

Mock Exam Masterclasses : IGCSE

Monday 26th February - Friday 1st March



With all of the coursework completed, mock exam results to work on, and the syllabus in each subject finished, the February half-term holiday marks the beginning of the revision and exam practice period of the academic year.

For many students, it is a busy time, with family obligations, social events and travel. For this reasons, we have decided to offer a short, intensive course in IGCSE revision at the Modelex Education Centre in Fontvieille.

This will take place in the first week of the holiday. We will also offer IB Diploma master classes in the second week.

This course will be led by experienced subject specialists with an outstanding track-record in the classroom. The lessons will be laser-focused on securing the knowledge and sharpening the skills that we know make the difference between an average performance (B or C) and an excellent performance (A or A*). Though we can offer classes in other subjects upon request, we will be focusing on the academic core - English, Mathematics and the Sciences. At the British School of Monaco Individual Programme, our students consistently achieve excellent grades at both IGCSE and A-level.

We are experts in giving students that extra 10 - 15% which can make all the difference.

We also invite students to do their own individual revision in our study space, through our 'Study Hall' offering. They will benefit from a focused working environment, good internet, a bank of up-to-date resources and the 1-1 support of our teaching team who will be available to answer questions and give pointers. It also creates a helpful distinction between a home and work environment that is useful for students.

While these Master Classes are aimed primarily at Y11 students with imminent exams, they will also be useful for Y10 students who want to get ahead.



English Language 0500 and Literature 0475

	Monday 26th of February	Tuesday 27th of February	Wednesday 28th of February	Thursday 29th of February	Friday 1st of March
9:30-11	English Language Paper 1 Reading	English Language Paper 2 Writing - shorter questions	English Literature Paper 4 Responding to Unseen texts	English Literature Paper 1 Poetry	English Literature Analytical skills and vocabulary
11:30 - 1	English Language Paper 1 Reading	English Language Paper 2 Descriptive Writing	English Literature Paper 4 Responding to Unseen texts	English Literature Paper 1 Prose	English Literature Essay structure and paragraph building
Lunch					
2-4	English Language Paper 1 Reading	English Language Paper 2 Narrative writing	English Literature - Songs of Ourselves, poetry revision	English Literature Paper 2 Drama	Q and A

The English Language and English Literature Master classes will be run by Mairin Kane, Roddy Dunlop and Robert Phelps. The English Language classes will use the most up-to-date past papers and mark schemes - only available to CIE schools - to prepare students for what they are likely to encounter in the real exams in May/June.

There will be a focus both on achieving a maximum score in the shorted 'closed' questions, and on strategies for improving longer, written responses in both papers.

The Literature classes aim to broaden the students' knowledge of technical vocabulary in analysis; and to develop their skills as literary analysts. It will then teach strategies to improve planning, structure and time management in the essay responses.

International Mathematics 0607 and Mathematics 0580

	Monday 26th of February	Tuesday 27th of February	Wednesday 28th of February	Thursday 29th of February	Friday 1st of March
9:30-11	Paper 2 (0607 & 0580) Investigating tricky ques- tions and understanding question types that appear frequently	Paper 4 (0607 & 0580) Numbers	Paper 4 (0607 & 0580) Mensuration	Paper 4 (0607 & 0580) Coordinate Geometry and Geometry	Paper 4 (0580) & Paper 6 (0607) Critical thinking and understanding the route that an examiner expects you to take
11:30 - 1	Paper 2 (0607 & 0580) Investigating tricky ques- tions and understanding question types that appear frequently	Paper 4 (0607 & 0580) Trigonometry	Paper 4 (0607 & 0580) Mensuration	Paper 4 (0607 & 0580) Probability and Statistics	Paper 4 (0580) & Paper 6 (0607) Critical thinking and understanding the route that an examiner expects you to take
Lunch					
2-4	Paper 4 (0607 & 0580) Algebra and Graphs	Paper 4 (0607 & 0580) Trigonometry	Paper 4 (0607 & 0580) Coordinate Geometry and Geometry	Paper 4 (0607 & 0580) Probability and Statistics	Q and A

The International Mathematics and Mathematics Master classes will be run by Alp Aslan and Raymond Lim. The classes will use the most up-to-date past papers and mark schemes - only available to CIE schools - to prepare students for what they are likely to encounter in their real exams in May/June.

Due to the slightly different format of examination in the two courses, there will be a focus on the longer-structure questions that appear on Paper 4 on both specifications as these papers are worth a respective 60% (0607) and 65% (0580) of the final grade.

Co-ordinated Sciences (Double Award) 0654

	Monday 26th of February	Tuesday 27th of February	Wednesday 28th of February	Thursday 29th of February	Monday 26th of February
9:30-11	Paper 2 Multiple-Choice	Paper 4 Theory Biology	Paper 4 Theory Chemistry	Paper 4 Theory Physics	Paper 6 Alternative to Practical
11:30 - 1	Paper 2 Multiple-Choice	Paper 4 Theory Biology	Paper 4 Theory Chemistry	Paper 4 Theory Physics	English Literature Essay structure and paragraph building
Lunch					
2-4	Paper 2 Multiple-Choice	Paper 4 Theory Biology	Paper 4 Theory Chemistry	Paper 4 Theory Physics	Paper 6 Alternative to Practical Q and A

The Co-ordinated Sciences Master classes will be run by Joshua Johnson-Mottais and Raymond Lim. The Science classes will use the most up-to-date past papers and mark schemes - only available to CIE schools - to prepare students for what they are likely to encounter the real exams in May/June.

The masterclasses will cover the nuances explored in all of the exam papers in the Coordinated Sciences course.

Students will learn which topics are regularly examined and what material should be memorised, as well as how to apply the material that they have memorised in longer-response questions. Students will be guided on how to phrase answers dependent on the type of instruction given, i.e. describe/explain/state. Students will also be taught where marks are awarded, as well as the keywords that are essential in gaining these marks.

Parents' Return Form

We are happy to offer your child a personalised Master Class programme. Based on the timetables above, they can select the classes they wish to attend and create their own schedules.

They can also schedule for supervised revision time and one-on-one support with a subject specialist.

Please complete the following blank timetable and return it to Modelex.

Name - _____

School - _____

Year Group - _____

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If your child has chosen classes in English Literature, please list the texts they will be using in the exams.

Poetry - _____

Prose (Novel) - _____

Drama - _____

Prices

Five days - €1500 ttc

Daily rate - €350 ttc