

Annex 1 List of Permitted Calculators



Note

Your calculator must have been pad-printed with the "H.K.E.A.A. APPROVED" or "H.K.E.A. APPROVED" label.

A.MAX

SC-801
ATABA/AURORA
 AC-688
 AC-693
 AT-106 A
 AT-231 A/B/C/D
 AT-244 H
 AT-282
 AT-510
 AT-522
 AT-687
 AT-9300
 D-10 /N
 SC-200

BISTEC

B300
 B900
BLT
 BT-206
 BT-2200
 BT-3600-12
 DC-318-8S/12
 SC-183

CANON

BS-100
 BS-123
 CB II BK/G
 F-73 /P
 F-600
 F-700
 FC-4 S
 FS-600
 HS-120L
 KC-20
 KS-80
 KS-122
 L-813 II
 LC-22
 LC-63
 LC-1016
 LS-12TC
 LS-32
 LS-43 B/S
 LS-61
 LS-82 H/Z
 LS-102 Z
 LS-153TS
 LS-510
 LS-560
 LS-716H
 M-10
 PS-8 BK/W
 T-19
 TS-83
 TS-105H
 WS-120
 WS-1200H
 WS-2226

CASIO

AZ-45F
 D-20 A/L
 DF-10L
 DM-1200T/TEV/TM
 DN-40
 DS-8 E
 FC-100
 FX-10 F
 FX-61 F
 FX-85 /M/N/V
 FX-135
 FX-451 M
 FX-911S/SA
 FX-3600 P/A/PV
 FX-3950P

SC-802
 AC-689
 AC-694
 AT-108 A
 AT-232 /S
 AT-256 H
 AT-283
 AT-512
 AT-601 A
 AT-2129 A/B
 BD-1
 D-12 N
 SC-500

B500

BT-600
 BT-2600
 BT-5900
 DC-338-8S/12

BS-102
 BS-200
 CB III
 F-402
 F-602
 F-715S
 FC-42 S
 HS-20H/TG
 HS-1010TUC
 KS-10
 KS-100
 KS-123
 L-1011
 LC-23
 LC-64 T
 LC-1222
 LS-21
 LS-39H
 LS-51
 LS-62 BK/W
 LS-88Hi/V/Hi II
 LS-120H/L/RS/V/Hi II
 LS-270H
 LS-550 G/B1
 LS-562
 LS-1000H
 M-20
 PS-10BK/W
 TR-10H
 TS-85H
 TS-120TL/TS
 WS-121H
 WS-1210Hi/Hi II

BF-80
 D-40 D/L
 DF-20L
 DM-1400TV
 DS-1 B/L/TV
 DS-10 E/L/G/TV
 FN-10
 FX-39
 FX-68 /B
 FX-100/A/B/C/V/D
 FX-140
 FX-500 /A
 FX-991/MN/V/D/H/S
 FX-3650P
 HL-100 L

SC-809
 AC-690
 AT-1
 AT-168
 AT-233
 AT-268
 AT-368
 AT-518
 AT-620 A
 AT-6120
 BD-2
 SC-170

B600

BT-2016-12
 BT-2800
 BT-8838-12
 DC-408

BS-120
 BS-300
 F-45
 F-500
 F-604
 F-800 P
 FINANCIAL/II
 HS-100
 HS-1200RS/T/TV/TS
 KS-20
 KS-102
 L-20 II W AD
 L-1214II/AD
 LC-34 /T
 LC-101
 LC-1620H
 LS-25H II
 LS-41 II
 LS-52 BK/W
 LS-80H
 LS-100 II/H/TS
 LS-123TC
 LS-355TS
 LS-552
 LS-563
 LS-1200H
 M-30
 SK-100H
 TR-1200H
 TS-101
 TX-1210Hi/Hi II
 WS-200H
 WS-2222

SC-813

AC-692
 AT-105
 AT-208 N/B
 AT-241 T
 AT-281 /S
 AT-508
 AT-520
 AT-630
 AT-6320
 D-8 /N
 SC-180

B700

BT-2018-12
 BT-2900
 DC-308-8S/12
 DC-508

BS 122
 BS-1200TS
 F-65
 F-502
 F-612
 F-802 P
 FS-400
 HS-102H
 HS-1210TC
 KS-30
 KS-120
 L-30 II W AD
 L-1218
 LC-44
 LC-500H
 LS-8
 LS-31 II
 LS-42
 LS-54 W
 LS-81 Z
 LS-101H/TUC
 LS-151
 LS-500
 LS-553
 LS-566H
 LS-SMART
 OS-1200
 T-14BK/G/W
 TS-81H
 TS-103
 WS-100
 WS-220H
 WS-2224

CV-700
 D-120 L/W/T/LA/TV
 DJ-120
 DN-20
 DS-3/L/V
 DS-120
 FX-8
 FX-55
 FX-82/B/C/D/L/LB/SUPER/SX/W
 FX-120
 FX-350/A/C/D/H/HA/W
 FX-570A-/C-/V/D/S
 FX-3400P
 FX-3900PV
 HL-812/EV/L

CASIO (continued)

HL-820 A/LU/D/LV
 HS-88
 J-30 C
 JE-3
 JN-10
 JS-10 /C/M/L/LA/TV
 JS-110 /TV
 LC-401A
 LC-787 G/GU
 LC-1210
 MJ-120
 MS-7/LA/T /TV
 MS-20 W/TE/TV
 MS-120 A/TE/TV/TM
 MS-470 L/LB/V
 NS-10L
 S-2
 SL-100 A/B
 SL-210
 SL-310 M
 SL-350
 SL-720 /L
 SL-797
 SL-850
 SL-1510
 US-100
 WJ-20

HS-4A
 HS-90
 J-100 W/L/LA
 JF-120 TE/TV/TM
 JN-20
 JS-20/C/M/L/LA/TV
 JS-120 /TV
 LC-403 C/E/L/LU/LB
 LC-797 G/GU
 MC-40 S
 MJ-C10Plus
 MS-8 W/A/TV
 MS-70 L
 MS-140 A
 MW-5V
 NS-20L
 S-20 L
 SL-110 A/B
 SL-220
 SL-320TV
 SL-450
 SL-760 A/C/LU/LB
 SL-805A
 SL-910L
 SL-1530T
 WD-100L
 WJ-100L

HS-8 G/L/LU/D
 J-10 A/D
 J-120 LW/T/TV
 JF-200 TV
 JN-40
 JS-25
 JS-140 /V
 LC-700
 LC-798 G
 MC-801 S
 MS-5A
 MS-9
 MS-80TV
 MS-170 L/LA/T/TV
 MW-8V
 RC-770
 SJ-20
 SL-120 A/B
 SL-240/L
 SL-330
 SL-510 /A
 SL-787
 SL-807 /A/L/LU
 SL-1000 M
 SL-2000 M
 WD-120L
 WJ120L

HS-9
 J-20
 JE-2
 JL-210
 JS-8 C
 JS-40 L/LA/V
 LC-160LV
 LC-710
 LC-1000 /L
 MJ-20
 MS-6
 MS-10W/L/TV
 MS-100 A/TV/TM
 MS-270L/LA/T/TV
 NS-3
 S-1
 SL-80 E
 SL-200
 SL-300 H/J/LH/LU/LB/LV/TV
 SL-340VA
 SL-704
 SL-790L
 SL-817 L
 SL-1200L
 US-20
 WJ-10

CITIZEN

CT-500
 ELS-501
 F-950
 LC-510 N
 LH-700
 SDC-814
 SDC-834
 SDC-850
 SDC-878
 SDC-8401
 SLD-708
 SLD-722
 SLD-735
 SLD-750
 SLD-7001
 SR-70
 SRP-60
 SRP-285II

CT-600
 F-908 /N
 FT-200
 LC-516 N
 LH-830
 SDC-826
 SDC-836
 SDC-865
 SDC-880
 SLD-702
 SLD-711 /N
 SLD-723
 SLD-737
 SLD-760
 SLD-7401
 SR-260
 SRP-65

ELS-301
 F-920
 LC-505
 LC-531
 SB-741 P
 SDC-830
 SDC-839
 SDC-868
 SDC-888
 SLD-705 B
 SLD-712 /N
 SLD-725
 SLD-740
 SLD-767
 SR-30
 SRP-40
 SRP-75

ELS-302
 F-940 N
 LC-508 N
 LC-5001
 SDC-810
 SDC-833
 SDC-848
 SDC-875
 SDC-8001
 SLD-707
 SLD-720
 SLD-732
 SLD-742
 SLD-781
 SR-35
 SRP-45
 SRP-80

HEWLETT-PACKARD

HP-6S
 HP-11 C
 HP-20 S

HP-6S Solar
 HP-12 C
 HP-21 S

HP-9S
 HP-15 C
 HP-30S

HP-10 B/BII
 HP-16 C

KARCE

KC-107
 KC-127

KC-117
 KC-153

KC-119
 KC-159

KC-121

SHARP

EL-231C/L
 EL-326L/S
 EL-337M
 EL-373
 EL-480G
 EL-520 D/G/L/R/V
 EL-556G/L
 EL-782C
 EL-2128H

EL-233G
 EL-330A
 EL338A
 EL376G
 EL-501V
 EL-530 A
 EL-731
 EL-792C
 EL-2135

EL-240C
 EL331A
 EL-344G
 EL386L
 EL-506A/G/R/V
 EL-531 GH/H/P/LH/RH/VH
 EL-733A
 EL-879L
 EL-5020

EL-310A
 EL-334H/A
 EL-354L
 EL387L
 EL-509G/D/S/L/R/V
 EL-546D/G/L
 EL-771C
 EL-2125

TEXAS INSTRUMENTS

BA-III
 BUSINESS-EDGE
 TI-25X SOLAR
 TI-34 //I
 TI-65

BA-SOLAR
 FINANCIAL-INVESTMENT-ANALYST
 TI-30 /Xa/Xa Solar/XIIB
 TI-35 /X

BA-II/PLUS/II PLUS Professional
 MATH EXPLORER
 TI-31
 TI-36 /X Solar

BA-35
 TI-COLLEGIATE
 TI-32
 TI-60

TRULY

101 /A
 106
 SC-107B/C/F/G
 SC-111 /X

102
 107
 SC-108
 SC-118 /A/B

103
 P-127
 SC-109 /X
 SC-128

105
 SC-106A
 SC-110 /X
 SC-185

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 CZ-118B

Annex 2 Use of Barcode Labels on Answer Scripts and the New Design of Answer Books/Supplementary Answer Sheets

Use of barcode labels on answer scripts

- ◆ In order to enhance reliability and efficiency in the processing of examination scripts, barcodes are used to identify individual candidates' answer scripts and multiple-choice answer sheets which will be scanned before marking.
- ◆ Each candidate will be issued with a sheet of personalised barcode labels at the examination centre, prior to the start of each examination session.
- ◆ The candidate's name will be printed on top of the barcode sheet and each barcode label will show the candidate number, centre number, seat number and subject/paper name. Candidates should make sure that they occupy the correct seat and are given the correct barcode sheet. Any irregularities should be reported to the invigilator immediately.
- ◆ A3 answer sheets, folded in the form of A4 answer books, will be used to facilitate scanning. For **conventional papers**, candidates should write their candidate number and affix a barcode label in the designated space on the cover and inner pages of answer books and question-answer books, supplementary answer sheets and graph paper used.
- ◆ For **multiple-choice papers**, candidates should write their candidate number and name, sign and then affix a barcode label in the designated space on the MC answer sheet.
- ◆ If a candidate makes a mistake with the labels or needs extra labels, he/she should summon an invigilator and follow the invigilator's instructions accordingly.
- ◆ At the end of the examination, invigilators will collect the barcode label sheets separately. Candidates are not permitted to remove any unused labels from the examination centre.

New design of answer books / supplementary answer sheets

- ◆ Starting from 2008, the question numbers to be inserted on individual pages of the answer books / supplementary answer sheets will be captured electronically. There will be a question number box on the top of each page as below:-

例 Example:

試題編號 Question No. = 3

| 試題編號 Question No. | | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|-------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 十位 Tens | 0 | X | | | | | | | | | |
| 個位 Units | 3 | | | | X | | | | | | |


- ◆ Candidates have to first write the question number in the 2 boxes labelled “Tens” and “Units”. For example, you have to write 0 and 3 for question number 3. For question number 13, write 1 and 3. Then, you have to put a “X” in the corresponding boxes as well. You can use either a pen or a pencil to complete the question number box.
- ◆ If you use a pencil and have made a mistake when completing the question number box, you should completely erase the wrong marks with a clean rubber. If you use a pen, you may either erase the wrong mark with correction fluid / correction pen or cross it out clearly as in the example below:-

例 Example:

試題編號 Question No. = 12

| 試題編號 Question No. | | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|-------------------|---|--------------|---|---|--------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 十位 Tens | 1 | X | X | | | | | | | | |
| 個位 Units | 2 | | | X | X | | | | | | |

- ◆ Unless otherwise specified on the question paper, you should start each full question (not part of a question) on a new page. If a question consists of several parts (say question number 1 consists of parts a, b and c), fill in the question number box as question number 1.

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| <p> Note</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Do not tamper with the barcode labels (e.g. folding, scratching of the labels, staining by correction fluid). ◆ Remember to fill in the question number box on each page of the answer book / supplementary answer sheet on which you have written any answers. |
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Answer Book Cover

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 香港考試及評核局
 HONG KONG EXAMINATIONS AND ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY
 香港高級程度會考
 HONG KONG ADVANCED LEVEL EXAMINATION
答題簿
ANSWER BOOK

考生須知
 (一) 在填 1 之位置寫上考生編號。
 (二) 在填 1-3-5-7-9 或 11 之位置寫上科別及組別。
 (三) 每題(或每小題)均加以紙筆作答, 並寫在每一頁之編號位置(或試題編號或表格內指定位置)寫「A」或「B」(視下列)。
 (四) 紙筆所填之答案, 並應付行書寫, 不可在各位置以外位置寫答。至於邊界以外的答案, 將不予評閱。
 (五) 如有需要, 可要求試務主任或考場主任, 將一些答案印在草稿紙上備用。當完成填答試題後, 將「A」或「B」填報單, 連同草稿紙一併交回。

MC Answer Sheet

AL 香港考試及評核局 HONG KONG EXAMINATIONS AND ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY
答題紙 ANSWER SHEET

請在此貼上電腦標籤
 Please stick the barcode label here.

組用HB鉛筆填寫
 USE AN HB PENCIL ONLY

| | | | | | | | |
|---|------|----|------|----|------|----|------|
| 1 | △△△△ | 26 | △△△△ | 51 | △△△△ | 76 | △△△△ |
| 2 | △△△△ | 27 | △△△△ | 52 | △△△△ | 77 | △△△△ |
| 3 | △△△△ | 28 | △△△△ | 53 | △△△△ | 78 | △△△△ |
| 4 | △△△△ | 29 | △△△△ | 54 | △△△△ | 79 | △△△△ |
| 5 | △△△△ | 30 | △△△△ | 55 | △△△△ | 80 | △△△△ |
| 6 | △△△△ | 31 | △△△△ | 56 | △△△△ | 81 | △△△△ |

Barcode Label Sheet

CHAN TAI MAN
123456 08826 001 1234564
 Centre: A123
 Seat: 001

A PHYSICS-E PAPER 1

123456 08826 001 1234564
 Centre: A123
 Seat: 001

123456 08826 001 1234564
 Centre: A123
 Seat: 001

Inside Pages of an Answer Book

試題編號 Question No. 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

請在此貼上電腦標籤
 Please stick the barcode label here.

Each page should be marked with the question number

Supplementary Answer Sheet

試題編號 Question No. 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

香港考試及評核局
 HONG KONG EXAMINATIONS AND ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY
 補充答題紙 (Supplementary answer sheet (A))

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Annex 3 How Appeal Applications are Handled

Appeal Period

- ◆ The deadline for submission of appeals is 7 days after the release of examination results.

Types of Appeal

- ◆ **Rechecking only**
 - Scripts and score sheets are rechecked for technical errors such as arithmetical errors, wrong mark entries and unmarked pages.
 - Candidates may not apply for full appeal for subjects for which they have applied for rechecking only, regardless of the results of rechecking.
- ◆ **Full appeal**
 - The scripts and score sheets of the candidate will first be checked for technical errors. The scripts will then be remarked.
 - All scripts will be remarked twice, unless the mark in the first remarking is the same as the original mark. Efforts are made to ensure that the scripts are remarked by persons other than the original marker.
 - Remarking is not applicable to papers under the School-based Assessment Scheme, projects, reading reports, multiple-choice, oral and practical papers.

Application Procedures

- ◆ Candidates may apply for “rechecking only” and / or “full appeal” for up to a total of four subjects.
- ◆ **School candidates**

Applications should be submitted through schools. Normally, the internal result of the candidate should be at least one grade higher than the examination result. Otherwise, schools will have to give reasons to support the applications.
- ◆ **Private candidates**

Private candidates may submit their applications to the Authority direct giving supporting reasons.

Appeal Fee

- ◆ Candidates should pay the required fee at the time of application.
- ◆ If the appeal leads to an upgrade of result, the appeal fee will be refunded to the candidate.


Results of Appeal

- ◆ After the appeal scripts have been remarked, a special committee of the HKEAA (chaired by the Secretary General) will meet to study all the appeal applications and decide which cases meet the upgrading criteria laid down by the Public Examinations Board.
- ◆ **Upgrading**
 - The result will be upgraded only if the new mark reaches a specified margin above the minimum cut-off score of the next higher grade, rather than just attaining the minimum cut-off score of the next higher grade. Since there is an element of subjectivity in marking, especially for questions of an open-ended nature, it is quite possible that even the same marker remarking the same script will give a different score.
 - The criterion for upgrading is applicable to all grade boundaries of all subjects except that a more lenient margin from grade F to grade E is adopted because grade E is considered a critical grade for most candidates.
 - The criterion is not applicable to technical errors for which even a one-mark difference will be accepted for upgrading.
- ◆ **Downgrading**

There is no downgrading as a result of the processing of appeals.

Release of Appeal Results

- ◆ The time for release of the results of rechecking is approximately two weeks after the deadline for submission. The results of full appeal will be released on 31 July 2008 (Thursday).
- ◆ All candidates will be informed in writing of their appeal results (i.e. whether or not the appeal has led to an upgrade). Tertiary institutions will also be informed of the upgraded results at the same time.
- ◆ HKALE candidates whose results have been upgraded after the appeal may approach the JUPAS Office within the prescribed period and request reconsideration of their applications for admission to universities. The HKEAA has an understanding with tertiary institutions that they will try to ensure that candidates whose results are upgraded after appeal would not be disadvantaged because of the delay.

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|  | Answer scripts will not be made available to candidates. |
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Application for Appeal Review

- ◆ Candidates who are in doubt of the rechecking/remarking process may apply for appeal review. Cases of appeal review will be dealt with by the independent Appeal Review Committee (see **Annex 5**).

Annex 4 How Candidates' Complaints are Handled

Candidates may lodge a complaint if they are not satisfied with anything in the examination or find anything that deviates from the normal examination procedures.

How to lodge a complaint

- ◆ Candidates may lodge a complaint with the Centre Supervisor at the examination centre and request him/her to report it to the HKEAA. Alternatively, they may make use of the **specified electronic form on the HKEAA website** (www.hkeaa.edu.hk → HKALE → Report on Examination Irregularities) or **write** directly to the Manager (AL), School Examinations and Assessment Division of the HKEAA by post, fax or email **within two weeks** after the date of the examination. Complaints lodged beyond the deadline will normally not be accepted.
- ◆ Candidates should provide their name, candidate number, examination centre, date of the examination and other specific information relating to the cause of complaint.
- ◆ Anonymous complaints will NOT be entertained.

Complaint Handling Procedures

- ◆ All complaints are dealt with by a Standing Committee of the HKEAA (chaired by the Secretary General / Deputy Secretary General). (Note: Members of the Committee must not be personally involved in the cases under complaint.)
- ◆ The Standing Committee meets regularly during the examination period and conducts investigation of individual cases. Depending on the nature and circumstances of individual cases, the Committee will contact the Centre Supervisors, invigilators and/or other candidates in the same centre in the process of investigation. The Committee will also check the candidates' scripts and perform statistical analysis in relation to the cases as appropriate.
- ◆ For straightforward cases, the Committee will take action in accordance with the guidelines laid down by the Public Examinations Board (PEB) and inform candidates concerned of the outcome before the release of examination results. Candidates who do not agree with the Committee's conclusion on their cases should **write** to the HKEAA **within one week** upon receipt of the notification. The Committee will forward the cases to the PEB for consideration/decision.
- ◆ For more complicated cases involving imposition of sanctions or special consideration, the Committee will compile reports with recommendations for consideration by the PEB. The PEB will examine the reports carefully and make a decision on the cases. Normally, the decision of the PEB will be conveyed to the candidates concerned at the time of the release of examination results.

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| <p>☞ Note</p> | <p>The Public Examinations Board consists of 15 members with its composition as follows:</p> <p>(1) Members appointed by the Authority Council (the highest authority in the HKEAA):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Deputy Chairman of the HKEAA Council (Chairperson); • 6 tertiary sector members; • 1 EDB member of the Council or his/her representative; • 2 secondary school principals; and • 3 secondary school teachers. <p>(2) Ex-officio members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chairman of the Council; • The Deputy Secretary General of the HKEAA (serves as the Vice-Chairman) |
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Appeal Against the PEB Decision

- ◆ Candidates who are not satisfied with the PEB decision and have valid reasons or new evidence to substantiate their claim may apply for appeal review. Cases of appeal review will be dealt with by the independent Appeal Review Committee (see **Annex 5**).

Annex 5 Appeal Review

Appeal Review Committee

- ◆ Candidates who are not satisfied with the decision of the Public Examinations Board (PEB) on their complaints or are in doubt of the appeal process may submit an appeal review application to the Appeal Review Committee (ARC).

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| Note | <p>The Appeal Review Committee is an independent committee appointed by the HKEAA Council with its composition as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1 independent renowned community member from the legal profession (Chairperson);• 1 senior administrator from a tertiary institution;• 2 Council members; and• 1 Council member representing the interests of parents. <p>The Deputy Secretary General of the HKEAA (non-member) serves as the secretary.</p> |
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◆ Types of appeal review

1. Processing of examination irregularities

A candidate may request a review of the PEB decision on examination irregularities in respect of the candidate's examination on any of the following grounds:

- The decision was not made in accordance with the examination regulations and instructions given in the Handbook for Candidates.
- There are extenuating circumstances which the candidate has not been able to present to the HKEAA prior to the decision being made.
- Due process has not been observed in the handling of the case or the decision on the case has been reached on the basis of material errors or irregularities.

2. Review of the process of rechecking and remarking

A candidate may request a review of the process of rechecking and remarking (but not including the professional judgement of marking and grading) on any of the following grounds:

- There is evidence to substantiate that the procedure and due process for rechecking or remarking of scripts has not been followed.
- There are extenuating circumstances which the candidate can adduce to demonstrate that the examination results have been affected by material errors or irregularities in marking.

(**Note:** Applications for appeal review will not automatically lead to remarking of the answer scripts concerned.)

Application details

- ◆ All applications should be submitted in writing to the Secretary of the ARC in person or by post within the stipulated period:

| Type of Appeal Review | Application closing date | Release of the ARC decision |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Examination irregularities | 7 July 2008 | Around 1 August 2008 |
| Process of rechecking and remarking | 7 August 2008 | Around 26 August 2008 |

All late applications (including applications post-marked after the closing date) will not be considered.

- ◆ The candidate shall provide the following information in the application:
 - Name, candidate number, corresponding address and subject/paper concerned and the results obtained;
 - Reason(s) for review – the candidate shall produce valid reasons or new evidence to substantiate the request;
 - **For appeal review of the process of rechecking and remarking**, a school candidate shall submit the request through the candidate’s school with the support of the school principal.
- ◆ Candidates shall pay the required fee at the time of application. If the outcome of the application does not concur with the original decision, the appeal review fee shall be refunded to the candidate.

Processing of Appeal Review Applications

- ◆ The ARC will meet no later than 21 calendar days after the closing date to examine each and every appeal review case to ensure that the cases were handled fairly, consistently and in accordance with the PEB guidelines.

Outcome of Appeal Review Applications

- ◆ The candidate will be notified of the outcome of the application within 3 working days after the ARC has reached its decisions. If the outcome of the application does not concur with the original decision, the HKEAA shall take immediate actions as indicated below, with the corresponding outcome to be conveyed to the candidate concerned at the same time.
 - Review of the decision on examination irregularities – where there is any mark adjustment or change in mark penalty that may result in upgrading in the subject(s)/component(s) concerned, the tertiary institutions concerned and Education Bureau will be notified of the revised result, as appropriate, at the same time.
 - Review of the process of rechecking and remarking – the HKEAA will follow the prescribed procedures for rechecking/remarking and complete the process within 3 working days. The tertiary institutions concerned and Education Bureau will be notified of the revised results, as appropriate, at the same time.

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|  Note | The decision of the Appeal Review Committee shall be final. |
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Annex 6 Instructions on Listening Tests of Use of English and Chinese Language & Culture (Cantonese)


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| Note | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ You should bring your own radio set equipped with earphones to take the test. ◆ If your radio has both the stereo and non-stereo modes, use the non-stereo mode in order to get a better reception. |
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◆ Frequencies used in the listening test

- There will be ample time for you to tune your radio to the best frequency before the test.

| RTHK Radio 2 Frequency Chart | | | |
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| Channel | Frequency | | |
| RTHK Radio 2 | Happy Valley | Jardines Lookout | FM 94.8 MHz / FM 96.6 MHz |
| | Central Wan Chai | Causeway Bay North Point | FM 94.8 MHz / FM 96.9 MHz |
| | Kennedy Town Sai Ying Pun Quarry Bay Tai Koo Shing | Shau Kei Wan Hang Fa Chuen Chai Wan | FM 94.8 MHz / FM 96.9 MHz |
| | Mo Sing Leng Pok Fu Lam Aberdeen Ap Lei Chau | Wong Chuk Hang Deep Water Bay Repulse Bay Stanley | FM 96.0 MHz |
| | Kowloon | | FM 94.8 MHz / FM 96.9 MHz |
| | Kowloon (East) Kwun Tong Ngau Tau Kok San Po Kong | To Kwa Wan Sai Kung Tseung Kwan O | FM 96.9 MHz / FM 94.8 MHz |
| | Tuen Mun | Yuen Long | FM 96.4 MHz |
| | Tsuen Wan Kwai Chung | Tsing Yi | FM 95.6 MHz / FM 94.8 MHz |
| | Sheung Shui Tai Po | Fanling | FM 95.3 MHz |
| | Shatin | | FM 96.3 MHz |
| | Ma On Shan | | FM 95.3 MHz / FM 96.3 MHz |
| | Cheung Chau | Lamma Island | FM 94.8 MHz |
| | Lantau Island (E) | | FM 96.4 MHz |
| | Lantau Island (W) | | FM 95.6 MHz |


- The above table shows a considerable variation in the frequencies in different areas. You should note that the best setting for your home environment may not be most appropriate for the examination centre.
 - Centre Supervisors will indicate on the centre blackboard what the school considers to be the best frequency for that particular locality.
 - The wires connecting the radio and the earphones act as an aerial. For this reason, the reception may vary slightly when you turn your head. Irrespective of the type of radio you are using, you may be able to slightly improve the reception by changing the position of the set on the desktop. If your reception is poor and cannot improve the situation after several attempts, you may request to move to the “special room”.
- ◆ Restrictions and requirements for radios
- Candidates may use Walkmans/Discmans equipped with an FM radio or radio-cassette players. **MP3 players are not allowed.**
 - The radio must fit comfortably on an exam desktop together with a question-answer book. You are not permitted to use a radio greater than 46 cm x 15 cm x 15 cm (18" x 6" x 6"). Also, you are not allowed to place your radio on the floor.
 - If you bring a radio to the examination centre which does not satisfy these requirements, you will not be allowed to use it. Instead you will be sent to a “special room” to take the test.
- ◆ Things to make sure of before the test
- Make sure that your radio functions properly. Equip your radio with new batteries. The examination centres **will not** carry a stock of spare batteries.
 - If you are using a radio which you have borrowed or recently purchased, make sure you are familiar with its operation.
 - If you use a Walkman/radio-cassette or disc player, make sure that there is no cassette tape/disc inside.

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|  Note | Candidates are not allowed to leave the examination centre during the test. |
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◆ Procedures before the test

- During the first 40 minutes in the examination room, the invigilators will:
 - take the attendance and check admission forms;
 - give candidates plenty of time to tune their radios to the correct channel;
 - check that all candidates have earphones;
 - check that candidates' radios are not too big;
 - check that candidates' Walkmans/Discmans/radio-cassette players do not contain tapes/discs.

◆ “Special Room”

- Candidates with the following problems will be sent to a special classroom:
 - not bringing a radio;
 - radio/earphones not working;
 - having forgotten or lost earphones/batteries;
 - bringing an oversized radio;
 - arriving 30 minutes or more after the reporting time;
 - unable to tune radios to the correct channel or with poor reception;
 - bringing an MP3 player.
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- This “special room” will be equipped with an ordinary radio and candidates will listen to the radio broadcast without earphones. Candidates who listen to their own radio with earphones should note that subsequent complaints concerning unsatisfactory radio reception will normally not be accepted by the HKEAA.
 - Candidates who take the Listening Test in the “special room” will be required to fill in a Special Room Report.
 - **Penalties** may be imposed on candidates who:
 - do not bring a radio;
 - do not bring earphones or batteries;
 - arrive 30 minutes or more after the reporting time;
 - bringing an MP3 player.

◆ Use of English Listening Test Procedures

- 9:15 am: Candidates report to the centre.
- 9:30 am & 9:45 am: RTHK **Radio 2** will broadcast an announcement concerning the test to help candidates ensure that they have tuned to the correct channel.
- 9:55 am – 10:00 am: RTHK will broadcast the English folk song “Greensleeves” to reassure all candidates that they are tuned to the correct channel. (The normal 10:00 am news broadcast will be cancelled on the day of the test.)
- 10:00 am: The radio broadcast of the test will begin. You should follow the instructions given and write your personal details on the front cover of the question-answer book.
- At the start of the Listening Test, you will hear this:

Hong Kong Advanced Level Examination, Use of English Section A Listening Test 2008, Instructions to Candidates. You should have on your desk a Question-answer Book. Do not open it until you are told to do so. **I repeat, do not open the Question-answer Book until you are told to do so.**

- Next you will hear the introduction to the test. All instructions regarding reading time will be in the Question-answer Book and will also be announced over the radio.

Now look at page 1 of your Question-answer Book. (Pause 5 seconds)
Introduction. Situation. You ...

- At the end of Part 3, you will hear this:

That's the end of Part 3. You will now have ten minutes to tidy up your answers. During this time you will hear a piece of classical music. Keep your earphones on until you hear the announcement at the end of the ten minutes.

You should keep your earphones on until you are told to take them off.

- After ten minutes, you will hear the following announcement :

That's the end of the test. Stop writing now and put down your pencil. Close your Question-answer Book and leave it on the desk in front of you for the invigilator to collect. The music you have just listened to is *The Blue Danube* by Johann Strauss, played by the Orchestra of the Vienna Volksoper, conducted by Franz Bauer-Theussl. Take off your earphones now and turn off your radio.

- After this, the Centre Supervisor will make a final announcement and then collect your Question-answer Book. You should wait quietly and leave only when instructed to do so.

◆ 中國語文及文化科（廣東話組）聆聽理解考試過程

- 上午 9 時 15 分： 考生報到。
- 上午 9 時 30 分及 9 時 45 分： 香港電台**第二台**將廣播一段有關聆聽理解考試的簡短通告，讓所有考生確認電台頻道。
- 上午 9 時 55 分至 10 時： 香港電台將播出英國民謠 *Greensleeves*，讓所有考生再次確認電台。（在考試當日，電台日常的 10 時正新聞報告將會取消。）
- 上午 10 時正： 電台廣播考試內容。考生須首先根據指示完成各有關事項。

2008 年香港高級程度會考中國語文及文化科試卷三聆聽理解考試。在考試開始前，請各位考生留意以下宣布，並請依照指示完成各有關事項。... ..

- 接着的廣播會提示考生考試即將開始，試題答題簿上的指示及廣播均會提示考生有關閱讀試題的時間。

2008 年香港高級程度會考中國語文及文化科試卷三聆聽理解考試現在正式開始。... ..

- 考生應在整段考試時間戴上耳筒，直至考試結束，由電台廣播收聽到停筆指示後，方可將耳筒除下。
- 在廣播終結時，考生將聽到下列指示：

各位同學，時間屆滿，請停筆。請除下耳筒，關上收音機，合上你的試題答題簿，放在桌子上，以便監考員收集。

- 試場主任會在此時開始收集答卷，考生應靜候試場主任通知方可離開試場。

**Annex 7 Instructions on Chinese Language & Culture
(Putonghua) Listening Test**

中國語文及文化科（普通話組）聆聽理解考試

注意

- ◆ 考試內容以學校播音系統播放。
- ◆ 整段考試時間內，考生不得離開試場。

◆ 聆聽理解考試過程

- 上午 9 時 30 分： 考生報到。
- 上午 9 時 40 分至 9 時 55 分： 播放**試音**錄音帶
- 上午 10 時正： 播放「考生須知」。考生須首先根據指示完成各有關事項。

在考試開始前，請各位考生留意以下宣布，並請依照指示完成各有關事項。... ..

- 在考試錄音帶播放前，試場主任會指示考生檢查試題答題簿。
- 接着是播放**考試**錄音帶。試題答題簿上的指示及廣播均會提示考生有關閱讀試題的時間。

2008 年香港高級程度會考中國語文及文化科試卷三聆聽理解考試現在正式開始。... ..

- 在廣播終結時，考生將聽到下列指示：

各位同學，時間屆滿，請停筆。請把試題答題簿合上，放在桌子上，以便監考員收集。

- 試場主任會在此時開始收集答卷，考生應靜候試場主任通知方可離開試場。

Annex 8 Instructions on Oral Examinations of Language Subjects

Points to note:

- ◆ You must bring along your admission form and identity card to the examination centre. Candidates without an admission form will not be allowed to take the Oral examination and they will have to apply for rescheduling within 3 working days.
- ◆ If you have brought a mobile phone/pager, you must turn it off (including the alarm function) and put it inside your bag. Otherwise, you will receive a **mark penalty** or even be **disqualified from the whole examination**.
- ◆ You are not allowed to bring recorders to the examination centre.
- ◆ You are not allowed to eat (including chewing gum) in the examination centre, but you may drink water.
- ◆ You should bring a pen/pencil for jotting down notes during the preparation period.
- ◆ Candidates will be assigned to different groups by the reporting room supervisor and the examination will proceed one group after another. If you are assigned to a group to be examined in the later part of the session, you may have to wait for a longer time before your examination centre starts. It is advisable for you to eat something before going to the examination centre.
- ◆ You may read books/newspapers in the reporting room but must stay in your seat and must not talk to other candidates.
- ◆ After you have entered the preparation/examination room, you must not consult any books/notes/reference materials. **Otherwise, you will receive a mark penalty or even be disqualified from the examination.**
- ◆ Requests to go to the toilet should be made within the first 45 minutes of the reporting time. If you withdraw from the examination at this time due to absolute need, you may apply for a change of your Oral examination date. After entering the preparation room, you will normally not be permitted to go to the toilet.

Reporting Room

- ◆ You should report to the reporting room supervisor on arrival.
- ◆ The reporting room supervisor will:
 - check your admission form and your identity card, and assign you to an examination group.
 - give you an adhesive coloured label (for identification) and 2 score sheets.
- ◆ You should:
 - check the information printed on your score sheets. If there are any errors, report this to the reporting room supervisor immediately.
 - place the label on your chest so that the examiners can see it clearly.
 - not write on/deface your score sheets.
 - wait for the instructions from the reporting room supervisor who will direct you to the preparation room.

Preparation Room

You must take the seat assigned by the preparation room supervisor.

Use of
English Oral
Examination

- ◆ You will be given a reading passage/instruction sheet and a notecard for note-taking.
- ◆ You will have 10 minutes to prepare before the examination begins.
- ◆ Before you go to the examination room, you have to return the reading passage/instruction sheet to the preparation room supervisor.

中國語文及
文化科口試

- ◆ 每位考生在參加甲部「個人短講」考試前 10 分鐘，獲派發試題。考生應善用這 10 分鐘時間，構思短講的內容重點或大綱，如有需要，可以在試題紙上記下構思所得。

The preparation room supervisor will direct you to the examination room after the preparation time.

Examination Room

You should give your score sheets to the two examiners.

Use of English Oral Examination

- ◆ The Oral examination begins with you presenting a short spoken account to the examiners based on the passage you read beforehand. Your presentation should last 1½ to 2 minutes and should be in your own words.
- ◆ When the last presentation of your group has been given, an examiner will read out the group discussion task to you and then you will be given a further 2 minutes to prepare for the group discussion. You will be allowed to refer to your notecard during this time and to a copy of the group discussion task which will be placed on the desk before you. However, you will not be allowed to write anything. Should you wish to make notes for the group discussion, you will be able to do so during the initial 10 minutes of the preparation time.
- ◆ The group discussion which follows will last 10 minutes if there are 4 candidates or 8 minutes if there are only 3 candidates in your group.
- ◆ Throughout the examination, a timer will be clearly displayed so that you will be fully aware of how much time you have left.
- ◆ You should return the notecard to the examiner after the examination.



中國語文及文化科口試

- ◆ **甲部考試**
 - 進入考室後，考生應首先把兩張記分紙交給主考員，然後依照主考員的指示，站立於適當的位置，待主考員示意即可開始短講。
 - 進行短講時，考生無需首先宣讀試題，如有需要，他可以隨時參閱在試題紙記下的重點或大綱。
 - 短講時限為 3 分鐘。在考生面前放有電子計時儀器，讓考生清楚看見可以發言的時間。時間屆滿，計時儀器發出聲響，考生即須停止發言；若考生不需 3 分鐘已完成短講，可向主考員表示已結束。
 - 考生完成短講後，應把試題紙交還主考員。在主考員示意後，方可離開考室，返回備試室，靜候乙部考試（全組最後一位考生可逗留在考室中，無需返回備試室）。**考生不得離開試場範圍。**

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| <p>中國語文 及文化科 口試</p> | <p>◆ 乙部考試</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 主考員會前往備試室，召喚考生返回考室進行乙部「小組討論」考試。考生應確認自己是否返回先前進行甲部考試的考室，如發覺有錯，應立即告知主考員。各考生依照主考員的安排，坐在指定的位置後，每人獲派發乙部試題。 ● 乙部考試設有 5 分鐘構思時間，考生可以把構思所得記在試題紙上。 ● 考試開始，主考員會示意各考生依次作首輪發言，每人有 1 分鐘的發言時限。在首輪順次發言後，各考生可自由發言，每次發言不設時限，但考生若壟斷發言機會，或強行中斷別人發言，主考員會斟酌給予較低分數。 ● 在討論過程中，考生可以在試題紙上記下要點，以便發言時參考。 ● 在一般情況下，全組考生共有 5 人，考試時間為 15 分鐘，若全組人數有所增減，主考員會予以適當調整，並在開始時告知考生。若考試時間尚未屆滿，各人再無意見發表，在全組考生同意並得主考員批准下，考試可提前結束。 ● 考試結束，考生應把試題紙交還主考員，方可離去。 |
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- ◆ A booklet “Guidelines for Candidates - Chinese Language & Culture (Oral & Listening) and Use of English (Oral Examination) (AS)” is available for sale at \$14 per copy at the HKEAA offices at Southorn Centre and San Po Kong.

Annex 9 Mathematical Formulas

The following formulas will be provided for candidates' reference in question papers of:

A/AS-level Applied Mathematics
A-level Pure Mathematics

$$\sin(A \pm B) = \sin A \cos B \pm \cos A \sin B$$

$$\cos(A \pm B) = \cos A \cos B \mp \sin A \sin B$$

$$\tan(A \pm B) = \frac{\tan A \pm \tan B}{1 \mp \tan A \tan B}$$

$$\sin A + \sin B = 2 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \cos \frac{A-B}{2}$$

$$\sin A - \sin B = 2 \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \sin \frac{A-B}{2}$$

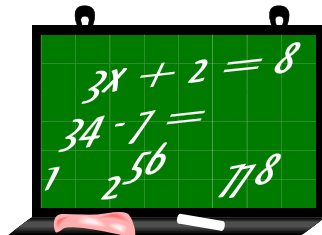
$$\cos A + \cos B = 2 \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \cos \frac{A-B}{2}$$

$$\cos A - \cos B = -2 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \sin \frac{A-B}{2}$$

$$2 \sin A \cos B = \sin(A+B) + \sin(A-B)$$

$$2 \cos A \cos B = \cos(A+B) + \cos(A-B)$$

$$2 \sin A \sin B = \cos(A-B) - \cos(A+B)$$



Annex 10 Suggested List of Reserved Words / Functions and Symbols Used in ER Diagrams

The following suggested list of reserved words / functions and symbols used in ER Diagrams will be provided for candidates' reference in question papers of:

AS-level Computer Applications

A-level Computer Studies

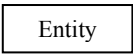
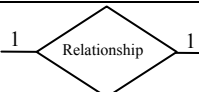
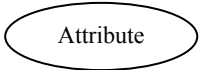
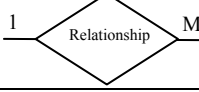
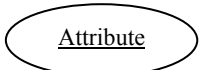
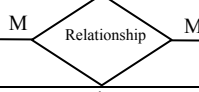




Database (SQL commands – based on SQL-92 Standard)

| Type | Commands/constants/functions |
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| Constants | FALSE, TRUE |
| Operators | +, -, *, /, >, <, =, >=, <=, <>, %, _, ', AND, NOT, OR |
| SQL | ABSOLUTE (ABS), AVG, INT, MAX, MIN, SUM, COUNT ASC, AT, CHAR (CHR), CHAR_LENGTH (LEN), LOWER, TRIM, SPACE, SUBSTRING (SUBSTR/MID), UPPER, VALUE (VAL) DATE, DAY, MONTH, YEAR ADD, ALL, ALTER, ANY, AS, ASC, BETWEEN, BY, CREATE, DELETE, DESC, DISTINCT, DROP EXISTS, FROM, GROUP, HAVING, IN, INDEX, INNER JOIN, INSERT, INTEGER, INTERSECT, INTO, LEFT [OUTER] JOIN, LIKE, MINUS, NULL, RIGHT [OUTER] JOIN, FULL [OUTER] JOIN, ON, ORDER, SELECT, SET, TABLE, TO, UNION, UNIQUE, UPDATE, VALUES, VIEW, WHERE |

Electronic Spreadsheet

| Type | Commands/constants/functions |
|-----------|---|
| Constants | TRUE, FALSE |
| Operators | +, -, *, /, <, >, =, <>, <=, >= |
| Functions | ABS, INT, MOD, QUOTIENT, RAND, ROUND, ROUNDUP, ROUNDDOWN, SQRT, TRUNC, AND, NOT, OR CHAR, CODE, CONCATENATE, EXACT, ISBLANK, LEFT, LEN, LOWER, MID, PROPER, RIGHT, TEXT, TRIM, UPPER, VALUE AVERAGE, COUNT, COUNTA, COUNTBLANK, COUNTIF, LARGE, MAX, MIN, RANK, SMALL, SUM, SUMIF, SUMPRODUCT, SUMSQ, FREQUENCY DATE, NOW FIND, HLOOKUP, VLOOKUP, LOOKUP, SEARCH, CHOOSE, IF |

Symbols Used in ER Diagrams

| Meaning | Symbol | Meaning | Symbol |
|---------------|---|---|---|
| Entity |  | One-to-one Relationship |  |
| Attribute |  | One-to-Many Relationship |  |
| Key Attribute |  | Many-to-Many Relationship |  |
| Relationship |  | Participation constraints: Use  on Mandatory side Use  on Optional side |  |

Annex 11 2008 HKALE Timetable

| Date | Time | A-level | Time | AS-level |
|----------------------|--------------|------------------------------------|---------------|---|
| March 31 (Monday) | | | 8:30 - 10:00 | Chinese Language & Culture 1A |
| | | | 10:45 - 11:45 | Chinese Language & Culture 1B |
| | | | 1:30 - 3:00 | Chinese Language & Culture 2 |
| April 1 (Tuesday) | | | 9:15 - 11:00 | Chinese Language & Culture 3 (Listening Test)* |
| April 3 (Thursday) | | | 8:30 - 9:45 | Use of English Section B |
| | | | 10:30 - 12:00 | Use of English Section C |
| | | | 1:30 - 3:15 | Use of English Section E |
| April 5 (Saturday) | | | 9:15 - 11:00 | Use of English Section A (Listening Test) |
| April 7 (Monday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Economics 1 | 8:30 - 11:30 | Economics |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Economics 2 | | |
| April 8 (Tuesday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Pure Mathematics 1 | | |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Pure Mathematics 2 | | |
| April 9 (Wednesday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Visual Arts 4 | 8:30 - 11:30 | Visual Arts 4 |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Visual Arts 5 | 1:30 - 4:30 | Visual Arts 5 |
| April 10 (Thursday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Business Studies 1 | | |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Business Studies 2 | | |
| April 11 (Friday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | History 1 | 8:30 - 11:30 | History Syllabus A |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | History 2 | 1:30 - 4:30 | History Syllabus B |
| April 12 (Saturday) | 8:30 - 11:45 | Visual Arts 1 | 8:30 - 11:45 | Visual Arts 1 |
| April 14 (Monday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Biology 1 | | |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Biology 2 | | |
| April 15 (Tuesday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Visual Arts 2 | 8:30 - 11:30 | Visual Arts 2 |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Visual Arts 3 | 1:30 - 4:30 | Visual Arts 3 |
| April 16 (Wednesday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Applied Mathematics 1 | 8:30 - 11:30 | Mathematics & Statistics |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Applied Mathematics 2 | 1:30 - 4:30 | Applied Mathematics |
| April 17 (Thursday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Chinese Literature 1 | | |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Chinese Literature 2 | | |
| April 18 (Friday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Principles of Accounts 1 | | |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Principles of Accounts 2 | | |
| April 19 (Saturday) | | | 8:30 - 11:30 | Electronics 1 |
| April 21 (Monday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Chinese History 1 | 8:30 - 11:30 | Chinese History |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Chinese History 2 | | |
| April 22 (Tuesday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Chemistry 1 | 8:30 - 10:00 | Chemistry 1 |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Chemistry 2 | 1:30 - 3:00 | Chemistry 2 |
| April 23 (Wednesday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Geography 1 | | |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Geography 2 | | |
| April 24 (Thursday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Physics 1 | 8:30 - 9:40 | Physics 1 |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Physics 2 | 1:30 - 3:20 | Physics 2 |
| April 25 (Friday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Govt. & Public Affairs 1 (Non-PAS) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Government & Public Affairs |
| | 8:30 - 10:15 | Govt. & Public Affairs 1 (PAS) | | |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Govt. & Public Affairs 2 | | |
| April 26 (Saturday) | | | 8:30 - 11:30 | Ethics & Religious Studies |
| April 28 (Monday) | | | 8:30 - 11:00 | Liberal Studies (Environmental Studies) |
| | | | 1:30 - 4:00 | Liberal Studies (China Today) |
| April 29 (Tuesday) | 8:30 - 10:30 | Literature in English 1 | 8:30 - 10:30 | Literature in English |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Literature in English 2 | | |
| April 30 (Wednesday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Computer Studies 1 | 8:30 - 11:30 | Computer Applications 1 |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Computer Studies 2 | | |
| May 5 (Monday) | | | 8:30 - 11:00 | Liberal Studies (Human Relationships) |
| | | | 1:30 - 4:00 | Liberal Studies (The Modern World) |
| May 6 (Tuesday) | 8:30 - 11:30 | Psychology 1 | 8:30 - 11:30 | Psychology |
| | 1:30 - 4:30 | Psychology 2 | | |
| May 7 (Wednesday) | | | 8:30 - 11:00 | Liberal Studies (Hong Kong Studies) |
| | | | 1:30 - 4:00 | Liberal Studies (Science, Technology & Society) |

* The Cantonese version of the Listening Test will be held between 9:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. whilst the Putonghua version of the Listening Test will be held between 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

| Practical/ Oral Examination | Period |
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| A/AS-level Physics - Practical (Private candidate only) | : 24 May 2008 (Sat) |
| A-level Biology - Practical (Private candidate only) | : 16 May 2008 (Fri) |
| Chemistry - Practical (Private candidate only) | : 14 May 2008 (Wed) |
| AS-level Chinese Language & Culture - Oral | : 10 March - 27 March 2008 |
| Use of English - Oral | : 28 Apr - 8 May 2008 |