

GCSE AND CAMBRIDGE NATIONALS

PROVISIONAL EXAMINATION TIMETABLE NOVEMBER 2021





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Provisional Examination Timetable, November 2021

Important Dates

4 October 2021: Receipt of final entries by OCR

5 November 2021: Deadline for the receipt of coursework marks by OCR

12 January 2022: Restricted release of results to centres only

13 January 2022: Release of results to candidates

Provisional version of the timetable

The final version of the timetable will be published in January 2021.

Starting times of examinations

The published starting time of all examinations is either 9.00 am or 1.30 pm. Each examination must be taken on the day and at the time shown on the timetable.

Centres may change the starting time of an examination within the scheduled morning or afternoon session without notifying OCR but candidates must start morning examinations no earlier than 8.30 am and by 9.30 am and afternoon examinations no earlier than 1.00 pm and by 2.00 pm.

If candidates are taking two or more examinations in a session and the total time is three hours or less, centres may decide the order in which to hold them. Centres may also give candidates a supervised break of no more than twenty minutes between papers within a session. This **must** be conducted within the examination room, under formal examination conditions at all times. This **does not** apply to candidates with approved supervised rest breaks.

Leaving the examination

Candidates must remain under supervision until 10.00 am for morning examinations and until 2.30 pm for afternoon examinations. For examinations of less than one hour's duration, the candidates must remain under supervision for a period equal to the duration of the examination after the published starting time shown on the timetable.

Timetable deviations

If you need to arrange overnight supervision, the forms do not need to be returned to OCR but must be completed and held in your centre records. When a change is made to the published starting time of an examination, it is the responsibility of the centre to inform all candidates affected by the alteration.

Interboard Examinations Timetable

The exams timetable tool contains dates for OCR, AQA, Pearson and WJEC examinations. It is available via The Exams Office website, www.theexamsoffice. org and can be used to search, collate, export and print timetable information. However, please note that you will need to be a member of The Exams Office to access the information. Enquiries about membership for this site must be submitted to The Exams Office directly and not the individual awarding bodies.

Centres must ascertain the dates for any papers not shown on the OCR timetable from Centre Data and Meetings:

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Code Title	Duration	Day	Date/session	
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GCSE

English Language

J351/1	Communicating information and ideas	2 h	Mon	1 Nov. am
J351/2	Exploring effects and impact	2 h	Wed	3 Nov. am

Mathematics

J560/1	Paper 1 (Foundation)	1 h 30 min	Tue	2 Nov. am
J560/2	Paper 2 (Foundation)	1 h 30 min	Thu	4 Nov. am
J560/3	Paper 3 (Foundation)	1 h 30 min	Mon	8 Nov. am
J560/4	Paper 4 (Higher)	1 h 30 min	Tue	2 Nov. am
J560/5	Paper 5 (Higher)	1 h 30 min	Thu	4 Nov. am
J560/6	Paper 6 (Higher)	1 h 30 min	Mon	8 Nov. am



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Morning				Afternoon				
Code	Title	Duration		Code	Title			Duration
J351/1	English Language: Communicating information and ideas	2 h	Monday 1 November					
J560/1 J560/4	Mathematics: Paper 1 (Foundation) Mathematics: Paper 4 (Higher)	1 h 30 min 1 h 30 min	Tuesday 2 November					
J351/2	English Language: Exploring effects and impact	2 h	Wednesday 3 November					
J560/2 J560/5	Mathematics: Paper 2 (Foundation) Mathematics: Paper 5 (Higher)	1 h 30 min 1 h 30 min	Thursday 4 November					
			Friday 5 November					

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Code	Title	Duration		Code	Title	Duration
J560/3 J560/6	Mathematics: Paper 3 (Foundation) Mathematics: Paper 6 (Higher)	1 h 30 min 1 h 30 min	Monday 8 November			
			Tuesday 9 November			
			Wednesday 10 November			
			Thursday 11 November			
			Friday 12 November			

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