

Information Leaflet Welsh Second Language December 2021

Season's greetings!! It has been a challenging term once more for you as teachers, departments and centres. We at WJEC continue to value all you do as teachers to ensure that your learners are safe and receive first-class lessons.

We would like to take this opportunity to wish you and your loved ones well during the festive period in the hope that you will have the opportunity to enjoy in the company of family and friends in the coming weeks.

Below is some information to remind you exactly what we have either on our subject pages or on our secure website for you:

GCSE Welsh Second Language

Go to Summer 2022 Adaptations:

Here, you will find the 'Advance Information' document, which is information published to assist you in teaching the extended writing question of Unit 3 and Unit 4. You will also find the 'Adaptations Summary' document showing the adaptations in place for Summer 2022.

Go to 'Contingency Arrangements' and you will see the document 'S22 GCSE Welsh Second Language Assessment Framework'. This is information should the examinations be cancelled. **

Go to 'Oral Examinations and Course Work Forms' and you will find the mark recording forms for Unit 1 and Unit 2.

Go to 'Marking Schemes' and you will see Unit 1 and Unit 2 marking schemes.

Go to a 'Guidance for Teaching' and you will see the document 'GCSE Welsh Second Language Oral Booklet 2022' which will help you administer the non-exam speaking and listening assessments (Unit 1 and Unit 2).

Go to 'E-Submission' and you will see an 'E-submission Flowchart' document that will remind you of the steps for submitting Unit 1 and Unit 2 marks and samples on Surpass.

Secure Website

** Follow these steps to find the complete version of 'S22 GCSE Welsh Second Language Assessment Framework': **View Contingency Information> GCSE> Welsh 2nd Language>** 'Qualification Assessment Framework for Summer 2022 Contingency Arrangements GCSE Welsh Second Language'

Follow these steps to find the power points presented by Tina Thomas (Principal Moderator for Unit 1 and Principal Examiner for Unit 3) and Dyfed Williams (Principal Examiner for Unit 4) in the CPD training 16 November (online webinar): Resources> Subject-Specific Support inc. CPD and Exemplars (do not use filter) go down to Welsh Second Language> CPD Materials/Deunydd DPP> CPD Materials/Deunydd DPP> Sleidiau DPP Gweminar Ar-lein Tachwedd 2021 TGAU Cymraeg Ail Iaith.zip



Important dates

Unit 1: 30, 31 March and 1 April 2022

Unit 2: 4, 5, 6 April 2022

Unit 3: 17 May (afternoon) 2022

Unit 4: 9 June (morning) 2022

Date marks submitted on IAMIS: (latest date to ensure that you will receive the key codes for uploading the samples to Surpass) 29 April 2022. (30 April and 1 May is a weekend and 2 May is a bank holiday.) It is therefore necessary to ensure that you submit the marks on IAMIS by 29 April to ensure that you have 48 working hours during 3 May and 4 May to receive the key codes in order to load the samples to Surpass before the closing date of 5 May.

Deadline: 5 May 2022

AS and A Level

Go to Summer 2022 Adaptations:

Here, you will find documents setting out the adaptations in place for the summer 2022 series.

Secure Website

Follow these steps to find the power point presented by Clive Rowlands (Principal for Unit 1 and Unit 4) and Shoned Jones (Moderator for Unit 1 and Unit 4) in the CPD training 2 November (online webinar): Resources> Subject-Specific Support inc. CPD and Exemplars (do not use filter) go down to CPD Materials/Deunydd DPP> go down to GCE Welsh Second Language CPD / TAG Cymraeg Ail Iaith DPP> TAG Cymraeg Ail Iaith Tachwedd 2021.zip

Important dates

Unit 1 and Unit 4: 28 March-13 May 2022

Unit 2: 15 May 2022

Unit 3: 24 May (afternoon) 2022

Unit 5: 24 May (afternoon) 2022

Unit 6: 16 June (morning) 2022



Entry Pathways Welsh Second Language and Pathways Work Welsh

Important dates

Entry deadline for summer series: 21 February

IAMIS opens for mark input: 1 April

Deadline for sample submission: 5 May. For the 2022 series the samples will be uploaded to IAMIS

January series results published: 10 March Summer series results published: during July

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