MINISTRY OF EDUCATION and TECHNICAL and VOCATIONAL TRAINING

EXAMINATION & ASSESSMENT DIVISION

BAHAMAS GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION EXAMINATION

TIMETABLE 2025

ALL BGCSE PRACTICAL EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD FROM Thursday, 20th March THROUGH Thursday, 8th May 2025.

Dates for Practical Examinations are starting dates only. Examinations are to be continued until each subject is completed.

The following Subjects and their Components will be featured:

MORNING				2025	AFTERNOON			
CODE	SUBJECT	PAPER	COMPONENT		CODE	SUBJECT	PAPER	COMPONENT
6250 6251 6252	Art & Design/Craft	ALL PAPERS	PREPARATION TIME	Thursday 20th March	PREPARATION TIME CONTINUE			
7309	Music	2	PRACTICALS Begin	Monday 31st March	4136	Auto Mechanics	2	PRACTICALS Begin
4255	Clothing Construction	1	PRACTICALS Begin		4130	Electrical Installation	3	PRACTICALS Begin
4011	Carpentry & Joinery	4	PRACTICALS Begin(3 hrs)					
PRACTICALS CONTINUE				Tuesday 1st April - Friday 4th April	PRACTICALS CONTINUE			
4320	Food & Nutrition	1A	PLANNING 2 hours (9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)	Friday 4th April	PRACTICALS CONTINUE			
PRACTICALS CONTINUE				Tuesday 8th April	PRACTICALS CONTINUE			
6250 6251 6252	Art & Design/Craft	ALL PAPERS	EXAMINATION Begins	Tuesday 8th April	6250 6251 6252	Art & Design/Craft	ALL PAPERS	EXAMINATION
8020	Spanish	1 or 5	SPEAKING Begins (1 week ONLY)	Wednesday 9th April	PRACTICALS CONTINUE			
8031	French	1 or 5	SPEAKING Begins (1 week ONLY)		PRACTICALS CONTINUE			

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CODE	SUBJECT	PAPER	COMPONENT		CODE	SUBJECT	PAPER	COMPONENT
1310	English Language	2	LISTENING Aural Comp. Approx. 1 hr. 15 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.)	Thursday 10th April	PRACTICALS CONTINUE			
8020	Spanish	2 or 6	LISTENING Approx. 40 mins. (9:00 a.m.)	Friday 11th April	PRACTICALS CONTINUE			
8031	French	2 or 6	LISTENING Approx. 40 mins. (11:00 a.m.)					
GOOD FRIDAY – Friday, 18th April 2025					***EASTER MONDAY – Monday, 21st April 2025***			
2064	Keyboarding Skills	1	CORE Begins 2 hrs. 10 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.)	Monday 28th April	2064	Keyboarding Skills	1	CORE cont'd 2 hrs. 10 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 2:40 p.m.)
PRACTICAL CONTINUE				Tuesday 29th April - Friday 2nd May	PRACTICALS CONTINUE			
2064	Keyboarding Skills	2	EXTENDED 2 hrs. 40 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:40 a.m.)	Monday 5th May	2064	Keyboarding Skills	2	EXTENDED 2 hrs. 40 mins. (12:20 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
PRACTICALS CONTINUE				Tuesday 6th May - Thursday 8th May	PRACTICALS CONTINUE			
PRACTICALS END – Thursday, 8th May 2025								

THEORY EXAMINATIONS

2025

MORNING					AFTERNOON			
CODE	SUBJECT	PAPER	COMPONENT		CODE	SUBJECT	PAPER	COMPONENT
4015	Graphical Communication	1	BASIC GRAPHICS 3 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon)	Friday 9th May	4136	Auto Mechanics	1	STRUCTURED ANSWERS 2 hrs. 10 mins. (1:00 p.m. – 3:10 p.m.)
4011	Carpentry & Joinery	1	SHORT ANSWERS 1 hr. (9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.)	Monday 12th May	8031	French	3 or 7	READING 1 hr. 15 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.)
4011	Carpentry & Joinery	2	THEORY 1 hr. 30 mins. (10:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)				4 or 8	WRITING 1 hr. (2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
4015	Graphical Communication	2	BUILDING/ ENGINEERING GRAPHICS 3 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon)	Tuesday 13th May	7309	Music	1	THEORY 2 hrs. (1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
4130	Electrical Installation	1	SHORT ANSWERS 1 hr. (9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.)	Wednesday 14th May	4320	Food & Nutrition	2	THEORY 2 hrs. (1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
4130	Electrical Installation	2	STRUCTURED QUESTIONS 1 hr. 30 mins. (10:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)					
4255	Clothing Construction	2	THEORY 2 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)	Thursday 15th May	8020	Spanish	3 or 7	READING 1 hr. 15 mins. (12:00 noon – 1:15 p.m.)
							4 or 8	WRITING 1 hr. (1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.)

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1310	English Language	1	CONTINUOUS WRITING 1 hr. 10 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.)	Friday 16th May	1215	Literature	1	LITERARY APPRECIATION & PROSE 2 hrs. 30 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
3009	Biology	1 2	MULTIPLE CHOICE 1 hr. 15 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.) STRUCTURED/ SHORT ANSWERS 1 hr. 30 mins. (10:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon)	Monday 19th May	5121	Religious Studies	1	CHRISTIAN BELIEF AND PRACTICE 2 hrs. (1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
1310	English Language	3	WRITTEN COMPREHENSION 2 hrs. 10 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.)	Tuesday 20th May	3815	Mathematics	1	CORE 1 hr. 30 mins. (1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.)
3815	Mathematics	2	CORE 2 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)	Wednesday 21st May	3051	Chemistry	1 2	MULTIPLE CHOICE 1 hr. 15 mins. (12 noon – 1:15 p.m.) STRUCTURED/ SHORT ANSWERS 1 hr. 30 mins. (1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
1215	Literature	2	DRAMA/POETRY 2 hrs. 30 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.)	Thursday 22nd May	3009	Biology	3 5	EXTENDED 1 hr. 30 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.) ALTERNATIVE *TO COURSEWORK* 1 hr. (2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.)

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CODE	SUBJECT	PAPER	COMPONENT		CODE	SUBJECT	PAPER	COMPONENT
1310	English Language	4	EXTENDED WRITTEN COMPREHENSION 2 hrs. 30 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.)	Friday 23rd May	2009	Bookkeeping & Accounts	1	MULTIPLE CHOICE/ STRUCTURED 2 hrs. (1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
3815	Mathematics	3	EXTENDED 2 hrs. 30 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.)	Monday 26th May	5121	Religious Studies	2	CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVES 2 hrs. (1:00 p.m.–3:00 p.m.)
5101	History	1	BAHAMIAN/CARIBBEAN 2 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)	Tuesday 27th May	2030	Economics	1	MULTIPLE CHOICE/ SHORT ANSWERS 2 hrs. (1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
5109	Geography	1 5	MULTIPLE CHOICE 1 hr. (9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.) ALTERNATIVE *TO COURSEWORK* 1 hr. 30 mins. (10:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)	Wednesday 28th May	3102	Combined Science	1 2	MULTIPLE CHOICE 1 hr. 15 mins. (12:00 noon –1:15 p.m.) STRUCTURED/ SHORT ANSWERS 1 hr. 30 mins. (1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
2221	Commerce	1	MULTIPLE CHOICE/ STRUCTURED 2 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)	Thursday 29th May	3117	Physics	1 2	MULTIPLE CHOICE 1 hr. 15 mins. (12:00 noon –1:15 p.m.) SHORT ANSWERS/ STRUCTURED 1 hr. 30 mins. (1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

MORNING				2024	AFTERNOON			
CODE	SUBJECT	PAPER	COMPONENT		CODE	SUBJECT	PAPER	COMPONENT
2009	Bookkeeping & Accounts	2	EXTENDED 3 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon)	Friday 30th May	5101	History	2	MODERN WORLD 2 hrs. 30 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
2036	Office Procedures	1	MULTIPLE CHOICE/ SHORT ANSWERS 2 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)	Monday 2nd June	3051	Chemistry	3 5	EXTENDED 1 hr. 30 mins. (12:00 noon – 1:30 p.m.) ALTERNATIVE *TO COURSEWORK* 1 hr. 15 mins. (1:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
5109	Geography	2	STRUCTURED QUESTIONS 2 hrs. 30 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.)	Tuesday 3rd June	2030	Economics	2	STRUCTURED QUESTIONS 2 hrs. 30 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
3102	Combined Science	3 5	EXTENDED 1 hr. 30 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.) ALTERNATIVE *TO COURSEWORK* 1 hr. 15 mins. (10:45 a.m. – 12:00 noon)	Wednesday 4th June	2221	Commerce	2	SHORT ANSWERS/ESSAY 2 hrs. 30 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
2036	Office Procedures	2	STRUCTURED QUESTIONS 2 hrs. 30 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.)	Thursday 5th June	3117	Physics	3 5	EXTENDED 1 hr. 30 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.) ALTERNATIVE *TO COURSEWORK* 1 hr. 15 mins. (2:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.)
LABOUR DAY HOLIDAY, Friday 6th June 2025					WHIT MONDAY HOLIDAY – Monday 9th June, 2025			

COURSEWORK DUE – Friday, 11th April, 2025

ISSUED: October 2024