

Marr College

# S4, 5 and 6 - National 5 Prelim Assessments Timetable

December 2021



## National 5 Assessments and SQA Examinations

As you will be aware the Scottish Government and SQA have announced that there will be a diet of formal National 5, Higher and Advanced Higher examinations planned to commence 26 April 2022.

Also, that course modifications put in place last year to support learners will remain in place for this year too. This includes removal or adjustment of course assignment tasks and some course content not required to be assessed. Your class teacher will keep you aware of what you have to do to achieve your award so please follow their advice carefully.

Although you have been completing assessments in class already we also need to complete an examination-type question paper to gain experience of sitting an examination and to understand how you are progressing in your learning.

The prelim assessment, along with other evidence of assessment, also gives a good prediction of how you are likely to perform in an SQA examination so it is essential that you take this seriously and prepare thoroughly to do your very best in these assessments.

This year we intend to hold both National 5 English and Mathematics prelim assessments in our Assembly Hall and Museum space under strict SQA controlled conditions. This is to give you some examination hall experience ahead of the planned summer diet. All other subjects will hold their prelim assessments in class during timetables double periods. Alternative arrangements will be provided for eligible candidates too.

During the prelim assessment weeks your teachers will let you study in class for prelim assessments in other subjects as well as your own. You must remain within your classroom and will **not** be allowed to ICT suites or other areas of the school so bring your revision materials and equipment with you.

## National 3 and 4 Assessments

Last year many courses and subjects had modifications made to support learners through what was a challenging year. These modifications will remain in place for most subjects for 2021/22 and include optional achievement of Added-Value Units (AVUs) at N4 along with reduced content and assessment with greater opportunities for learning and teaching. Your class teacher will keep you aware of what you have to do to achieve these awards and please follow their advice carefully.

In summary, you must keep working hard and remember all your class and assessment work throughout the year can help you achieve the best possible result you can and to be as successful you can be!

# Your Timetable

You can use this page to record all your prelim assessments being held in December 2020 and January 2021. Please write in the table below the dates and times (periods) of your prelim assessments. Please note that some prelim assessments appear more than once on the timetable. This is because there may be more than one class and so you will need to make sure you have a note of the correct date and time for your class prelim assessment.

Here's what to do...

1. Write the name of your subject in the first box
2. Look at the prelim assessments timetable
3. Work out which prelim assessment time matches when you attend this class on your timetable
4. Record the date and periods for the prelim assessment
5. Do this for all your subjects
6. Check with your class-teacher that the date and periods are correct

Subject	Date	Period(s)

## National 5 Prelim Assessment Rules

Here are the rules you must follow when sitting your prelim assessments:

- prelim assessments will mainly be held in your normal classroom for that subject
- please sit in the seat allocated by your teacher
- wait for instructions from your teacher before starting the prelim assessment
- sit bags and jackets at the side of the room when you enter
- note the items below that are not permitted in the prelim assessment room



Mobile phones



Electronic devices such as iPods, tablets, smartwatches or any other device that stores information or can connect to the internet



Extra information - books, notes, sketches or paper, and anything written on your clothes or body



Pencil cases or calculator cases



Calculators, except for exam papers where calculators are allowed



Dictionaries, except for exam papers where dictionaries are allowed

Please note - if you are not able to sit a prelim assessment, for example if you are absent through being unwell that day, you will be able to sit at another time which you can arrange with your class teacher in the subject department.

**NATIONAL 5 PRELIM ASSESSMENTS****December 2021**

<b>TBC</b>					
<b>PERIODS:</b>					
<i>Course</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Paper</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
Physical Education	N5	Performance	All		PE
<b>TUESDAY 30<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER</b>					
<b>Morning</b>					
<i>Course</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Paper</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
Practical Cookery	N5	Meal preparation	All		HE
<b>WEDNESDAY 1<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER</b>					
<b>Morning (and Afternoon for Music)</b>					
<i>Course</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Paper</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
Music	N5	Performance	All		Music
Practical Cookery	N5	Meal preparation	All		HE
<b>THURSDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> DECEMBER</b>					
<b>All day</b>					
<i>Course</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Paper</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
Music	N5	Performance	All		Music
<b>FRIDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> DECEMBER</b>					
<b>All day</b>					
<i>Course</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Paper</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
Music	N5	Performance	All		Music

<b>MONDAY 6<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER</b>					
<b>PERIODS: 3 &amp; 4 (Column A, B and C)</b>					
<i>Course</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Paper</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
Applications of Maths	N5	Question Paper	All		Halls
Mathematics	N5	Question Paper	All		Halls
<b>TUESDAY 7<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER</b>					
<b>PERIODS: 3 &amp; 4 (Column D)</b>					
<i>Course</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Paper</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
Administration and IT	N5	Question Paper	Miss Wyllie		Business
Art and Design	N5	Question Paper	Miss Madden		207
Biology	N5	Question Paper	Miss Kaya		Biology
Biology (Col B S5 and 6)	N5	Question Paper	Miss McCauley		Biology
Chemistry	N5	Question Paper	Mrs Donnelly		114
Computing Science	N5	Question Paper	Miss Barlow		045
Geography	N5	Question Paper	Mr Ross		228
Physical Education	N5	Question Paper	Mr Bryden		PE
Physics	N5	Question Paper	Mr Strachan		119

Practical Woodworking	N5	Question Paper	Mr Hamilton		Technical
Spanish	N5	Question Paper	Mrs Gilmore		134
<b>THURSDAY 9<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER</b>					
<b>PERIODS: 1 &amp; 2 (Column A, B and C)</b>					
<i>Course</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Paper</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
English	N5	Question Paper	All		Halls

<b>MONDAY 13<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER</b>					
<b>PERIODS: 6 &amp; 7 (Column F)</b>					
<i>Course</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Paper</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
Biology	N5	Question Paper	Mrs McGrouther		Chemistry
Business Management	N5	Question Paper	Mrs Stevenson		Business
Engineering Science	N5	Question Paper	Miss Muir		Technical
French	N5	Question Paper	Mrs Gilmore		134
Geography	N5	Question Paper	Mr Marshall		229
Graphic Communication	N5	Question Paper	Mr Hamilton		Technical
Modern Studies	N5	Question Paper	Mr Moncrieff		234
Music	N5	Question Paper	Mr Baillie		037
Music Technology	N5	Question Paper	Mr Russell		047
Physics	N5	Question Paper	Mr Strachan		119
Practical Cookery	N5	Question Paper	Mrs Dorrian		HE
Practical Woodworking	N5	Question Paper	Mr Kellet		Technical

<b>TUESDAY 14<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER</b>					
<b>PERIODS: 6 &amp; 7 (Column E)</b>					
<i>Course</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Paper</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
Biology	N5	Question Paper	Miss Kaya		Biology
Computing Science	N5	Question Paper	Mr Simpson		046
Geography	N5	Question Paper	Mrs Drewett		Geography
Health and Food Tech.	N5	Question Paper	Mrs Mitchell		HE
History	N5	Question Paper	Mr Morton		231
Modern Studies	N5	Question Paper	Miss Frew		ModStudies
Physical Education	N5	Question Paper	Mrs Maxwell		PE
Physics	N5	Question Paper	Mr Robertson		209
Practical Metalworking	N5	Question Paper	Mr Hamilton		Technical
RMPS	N5	Question Paper	Miss Good		136

<b>WEDNESDAY 15<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER</b>					
<b>PERIODS: 1 &amp; 2 (Column C)</b>					
<i>Course</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Paper</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
Administration and IT	N5	Question Paper	Miss Wyllie		Business
Art and Design	N5	Question Paper	Miss Madden		207
Biology	N5	Question Paper	Miss Jones		117
Business Management	N5	Question Paper	Mrs Stevenson		Business
Chemistry	N5	Question Paper	Mr McIntyre		115
Geography	N5	Question Paper	Mr Lindsay		227
Graphic Communication	N5	Question Paper	Mr Kellet		Technical

History	N5	Question Paper	Mr Harris		232
Music	N5	Question Paper	Mr Russell		037
Physical Education	N5	Question Paper	Mr McElnea		PE
Physics	N5	Question Paper	Dr Spencer		118
Practical Electronics	N5	Question Paper	Mr Strachan		119