by adding in more linking words and opinions. Your teacher will give you these.
exam?	Don't leave it to the last minute to revise! Start as soon as possible and go over it again and again.
Which revision websites or books	quizlet.com is useful for making your own electronic flashcards.
should I use?	duolingo.com does not follow our course, but many students find it a stimulating and interesting addition to the work we do in class.
What is the teacher looking for when marking this exam?	Full answers in the writing and the speaking, usually with verbs. Good spelling and accuracy. Good word order and grammar. Evidence that you have tried to stretch yourself to say/write longer sentences with opinions and reasons and descriptions.



SUBJECT	History
PAPER TITLE	20 th Century History
LENGTH OF EXAM	1 hour

What topics are	1. Time line of the 20 th Century
assessed in the	2. The Edwardian classes & the differences between the classes – write
exam?	whether it was a golden age?
	3. Suffragettes & Suffragists – leader, what men's attitudes were, why
	women wanted the vote, strategies they used, Cat 'n' Mouse Act,
	when women got the vote
	4. When the Great War started & ended
	5. Long term causes – Nationalism, Militarism, Alliances, Imperialism –
	how each caused WWI
	6. Triple Alliance & Triple Entente
	7. Assassination of Franz Ferdinand & Steps to War
	8. Recruitment posters
An example of a	Questions vary from extended written questions worth 10 marks e.g. To what
question that	extent was there a Golden Age in Edwardian England?
could appear on	Short questions Describe the Cat 'n' Mouse Act [4 marks].
the exam	There are also diagrams to draw and label and source questions – where a
	source is shown and a question about the source is asked.
What useful	Revise all class and homework tasks, as all are included in the exam.
revision tips are	Don't just read over your notes, but rewrite or record an abbreviated version
there for the	of your notes. Highlighting key words, names, dates and events.
exam?	
What are some of	Obvious student mistakes include not reading the question carefully enough
the typical	and not answering the question full detail, if it states 4 marks then 4 points
mistakes students	need to be raised.
make in this	
exam?	
Which revision	Your booklets and exercise book.
websites or books	BBC Bitesize – ks3 Modern world – 'Votes for women' and 'The Class system in
should I use?	1914 Britain'
	Class textbook: 'Britain and the Great War'
What is the	Attention to detail and correct use and understanding of historical terms and
teacher looking	events.
for when marking	
this exam?	



SUBJECT	Home Economics
PAPER TITLE	Safety, Hygiene, Eatwell, 8 tips and CHD
LENGTH OF EXAM	35 Minutes

What topics are	Food Safety:
assessed in the	You should be able to:
exam?	
	Identify hazards in the kitchen
	Identify how to keep yourself safe
	Understand how and why to keep food safe and prevent cross contamination Parad salaries.
	Board colours - Evelsia have to management which alone and apparent all little an accomment actaly.
	Explain how to measure, weigh, chop and operate all kitchen equipment safely.
	WHAT IS ON THE PLATE?
	Define a 'balanced diet'.
	Name each section of the Eatwell Guide.
	Give examples of foods you would find in each section, the recommended portions of
	each.
	Know various types of composite foods.
	To state how specific nutrients, vitamins and minerals support the body. (fat,
	protein, carbohydrates, vit D and vit C, calcium and iron)
	Know the 8 tips for eating well
	FAT and CHD
	Types of fat
	How we identify the types of fat
	Ways to reduce fat through cooking methods. Parafite of acting field.
	Benefits of eating fish
	PRACTICAL SKILLS
	Read over your recipe cards and be prepared to describe/identify the correct techniques for
	the following:
	Weighing
	Measuring
	Be able to adapt and change recipes
	Be able to define and describe your cooking methods/techniques that you have
	developed.
	Dry Fry
	Blending Character (Inside a and Jane)
	 Chopping (bridge and claw) Identify equipment
	Signs for the oven/grill
	Operating the hob/oven/grill
	Preparing various vegetables
	Handy measures
	Cooking temperatures e.g. what is boiling/simmering etc
	How to cook various proteins, fish, chicken and meat.
	1. Practical elements – knife skills, burgers and lentil soup.
An example of a	Answers will have various weighting.
question that	You will be asked to:
could appear on	- Explain
the exam	- List
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	- State
	- Discuss
	- Define
	- Suggest



	- Justify.
What are I	
What useful	All information is contained in your booklets and recipe cards.
revision tips are there for the	Make sure your booklets are completed.
exam?	Booklet 1 – CHD and Fats?
exame	Booklet 2 – notes in green book
	Use your typical revision techniques. Learn, recall all information. Practice your recipes where possible to help you
	recall techniques, skills and terminology.
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What are some of	Students do not use the command and key words. E.g. write a description
the typical	instead of an explanation.
mistakes students	Make use of the marks available.
make in this	Spellings are often incorrect.
exam?	Students leave questions blank
	Are not specific enough
Which revision	School booklets
websites or books	Recipe cards.
should I use?	See suggested websites in booklets
What is the	Spelling, grammar and full sentences.
teacher looking	Correct and accurate detail.
for when marking	To attempt all questions.
this exam?	To use the marks available.



SUBJECT	Irish
PAPER TITLE	Holidays
LENGTH OF EXAM	The exam will assess Reading, Speaking and Listening skills.
	Reading exam 30 mins
	Listening exam 30 mins
	Speaking Exam 5-7 mins

What topics are assessed in the exam?	Holidays
exam:	
An example of a question that could appear on the exam	Reading/Listening - the exam will be set out exactly as their notes are in their booklet., beginning with simple one word answers, matching pictures to words, gradually getting more difficult such as full passages and 8-10 question on each. Speaking exam – The speaking exam will consist of 2 role-plays and an oral exam. The role-plays and the oral will be based on the topic holidays. The oral will consist of their own personal answers to the relevant questions in their booklets on holidays, and should last around 3 mins.
What useful	Reading;
revision tips are	Don't just blandly read over your notes in the booklet.
there for the	Read over them and try to translate everything word for word.
exam?	Ask yourself questions as you go; What does this mean? Why is that there?
	Use quizlet.com to look over vocab. Listening;
	Listening, Listen to any listening tracks that you have.
	While practising your reading skills, try to pronounce the words as you go and
	think of the sounds in Irish. They are in your notes.
	Speaking;
	Make sure what you are trying to say is the truth, as close to it as possible. Make sure you understand, word for word, everything (at least 90%) that you are trying to say.
	When learning it off, DON'T just read over your answers. Ask yourself the question, eg. Where did you go?, and answer it in your head, thinking of both
	the English and Irish version.
What are some of	Using the wrong study technique. Do not write things out again and again, this
the typical	does not work. To practice for anything, you need to replicate the actual
mistakes students	event and skills that you are being tested on. To practice speaking for
make in this exam?	example, don't read words from a page, think of what you want to say and say it.
Which revision	Quizlet.com
websites or books	Irish notebook
should I use?	



What is the teacher looking for when marking this exam?

Accuracy of answers in both the reading and listening. In the oral you will get marks for every single thing that you say so don't be afraid to make mistakes. You do not get marked down for making mistakes, you get marked up for speaking.



SUBJECT	Mathematics 10BD J JONES 10CMS S KELLY
PAPER TITLE	Year 10 Winter Exam (Calculator)
LENGTH OF EXAM	50 minutes

What topics are assessed in the exam?	Straight line graphs Plotting straight line graphs Horizontal and vertical lines Intercept of straight line graph Gradient of a line Equation of a straight line y=mx+c Sequences Basic sequences and number patterns The general/nth term of a sequence Sequences in context Graphs of sequences Statistics Types of data, sources and collecting data Questionnaires and surveys Frequency tables Pie charts Frequency diagrams Mean, mode, median and range from a list of data Mean from grouped frequency table Stem and leaf diagrams
	 Stem and leaf diagrams Scatter graphs Algebra Expanding two brackets (FOIL) Inequalities on a number line Solving inequalities
An example of a question that could appear on the exam	Questions will be similar to the consolidation exercise questions at the end of each chapter in the textbook. These exercises would be good revision practice.
What useful revision tips are there for the exam?	 Read questions carefully Show working out neatly and clearly Use pencil and a ruler for diagrams and charts Bring correct equipment; pen, pencil, ruler, protractor, compass and calculator
What are some of the typical mistakes students make in this exam?	 Not showing working Writing money to 2 decimal places 5² means 5x5 not 5x2 Be careful when working with negative numbers



Which revision	www.mymaths.co.uk
websites or books	BBC Bitesize
should I use?	Mathematics notebook
	Exam revision booklets
What is the	Clear workings and correct answers.
teacher looking	
for when marking	Clearly labelled and drawn diagrams.
this exam?	
	Show all construction lines.



SUBJECT	Mathematics 10CMS B Quinn
PAPER TITLE	Year 10 Winter Exam (Calculator)
LENGTH OF EXAM	50 minutes

What topics are	Straight line graphs
assessed in the	Plotting straight line graphs
exam?	Horizontal and vertical lines
	Sequences
	Basic sequences and number patterns
	 The general/nth term of a sequence
	Sequences in context
	Graphs of sequences
	Statistics
	Types of data, sources and collecting data
	Questionnaires and surveys
	Frequency tables
	Pie charts
	Frequency diagrams
	Mean, mode, median and range from a list of data
	Mean from a frequency table (not grouped)
	Stem and leaf diagrams
	Scatter graphs
	Algebra
	Substitution
	Expanding brackets
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An example of a	Questions will be similar to the consolidation exercise questions at the end of
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should I use?	Mathematics notebook
	Exam revision booklets



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PAPER TITLE	Year 10 Winter Exam (Calculator)
LENGTH OF EXAM	50 minutes

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What topics are assessed in the	Straight line graphs
exam?	Completing a table of values Distring straight line graph
exam:	 Plotting straight line graph Horizontal and vertical lines
	Sequences
	Sequences and pattern
	Term-to-term rule
	Generating sequences
	Statistics
	Types of data, sources and collecting data
	Questionnaires and surveys
	Frequency tables
	Pie charts
	Frequency diagrams
	Mean, mode, median and range from a list of data
	Stem and leaf diagrams
	Algebra
	Collecting like terms
	Expanding brackets
	Substitution
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teacher looking	
for when marking	Clearly labelled and drawn diagrams.
this exam?	



SUBJECT	Music
PAPER TITLE	Winter Exam
LENGTH OF EXAM	45 mins

What topics are assessed in the exam?	 Film Music Musical notes, symbols and values Musical notes on the stave – FACE EGBDF Elements – terms and meanings Musical Instruments Keyboard
An example of a question that could appear on the exam	 You will get asked to draw and/or identify notes on a stave You will be played pieces of music and will have to answer questions on instrumentation, the elements (for example, dynamics, tempo etc.) You will be played film music and will have to identify the composer You will get asked characteristics and films of each composer you studied in class
What useful revision tips are there for the exam?	 Music Notes in books/ revision lists and materials Listen to any type of music – try to identify instruments/ pulse/ dynamics/ tempo/ duration/ texture etc Listen to film music by the composers you studied in class Ask for help if you need it
What are some of the typical mistakes students make in this exam?	 Not knowing the value of musical notes Getting composers names mixed up Not reading the question properly
Which revision websites or books should I use?	 BBC bitesize www.educationquizzes.com/ks3/music/ www.lso.co.uk – London Symphony Orchetra
What is the teacher looking for when marking this exam?	 Full answers Understanding musical terminology Evidence of revision Listening skills



SUBJECT	Science
PAPER TITLE	End of Topic Exam
LENGTH OF EXAM	30-40 mins

What topics are assessed in the exam?	Please see your checklist (What I should know:) for your current topic at the front of your homework booklet.
An example of a question that could appear on the exam	You will find examples in your homework question booklet
What useful revision tips are there for the exam?	 Read through the checklist Read your notes and learn Revise a little over a few nights is better than spending one night revising for a long period.
What are some of the typical mistakes students make in this exam?	Not reading the question properly
Which revision websites or books should I use?	BBC KS3 science bitesize https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zng4d2p
What is the teacher looking for when marking this exam?	 Don't write in full sentences Take note of the marks and write appropriate number of points for each mark eg 2 marks = write 2 points Draw graphs in pencil and full label axis



SUBJECT	Year 10 Spanish exam Nov/Dec 2021
PAPER TITLE	Mira 2, chapter 2 Diviértete
LENGTH OF EXAM	Your teacher will tell you the dates for your exam. The listening, reading and
	writing tests will last approx. 1 hour 30 mins.

What topics are assessed in the exam?	Chapter 2, Mira 2: TV programmes and likes/dislikes, films and likes/dislikes and comparing one film to another, making arrangements to go out, the time (see pages 40-41 as a summary page). Your teacher will tell you if anything is not being covered in the chapter.
An example of a question that could appear on the exam	Listening exam: listen out for the time and the excuse, true or false activities, write short answers in English. Reading exam: read short and longer texts in Spanish and select information, answer in English and Spanish. Writing exam: answer questions in Spanish about your favourite programmes and films, give opinions on them, write whether you prefer films or TV, what you like doing at the weekend and why, what you are going to do next weekend. You will be given a guidance sheet on this.
What useful revision tips are there for the exam? What are some of the typical mistakes students make in this exam? Which revision websites or books should I use?	Use quizlet.com to learn the vocabulary for the listening and reading exams. Do a search for: Ms Susay Mira 2 chapter 2. Make flashcards of the words in Spanish and English. Start revising well in advance of the exam! Practise by recording yourself on your phone. Practise writing out from memory what you intend to write. Spelling! Try to aim to be as accurate as possible! Don't leave out verbs in a sentence! Try and stretch yourself by adding in more linking words and opinions. Your teacher will give you these. Don't leave it to the last minute to revise! Start as soon as possible and go over it again and again. Use quizlet.com to learn the vocabulary for the listening and reading exams. Use www.blooket.com Your teacher should give you the links.
What is the teacher looking for when marking this exam?	Full answers in the writing exam, usually with verbs. Good spelling and accuracy. Evidence that you have tried to stretch yourself to say/write longer sentences with opinions and reasons and descriptions. Use the handout called: year 10 extension.



SUBJECT	YR 10 Technology and Design
LENGTH OF EXAM	The exam will last 50min with 10 min to revise and get yourself org.

Equipment	Pen to write with
needed for the	Colour pencils to render
exam.	300mm Ruler
	Rubber
	You will not be able to borrow any equipment from others in the classroom
	when the exam starts.
What topics are	Health and Safety
assessed in the	• Tools
exam?	Materials
An example of a	What are the three main categories of materials?
question that	What the two main types of wood, metals and plastics are.
could appear on	Give examples of all the different types/groups of materials
the exam	Name the different tools and their uses?
the exam	Name the different tools and their uses:
What useful	Look over the tool's sheets
revision tips are there for the	look over the questions that you answered on the materials worksheets, done in class and at home.
exam?	in class and at nome.
exame	
What are some of	I am looking for detailed answers and not just a one worded answer.
the typical	I will be looking for good use of the ruler and colour pencils.
mistakes students	
make in this	
exam?	
Which revision	All the information that you will need is in your book or on Google Classroom.
websites or books	
should I use?	

Revision timetable	Week 1	Name	Class



Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4pm					
5pm					
6pm					
7pm					
8pm					
9pm					

Time	Saturday	Sunday
9am		
10am		
11am		
Noon		
1pm		
2pm		
3pm		
4pm		
5pm		
6pm		
7pm		
8pm		
9pm		

Revision timetable	Week 2	Name	Class



Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4pm					
5pm					
6pm					
7pm					
8pm					
9pm					

Time	Saturday	Sunday
9am		
10am		
11am		
Noon		
1pm		
2pm		
3pm		
4pm		
5pm		
6pm		
7pm		
8pm		
9pm		

Revision timetable	Week 3	Name	Class



Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4pm					
5pm					
6pm					
7pm					
8pm					
9pm					

Time	Saturday	Sunday
9am		
10am		
11am		
Noon		
1pm		
2pm		
3pm		
4pm		
5pm		
6pm		
7pm		
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9pm		

Revision timetable	Week 4	Name	Class



Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4pm					
5pm					
6pm					
7pm					
8pm					
9pm					

Time	Saturday	Sunday
9am		
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