

HSC LANGUAGES ORAL EXAMINATIONS

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Language	Date	Time
Arabic Continuers	Saturday, 31 July 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Arabic Extension	Saturday, 4 September 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (monologue)
Armenian Continuers	Saturday, 31 July 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Chinese Beginners	Saturday, 28 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Chinese Continuers	Saturday, 7 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Chinese in Context	Saturday, 28 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (discussion)
Chinese Extension	Saturday, 4 September 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (monologue)
Croatian Continuers	Saturday, 21 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Dutch Continuers	Saturday, 14 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Filipino Continuers	Saturday, 31 July 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
French Beginners	Saturday, 21 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
French Continuers	Saturday, 31 July 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
French Extension	Saturday, 4 September 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (monologue)
German Beginners	Saturday, 21 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
German Continuers	Saturday, 7 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
German Extension	Saturday, 4 September 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (monologue)
Hindi Continuers	Saturday, 31 July 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Hungarian Continuers	Saturday, 21 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Indonesian Beginners	Saturday, 21 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Indonesian Continuers	Saturday, 21 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Indonesian Extension	Saturday, 4 September 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (monologue)
Italian Beginners	Saturday, 28 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Italian Continuers	Saturday, 7 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Italian Extension	Saturday, 4 September 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (monologue)
Japanese Beginners	Saturday, 28 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Japanese Continuers	Saturday, 14 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Japanese in Context	Saturday, 28 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (discussion)
Japanese Extension	Saturday, 4 September 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (monologue)
Khmer Continuers	Saturday, 21 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Korean Beginners	Saturday, 28 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Korean Continuers	Saturday, 28 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Korean in Context	Saturday, 28 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (discussion)
Macedonian Continuers	Saturday, 21 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Maltese Continuers	Saturday, 21 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Modern Greek Beginners	Saturday, 28 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Modern Greek Continuers	Saturday, 14 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Modern Greek Extension	Saturday, 4 September 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (monologue)
Modern Hebrew Continuers	Wednesday, 1 September 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Persian Continuers	Saturday, 14 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Polish Continuers	Saturday, 31 July 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Portuguese Continuers	Saturday, 14 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Punjabi Continuers	Saturday, 14 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Russian Continuers	Saturday, 14 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Serbian Continuers	Saturday, 14 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Spanish Beginners	Saturday, 28 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Spanish Continuers	Saturday, 7 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation)
Spanish Extension	Saturday, 4 September 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (monologue)
Swedish Continuers	Saturday, 31 July 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Tamil Continuers	Saturday, 21 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Turkish Continuers	Saturday, 31 July 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)
Vietnamese Continuers	Saturday, 7 August 2021	9.00 am to 4.00 pm (conversation & discussion)

Important information for schools

Key Dates:

- **Wednesday 26 May - Tuesday 1 June 2021:** Language Oral Examination Schedule open for viewing in [Schools Online](#). Schools can see venue information, dates and session times to discuss preferred exam dates and times with students prior to scheduling the following week.
Note: check all student photos are uploaded in Schools Online.
- **Wednesday 2 June - Tuesday 8 June 2021:** Language Oral Examination schedule open in [Schools Online](#). Schools can schedule students to their preferred session.
Note: schools are unable to schedule any students who do not have a photo uploaded.
As soon as the students have been scheduled, their Student Confirmation Sheet will be automatically available in [Schools Online](#) and [Students Online](#).
- **31 July 2021 - 4 September 2021:** Language Oral Examinations take place.

NESA will allocate an exam time to all unscheduled students after 18 June 2021.

Note to regional schools: Please see instructions to schedule your students in [Schools Online](#).

If you need further information, go to the 'Memos and Documents' section of [Schools Online](#) under HSC Language Examinations Advice.

Important information for students

Ensure you are familiar with all the points listed below.

Prior to exam day

- After your school has scheduled your exam, you will need to log in to [Students Online](#) to download your personalised confirmation sheet along with other information relating to your language oral exam such as maps and parking information.
- If your school does not schedule your oral exam, NESA will schedule your exam. Once your exam is scheduled, your confirmation sheet will be available on Students Online from Friday, 18 June 2021. If your examination details are not available on Students Online by this date, talk to your teacher.
- It is unlikely that your exam centre will be your home school. Please ensure you know how to get to your exam centre.
- No alternative arrangements will be made if you fail to attend a scheduled exam.

On your exam day

- If you have flu-like symptoms, we may not let you enter the exam venue. This is for the safety of other students, examiners and support staff. If you are unwell on exam day, call NESA on 0407 522 402 or 0415 533 079.
- Bring your confirmation sheet with you to the exam.
- Arrive at the exam centre no more than 30 minutes before the start time on your confirmation sheet. Note that this start time refers to the start of the exam session and that students do their exams progressively from this time.
- Be prepared to wait under supervision to do your exam. It is strongly recommended that you bring food and drink to have while you wait as there are no food outlets at any of the examination centres. Food and drink cannot be taken into the exam room.
- You may consult study materials including dictionaries while you are waiting, but you will not be permitted to refer to these materials during your exam.
- All electronic communication devices must be switched off while you are waiting to be examined and during your exam. This means any study material on your device will not be accessible.
If you are found using your mobile phone during this time, you may jeopardise your exam.
- NESA staff are not responsible for the security of any material or equipment brought to an exam.
- You should not wear your school uniform to your oral exam.
- If you are ill on your oral exam day, ask your teacher to contact us on (02) 9367 8065 or via [email](#), when you go back to school to make alternative arrangements.
- Should you require wheelchair access, please contact us as soon as possible on (02) 9367 8065 or via [email](#).