

Instructions

• Please ensure that you have read this notice before the examination.

Information

- This notice covers Papers 2 and 2R: Reading and Writing. It covers Section B Questions 6 and 7 (writing questions). There is no advance information on other sections of Papers 2 or 2R.
- There is no advance information for Papers 1 and 1R: Listening or Paper 3: Speaking.
- The Advance Information details the focus of the content of the exams in the May-June 2022 assessments.
- This notice is meant to help students to focus their revision time.
- There are no restrictions on who can use this notice.
- The format/structure of the papers remains unchanged.
- This document has 4 pages.

There are two option codes for this qualification. Some centres will enter for option "R", depending on their location - if you're unsure if your centre uses option "R" papers you should contact your centre who can confirm and check the Information Manual. Please ensure you consult the advance information relevant to the option code used within your centre. Information related to the "R" option is indicated by an "R" after the paper number, e.g. 4CN1/2R or Paper 2R.

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General advice

- In addition to covering the content outlined in the advance information, students and teachers should consider how to:
 - manage their revision of parts of the specification which may be assessed in areas not covered by the advance information.
 - manage their revision of other parts of the specification which may provide knowledge that helps with understanding the areas being tested in 2022.
- For specifications with synoptic questions, topics not explicitly given in the advance information may appear, e.g. where students are asked to bring together knowledge, skills and understanding from across the specification.
- For specifications with NEA, advance information does not cover any NEA components.

A link to the Joint Council for Qualifications guidance document on advance information can be found on the Joint Council for Qualifications website or here.

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Advance Information Subject specific section For Papers 2 and 2R: Reading and Writing the table shows the major focus of the content of the exam for Questions 6 and 7. Students may focus their revision on these specific topics, but it is still important to understand these in context of the whole theme to be able to both answer questions in the assessment and support their progression.

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Topic	Sub-topic	Sampled in following papers:
Home and abroad	Customs	Paper 2R
Education and employment	School life and routine	Paper 2R
	Work, careers and volunteering	Paper 2
	Future plans	Paper 2
Personal life and relationships	Daily routines and helping at home	Paper 2
	Relationships with family and friends	Papers 2 and 2R
The world around us	Environmental issues	Paper 2R
	Information and communication technology	Papers 2 and 2R
Social activities, fitness and health	Special occasions	Paper 2R
	Hobbies, interests, sports and exercise	Paper 2
	Food and drink	Paper 2R

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