

At-a-glance: the May 2021 examination session for the Diploma and Career-related Programmes

Component(s) removed	Components removed and amended	Component(s) amended	In-session mitigations <u>only</u>
Remove one or more entire component(s).	Remove one or more components and amend requirements for others.	Amend component(s) by eliminating questions or sections, or by changing submission or delivery requirements.	Changes made, as necessary, during standardisation, marking, and grade awarding.

Group 1: Language and literature	Group 2: Language acquisition	Group 3: Individuals and societies	Group 4: Sciences	Group 5: Mathematics	Group 6: The arts	School-based syllabuses
Language A: language and literature	Language <i>ab initio</i>	Business management	Biology	Mathematics: analysis and approaches	Dance	Art history
		Economics	Chemistry		Film	Astronomy
		Geography	Computer science		Music	Brazilian social studies
		Global politics	Design technology			
Language A: literature	Language B	History	Environmental systems and societies (interdisciplinary)	Mathematics: applications and interpretation	Theatre	Food science and technology
		Information technology in a global society	Nature of science (pilot)			Marine science
		Philosophy				Modern history of Kazakhstan
Literature and performance (interdisciplinary)	Classical languages	Psychology	Physics	Theatre (pilot)	Political thought	
		Social and cultural anthropology	Sports, exercise and health science			Turkey in the 20 th century
		World religions				

DP core	Creativity, activity, service	Extended essay		Theory of knowledge	
CP core	Language development	Personal and professional skills	Reflective project		Service learning

Group 1—Studies in language and literature

Language A: literature

Component(s) removed

SL *Paper two*—removed

HL *Paper two*—removed

Language A: language and literature

Component(s) removed

SL *Paper two*—removed

HL *Paper two*—removed

Literature and performance (interdisciplinary)

Components removed and amended

SL *Paper one*—removed

Internal assessment—performance of transformation neither submitted nor assessed

Group 2—Language acquisition

Language *ab initio*

Component(s) amended

- SL** *Paper one*—amended; students answer only one question, from either Task A or Task B
Paper two—amended; listening comprehension removed
Internal assessment—amended; students can be shown five visual stimuli, one from each of the five themes

Language B

Component(s) amended

- SL** *Paper two*—amended; listening comprehension removed
Internal assessment—amended; students can be shown five visual stimuli, one from each of the five themes
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- HL** *Paper two*—amended; listening comprehension removed
Internal assessment—amended; teachers may share two extracts from the same literary text with students

Classical languages

Component(s) removed

- SL** *Paper one*—removed
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- HL** *Paper one*—removed

Group 3—Individuals and societies (page 1 of 2)

Business management

Component(s) amended

- SL** *Paper one*—amended; in section A students answer only one question
Paper two—amended; Section C removed
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- HL** *Paper one*—amended; Section C removed
Paper two—amended; Section C removed

Economics

Component(s) amended

- SL** *Paper two*—amended; students answer only one question from either Section A or Section B
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- HL** *Paper two*—amended; students answer only one question from either Section A or Section B

Geography

Component(s) amended

- SL** *Paper one*—amended; answer questions for only one option
Paper two—amended; Section C removed
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- HL** *Paper one*—amended; answer questions for only one option
Paper two—amended; Section C removed

Global politics

Components removed and amended

- SL** *Paper one*—removed
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- HL** *Paper one*—removed
Paper two—amended; students answer two essays
Internal assessment (extension, global political challenges)—amended; students submit one video presentation

History

Component(s) amended

- SL** *Paper two*—amended; students answer one question
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- HL** *Paper two*—amended; students answer one question
Paper three—amended; students answer two essays, each from a different section

Information technology in a global society

Component(s) removed

- SL** *Paper two*—removed
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- HL** *Paper two*—removed

Philosophy

Component(s) amended

- SL** *Paper one*—amended; Section B removed
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- HL** *Paper one*—amended; Section B removed

Group 3—Individuals and societies (page 2 of 2)

Psychology

Components removed and amended

SL *Paper two*—removed

HL *Paper two*—amended; students answer only one question
Paper three—removed

Social and cultural anthropology

Component(s) amended

SL *Paper one*—amended; Question 5 removed
Paper two—amended; Section B removed

HL *Paper two*—amended; Section B removed

World religions

Component(s) amended

SL *Paper one*—amended; students answer one question from each of the three sections

Paper two—amended; students answer only one question, from either Section A or Section B

Group 4—Sciences (page 1 of 2)

Biology

Component(s) removed

- SL** *Paper three*—removed
Group 4 project—requirement removed
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- HL** *Paper three*—removed
Group 4 project—requirement removed

Chemistry

Component(s) removed

- SL** *Paper three*—removed
Group 4 project—requirement removed
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- HL** *Paper three*—removed
Group 4 project—requirement removed

Computer science

Component(s) removed

- SL** *Paper two*—removed
Group 4 project—requirement removed
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- HL** *Paper two*—removed
Group 4 project—requirement removed

Design technology

Component(s) removed

- SL** *Paper one*—removed
Group 4 project—requirement removed
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- HL** *Paper one*—removed
Group 4 project—requirement removed

Environmental systems and societies (interdisciplinary)

In-session mitigations

- SL** *No changes to assessment components*

Nature of science (pilot)

In-session mitigations

- SL** *No changes to assessment components*

Physics

Component(s) removed

- SL** *Paper three*—removed
Group 4 project—requirement removed
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- HL** *Paper three*—removed
Group 4 project—requirement removed

Group 4—Sciences (page 1 of 2)

Sports, exercise and health science

Component(s) removed

SL *Paper three*—removed
Group 4 project—requirement removed

HL *Paper three*—removed
Group 4 project—requirement removed

Group 5—Mathematics

Mathematics: analysis and approaches

In-session mitigations

SL *No changes to assessment components*

HL *No changes to assessment components*

Mathematics: applications and interpretations

In-session mitigations

SL *No changes to assessment components*

HL *No changes to assessment components*

Group 6—The arts

Dance

Component(s) removed

SL *Composition and analysis*—removed

HL *Composition and analysis*—removed

Film

Components removed and amended

SL *Film portfolio*—amended; students submit evidence for only one role

HL *Collaborative film project*—removed

Music

Components removed and amended

SL *Paper one*—removed

Creating (SLC)—amended; students submit only one piece

Solo performing (SLS)—amended; students submit 10 minutes

Group performing (SLG)—amended; students submit 13–20 minutes

HL *Paper one*—removed

Creating—amended; students submit two pieces

Solo performing—amended; students submit 13 minutes

Theatre

Component(s) removed

SL *Collaborative project*—removed

HL *Collaborative project*—removed

Theatre (pilot)

Component(s) removed

SL *Collaborative project*—removed

HL *Collaborative project*—removed

Visual arts

Component(s) amended

SL *Process portfolio*—amended; removal of art-making forms table requirements and penalties

Exhibition—amended; students complete 4–6 resolved works

HL *Process portfolio*—amended; removal of art-making forms table requirements and penalties

Exhibition—amended; students complete 7–10 resolved works

School-based syllabuses

Art history

Component(s) amended

SL *Paper two*—amended; students answer only one theme

Astronomy

In-session mitigations

SL *No changes to assessment components*

Brazilian social studies

Component(s) amended

SL *Paper two*—amended; students answer only one question

Classical Greek and Roman studies

Component(s) amended

SL *Paper two*—amended; students answer on only one topic

Food science and technology

In-session mitigations

SL *No changes to assessment components*

Marine science

Component(s) removed

SL *Paper two*—removed

Modern history of Kazakhstan

In-session mitigations

SL *No changes to assessment components*

Political thought

Component(s) removed

SL *Paper one*—removed

Turkey in the 20th century

Component(s) amended

SL *Paper one*—amended; students answer two topics
Paper two—amended; students answer only one question

World arts and cultures

Component(s) amended

SL *Paper two*—amended; Section B removed

Programme cores

DP core: creativity, activity, service

In-session mitigations

No changes to component

DP core: theory of knowledge

In-session mitigations

No changes to components

DP core: extended essay

In-session mitigations

No changes to component

CP core: language development

In-session mitigations

No changes to component

CP core: personal and professional skills

In-session mitigations

No changes to component

CP core: reflective project

In-session mitigations

No changes to component

CP core: service learning

In-session mitigations

No changes to component