



**2022 PRIMARY SCHOOL LEAVING EXAMINATION  
INSTRUCTIONS TO SCHOOL CANDIDATES [Version dated 23 June 2022]**

**(For PSLE Oral Examinations to be conducted in August 2022)**

1. Please read the **Instructions for Candidates** which are found on the SEAB website [www.seab.gov.sg](http://www.seab.gov.sg) before your first paper.

Please **do not report for examination** and **do inform** your teacher, if you are:

- (a) A confirmed COVID-19 case
- (b) On medical leave due to Acute Respiratory Infection (ARI)

If you are on SHN served by ICA, please inform your teacher at least 3 days before the examination. Your teacher will follow up with SEAB and advise you on the arrangements to sit for your oral examination.

*On The Day Of Your Oral Examinations*

2. If you are not well, e.g. having a fever (38.0°C and above), exhibiting flu-like symptoms, do not report for examination. **Please note that candidates who are unwell or with fever or flu-like symptoms, regardless if the symptoms were due to COVID-19 virus, would not be permitted to enter the exam venues.** Inform your teacher that you are unwell and see a doctor. Your teacher will follow up with SEAB.
3. Arrive at your examination centre at least 45 minutes before the start of your paper.
4. You must wear face masks at all times. Refusal to put on face mask is an offence in Singapore under the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) Act. You are only allowed to remove your face mask when you are at the Oral Exam Station and during the reading aloud/oral presentation and oral interaction segments of your Oral Examination with the Oral Examiners. Please put on your face mask once the Oral Examiner has informed you that your Oral Examination has been completed and before you leave the Station. During attendance taking, you may also be asked to remove your mask for a short while to verify your identity.
5. Before the start of the oral examination, the oral examiners will instruct you to
  - sanitise your hands before taking your seat.
  - say out your name and the school name, to ensure that they can hear you clearly.



You can request the oral examiners to repeat the questions and/or speak louder. A placard would be placed in front of you as a reminder that you can request for oral examiners to repeat the question or to speak louder. You will not be penalised for asking the oral examiner to repeat if you are unable to hear clearly.

6. You are not required to key your User ID and password in the e-Oral System. The Examination Personnel will help you to do this. In addition, you will be provided with a headphone at the Silent Preparation station and Oral Exam station to listen to the audio of the video stimulus. Please alert the Examination Personnel if you encounter any audio issues.
7. At the end of the oral examination, the oral examiners will instruct you to:
  - wear your mask;
  - wipe down the high-touch surfaces such as the headphone, mouse, candidate's laptop and table; and
  - sanitise your hands, before leaving the Oral Exam Station.

Waste bins will be placed nearby for you to discard the papers towels after the wipe down.

8. If you are unwell during the examination, please inform an examination personnel immediately. You will be accompanied by an examination personnel to a separate room. Your Principal or Vice-Principal will assess your condition and will decide on appropriate measures such as making arrangements for you to see a doctor or to send you home. They will follow up with SEAB.
9. In the event of a major disruption such as a major train service disruption or heavy rain, you should still make your way to your designated examination centre. You will be allowed to sit for the oral examination if you reach the examination centre within 30 mins after the start of the oral examination. If you are unable to reach your examination centre within 30 mins after the start of the oral examination, you will need to contact your school. Your school will either reschedule you to another day or contact SEAB.

**SEAB will continue to monitor the COVID-19 situation and update schools if there are any changes to the safe management measures.** You must observe and comply with any additional instructions and procedures that SEAB may announce nearer to the examination dates. You should refer to SEAB website at [www.seab.gov.sg](http://www.seab.gov.sg) regularly for updates of instructions and procedures before you proceed to sit for your examination.

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