

ASSESSMENT CALENDAR

NOV	Year 7-9 Module 1 test Year 7 Speaking test Year 8 Writing test
DEC	Year 9 Writing test Year 10 Mid-Year Exam Year 11 Mock
JAN	Year 7-9 Module 2 test Year 7 Writing test Year 8 Speaking test Year 11 Mock Speaking Year 13 Mock
FEB	Year 10 Speaking test
APR	Year 7-9 Module 3 test Year 9 Speaking test
MAY	Year 10 exam
JUNE	Year 7-9 exams, including writing Year 12 exam

KS3 Module tests

These assess:

1. Key structures of the module (chien list) /10
2. Grammar /16
3. Translation /4
4. Reading & Listening /20

Pupils should revise from the relevant module page of their manual, and the Essential Language page.

KS3 Speaking and writing tests

These are graded using the CRA mark scheme (to be found at the back of the manual.) Score /18 converted to a grade.

- **Communication** /8: How much information is successfully communicated. The questions are answered and developed.
- **Range & Complexity** /6: Includes opinions, connectives, time markers, negatives, descriptions, tenses, persons etc. See TOPCAT guide. (The level expected varies according to the year group.)
- **Accuracy** /4

These are done or recorded in purple controlled conditions books, which stay in school and accompany pupils for the whole of KS3. Pupils do feedforward on these assessments.

KS3 Exams

These assess Reading, listening and writing.