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A. THE MATSEC BOARD FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2019-2020

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Junior College Principal
ACCESS-Disability Support Unit Representative
MUT Representative

B. MATTERS DISCUSSED BY THE MATSEC BOARD DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2019-2020

The following were the main matters discussed:

1. MATSEC Board meetings calendar
2. SEC, SEAC, IM and AM 2020 Examination Panel members
3. SEC Syllabus Panels progress
4. The Matriculation Certificate reform
5. SEC Syllabus Panels updates
6. The Matriculation Certificate reform update
7. The Operational Process for The Main/First 2020 Examination Session
8. New Matriculation candidates' registrations
9. Coursework moderation – Main/First 2020 Session
10. Developments on the Predicted Level Exercise
11. Impact of the pandemic on the 2021 sessions of examinations
12. Requests received on two of the Examination Sessions' Regulations
13. Developments on the Predicted Level Exercise
14. Mitigation Factors for the 2021 Session of Examinations
15. SEAC External Verification for current students
16. VET subjects
 - Examiners and External Verifiers
 - External verification procedures
 - Minor changes in Syllabi
17. Language use in SEC Drama
18. Mitigation Measures for 2021
 - Changes in syllabi
 - Start of the 2021 session
 - Change in VET policy document
19. SEC Chinese Syllabus
20. Further Recommendations-Covid19

C. TRAINING SEMINARS

MATSEC organised a number of webinars for prospective 2021 candidates and their parents/guardians. During the meeting, an overview of the examination process and respective procedures were presented. Attendees also had the opportunity to ask questions. These were held on 5th, 10th, 12th, 16th and 18th November 2020.

Training seminars for Examination Panel Setters were held on 9th and 10th December 2019.

D. PUBLICATIONS

The following publications were issued on the MATSEC website during the academic year 2019-2020:

- MATSEC Support Unit (2020). *Newsletter No. 60*.
<https://www.um.edu.mt/matsec/reports/newsletter>
- MATSEC Support Unit (2020). *SEC Examinations 2019 Statistical Report*.
<https://www.um.edu.mt/matsec/reports/statisticalreport>
- MATSEC Support Unit (2020). *Matriculation Examinations 2019 Statistical Report*.
<https://www.um.edu.mt/matsec/reports/statisticalreport>
- MATSEC Support Unit (2020). *Paper Setting: Procedures and Good Practices*
<https://www.um.edu.mt/matsec/quidlines-policies>
- MATSEC Support Unit (2020). *Glossary of Terms*
<https://www.um.edu.mt/matsec/quidelines-policies>
- MATSEC Support Unit (2020). *Candidates' Feedback: MATSEC 2019 Examinations*
<https://www.um.edu.mt/matsec/reportscommunication>

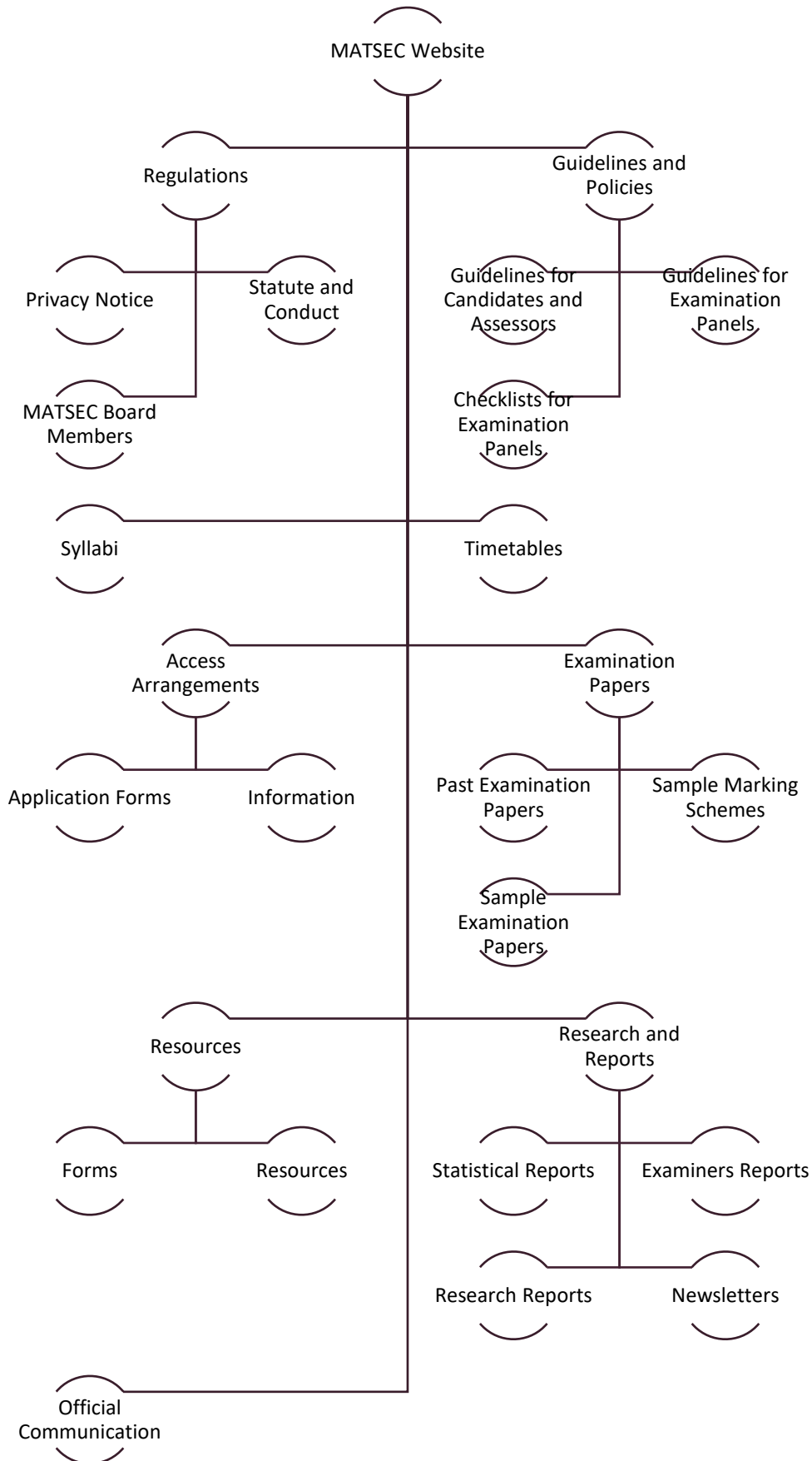
E. THE MATSEC SUPPORT UNIT

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The MATSEC Support Unit acknowledges the valuable cooperation of the staff of the Examinations Department, Floriana and the Examinations Centre, Victoria, Gozo. They are responsible for the registration of candidates for the First/Main session, allocation of examination centres and invigilation of MATSEC Examinations.

F. MATSEC WEBSITE

The website of the MATSEC Examinations Board can be accessed through the University of Malta homepage (www.um.edu.mt) or directly with the following address www.um.edu.mt/matsec/. The general structure is as shown in the diagram below. The MATSEC website has been updated in 2020.



The website contains the useful information outlined hereunder.

- **REGULATIONS**

- *Statute and Conduct*
- *Secondary Education Certificate (SEC)*
- *Matriculation Examinations*
- *MATSEC Data Privacy Notice*
- *The MATSEC Examinations Board Members*

- **GUIDELINES AND POLICIES**

- *Guidelines for candidates and assessors*
- *Guidelines for examination panels*
- *Checklists for examination panels*

- **SYLLABI**

- *Secondary Education Certificate syllabi* 2011-2025
- *Secondary Education Applied Certificate syllabi* 2021-2025
- *Advanced Matriculation level syllabi* 2011-2025
- *Intermediate Matriculation level syllabi* 2011-2025

- **TIMETABLES**

- *Timetables*
 - *Main/First Session Examination Timetable*
 - *Supplementary/Second Examination Session Timetable*
- *Examination Fees*
- *Results and Registration for RoP and/or Second Session*

- **ACCESS ARRANGEMENTS**

- *General Information*
- *Application Forms*
 - *Guidelines to MATSEC Examinations Access Arrangements 2019*
 - *Glossary for Examination Access Arrangements*
 - *Handbook for Access Arrangements Support Assistants*
 - *Guidelines for the use of Word Processor*
 - *Form A General Application Form for EAAs (to be filled by schools or private candidates)*
 - *Form B Application for Candidates with SpLD and/or AD(H)D*
 - *Form C Application for Candidates with ASC*
 - *Form D Application for Candidates who are Hearing Impaired*
 - *Form E Application for Candidates with DCD/Dyspraxia*

• **EXAMINATION PAPERS**

○ *Past Examination Papers*

- Copyright and Fees
- Download Past Papers 2012-2020

○ *Sample Examination Papers*

- SEC English Listening Comprehension Audio Sample September 2019
- SEC Italian Listening Comprehension 2017 Session 1
- SEC French Listening Comprehension 2017 Session 1
- SEC German Paper 1 Specimen Paper for 2019
- SEC Ethics Paper 2A and Paper 2B Specimen Papers for 2018 in English and Maltese
- SEC Design & Technology Paper 2A and 2B Specimen Papers for 2019
- SEC Agribusiness Unit 1 Specimen Paper for 2015
- SEC Engineering Technology Unit 1 Specimen Paper for 2015
- SEC Health and Social Care Unit 1 and Unit 2 Specimen Paper for 2015
- SEC Hospitality Unit 1 Specimen Paper for 2015
- SEC Information Technology Unit 1 Specimen Paper for 2015
- SEC Arabic Listening Comprehension Audio Sample
- SEC German Listening Comprehension Audio and Text Sample
- SEC Spanish Listening Comprehension Audio Sample

- IM Physical Education Specimen Paper and video clip for 2014
- IM Spanish Specimen Paper for 2015
- IM English Specimen Paper for 2016 written and oral
- IM Italian Specimen Paper for 2016
- IM Marketing Specimen Paper for 2016
- IM Philosophy Specimen Paper for 2016
- IM Sociology Specimen Paper for 2017
- IM Economics Specimen Paper for 2018
- IM Accounting Specimen Paper for 2019
- IM Geography Specimen Paper for 2019
- IM German Specimen Paper for 2020
- IM Maltese Specimen Paper for 2021

- AM Marketing Paper 1 and 2 Specimen Paper for 2016
- AM Philosophy Paper 1 and 2 Specimen Paper for 2016
- AM French Specimen Paper for 2017
- AM Italian Specimen Paper for 2017
- AM Sociology Specimen Paper for 2017
- AM Theatre & Performance Specimen Paper for 2018
- AM Computing Practical Tasks 1-3 Specimen Papers and Marking Schemes 2019
- AM Geography Specimen Paper for 2019
- AM English Specimen Paper for 2020
- AM German Specimen Paper for 2020
- AM Maltese Specimen Paper for 2021

- *Marking Schemes*

A sample of marking schemes of some of the subjects at Advanced Matriculation, Intermediate Matriculation and SEC level Examinations held in 2006, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019.

- **RESOURCES**

- *Forms*

- Revision of Paper Registration for the Special December Session 2020
- Request to sit for examinations abroad Form
- Request for Copies of Past MATSEC Certificates Form
- Amendment of Personal Details Form
- Matriculation Certificate Late Applications Form
- SEC Main Session Late Applications Form
- SEC Supplementary Session Late Applications Form
- SEC Vocational Subjects Appeals and Synoptic Form
- SEC Vocational Subjects Late/Very Late Student Registration/Change in Subject Form
- Coursework and Project Authentication Form

- *Resources*

- Antologija ĊES Malti - Hemm Art fil-Folja (Rikordings)
- SEC Ethics Assignment Marking Grid: PDF/Excel
- SEC Design and Technology Iterative Project - Grading Criteria 2020 and 2021
- IM Systems of Knowledge Project Booklet
- IM Theatre & Performance - Exploring Performance Practice Logbook
- AM Theatre & Performance - Solo Performance Logbook
- AM Theatre & Performance - Devised Collective Performance Logbook
- SEC & IM P.E. Practical Booklet 2020
- SEC European Studies Coursework Titles 2021 - 2023
- SEC P.E. Activities 2021 - 2023
- SEC Environmental Studies coursework titles 2020 – 2023/Titli tal-coursework tal-Istudji Ambjentali taċ-ĊES 2020-2023
- SEC Design and Technology Theme and Situations 2020 and 2021
- SEC Environmental Studies School Based Assessment Marking Scheme
- IM/AM Physics Data & Formulae Booklet 2020
- SEC Art Coursework Marking Scheme
- IM P.E. Exam Section A: 2020 - 22 - Notice
- SEC Computing 2013 Resources
- Mathematical Formulae Booklet

- **RESEARCH AND REPORTS**

- *Examiners' Reports*

- Secondary Education Certificate Examiners' Reports 2006-2020
- Advanced Matriculation Level Examiners' Reports 2006-2020
- Intermediate Matriculation Level Examiners' Reports 2006-2020

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- *Statistical Reports*
 - SEC Examinations Report 2004-2020
 - Matriculation Certificate Examinations Report 2004-2011, 2013-2020
- *Newsletters*

Newsletter No. 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61
- *Research Reports*
 - Candidates' Feedback: MATSEC 2019 Examinations
 - Candidates' Feedback: MATSEC 2018 Examinations
 - Candidates' Feedback: MATSEC 2017 Examinations
 - Font Clarity: Candidates' Views
 - SEC Revision of Papers 2016: Who Applies?
 - SEC Maltese 2015: An Analysis
 - Gender Differences in SEC Mathematics 2015
 - Vocational Subjects at SEC Level: The Second Year of SEC Vocational Subjects
 - Vocational Subjects at SEC Level: Introduction, Implementation, and Results
- **OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION**

A list of official statements issued to the mass media to provide information or clarification on certain issues.
- **BANNERS**

Banners that show the different important notices that arise from time to time.
- **ABOUT US**

A Brief History of MATSEC examinations
- **FAQs**

Answers to frequently asked questions
- **GUIDEBOOK**

MATSEC Examinations Candidate Guidebook 2020
- **FACEBOOK**

The link to the MATSEC Facebook page
- **NEWS AND EVENTS**

Notifications that arise from time to time.

G. PRIZES AND HIGH ACHIEVEMENT

SEC Examinations

The MATSEC Board congratulates the following candidates for their excellent results:

- **Nicole Betts** from *Convent of the Sacred Heart, St. Julians* who obtained passes in the following 8 subjects at SEC Level with Grade 1: Accounting, Chemistry, Economics, English Language, English Literature, Environmental Studies, French and German and Grade 2 in the following 4 subjects: Maltese, Mathematics, Physics and Religious Knowledge.
- **Ruby Sciriha Camilleri** from *Our Lady Immaculate School, Hamrun* who obtained passes in the following 8 subjects at SEC Level with Grade 1: English Language, English Literature, Environmental Studies, French, Maltese, Mathematics, Physics and Religious Knowledge and Grade 2 in the following 4 subjects: Biology, Chemistry, German and Italian.
- **Lara Cocks** from *Saint Thomas More College, Secondary School, Santa Lucia* who obtained passes in the following 9 subjects at SEC Level with Grade 1: Accounting, English Language, Environmental Studies, European Studies, French, Maltese, Mathematics, Physics and Religious Knowledge.
- **Lara Cocks** from *Saint Thomas More College, Secondary School, Santa Lucia* was awarded the Anna Muscat Azzopardi Prize, worth €70.00. This prize is awarded annually to the candidate who obtains the highest number of marks in the Maltese examination at SEC Level.
- **Lara Cocks** from *Saint Thomas More College, Secondary School, Santa Lucia* was awarded the Dom Maurus Caruana Prize, worth €47.00. This prize is awarded annually to the candidate who obtains the highest number of marks in the Religious Knowledge examination at SEC Level.

Matriculation Examination

The MATSEC Board congratulates the following two candidates for their outstanding achievement in their Advanced and Intermediate Matriculation Examinations in First examination session 2020. They have passed their two Advanced Levels and four Intermediates with Grade A.

- **Kyle Attard** from *Saint Aloysius College, B'Kara*.
AM at Grade A: Biology, Chemistry; IM at Grade A: English, Physics, Psychology and Systems of Knowledge.
- **Conor Shaw** from *Saint Martin's College, Swatar*.
AM at Grade A: Biology, Chemistry; IM at Grade A: English, Philosophy, Physics and Systems of Knowledge.

H. STATISTICS: SECONDARY EDUCATION CERTIFICATE EXAMINATIONS



- » SEC Examinations – 2020 Predicted Level – Results
- » SEC Examinations – 2020 Special Session – Results
- » SEC Examinations – 2020 Special Session – Revision of Papers

SEC 2020 Predicted Level Results

Subject	Grade				Registered
	Level 3	Level 2	Not Awarded	Private *	
Accounting	419	38	194	148	799
Agribusiness	13	3	7	0	23
Arabic	9	3	2	54	68
Art	242	60	93	143	538
Biology	734	69	390	166	1359
Business Studies	75	18	45	6	144
Chemistry	496	31	147	54	728
Classical Culture	0	0	0	3	3
Commerce	0	0	0	8	8
Computing	453	58	90	76	677
Design and Technology	154	35	85	28	302
Economics	96	15	71	14	196
Engineering Technology	112	7	15	0	134
English Language	2733	350	508	585	4176
English Literature	1560	144	536	207	2447
Environmental Studies	952	132	328	35	1447
Ethics	132	28	51	35	246
European Studies	78	6	12	12	108
French	706	91	127	64	988
Geography	107	19	24	79	229
German	355	44	57	42	498
Graphical Communication	296	28	85	49	458
Greek	0	0	0	1	1
Health and Social Care	172	5	34	0	211
History	101	16	62	78	257
Home Economics	288	86	78	30	482
Hospitality	193	17	35	0	245
Information Technology	217	26	25	0	268
Italian	848	249	301	226	1624
Latin	0	0	0	1	1
Maltese	2185	375	723	476	3759
Mathematics	2195	571	816	708	4290
Media Literacy Education	9	1	2	0	12
Music	7	1	1	19	28
Physical Education	307	54	89	29	479
Physics	1839	315	689	238	3081
Religious Knowledge	1944	265	618	116	2943
Russian	0	0	0	30	30
Social Studies	258	55	108	302	723
Spanish	242	31	74	80	427
Textiles and Design	11	7	13	3	34

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SEC 2020 Special Session Results

Subject	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	U	Absent	Total
Accounting	11	17	26	37	13	3	15	60	44	226
Agribusiness	3	4	4	2	0	2	1	7	0	23
Arabic	2	5	5	9	3	0	1	7	7	39
Art	9	33	20	36	26	11	10	40	8	193
Biology	18	37	43	55	64	23	22	228	17	507
Business Stud.	2	0	0	8	10	3	2	7	5	37
Chemistry	8	27	29	32	26	10	7	80	6	225
Commerce	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	3
Computer Studies	5	19	28	15	13	17	15	34	15	161
Design and Technology	4	5	3	11	16	7	4	24	1	75
Economics	3	1	4	3	6	2	4	9	12	44
Engineering Technology	12	28	35	24	13	4	3	15	0	134
English Language	35	95	121	142	297	172	103	136	166	1267
English Literature	17	20	35	42	35	25	11	92	117	394
Environmental Studies	5	2	8	10	17	23	16	119	25	225
Ethics	1	2	4	6	4	3	3	36	8	67
European Studies	7	1	1	2	1	1	0	5	4	22
French	37	6	15	19	16	19	23	5	41	181
Geography	0	1	0	1	2	3	3	18	9	37
German	7	20	7	8	12	7	8	8	27	104
Graphical Communication	6	10	15	9	10	2	3	19	24	98
Health & Social Care	17	29	50	40	36	5	0	34	0	211
History	2	4	1	2	5	5	4	12	19	54
Home Economics	3	7	6	8	2	17	13	49	2	107
Hospitality	32	44	54	50	13	16	1	35	0	245
Information Technology	31	51	50	54	31	21	5	25	0	268
Italian	42	23	14	37	32	50	32	54	105	389
Latin	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Maltese	26	72	70	155	200	191	85	287	197	1283
Mathematics	40	67	70	166	220	271	226	376	268	1704
Media Literacy Education	1	3	2	3	0	0	1	2	0	12
Music	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	6
Physical Education	4	8	9	13	8	25	6	32	16	121
Physics	24	50	58	75	58	68	62	540	37	972
Religious Knowledge	8	19	15	43	36	41	43	122	153	480
Russian	7	4	2	5	1	0	0	1	1	21
Social Studies	3	2	8	14	21	8	15	30	49	150
Spanish	11	8	15	12	5	1	5	19	41	117
Textiles & Design	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	6

SEC 2020 Revision of Papers – Special Session

Subject*	Requests	Upgrades	%
Art	3	0	0.0
Biology	13	0	0.0
Chemistry	5	0	0.0
English Language	14	0	0.0
English Literature	5	0	0.0
European Studies	1	0	0.0
History	2	0	0.0
Home Economics	1	0	0.0
Italian	1	0	0.0
Maltese	27	0	0.0
Mathematics	50	3	6.0
Physical Education	1	0	0.0
Physics	21	1	4.8
Religious Knowledge	1	0	0.0
Spanish	1	0	0.0
Total	146	4	2.9

* Subjects with no registrations are not included in this table

I. STATISTICS: MATRICULATION CERTIFICATE EXAMINATIONS



- » Matriculation Examinations – 2020 Special Session – Results
- » Matriculation Examinations – 2020 Supplementary Session – Results
- » Matriculation Examinations – 2020 Special and Supplementary Sessions – Revision of Papers

2020 Special Session Examination Results

Advanced Matriculation Level

Subject	A	B	C	D	E	F	Absent	Total
Accounting	28	58	58	58	47	76	97	422
Applied Mathematics	1	0	1	0	0	1	7	10
Arabic	0	1	2	0	0	0	3	6
Art	8	4	9	16	12	16	8	73
Biology	65	109	144	92	52	50	75	587
Chemistry	58	68	112	54	57	26	62	437
Computing	12	27	30	22	21	22	3	137
Economics	10	20	35	29	8	10	28	140
Engineering Drawing	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
English	10	63	240	140	113	74	142	782
French	7	9	6	1	0	0	7	30
Geography	1	3	14	4	8	6	3	39
German	9	3	3	6	0	0	3	24
Graphical Communication	0	5	7	6	3	7	1	29
History	4	11	26	10	1	2	18	72
Home Econ. & Human Ecology	5	13	38	12	8	10	4	90
Information Technology	3	7	18	6	5	6	6	51
Italian	9	10	34	4	2	3	29	91
Latin	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
Maltese	16	69	137	83	34	35	77	451
Marketing	27	99	137	70	40	61	156	590
Music	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	8
Philosophy	4	11	23	15	6	13	33	105
Physics	22	52	136	67	62	30	44	413
Pure Mathematics	32	111	151	36	32	107	48	517
Religious Knowledge	4	9	5	7	3	11	19	58
Russian	1	2	3	0	1	0	3	10
Sociology	16	39	80	32	13	10	71	261
Spanish	5	2	6	7	1	2	11	34
Theatre & Performance	1	1	1	1	0	2	1	7

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Intermediate Matriculation Level

Subject	A	B	C	D	E	F	Absent	Total
Accounting	19	19	17	10	7	8	15	95
Applied Mathematics	3	9	7	7	6	9	9	50
Arabic	1	1	0	1	0	0	6	9
Art	1	2	4	4	6	5	7	29
Biology	7	38	61	58	81	103	83	431
Chemistry	3	4	6	5	8	15	9	50
Classical Studies	2	6	9	9	14	13	10	63
Computing	6	20	23	17	10	14	14	104
Economics	4	13	16	6	5	6	14	64
Eng. Drawing & Graphical Comm.	11	12	24	19	9	26	23	124
English	31	173	536	294	252	395	226	1907
Environmental Science	17	37	108	95	63	21	89	430
French	7	14	33	21	15	4	17	111
Geography	7	12	10	18	11	21	25	104
German	7	9	12	11	9	5	9	62
History	7	17	31	14	6	4	20	99
Home Econ. & Human Ecology	2	14	38	17	6	3	24	104
Information Technology	12	19	35	26	14	7	9	122
Italian	6	13	44	21	5	8	15	112
Latin	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Maltese	5	19	45	30	22	18	37	176
Marketing	42	86	133	87	58	58	103	567
Music	1	4	4	2	2	2	3	18
Philosophy	11	43	104	53	36	50	51	348
Physical Education	14	36	27	24	18	14	40	173
Physics	40	85	112	79	59	89	78	542
Psychology	61	104	246	169	95	162	222	1059
Pure Mathematics	74	80	156	88	68	152	135	753
Religious Knowledge	16	31	57	40	27	29	45	245
Russian	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
Sociology	25	48	78	47	45	46	63	352
Spanish	4	4	7	3	1	6	11	36
Systems of Knowledge	82	195	667	399	92	472	138	2045
Theatre & Performance	3	7	8	4	0	9	8	39

2020 Supplementary Session Examination Results

Advanced Matriculation Level

Subject	A	B	C	D	E	F	Absent	Total
Accounting	0	1	3	10	9	20	26	69
Applied Mathematics	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arabic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Art	0	0	1	4	3	1	0	9
Biology	0	0	8	15	6	10	21	60
Chemistry	0	0	4	4	7	6	10	31
Computing	0	1	4	6	6	12	0	29
Economics	0	0	1	2	0	4	3	10
Engineering Drawing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
English	0	2	29	27	13	12	55	138
French	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Geography	0	0	0	3	3	1	0	7
German	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	3
Graphical Communication	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	4
Greek	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
History	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Home Econ. & Human Ecology	0	0	3	1	3	4	0	11
Information Technology	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
Italian	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Latin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maltese	0	7	25	15	14	13	14	88
Marketing	0	3	4	3	3	25	16	54
Music	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Philosophy	0	1	0	2	0	2	6	11
Physics	0	0	8	11	8	6	15	48
Pure Mathematics	1	7	20	7	11	15	20	81
Religious Knowledge	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	5
Russian	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sociology	0	0	3	3	1	2	3	12
Spanish	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	3
Theatre & Performance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Subject	A	B	C	D	E	F	Absent	Total
Accounting	0	0	1	1	0	0	3	5
Applied Mathematics	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Arabic	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
Art	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Biology	0	0	3	17	18	18	26	82
Chemistry	0	1	0	2	1	3	3	10
Classical Studies	0	1	2	0	1	0	1	5
Computing	0	0	0	1	4	5	3	13
Economics	0	3	0	0	0	1	2	6
Eng. Drawing & Graph. Comm.	0	0	3	3	5	4	6	21
English	1	6	23	36	41	200	67	374
Environmental Science	0	1	4	7	6	0	16	34
French	0	0	1	2	2	0	0	5
Geography	0	0	1	4	4	12	6	27
German	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	3
Greek	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
History	1	0	0	1	0	2	3	7
Home Econ. & Human Ecology	0	0	0	2	2	0	6	10
Information Technology	0	0	0	4	4	2	1	11
Italian	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	5
Latin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maltese	0	0	2	4	3	5	7	21
Marketing	0	2	4	12	4	8	19	49
Music	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
Philosophy	1	2	5	5	1	4	9	27
Physical Education	0	2	2	3	6	1	5	19
Physics	0	0	3	7	6	18	25	59
Psychology	0	4	9	7	13	45	48	126
Pure Mathematics	0	2	13	15	24	26	31	111
Religious Knowledge	0	0	1	0	3	14	3	21
Russian	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sociology	0	1	4	3	4	10	8	30
Spanish	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Systems of Knowledge	3	8	72	63	18	131	9	304
Theatre & Performance	0	0	1	3	0	1	0	5

Revision of Papers – 2020 Special and Supplementary Sessions

Advanced Matriculation Level

SUBJECT*	2020 Special Session			2020 Supplementary Session		
	Requests	Upgrades	%	Requests	Upgrades	%
Accounting	16	0	0.0	2	0	0.0
Art	9	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Biology	36	1	2.8	0	0	0.0
Chemistry	40	1	2.5	0	0	0.0
Computing	27	0	0.0	3	0	0.0
Economics	4	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
English	99	0	0.0	7	0	0.0
Geography	2	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Graphical Communication	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
History	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Home Econ. & Human Ecology	3	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Information Technology	1	1	100.0	0	0	0.0
Italian	2	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Maltese	39	0	0.0	9	0	0.0
Marketing	11	0	0.0	4	0	0.0
Music	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Philosophy	6	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Physics	20	0	0.0	5	0	0.0
Pure Mathematics	39	2	5.1	1	0	0.0
Religious Knowledge	4	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Sociology	3	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Spanish	3	1	33.3	0	0	0.0
Theatre & Performance	2	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
TOTAL	368	6	1.6	31	0	0.0

* Subjects with no registrations are not included in this table

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Intermediate Matriculation Level

SUBJECT*	2020 Special Session			2020 Supplementary Session		
	Requests	Upgrades	%	Requests	Upgrades	%
Accounting	6	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Applied Mathematics	2	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Art	5	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Biology	24	3	12.5	7	0	0.0
Classical Studies	2	1	50.0	0	0	0.0
Computing	3	0	0.0	1	0	0.0
Economics	5	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Eng. Drawing & Graphical Comm.	8	1	12.5	0	0	0.0
English	140	2	1.4	36	0	0.0
Environmental Science	3	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
French	10	1	10.0	0	0	0.0
Geography	6	0	0.0	2	1	50.0
German	2	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
History	2	0	0.0	1	0	0.0
Home Econ. & Human Ecology	5	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Information Technology	5	0	0.0	1	1	100.0
Italian	4	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Maltese	4	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Marketing	24	2	8.3	3	0	0.0
Music	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Philosophy	13	1	7.7	1	0	0.0
Physics	32	1	3.1	1	0	0.0
Psychology	51	1	2.0	0	0	0.0
Pure Mathematics	15	3	20.0	0	0	0.0
Religious Knowledge	6	1	16.7	1	1	100.0
Sociology	10	0	0.0	1	0	0.0
Spanish	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Systems of Knowledge	122	7	5.7	4	0	0.0
Theatre & Performance	3	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
TOTAL	514	24	4.7	59	3	5.1

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