

**CARIBBEAN SECONDARY EDUCATION CERTIFICATE® EXAMINATIONS  
TIMETABLE MAY-JUNE 2018**

2018	MORNING	AFTERNOON
Monday 16 April	PORTUGUESE 3 (General) FRENCH 3 (General) SPANISH 3 (General) Oral Examinations to begin (see Note 4)  PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORT 2 (General) Practical Examination to begin (see Note 5)	
Friday 20 April	VISUAL ARTS 2 (General)  Question paper handed to candidates for Examination to be held during period 07 -23 May (see Note 6)	
Friday 27 April		PORTUGUESE 3 (General) FRENCH 3 (General) SPANISH 3 (General) Oral Examinations to end
Friday 04 May		PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORT 2 (General) Practical Examination to end
Monday 07 May	VISUAL ARTS 2 (General) Examination to begin (see Note 6)  MUSIC 2 (General) Practical Examination to begin (see Note 8)  ELECTRONIC DOCUMENT PREPARATION & MGT 2 General - 2 hr 20 min	CHEMISTRY 3/2*** General – 2 hr 10 min  TEXTILES, CLOTHING & FASHION 2 Technical – 2 hr 30 min
Tuesday 08 May	ENGLISH A 2 General – 2 hr 40 min	ENGLISH A 1 General – 1 hr 30 min
Wednesday 09 May	MATHEMATICS 2 General – 2 hr 40 min	MATHEMATICS 1 General – 1 hr 30 min * MATHEMATICS 3/2*** General – 1 hr

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2018	MORNING	AFTERNOON
Thursday 10 May	SOCIAL STUDIES 2 General – 2 hr 40 min	SOCIAL STUDIES 1 General – 1 hr 15 min * SOCIAL STUDIES 3/2*** General – 1 hr 10 min
Friday 11 May	ENGLISH B 2 General – 2 hr 10 min	ENGLISH B 1 General – 2 hr
Monday 14 May	**ENGLISH A 3/2*** General – 2 hr  **ENGLISH B 3/2*** General – 2 hr	RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 2 General - 2 hr  FRENCH 2 General – 2 hr 15 min
Tuesday 15 May	INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY 2: MECHANICAL ENGINEERING Technical – 2 hr 10 min  FOOD, NUTRITION & HEALTH 2 Technical – 2 hr 30 min	**AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE D/A 2 **AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE S/A 2 General – 2 hr
Wednesday 16 May	SPANISH 2 General – 2 hr 15 min	CARIBBEAN HISTORY 2 General – 2 hr 10 min
Thursday 17 May	PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTS 2 General – 3 hr	PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTS 1 General – 1 hr 30 min * PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTS 3/2*** General – 1 hr 30 min

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2018	MORNING	AFTERNOON
Friday 18 May	PRINCIPLES OF BUSINESS 2 General – 2 hr	PRINCIPLES OF BUSINESS 1 General – 1 hr 15 min * PRINCIPLES OF BUSINESS 3/2*** General – 1 hr 15 min  MUSIC 2 (General) Practical Examination to end
Monday 21 May	PORTUGUESE 2 General – 2 hr 30 min  MUSIC PAPER 1 Section 1 General – 1 hr  ##  MUSIC PAPER 1 Sections II and III General – 1 hr 15 min  BIOLOGY 2 General – 2 hr 30 min	HUMAN AND SOCIAL BIOLOGY 2 General – 2 hr
Tuesday 22 May	FAMILY & RESOURCE MANAGEMENT 2 Technical – 2 hr 30 min  ADDITIONAL MATHEMATICS 2 General – 2 hr 40 min	PHYSICAL EDUCATION & SPORT 1 General - 2 hr 40 min  ECONOMICS 1 General – 1 hr 15 min * ECONOMICS 3/2 *** General – 1 hr 30 min
Wednesday 23 May	CHEMISTRY 2 General – 2 hr 30 min  INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY 2: BUILDING AND FURNITURE Technical – 2 hr 10 min  THEATRE ARTS 1 General – 1 hr 40 min	TECHNICAL DRAWING 2 TECHNICAL – 2 hr 40 min  VISUAL ARTS 2 General Examination to end

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## **A 10-minute break must be allowed between Section I, and Sections II and III (Music Paper 1)**

2018	MORNING	AFTERNOON
Thursday 24 May	GEOGRAPHY 2 General – 2 hr 30 min	AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE D/A 3 General – 2 hr  INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY 2: ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONIC Technical – 2 hr 10 min
Friday 25 May	OFFICE ADMINISTRATION 2 General – 2 hr	OFFICE ADMINISTRATION 1 General – 1 hr 15 min * OFFICE ADMINISTRATION 3/2*** General – 1 hr 45 min
Monday 28 May	PHYSICS 2 General – 2 hr 30 min	INTEGRATED SCIENCE S/A 2 General – 2 hr 30 min
Tuesday 29 May	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY 2 General – 2 hr 15 min	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY 1 General – 1 hr 30 min
Wednesday 30 May	ECONOMICS 2 General – 2 hr  PHYSICS 3/2*** General – 2 hr 10 min	INTEGRATED SCIENCE S/A 1 General – 1 hr 15 min
Thursday 31 May	INTEGRATED SCIENCE S/A 3/2*** General – 2 hr 10 min  FAMILY & RESOURCE MANAGEMENT 1 Technical – 1 hr 30 min	INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY 1**: BUILDING AND FURNITURE ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC MECHANICAL ENGINEERING Technical – 1 hr 15 min

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Friday 01 June	ELECTRONIC DOCUMENT PREPARATION & MGT 1 General – 1 hr 30 min * ELECTRONIC DOCUMENT PREPARATION & MGT 3/2 *** General – 1 hr 50 min	FOOD, NUTRITION & HEALTH 1 Technical – 1 hr 30 min  PORTUGUESE 1 General – 1 hr 15 min
Monday 04 June	FRENCH 1 General – 1 hr 15 min  BIOLOGY 3/2*** General – 2 hr 10 min	HUMAN AND SOCIAL BIOLOGY 1 General – 1 hr 15 min
Tuesday 05 June	CARIBBEAN HISTORY 1 General – 1 hr 15 min * CARIBBEAN HISTORY 3/2*** General – 2 hr	BIOLOGY 1 General – 1 hr 15 min  RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 1 General – 1 hr 15 min
Wednesday 06 June	ADDITIONAL MATHEMATICS 1 General – 1 hr 30 min * ADDITIONAL MATHEMATICS 3/2*** General – 1 hr 30 min **AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE D/A 1 **AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE S/A 1 General – 1 hr 15 min	PHYSICS 1 General – 1 hr 15 min

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Thursday 07 June	GEOGRAPHY 1 General – 1 hr 15 min * GEOGRAPHY 3/2*** General – 1 hr 45 min	SPANISH 1 General – 1 hr 15 min
Friday 08 June	TECHNICAL DRAWING 1 Technical – 1 hr 15 min	CHEMISTRY 1 General – 1 hr 15 min  TEXTILES, CLOTHING & FASHION 1 Technical – 1 hr 30 min

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SUBJECT	PAPER NO.	DATE	SESSION
1. Additional Mathematics (General)	1+	06 June	AM (1 hr 30 min)
	2+	22 May	AM (2 hr 40 min)
	3/2***+	06 June	AM (1 hr 30 min)
2. Agricultural Science S/A (General)	1	06 June	AM (1 hr 15 min)
	2	15 May	PM (2 hr)
3. Agricultural Science D/A (General)	1	06 June	AM (1 hr 15 min)
	2	15 May	PM (2 hr)
	3	24 May	PM (2 hr)
4. Biology (General)	1+	05 June	PM (1 hr 15 min)
	2+	21 May	AM (2 hr 30 min)
	3/2***+	04 June	AM (2 hr 10 min)
5. Caribbean History (General)	1+	05 June	AM (1 hr 15 min)
	2	16 May	PM (2 hr 10 min)
	3/2***+	05 June	AM (2 hr)
6. Chemistry (General)	1+	08 June	PM (1 hr 15 min)
	2+	23 May	AM (2 hr 30 min)
	3/2***+	07 May	PM (2 hr 10 min)
7. Economics (General)	1+	22 May	PM (1 hr 15 min)
	2+	30 May	AM (2 hr)
	3/2***+	22 May	PM (1 hr 30 min)
8. Electronic Document Preparation & Management (General)	1+	01 June	AM (1 hr 30 min)
	2+	07 May	AM (2 hr 20 min)
	3/2***+	01 June	AM (1 hr 50 min)
9. English A (General)	1	08 May	PM (1 hr 30 min)
	2	08 May	AM (2 hr 40 min)
	3/2***+	14 May	AM (2 hr)
10. English B (General)	1	11 May	PM (2 hr)
	2	11 May	AM (2 hr 10 min)
	3/2***+	14 May	AM (2 hr)
11. Family & Resource Management (Technical)	1	31 May	AM (1 hr 30 min)
	2	22 May	AM (2 hr 30 min)
12. Food, Nutrition & Health (Technical)	1	01 June	PM (1 hr 30 min)
	2	15 May	AM (2 hr 30 min)

+ **See Notes to Timetable**

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SUBJECT	PAPER NO.	DATE	SESSION
13. French (General)	1 2 3+	04 June 14 May 16–07 April	AM (1 hr 15 min) PM (2 hr 15 min) Oral Examination Period
14. Geography (General)	1+ 2 3/2***+	07 June 24 May 07 June	AM (1 hr 15 min) AM (2 hr 30 min) AM (1 hr 45 min)
15. Human and Social Biology (General)	1 2	04 June 21 May	PM (1 hr 15 min) PM (2 hr)
16. Industrial Technology Industrial Technology: Building and Furniture Electrical and Electronic Mechanical Engineering	1+ 2+ 2+ 2+	31 May 23 May 24 May 15 May	PM (1 hr 15 min) AM (2 hr 10 min) PM (2 hr 10 min) AM (2 hr 10 min)
17. Information Technology (General)	1 2+	29 May 29 May	PM (1 hr 30 min) AM (2 hr 15 min)
18. Integrated Science S/A (General)	1+ 2+ 3/2***+	30 May 28 May 31 May	PM (1 hr 15 min) PM (2 hr 30 min) AM (2 hr 10 min)
19. Mathematics (General)	1+ 2+ 3/2***+	09 May 09 May 09 May	PM (1 hr 30 min) AM (2 hr 40 min) PM (1 hr)
20. Music (General)	1+ 2+	21 May 07-18 May	AM (2 hr 25 min) Practical Examination Period
21. Office Administration (General)	1+ 2+ 3/2***+	25 May 25 May 25 May	PM (1 hr 15 min) AM (2 hr) PM (1 hr 45 min)

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22. Physical Education & Sport (General)	1 2+	22 May 16 April-04 May	PM (2 hr 40 min) Practical Examination Period
23. Physics (General)	1+ 2+ 3/2***+	06 June 28 May 30 May	PM (1 hr 15 min) AM (2 hr 30 min) AM (2 hr 10 min)
24. Portuguese (General)	1 2 3+	01 June 21 May 16-27 April	PM (1 hr 15 min) AM (2 hr 30 min) Oral Examination Period
25. Principles of Accounts (General)	1+ 2 3/2***+	17 May 17 May 17 May	PM (1 hr 30 min) AM (3 hr) PM (1 hr 30 min)
26. Principles of Business (General)	1+ 2 3/2***+	18 May 18 May 18 May	PM (1 hr 15 min) AM (2 hr) PM (1 hr 15 min)
27. Religious Education (General)	1 2	05 June 14 May	PM (1 hr 15 min) PM (2 hr)
28. Social Studies (General)	1+ 2 3/2***+	10 May 10 May 10 May	PM (1hr 15 min) AM (2 hr 40 min) PM (1 hr 10 min)
29. Spanish (General)	1 2 3+	07 June 16 May 16 - 27 April	PM (1 hr 15 min) AM (2 hr 15 min) Oral Examination Period
30. Technical Drawing (Technical)	1 2+	08 June 23 May	AM (1 hr 15 min) PM (2 hr 40 min)
31. Textiles, Clothing & Fashion (Technical)	1 2	08 June 07 May	PM (1 hr 30 min) PM (2 hr 30 min)
32. Theatre Arts (General)	1+	23 May	AM (1 hr 40 min)
33. Visual Arts (General)	2+ 2+	20 April 07-23 May	Paper given to Candidates Examination Period

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**NOTES TO 2018 TIMETABLE**

1. **\*\*Indicates a common paper.**
2. **The time indicated on the Timetable includes:**
  - (i) **Reading Time.**
  - (ii) **10 minutes Reading Time and 10 minutes to “warm-up” on the computer prior to the start of the examinations for Electronic Document Preparation and Management Papers 2 and 3/2**
3. **Starting times for all centres within a territory are 0900 hr and 1300 hr. If at any centre the number of candidates is greater than can be accommodated in one session, the Local Registrar may arrange to administer the examination in two or more sessions, ensuring that suitable arrangements are made to preserve the integrity of the examinations.**
4. **French, Portuguese and Spanish Oral Examinations (Paper 3) in each territory will be conducted during the period 16–27 April in accordance with the Local Registrar’s schedule.**
5. **The Practical Examination in Physical Education and Sport (Paper 2) in each territory will be conducted during the period 16 April to 04 May in accordance with the Local Registrar’s schedule. The Physical Education and Sport Paper 1 examination will consist of a Multiple Choice component and a short essay-type component.**
6. **Visual Arts: A common paper containing all options will be issued. Candidates will be required to choose two Production Papers from the Options below:**
  - (i) **Drawing**
  - (ii) **Painting and Mixed-media**
  - (iii) **Graphic and Communication Design**
  - (iv) **Printmaking**
  - (v) **Textile Design and Manipulation**
  - (vi) **Sculpture and Ceramics**
  - (vii) **Leathercraft**
  - (viii) **Fibre and Decorative Arts**

**Candidates must select for the final examination those two options for which SBA assignments have been done.**

**The Test Paper is to be handed to candidates on Friday, 20 April. The examination must be completed during the period 07–23 May.**

**All of the Options are 6-hour papers and should be divided into two (2) 3-hour sessions with a break of not less than 1 hour between sessions. These two sessions need not be held on the same day.**

**All candidates will be required to submit a Reflective Journal. This must be submitted at the same time as the Production pieces.**

7. All Paper 1 examinations are multiple choice in format except those in Music, Theatre Arts and Visual Arts.
8. The Practical Examination in Music (Paper 2) in each territory will be conducted during the period 07 - 18 May in accordance with the Local Registrar's schedule. For Music Paper 1, there will be a 10-minute break between Section I, and Sections II and III. Both papers for Music Paper 1 are combined Question Paper/Answer Booklets.
9. Attention is drawn to the rule that silent non-programmable scientific calculators may be used in the following examinations:

Additional Mathematics  
 Agricultural Science DA Papers 2 and 3  
 Agricultural Science SA Paper 2 only  
 Chemistry  
 Economics  
 Geography  
 Industrial Technology: Building and Furniture  
 Industrial Technology: Electrical and Electronic  
 Industrial Technology: Mechanical Engineering  
 Integrated Science SA  
 Mathematics - Papers 2 and 3/2  
 Office Administration Papers 2 and 3/2  
 Physics  
 Principles of Accounts  
 Principles of Business Paper 3/2 only  
 Technical Drawing Papers 2

10. The use of geometry sets (mathematical instruments) is permitted in Biology Paper 2, Geography Papers 1, 2 and 3/2, Mathematics Paper 2 and Social Studies Paper 3/2.
11. Information Technology Paper 2: this subject will be offered at General Proficiency level only. It is not a practical examination - no computer workstations will be required.
12. The Alternative Paper (3/2) to SBA in Biology, Chemistry, Integrated Science and Physics is a practical examination – laboratory facilities will be required.
13. Candidates taking the Technical Drawing Paper 2, CAD Option, on 23 May should be given additional time for printing at the end of the examination.

**14. The Alternative Paper to SBA (Paper 3/2), must be written by private candidates who opted not to complete the SBA assignment. Papers 1 and 3/2 must be written in the same session with a 15-minute break between them – except in cases of the sciences and English A and B. Paper 1 must be written before Paper 3/2. Papers 1 and 3/2 in these examinations have been scheduled as follows:-**

- (i) Mathematics – 09 May**
- (ii) Social Studies – 10 May**
- (iii) Principles of Accounts – 17 May**
- (iv) Principles of Business – 18 May**
- (v) Economics – 22 May**
- (vi) Office Administration – 25 May**
- (vii) Electronic Document Preparation and Management – 01 June**
- (viii) Caribbean History – 05 June**
- (ix) Additional Mathematics – 06 June**
- (x) Geography – 07 June**

**15. Industrial Technology Paper 1 is a common paper to all three options: Building and Furniture, Electrical and Electronic, and Mechanical Engineering. The Paper 2 is a separate paper for each of the options. Candidates are permitted to register for all three options at any one sitting.**

**16. The Alternative Paper to SBA (Paper 3/2) will be offered for the first time in English A, English B and Mathematics at the May-June 2018 sitting. Candidates who register for English A Paper 3/2 and English B Paper 3/2 during the same sitting will be required to write only one examination since both papers will be offered as a common examination.**