

GCE O-Level Mother Tongue Language Listening Comprehension Examination 2021

**Briefing for Candidates
2 July 2021**



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2021 GCE O-Level MTL /MTLB LC Examination Schedule

Mode: e-Broadcast via SEAB eExam System

	Session No.	Candidates Reporting Time at Holding Room	Start Time	Subj Code/ Paper No.	Subj Name	Duration
O- Level: Tue, 6 Jul	1	14:00	15:00	1151/03	MALAY B	00:30
				1160/03	CHINESE	
	2	16:00	17:00	1148/03	MALAY	
				1153/03	CHINESE B	
				1157/03	TAMIL	



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Covid-19 Precautionary Measures

Important :

- The COVID-19 Precautionary measures are for adherence. As the guidelines would adjust in accordance with the prevailing precautionary measures, it is important that you monitor the news and stay updated on MOH, SEAB and MOE website for information pertaining to the COVID-19 situation in Singapore.
- Your school will inform you if there are any further updates to the precautionary measures.



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Covid-19 Precautionary Measures

- If you are on QO, SHN, LOA or medical leave due to Acute Respiratory Illness (ARI) or on Approved Absence, **DO NOT** report for examination. Please inform your FT and stay at home. Special consideration will be applicable.
- If you are recovering from contagious disease (e.g. chickenpox, Hand-Foot-and-Mouth Disease (HFMD) and have been certified as medically-fit by a qualified medical doctor to sit the exam, you **will be allowed** to sit for exam in an isolated room.



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Covid-19 Precautionary Measures

- If you are **unwell** on the day of the exam, e.g. having a fever (38 °C and above) and/or exhibiting flu-like symptoms, do **NOT** report for the exam.

Please consult a doctor and inform your Form Teacher.



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Covid-19 Precautionary Measures

- After the exam, you will be dismissed at **staggered timings** and via **different exit routes**. Please follow the instructions by the school personnel when leaving the examination venue.
- You should leave the school and go home immediately after dismissal.



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Covid-19 Precautionary Measures

- Wear a high filtration face mask at all times. Use of face shields would not be allowed unless due to medical/special condition.
- Always maintain a safe distance of at least 1m from other candidates.
- Minimise gather in groups or crowd around any designated area or toilet.



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Instructions for Reporting on Exam Day

- Report to the **Holding Room** by the stipulated time for the Temperature-Taking Exercise.

2 pm for candidates **taking CL and MLB**

4 pm for candidates **taking ML, TL & CLB**

- Proceed to the exam venue when instructed to do so and be seated according to your GCE assigned Index Number.
- Late-comers who arrive **after the start of the paper** are to report to General office for instructions.



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Holding Room

**Subject: CL & MLB at 3.00 p.m.
(Reporting Time: 2 p.m.)**

Block C

Block C				
Toilet (Level 4)	C4-04	C4-03	C4-02	C4-01
	CL (4/4)	CL (4/3)	CL (4/2)	CL (4/1)
Toilet (Level 3)	C3-04	C3-03	C3-02	C3-01
	CL (4/5 & 4/6 4NAO)	CL (5/1)	CL (3/1 & 3/2 HCL)	CL (HCL 3/3 & 3/4 HCL)
Toilet (Level 2)	C2-04	C2-03	C2-02	C2-01
				ML B



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Exam Venue

Subject: CL & MLB at 3.00 p.m.

Block D

Block D					
Toilet	D4-05	D4-04	D4-03	D4-02	D4-01
		CL (4/4)	CL (4/3)	CL (4/2)	CL (4/1)
Toilet	D3-05	D3-04	D3-03	D3-02	D3-01
		CL (4/5 & 4/6 4NAO)	CL (5/1)	CL (3/1 & 3/2 HCL)	CL (3/3 & 3/4 HCL)
Toilet	D2-05	D2-04	D2-03	D2-02	D2-01
					MLB



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Holding Room

**Subject: ML, TL & CLB at 5.00 pm
(Reporting Time: 4 p.m.)**

Block C

Block C				
Toilet	C4-04	C4-03	C4-02	C4-01
	ML (4/5 & 4/6 4NAO)	ML (5/1)	ML (4/4)	ML (4/1, 4/2 & 4/3)
Toilet	C3-04	C3-03	C3-02	C3-01
				ML (3/3 & 3/4 HML)
Toilet	C2-04	C2-03	C2-02	C2-01
			TL (4/5, 4/6 4NAO & 5/1)	TL (4 EXP)
Toilet	C1-04	C1-03	C1-02	C1-01
			CLB (4/5, 4/6 & 5/1)	CLB (4 EXP)



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Exam Venue

Subject: ML, TL & CLB 5.00 p.m.

Block D

Block D					
Toilet	D4-05	D4-04	D4-03	D4-02	D4-01
		ML (4/5 & 4/6 4NAO)	ML (5/1)	ML (4/4)	ML (4/1, 4/2 & 4/3)
Toilet	D3-05	D3-04	D3-03	D3-02	D3-01
					ML (3/3 & 3/4 HML)
Toilet	D2-05	D2-04	D2-03	D2-02	D2-01
				TL (4/5, 4/6 4NAO & 5/1)	TL (4 EXP)
Toilet	D1-05	D1-04	D1-03	D1-02	D1-01
				CLB (4/5, 4/6 & 5/1)	CLB (4 EXP)



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Be Prepared

- Wear full school uniform, i.e. school shirt with pants / skirt and shoes, and be properly groomed. Permission will need to be sought for exceptions.



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Be Prepared

- Drink sufficient water and eat healthily to avoid falling sick.
- Have enough rest.
- Freshen up in the washroom before proceeding to the exam venue. From the holding room, you are to go to the designated toilet on the same level.
- There will not be a toilet break from the exam venue till dismissal.
- Handphones must be switched off and placed in your bag.



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Things to Bring

- Entry Proof (placed in a clear folder).
- **Photo** identification (placed in a clear folder).
(i.e. NRIC / Passport / Student Pass / Ezlink Card)
- Document for Access Arrangement (where applicable).
(placed in a clear folder)



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Things to Bring

- Sufficient stationery (2B pencils, eraser, sharpener) in a transparent pencil case/clear folder. You will **NOT** be allowed to borrow from other candidates.

You are **NOT** allowed to use correction tape/correction fluid during the exam.

- A working thermometer and Trace Together Token/App
- Water bottle filled with water if needed

Take only your stationery, Entry Proof & photo ID, water bottle & AA Outcome (if applicable) with you to your desk in the exam venue.



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Unauthorised Items

- To be switched off at all times: Your handphone and electronic devices, including but not limited to concealed communication devices, miniature wireless receiver, pen set(s) with built in earpiece and wireless communication function, smart watch, fitness trackers and smart glasses.
- Keep all these items in your bag and place it at the front of the exam room.



Unauthorised Items

- Reference materials or notes
- Sweets
- Other unauthorised personal belongings (including wallets)

If any of the above is found in your possession during the exam, it will be deemed as a dishonest act.



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Important Reminders

- Match your index no. with the location of your seat outside the exam room.
- Check that your **handphone is switched off and kept in your bag.**
- Enter the exam room only when you are told to do so.
- Place your bag neatly at the front of the exam room.



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Important Reminders

- Be seated according to the seating plan.
- Once you are seated, place your entry proof and photo identification (**FACE UP**) on the top right-hand corner of your desk.
- **Communication between candidates is STRICTLY NOT allowed at any time.**



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Important Reminders

- The invigilator will read a set of instructions to you – Please listen to it attentively.
- You will be given your personalised PMCAS.
- **Check that the details printed on the PMCAS is correct.**



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Check Your Details

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PMCAS
PERSONALISED MULTIPLE
CHOICE ANSWER SHEET

MEDIUM : CHINESE SUBJECT CODE : 1164
SUBJECT : CHINESE B PAPER : 02
NAME : DAMIEN LEE
INDEX NO. : 2071/1068

VERIFICATION OF PERSONAL PARTICULARS (FOR CANDIDATE'S USE ONLY)

- Check that your printed particulars are correct.
- Sign above the line if your particulars are correct. Otherwise, inform the invigilator.

Candidate's Signature

Candidate's NRIC/FIN

Date

THIS AREA

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Use a 2B pencil only.

EXAMPLE OF SHADING

If you think answer B is the correct



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Important Reminders

- The invigilator will proceed to take your attendance.
- The Exam broadcast will start on time.
- The Exam broadcast is done only ONCE. Stay focused.
- Remain quiet and seated throughout the exam.
- Inform the invigilator if you need any assistance.



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Important Reminders



Do **NOT** communicate (e.g. talk or gesture) with other candidates during the examination.

**Communication between candidates is
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Do **NOT** start writing or opening the question/answer booklet until you are told to do so.

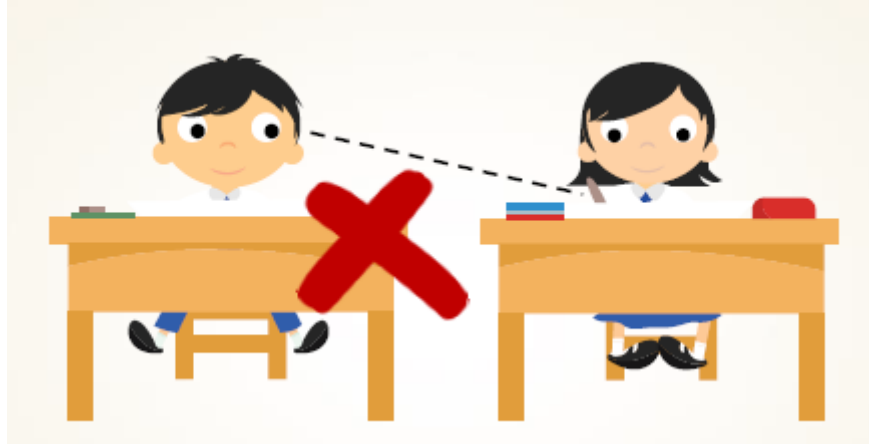
Do **NOT** continue to write after the stop writing announcement has been made.



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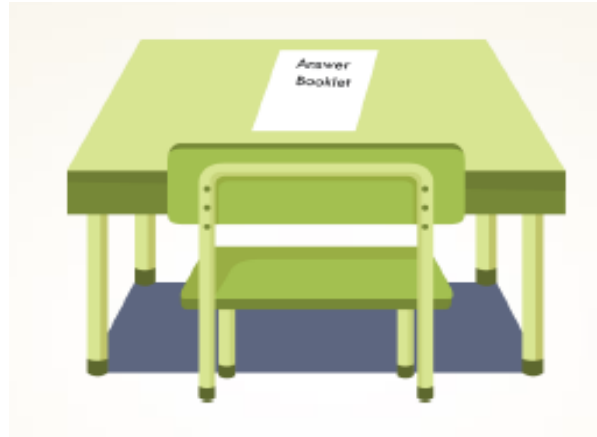
Do **NOT** commit or attempt to commit any acts of dishonesty.



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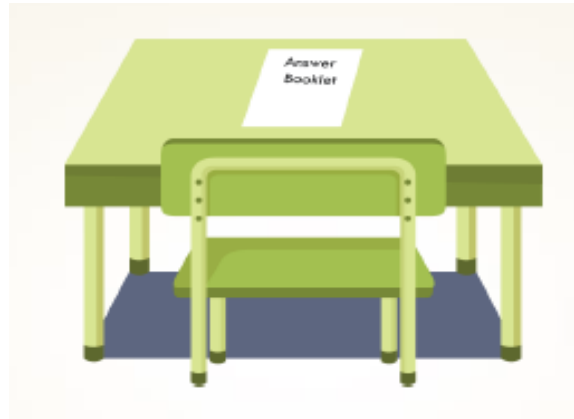
- You are not allowed to leave the exam venue until your invigilator dismisses all the candidates.
- After the exam, you will be dismissed at staggered timings and via different exit routes. Please follow the instructions of the school personnel.



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Important Reminders



- Examination materials such as used or unused answer booklets and writing papers must **NOT** be removed from the exam room.
- Wipe down the exam desk before you leave the exam venue.
- Leave the exam venue in a quiet and orderly manner. The Question paper will be yours to keep.



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Important Reminders

If you breach any exam rules and regulations, you may be:

- (a) prohibited from taking the exam,
- (b) expelled from the exam room,
- (c) refused entry for subsequent papers,
- (d) have your results annulled or a grade penalty, and/or
- (e) banned from registering for national exams in future years.



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Emergency Medical Conditions

Contracting contagious disease(s) just before or during the examination period; hospitalisation



- If you have contracted a contagious disease just before or during the examination period, please see a qualified medical practitioner and inform the school.
- If you are hospitalised, please inform the school.

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Application
for Special
Consideration

You may apply for Special considerations, provided that:

- You have sat for at least 50% of the total assessment of the affected subject, and
- You have the relevant supporting documents to support your application (e.g. medical report/statement from a qualified medical practitioner) to certify that you are unfit for the examination.

Please inform your Form Teacher or call the General Office at 6443 0563.

PE (Mr Hamzah) will get in touch with you to see if arrangements can be made for you to sit for the exam if you have been certified medically fit by a qualified medical practitioner to sit for the exam.



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Major Disruptions

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(e.g. MRT/LRT breakdowns, massive traffic jams, floods)

If you are able to reach your school before the end of your paper

1a

Inform your school immediately and go to your school

1b

You will be given the full duration to sit the examination

If you are affected by train service disruption

Look out for instructions on bridging transport services OR go to the Passenger Service Centre located in the MRT stations for assistance. You do not need to obtain an excuse letter from the MRT station.



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If you are unable to reach your school before the end of the paper

2a

Inform your school immediately

2b

Go to the nearest exam centre to take the examination

The information can be found in:

1. SEAB website (www.seab.gov.sg)
2. LTA's 'MyTransport' APP
3. SEAB's Advisory Posters at the MRT station

2c

You will be given the full duration to sit the paper if you reach the exam centre before the end of the paper

2d

Inform your school if you arrive after the paper has ended OR are unable to reach a school at all



Please inform your Form Teacher or call the General Office at 6443 0563.



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Be familiar with the Examination Procedures

- Refer to 2021 Singapore-Cambridge GCE O-Level Examination Rules and Regulations for School Candidates Booklet – given out in Apr
- Instructions to School Candidates on LC (version dated 23 Jun 2021) given through SLS.



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All the best for your Exams!



**Please approach your FTs, MTL teachers or office if
you have any queries.**



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