

First 2023 Session Timetable

	ADVANCED MATRICULATION		INTERMEDIATE MATRICULATION		1
	FIRST SESSION		FIRST SESSION		
	09:00	16:00	09:00	16:00	
Tuesday 25 April	Information Technology I	Religious Knowledge I			Tuesday 25 April
Wednesday 26 April	Information Technology II	Religious Knowledge II	Information Technology	Religious Knowledge	Wednesday 26 April
Thursday 27 April	Philosophy I			Systems of Knowledge	Thursday 27 April
Friday 28 April	Computing I	Philosophy II		Philosophy	Friday 28 April
Saturday 29 April	Maltese I/Applied Mathematics I	Maltese II	Maltese		Saturday 29 April
Tuesday 2 May	Computing II	Maltese III/Applied Mathematics II	Computing	Applied Mathematics	Tuesday 2 May
Wednesday 3 May	Marketing I	Marketing II		Marketing	Wednesday 3 May
Thursday 4 May	Accounting I	Italian II	Accounting	Italian	Thursday 4 May
Friday 5 May	Accounting II/Arabic II	Italian III	Arabic	Physical Education	Friday 5 May
Saturday 6 May	Pure Mathematics I	Italian IV	Pure Mathematics		Saturday 6 May
Monday 8 May	Pure Mathematics II	Arabic III/Russian I/ Italian I Part I (15:00)		Italian (List.) (17:00)	Monday 8 May
Tuesday 9 May	Biology I	Biology II		Biology	Tuesday 9 May
Wednesday 10 May	Biology III	French IV & I		French	Wednesday 10 May
Thursday 11 May	French II	Russian II/Spanish (List.) (15:00)		Spanish (List.) (16:00)	Thursday 11 May
Friday 12 May	Russian III		Russian	Psychology	Friday 12 May
Saturday 13 May	English I	English II			Saturday 13 May
Monday 15 May	Economics I	English III		English	Monday 15 May
Tuesday 16 May	Economics II	German I/Greek I	Economics	Greek	Tuesday 16 May
Wednesday 17 May	Geography I	Chemistry I			Wednesday 17 May
Thursday 18 May	German III	Chemistry II	German	Chemistry	Thursday 18 May
Friday 19 May	Geography II	German II (List. & Reading)/Greek II	Geography	German (List.) (15:00)	Friday 19 May
Saturday 20 May	Physics I	Physics II	Environmental Science	Physics	Saturday 20 May
Monday 22 May	History I	History II		History	Monday 22 May
Tuesday 23 May	Home Economics I	Home Economics II		Home Economics	Tuesday 23 May
Wednesday 24 May	French III	Theatre and Performance I		Theatre and Performance	Wednesday 24 May
Thursday 25 May	History III	Spanish I/Latin I		Spanish	Thursday 25 May
Friday 26 May	Sociology I	Spanish II	Music (Parts I & III)	Music (Part III cont.)	Friday 26 May
Saturday 27 May	Sociology II	Sociology III	Sociology		Saturday 27 May
Monday 5 June		Music I			Monday 5 June
Tuesday 6 June		Latin II		Latin/Classical Studies	Tuesday 6 June
Thursday 8 June	Eng Draw/Graph Comm I	Eng Draw/Graph Comm II		Eng Draw & Graph Comm	Thursday 8 June
Friday 9 June	Music III (performance/composition)/ Spanish III	Music II (Part II)		Music (Part II)	Friday 9 June
Saturday 10 June	Art I	Art II	Art		Saturday 10 June
Monday 12 June	Theatre and Performance II	Art III			Monday 12 June



Main 2023 Session Timetable

	SECONDARY EDUCATION CERTIFICATE		SECONDARY EDUCATION APPLIED CERTIFICATE		
	MAIN SESSION		MAIN SESSION		
	09:00	16:00	09:00	16:00	
Tuesday 25 April		Religious Knowledge I			Tuesday 25 April
Wednesday 26 April		Religious Knowledge II			Wednesday 26 April
Thursday 27 April			English & Communication (inc. Listening Comprehension)/ Mathematics		Thursday 27 April
Friday 28 April	Computing I	Arabic II			Friday 28 April
Saturday 29 April	Maltese I	Maltese II			Saturday 29 April
Tuesday 2 May	Computing II	Environmental Studies			Tuesday 2 May
Wednesday 3 May	Ethics II	Environmental Studies II			Wednesday 3 May
Thursday 4 May	Accounting I	Italian I & Listening Comprehension			Thursday 4 May
Friday 5 May	Accounting II	Physical Education II			Friday 5 May
Saturday 6 May	Mathematics I	Mathematics II			Saturday 6 May
Monday 8 May	Biology I	Italian II & Listening Comprehension			Monday 8 May
Tuesday 9 May	Design & Technology II	Biology II			Tuesday 9 May
Wednesday 10 May	Commerce I/Business Studies I	French & Listening Comprehension			Wednesday 10 May
Thursday 11 May	Commerce II/Business Studies II	French II & Listening Comprehension			Thursday 11 May
Friday 12 May	Greek I/Russian I/ Class. Cult. & Civil. I	German I & Listening Comprehension			Friday 12 May
Saturday 13 May	English Language I	English Language II			Saturday 13 May
Monday 15 May	Economics I				Monday 15 May
Tuesday 16 May	Economics II	German II & Listening Comprehension			Tuesday 16 May
Wednesday 17 May	Geography I	English Literature I			Wednesday 17 May
Thursday 18 May	Chemistry I	Chemistry II			Thursday 18 May
Friday 19 May	Geography II	English Literature II			Friday 19 May
Saturday 20 May	Physics I	Physics II			Saturday 20 May
Monday 22 May	History I	History II			Monday 22 May
Tuesday 23 May		Home Economics I			Tuesday 23 May
Wednesday 24 May	Greek II/Russian II/ Class. Cult. & Civil. II	Home Economics II			Wednesday 24 May
Thursday 25 May		Spanish I & Listening Comprehension/Latin I			Thursday 25 May
Friday 26 May	European Studies I	Spanish II & Listening Comprehension/Latin II			Friday 26 May
Saturday 27 May	Social Studies 1	Social Studies II			Saturday 27 May
Monday 5 June	Music II (Part I)	European Studies II			Monday 5 June
Tuesday 6 June	Music II (Part II)	Music II (Part II) (cont.)			Tuesday 6 June
Thursday 8 June	Graphical Communication I	Graphical Communication II			Thursday 8 June
Friday 9 June		Music I (Part I & II)			Friday 9 June
Saturday 10 June	Art I	Art I (cont.)			Saturday 10 June
Monday 12 June		Art II			Monday 12 June



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	ORAL EXAMIN
Advanced Matriculation Orals	
	Monday 20 March
Maltese	Thursday 23 March
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	Thursday 30 March
	Wednesday 22 March
	Wednesday 29 March
English	Friday 14 April
	Tuesday 18 April
	Friday 21 April
French	Friday 14 April
Arabic/German/Spanish/Russian	Monday 17 April
Italian	Saturday 22 April
Music II Part I	Monday 5 June

Intermediate Matriculation Orals			
	Friday 17 March		
	Tuesday 21 March		
English	Friday 24 March		
	Tuesday 28 March		
	Tuesday 4 April		
Italian	Saturday 1 April		
Maltese	Saturday 15 April		
Arabic/German/Spanish/Russian	Thursday 20 April		
French	Friday 21 April		

Following registration, candidates will be informed individually about:

- 1. Advanced Matriculation Oral Examinations
- 2. Advanced Matriculation Music Oral/Aural examinations
- **3.** Advanced Matriculation Biology, Chemistry, Physics and Theatre and Performance Practicals
- 4. Intermediate Matriculation Physical Education Activities
- 5. Intermediate Matriculation Theatre and Performance Practicals

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SEC Listening Comprehensio	n/Dictation	A
English	Saturday 25 March	
Russian	Tuesday 18 April	
Arabic	Monday 24 April	
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SEC Reading & Conversation		
	Monday 20 March	
	Thursday 23 March	
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English/French	Thursday 30 March	Р
	Monday 3 April	В
	Thursday 13 April	С
	Friday 17 March	
	Tuesday 21 March	1
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Maltese/Italian	Tuesday 28 March	
	Tuesday 4 April	
	Friday 14 April	١,
	Wednesday 22 March	
Arabic/German/Spanish/Russian	Wednesday 29 March	
	Wednesday 19 April	
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English	Tuesday 25 April	
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6. SEC Physical Education Activities		Е

7. SEC Listening Comprehension/Dictation (Group Examinations)

Fashion and Textiles

Wednesday 26 April

8. SEC Reading, Conversation, Role Play, etc. (Individual Oral

Examinations)

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ı	Advanced Matriculation	Practicals	Intermediate Matriculation Ac	tivities	
1		Monday 5 June		Friday 24 March	
		Tuesday 6 June	All Activities	Monday 27 March	
•		Thursday 8 June		Tuesday 28 March	
		Friday 9 June		Wednesday 29 March	
1	Theatre and Performance	Tuesday 13 June			
		Wednesday 14 June	SEC Activities		
		Thursday 15 June		Thursday 23 March	
		Friday 16 June		Friday 24 March	
	Physics	Tuesday 6 June		Monday 27 March	
	Biology	Friday 9 June	Athletics, Games, Gym and Dance	Tuesday 28 March	
	Chemistry	Thursday 15 June		Wednesday 29 March	
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	Intermediate Matriculation Practicals			Monday 3 April	
		Tuesday 6 June		Tuesday 6 June	
		Thursday 8 June	Swimming	Thursday 8 June	
		Friday 9 June		Friday 9 June	
		Monday 12 June		Monday 12 June	
1	Theatre and Performance	Tuesday 13 June			
		Wednesday 14 June	SEC Physical Education		
		Thursday 15 June			
•		Friday 16 June	SEC P.E. candidates will receive a form on which to indicate their choice from MATSEC.		
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	SEC VOCATIONAL SUBJECTS UNIT III				
•	Information Technology	Tuesday 18 April			
	Retail	Wednesday 19 April			
	Hospitality	Thursday 20 April			
	Media Literacy Education	Friday 21 April	Candidates will receive their Index Number and		
	Health and Social Care	Monday 24 April	Venue details for Oral and Written Examinations in due course.		
	Engineering Technology	Tuesday 25 April			
	Hairdressing and Beauty	Tuesday 25 April			
	Agribusiness	Wednesday 26 April			



Main/First 2023 Session Notices

Advanced Matriculation

Heads of School are to send the coursework assessment marks for Engineering Drawing, Graphical Communication, Information Technology, Geography and Home Economics and Human Ecology to MATSEC by Friday 10 March 2023. Moderation of coursework in schools will take place between Monday 20 March 2023 and Thursday 20 April 2023, both dates inclusive.

All candidates sitting for Art and Private candidates sitting for Engineering Drawing, Graphical Communication, Information Technology, Geography and Home Economics and Human Ecology are to present their project to MATSEC or the Examinations Centre Victoria, Gozo between Monday 20 February 2023 and Friday 10 March 2023 both dates inclusive from 8:00 – 12:00 or 14:00 – 16:00.

The starting points of the AM Art Thematic Project Work will be published on the MATSEC website by Tuesday 4 April 2023. Candidates are to hand in this work at the end of the AM ART Paper I (Extended Thematic Project) examination session is a folder.

Candidates sitting for AM Music are to indicate whether they will be choosing Performance or Composition on the on-line form at the time of registration. They are to present two copies of the composition (if chosen) to MATSEC or the Examinations Centre Victoria, Gozo by noon Friday 21 April 2023.

Reference should be made to the respective syllabi for further details about each subject including folders required.

Coursework Notice

All coursework submitted by private candidates will be assessed by the Board of Examiners for the subject. With the exception of SEC, IM and AM Art, it is to be presented in a special folder obtainable from MATSEC. All candidates may be called for an interview regarding their coursework. Interviews will be held between Monday 20 March 2023 and Tuesday 11 April 2023 both dates inclusive.

Specific dates will be scheduled per subject (where applicable). Interviews related to a particular subject cannot be scheduled outside the dates pertaining to the subject concerned.

Coursework presented to MATSEC is to be collected by the candidate and on presentation of the Identity card between Thursday 17 August 2023 and Friday 18 August 2023 from 08:00 – 12:00.

The MATSEC Board reserves the right to keep any of the works submitted by candidates.

Intermediate Matriculation

Heads of School are to send the coursework assessment marks for Computing, Information Technology and Systems of Knowledge to MATSEC by Friday 10 March 2023. Moderation of coursework in schools will take place between Monday 20 March 2023 and Thursday 20 April 2023, both dates inclusive.

All candidates sitting for Art, and Private candidates sitting for Computing, Information Technology and Systems of Knowledge are to present their project to MATSEC or the Examinations Centre Victoria, Gozo between Monday 20 February 2023 and Friday 10 March 2023 both dates inclusive from 8:00 – 12:00 or 14:00 – 16:00.

IM Art candidates are to indicate whether for Part II Section A – Work from Observation – they will be choosing Option (i) Still-life with Man-made and Natural forms, or Option (ii) the Human Figure. Candidates are to indicate their choice on the on-line form at the time of registration.

The starting points of the IM Art Thematic Project Work will be published on the MATSEC website by Tuesday 4 April 2023. Candidates are to present this work on Tuesday 6 June 2023 from 08.00 – 12:00 or 14:00 – 16.00 at MATSEC or the Examinations Centre Victoria, Gozo.

Candidates sitting for **IM Music** are to indicate whether they will be choosing **Performance or Composition** on the on-line form at the time of registration. They are to present **two copies of the composition** (if chosen) to **MATSEC** or the **Examinations Centre Victoria, Gozo** by noon **Friday 21 April 2023**.

Reference should be made to the respective syllabi for further details about each subject including folders required.

Secondary Education Certificate

Heads of School are to send the coursework assessment marks for the subjects outlined below to MATSEC by Friday 10 March 2023. In due course, each respective school will be sent sheets for the candidates' assessment marks to be filled in.

Moderation of coursework in schools will take place between Monday 20 March 2023 and Thursday 20 April 2023, both dates inclusive.

Private candidates are to present their coursework for the subjects outlined below to MATSEC or the Examinations Centre Victoria, Gozo between Monday 20 February 2023 and Friday 10 March 2023 both dates inclusive from 8:00 – 12:00 or 14:00 – 16:00.

Subjects:

Art | Biology | Business Studies | Chemistry | Computing | Design and Technology | Environmental Studies | Ethics | Geography | Home Economics | Physical Education | Physics

SEC Art candidates are to indicate whether for Paper I – Work from Observation – they will be choosing Option (a) Still-life, composed of Man-made and Natural forms, or Option (b) the Human Figure. Candidates are to indicate their choice on the on-line form at the time of registration.

The Art General Themes will be published on the MATSEC website by Friday 19 May 2023.

SEC Physical Education candidates shall be requested, in due course to indicate their practical activities choice electronically. More details shall be sent to the candidates' registered email address.

Access Arrangements - Candidates are to apply for Exam Access Arrangements by noon 21 November 2022 at MATSEC.

Late applications for Exam Access Arrangements will only be accepted with late examination registrations on the 28 and noon 29 November 2022. Late fees will apply. Applications for Exam Access Arrangements beyond the 29 November 2022 may be accepted and very late fees will apply.

MATSEC will not make any arrangements in case of clashes with examinations of other boards. Colleges/schools are advised to take note of examination dates before staging school activities for candidates sitting for MATSEC examinations on the prescribed dates as alterations will not be considered. Registrations will be open between 7 November and noon 21 November 2022. To register, candidates are to apply online on www.um.edu.mt/matsec/register. Changes to candidates' details after the 21 November will incur additional charges. Late applications will be accepted online on www.um.edu.mt/matsec/register on 28 November and noon 29 November 2022. Additional fees apply.

A candidates' handbook is available to download from: https://www.um.edu.mt/matsec/guidelines-policies