



St. Thomas More College

Primary Schools

Half Yearly Examinations

MATHEMATICS MENTAL PAPER

Year 4

February 2015

Time: 15 minutes

Teacher's Paper

Guidelines for the conduct of the Mathematics Examination – Mental Paper.

1. Words written in **bold** should be **emphasised**.
2. Read **loudly and clearly, each question twice in succession**, and then allow 5 to 10 to 20 seconds as the test progresses through the three sections.
3. Access to rough paper for working out answers is **not allowed**. Any working on the answer sheet, however, will not be penalised.
4. The questions should be read out in **English** and **no code-switching/ mixing is allowed**. Code-switching is permitted only for giving pupils instructions.
5. Before starting the test, read out the following instructions using **exactly these words**:
 - I will read out each question twice. Listen carefully both times. You will then have time to work out your answers.

- Se naqralkom kull mistoqsija darbtejn wara xulxin. Isimgħuni sew. Wara jkollkom il-ħin biex twegbuha.
- If you make a mistake, cross out the wrong answer and write the correct answer next to it.
- Jekk tieħu żball f'xi risposta, aqtagħha u iktieb ir-risposta t-tajba ħdejha.
- You will not be allowed to ask any questions once the test has started.
- Ma tistgħux issaqsu mistoqsijiet hekk kif it-test jibda.

6. At the end of the test, read out the following instructions, **using exactly these words**:

- The test is finished; put down your pens.
- It-test spiċċa; poġġi l-bajrow fuq il-mejda.

Mathematics Mental Paper

For this group of questions, you will have 5 seconds to work out each answer and write it down.

Għal dawn il-mistoqsijiet li ġejjin, għandek 5 sekondi biex taħseb u tikteb ir-risposta.

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| 1. | What is four times four ? |
| 2. | How many sides does a rectangle have? |
| 3. | Write the next number : Sixty-two, seventy-two, eighty-two . . . |
| 4. | How many minutes in half an hour ? |
| 5. | Write two hundred and forty-eight in figures. |

For the next group of questions, you will have 10 seconds to work out each answer and write it down.

Għal dawn il-mistoqsijiet li ġejjin, għandek 10 sekondi biex taħseb u tikteb ir-risposta.

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| 6. | What needs to be added to eleven to make twenty ? |
| 7. | What is double forty-two ? |
| 8. | What is twelve less than one hundred ? |
| 9. | Work out the total of eleven, five and eight . |

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| 10. | What is half of thirty-six ? |
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| 11. | Write the number that is one less than four hundred . |
| 12. | What is the difference between sixty-nine and forty-nine . |
| 13. | Round two hundred and seventy to the nearest hundred . |
| 14. | The length of a finger is measured in millimetres, centimetres or metres ? |
| 15. | Write a number that lies between two hundred ninety and three hundred . |

For this group of questions, you will have 20 seconds to work out each answer and write it down.

Għal dawn il-mistoqsijiet li ġejjin, għandek 20 sekonda biex taħseb u tikteb ir-risposta.

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| 16. | You have one euro and you buy a chocolate which costs fifty-five euro cents . How much money will you have left ? |
| 17. | Draw a line five centimetres long . |
| 18. | Double a number is eighteen . What is the number? |
| 19. | I am a 3D shape . I have three faces, two edges and no vertices . Which shape am I? |
| 20. | Halve the number 12 . Add ten to your answer. |

