

IB Diploma Programme and IB Career-related Programme

May 2023 examination schedule

Exam zone C

UTC -3.5

An examination cannot be rescheduled without authorization from the Assessment Division, IB Global Centre, Cardiff.

Legend of Subject Groups:

	Interdisciplinary subjects		Sciences
	Studies in language and literature and Language acquisition		Mathematics
	Individuals and societies		The arts

Please note that for Studies in language and literature and Language acquisition, English, French and Spanish are scheduled individually from all other languages.

Examination Schedule

Thursday 27 April			
Morning session (start time 09.30)		Afternoon session (start time 13.00)	
	Nature of science SL paper 1	1h 30m	
SBS		SBS	
			School-based syllabus SL paper 1

Friday 28 April			
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session (start time 13.00)	
	Business management HL paper 1	2h 15m	
	Business management SL paper 1	1h 15m	
SBS		SBS	
			School-based syllabus SL paper 2
			Nature of science SL paper 2
			1h

Week 1

Monday 1 May			
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session (start time 12.00)	
Business management HL paper 2 Business management SL paper 2	2h 15m 1h 45m	Language A Literature HL paper 1 Language A Literature SL paper 1 Language A Language & Literature HL paper 1 Language A Language & Literature SL paper 1 * Except: English, French & Spanish	2h 15m 1h 15m 2h 15m 1h 15m

Tuesday 2 May			
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session (start time 13.00)	
Physics HL paper 1 Physics HL paper 3 Physics SL paper 1 Physics SL paper 3 Sports, exercise & health science HL paper 1 Sports, exercise & health science HL paper 3 Sports, exercise & health science SL paper 1 Sports, exercise & health science SL paper 3	1h 1h 15m 45m 1h 1h 1h 15m 45m 1h	Language A Literature HL/SL paper 2 Language A Language & Literature HL/SL paper 2 * Except: English, French & Spanish	1h 45m 1h 45m

Wednesday 3 May			
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session (start time 12.00)	
Physics HL paper 2 Physics SL paper 2 Sports, exercise & health science HL paper 2 Sports, exercise & health science SL paper 2	2h 15m 1h 15m 2h 15m 1h 15m	English A Literature HL paper 1 English A Literature SL paper 1 English A Language & Literature HL paper 1 English A Language & Literature SL paper 1 English B HL paper 1 English B HL paper 2 - Reading comprehension English B SL paper 1 English B SL paper 2 - Reading comprehension English ab initio SL paper 1 English ab initio SL paper 2 - Reading comprehension Literature & performance SL paper 1	2h 15m 1h 15m 2h 15m 1h 15m 1h 30m 1h 1h 15m 1h 1h 1h 1h 30m

Thursday 4 May			
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session (start time 13.00)	
Geography HL paper 1 Geography SL paper 1 Global politics HL/SL paper 1 Philosophy HL paper 1 Philosophy SL paper 1 Social & cultural anthropology HL paper 1 Social & cultural anthropology SL paper 1	2h 15m 1h 30m 1h 15m 2h 30m 1h 45m 2h 1h 30m	English A Literature HL/SL paper 2 English A Language & Literature HL/SL paper 2 English B HL paper 2 - Listening comprehension English B SL paper 2 - Listening comprehension English ab initio SL paper 2 - Listening comprehension Literature & performance SL paper 2	1h 45m 1h 45m 1h 45m 45m 1h 30m

Friday 5 May			
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session (start time 12.00)	
Geography HL/SL paper 2	1h 15m	Computer science HL paper 1	2h 10m
Geography HL paper 3	1h		
Global politics HL paper 2	2h 45m	Environmental systems & societies SL paper 1	1h
Global politics SL paper 2	1h 45m		
Philosophy HL/SL paper 2	1h		
Philosophy HL paper 3	1h 15m		
Social & cultural anthropology HL paper 2	2h 30m		
Social & cultural anthropology SL paper 2	1h 30m		

Week 2

Monday 8 May					
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session (start time 13.00)			
Computer science HL paper 2	1h 20m	Mathematics: analysis and approaches HL paper 1	2h		
Computer science HL paper 3	1h			analysis and approaches SL paper 1	1h 30m
Computer science SL paper 2	1h				
Environmental systems & societies SL paper 2	2h	Mathematics: applications and interpretation HL paper 1	2h		
		applications and interpretation SL paper 1	1h 30m		

Tuesday 9 May					
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session (start time 12.00)			
Language B HL paper 1	1h 30m	Mathematics: analysis and approaches HL paper 2	2h		
Language B HL paper 2				analysis and approaches SL paper 2	1h 30m
- Reading comprehension	1h	Mathematics: applications and interpretation HL paper 2	2h		
Language B SL paper 1	1h 15m			applications and interpretation SL paper 2	1h 30m
Language B SL paper 2					
- Reading comprehension	1h	Mathematics: analysis and approaches HL paper 3	1h		
Language ab initio SL paper 1	1h				
Language ab initio SL paper 2		Mathematics: applications and interpretation HL paper 3	1h		
- Reading comprehension	1h				
* Except: English, French & Spanish					
Latin HL paper 1	1h 30m				
Latin SL paper 1	1h 15m				

Wednesday 10 May					
Morning session (start time 09.30)		Afternoon session (start time 12.00)			
Language B HL paper 2		History HL/SL paper 1	1h		
- Listening comprehension	1h			History HL/SL paper 2	1h 30m
Language B SL paper 2					
- Listening comprehension	45m				
Language ab initio SL paper 2					
- Listening comprehension	45m				
* Except: English, French & Spanish					
Latin HL paper 2	2h				
Latin SL paper 2	1h 30m				

Thursday 11 May			
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session (start time 12.00)	
History HL paper 3	2h 30m	Chemistry HL paper 1 Chemistry HL paper 3 Chemistry SL paper 1 Chemistry SL paper 3	1h 1h 15m 45m 1h
		Design technology HL paper 1 Design technology SL paper 1 Design technology HL/SL paper 2	1h 45m 1h 30m

Friday 12 May			
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session (start time 12.00)	
French A Literature HL paper 1	2h 15m	Chemistry HL paper 2	2h 15m
French A Literature SL paper 1	1h 15m	Chemistry SL paper 2	1h 15m
French A Language & Literature HL paper 1	2h 15m	Design technology HL paper 3	1h 30m
French A Language & Literature SL paper 1	1h 15m		
French B HL paper 2			
- Listening comprehension	1h		
French B SL paper 2			
- Listening comprehension	45m		
French ab initio SL paper 2			
- Listening comprehension	45m		

Week 3

Monday 15 May			
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session (start time 12.00)	
French A Literature HL/SL paper 2	1h 45m	Economics HL paper 1	1h 15m
French A Language & Literature HL/SL paper 2	1h 45m	Economics HL paper 3	1h 45m
		Economics SL paper 1	1h 15m
French B HL paper 1	1h 30m	World religions SL paper 1	1h 15m
French B HL paper 2			
- Reading comprehension	1h		
French B SL paper 1	1h 15m		
French B SL paper 2			
- Reading comprehension	1h		
French ab initio SL paper 1	1h		
French ab initio SL paper 2			
- Reading comprehension	1h		

Tuesday 16 May			
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session (start time 13.00)	
Classical Greek HL paper 1	1h 30m	Economics HL paper 2	1h 45m
Classical Greek SL paper 1	1h 15m	Economics SL paper 2	1h 45m
		World religions SL paper 2	1h 30m
Spanish A Literature HL paper 1	2h 15m		
Spanish A Literature SL paper 1	1h 15m		
Spanish A Language & Literature HL paper 1	2h 15m		
Spanish A Language & Literature SL paper 1	1h 15m		
Spanish B HL paper 1	1h 30m		
Spanish B HL paper 2			
- Reading comprehension	1h		
Spanish B SL paper 1	1h 15m		
Spanish B SL paper 2			
- Reading comprehension	1h		
Spanish ab initio SL paper 1	1h		
Spanish ab initio SL paper 2			
- Reading comprehension	1h		

Wednesday 17 May			
Morning session (start time 09.30)		Afternoon session (start time 12.00)	
Classical Greek HL paper 2	2h	Biology HL paper 1	1h
Classical Greek SL paper 2	1h 30m	Biology HL paper 3	1h 15m
Spanish A Literature HL/SL paper 2	1h 45m	Biology SL paper 1	45m
Spanish A Language & Literature HL/SL paper 2	1h 45m	Biology SL paper 3	1h
Spanish B HL paper 2			
- Listening comprehension	1h		
Spanish B SL paper 2			
- Listening comprehension	45m		
Spanish ab initio SL paper 2			
- Listening comprehension	45m		

Thursday 18 May			
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session (start time 12.00)	
Biology HL paper 2	2h 15m	Psychology HL paper 1	2h
Biology SL paper 2	1h 15m	Psychology SL paper 1	2h
		ITGS HL paper 1	2h 15m
		ITGS SL paper 1	1h 30m

Friday 19 May			
Morning session (start time 08.30)		Afternoon session	
Psychology HL paper 2	2h	Keep available for examinations as contingency during the May 2023 session, awaiting instruction from IB	
Psychology HL paper 3	1h		
Psychology SL paper 2	1h		
ITGS HL/SL paper 2	1h 15m		
ITGS HL paper 3	1h 15m		

Rescheduling Policy

- Rescheduling of an exam for a candidate requires approval from IB.
- The criteria and the process for applying for a reschedule can be found in the Diploma Programme Assessment procedures.

2024 Examination Schedule

- The exam schedule in 2024 will start on Thursday 25 April 2024, and end on Friday 17 May 2024, subject to confirmation in 2023.