



Key dates and activities for 2021

Monthly calendar (International)

This calendar shows the dates we send you information and the dates we need to receive information from you. You can download the relevant administrative forms by clicking on the form name.

Key

- We send** materials to Cambridge Associates who send them to their Associate Centres. Cambridge Associates need to agree dates when they will exchange information with their Associate Centres.
- We send** (the date we despatch materials or information to you)
- You send** (the date by which information or materials you send must reach us)
- Other information** (for example, late entry fee start dates)

Select a month:

January

February

March

April

May

June

July

August

September

October

November

December



January	You send	We send
Start of the month	<i>Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter</i> explaining all the tasks you need to complete this month.	
June series		
1	Early exam and pre-release materials for some syllabuses available. Find out more at www.cambridgeinternational.org/prerelease	
21	Application deadline for modified question papers (<i>Preparation – Form 3</i>) and final entries deadline for candidates requiring modified papers. We only send you modified question papers if you submit a final entry for the relevant candidate, syllabus and component.	
November series		
1	Early exam and pre-release materials for some syllabuses are available. Find out when the materials for the syllabuses your candidates have entries for are available at www.cambridgeinternational.org/prerelease	
11	November 2020 series provisional results for Cambridge International AS & A Level available to download from Direct .	
19	November 2020 series provisional results for other qualifications available to download from Direct .	
Mid to late January	November 2020 series provisional results despatch for Cambridge International AS & A Level.	
Late January	November 2020 series provisional results despatch for Cambridge IGCSE™ and Cambridge O Level.	

Other activities to think about in January

November 2020 series

- You can issue provisional results to candidates as soon as they are available.
- If you have not received your provisional results despatch by mid February 2021 contact our Customer Services team.
- Make sure all your candidates' names and other details are correct on results documentation ready for the certificates we send you in March. There is an administrative fee for any requests to amend details received after 26 February 2021.

June 2021 series

- The final entries deadline for all qualifications is 21 February 2021. Please submit your entries to us at least two weeks before this date so you have time to check your entries and make any amendments before the deadline.
- The final entries and application deadline for candidates requiring modified question papers is 21 January 2021. We will not be able to accept applications after this date. Please submit your entries before this date, preferably at least two weeks before so that you have time to check your entries and make any amendments before the deadline. We would prefer that you submit your applications for modified question papers before the deadline, even if you are not sure your candidate(s) will need them. We will only send you modified question papers if you submit a final entry for the relevant candidate, syllabus and component.
- In early December 2020 we make June 2021 pre-release material available for:
 - Cambridge IGCSE Computer Science (0478/02)
 - Cambridge IGCSE (9–1) Computer Science (0984/02)
 - Cambridge O Level Computer Science (2210/02)
 - Cambridge International AS & A Level Computer Science (9608/02, 04).

This material is available via the School Support Hub. We also make it available to you on Digital File Despatch based on your **final entries**. Share it with the relevant teachers in your centre so candidates and teachers can prepare for the exams.

- Cambridge IGCSE Drama (0411/11, 12 and 13)
We send printed material from the beginning of December based on your **estimated entries**. When it arrives, share it with the relevant teachers in your centre so candidates and teachers can prepare for the exams. If you did not submit estimated entries by the deadline, we will make the materials available to you on Digital File Despatch based on your **final entries**.

February	You send	We send
Start of the month	<i>Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter</i> explaining all the tasks you need to complete this month.	
June series		
1	Early exam and pre-release materials for some syllabuses available. Find out more at www.cambridgeinternational.org/prerelease	
Mid February	Early question papers and instructions based on your estimated entries. If you did not submit estimated entries by the deadline of 10 October 2020 we will not despatch your early question papers and instructions until we have received your final entries.	
Mid February onwards	Early exam and pre-release materials for some syllabuses available. Find out more at www.cambridgeinternational.org/prerelease	
	Printed instructions for science practicals based on final entries.	
21	Final entries deadline. We will charge late entry fees for entries and amendments received after this date.	
	Application deadline for access arrangements (<i>Preparation – Form 1</i>).	
22	Start of late entry fees (22 February to 17 April).	
29	From late February and throughout March, entries confirmation packs including statements of entry.	
November series		
26	Deadline for letting us know if any details are incorrect on November 2020 results documentation without charge.	
	Deadline for submitting enquiries about results for the November 2020 series.	
	Deadline for submitting <i>Coursework and Moderation – Form 5</i> and <i>Coursework and Moderation – Form 6</i> .	

Other activities to think about in February

November 2020 series

- Make sure all your candidates' names and other details are correct on results documentation ready for the certificates we send you in March. There is an administrative fee for any requests to amend details received after 26 February 2021.
- Submit all your enquiries about results by 26 February 2021. We will not accept requests received after this date. We will invoice you for any enquiries about results that do not lead to a syllabus grade change.

June 2021 series

- We will send your entries confirmation pack within two weeks of receiving your entries. If you have not received your pack two weeks after you have submitted your entries contact us. You can download your statements of entry from Direct within 48 hours of submitting your entries. Check them carefully and let us know if any of the information is incorrect.
- We will charge late entry fees for any entries and entry amendments we receive after 21 February 2021.
- Make sure you submit all your entries by 21 February 2021 for the following exams which take place before the main timetabled exam series:
 - Cambridge IGCSE ICT (0417/21, 22, 31, 32).
 - Cambridge IGCSE (9–1) ICT (0983/02, 03).
 - Cambridge International AS & A Level Information Technology (9626/02, 04).

If you do not submit all your entries by 21 February 2021 for these components we may not be able to send you the materials you need to conduct the exams.

- The application deadline for access arrangements is 21 February 2021.
- Securely store any early question papers and instructions you receive until the relevant exam. Check that you have all the materials you need for these exams. Contact us immediately using:
 - *Before the Exams – Form 2 if you are missing any of the packets on the despatch note*
 - *Before the Exams – Form 3 if any question paper packets have been damaged or opened in transit*
 - *Exam Day – Form 11 if any question paper packets are opened in error.*

Store the packets securely and do not open them. If you have not received these materials one week before the timetabled exam, contact us immediately.

- For the following syllabuses, you should pass the question papers to the candidates as soon as you have accessed them from Digital File Despatch or the School Support Hub:
 - Cambridge IGCSE Art & Design (0400/02).
 - Cambridge IGCSE (9–1) Art & Design (0989/02).
 - Cambridge International AS & A Level Art & Design (9479/02).
 - Cambridge International AS & A Level Digital Media & Design (9481/02).
 - Cambridge O Level Art & Design (6090/02).
- Start preparing for June series exams that take place before the main timetable period. Make sure all invigilators are appointed and trained, all exam venues are arranged and candidates know the dates, times and venues of their exams.


March	You send	We send
Start of the month	<i>Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter</i> explaining all the tasks you need to complete this month.	
June series		
1	Start of Cambridge IGCSE oral and practical exam period (see June 2021 final timetable for full details of test windows for each component).	
Mid March	Pre-exam despatch (exam stationery, administrative documents, address labels, script packets, attendance registers, multiple-choice answer sheets, and bar-coded labels for internally assessed and non-timetabled components).	
November series		
Mid March	Certificates for the November 2020 series.	
Late March	<i>Cambridge Guide to Making Entries</i> for the November 2021 series available from Direct .	
	Final timetable for the November 2021 series available from Direct .	

Other activities to think about in March

November 2020 series

- Check carefully to make sure you have received all the certificates you expect and that all names are spelled correctly. After 26 February 2021, we charge an administrative fee for any requests to amend details on certificates. We can only replace November 2020 certificates until 30 September 2022.

June 2021 series

- Make sure all invigilators are appointed and trained, all exam venues are arranged, and candidates know the dates, times and venues of their exams.
- Remind teachers that you need to submit marks and samples for internally assessed components by the dates published in the samples database (www.cambridgeinternational.org/samples) and forecast grades for all syllabuses by 30 April 2021. Your samples need to reach us by the dates in the samples database. Do not wait to despatch them at the same time as your scripts for timetabled exams.
- Check the contents of your pre-exam despatch and let us know without delay if anything is missing.
- We will send your bar-coded labels for timetabled exams at the end of April.
- When you download your statements of entry from  Direct check them carefully and let us know if any of the information is incorrect.
- The data files for ICT practical tests will be available to download three days before the test from Digital File Despatch.
- **A** Data files for Cambridge Associates will be available five days before the test to allow time to distribute the files to Associate Centres. We will provide detailed instructions about running these tests in the *Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter*.

April	You send	We send
Start of the month	Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter explaining all the tasks you need to complete this month.	
June series		
1	Start of speaking test exam period for Cambridge International AS & A Level languages (1 April to 1 June).	
Mid April	Question papers. These are based on your final entries. Question paper despatches will be made on a regular basis for any late entries or entry amendments you have made.	
17	Late entries deadline. See sections 2.3 and 2.4 of the Cambridge Handbook for our late entry regulations.	
	Deadline for applications for timetable deviations (<i>Preparation – Form 2</i>).	
27	<p>Deadline for us to receive internally assessed marks for Cambridge IGCSE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First Language English (0500, 0524) • English as a Second Language (0510 and 0993 or 0511 and 0991) • English Literature (0486) • Geography (0460 and 0976) • History (0470 and 0977). <p>You can submit your marks through Direct.</p>	
28	Bar-coded labels for timetabled components only.	
30	Deadline for forecast grades. You can submit them through Direct .	
	<p>Deadline for us to receive internally assessed marks for all Cambridge IGCSE and Cambridge International AS & A Level components except for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambridge IGCSE syllabuses listed on 27 April • Cambridge International AS & A Level language speaking tests (see 7 June). <p>You can submit your marks through Direct.</p>	
	<p>Deadline for us to receive internally assessed samples for all components except for Cambridge International AS & A Level language speaking tests (see 7 June). Send your samples with a copy of your internally assessed marks and the forms specified in the samples database.</p> <p>Deadline for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • submission of Cambridge IGCSE Art & Design (0400/01) • completion of Cambridge IGCSE Art & Design (0400/02) • submission of Cambridge IGCSE Drama (0411/02 and (9–1) 0994/02) • submission of Cambridge O Level Art & Design (6090/01) • completion of Cambridge O Level Art & Design (6090/02) • submission of Cambridge International AS & A Level Art & Design (9479/1) • completion of Cambridge International AS & A Level Art & Design (9479/2) • submission of Cambridge International AS & A Level Art & Design (9479/3) • submission of Cambridge International AS & A Level Digital Media & Design (9481/1) • completion of Cambridge International AS & A Level Digital Media & Design (9481/2). 	

June series	
30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • submission of Cambridge International AS & A Level Digital Media & Design (9481/3) • submission of Cambridge International AS & A Level Music (9483, 02, 03) • submission of Cambridge International AS & A Level Global Perspectives & Research (9239/04).
Late April	Start of timetabled exam period.
November series	
Early April	Estimated Entry Forms for the November 2021 series available from the 'Support Materials' section of Direct . To be returned by 10 May 2021.
30	Deadline for us to receive Outline Proposal Forms for the November 2021 series.

Other activities to think about in April

Our Cambridge office is closed from 2 to 5 April 2021.

June 2021 series

- Make sure each piece of work in your internally assessed sample is clearly identified with your centre number, the candidate number, the syllabus and component. You can use the 'Coursework identification labels' we send in your pre-exam despatch. You can also download them from www.cambridgeinternational.org/forms (*Coursework and Moderation – Label 3*).
- Art & Design identification labels:
 - Cambridge IGCSE Art & Design (0400) and Cambridge IGCSE (9–1) Art & Design (0989) – 1a
 - Cambridge O Level Art & Design (6090) – 1b
 - Cambridge International AS & A Level Art & Design (9479) – 1c.
- Keep Test Cards and Teachers' Notes for speaking tests in a secure place until the end of the speaking test window shown in the timetable.
- In mid April we will despatch your question papers. Check you have all the question paper packets you need. Contact us immediately using:
 - *Before the Exams – Form 2* if you are missing any of the packets on the despatch note
 - *Before the Exams – Form 3* if any question paper packets have been damaged or opened in transit.

Store the packets securely and do not open them. If you have not received these materials one week before the timetabled exam, contact us immediately.
- Check that you have enough exam stationery. Details of the items you need for each exam are in the additional exam materials database, available at www.cambridgeinternational.org/beforetheexams

- You have a one-day window to conduct practical tests for:
 - Cambridge IGCSE ICT (0417)
 - Cambridge IGCSE (9–1) ICT (0983)
 - Cambridge International AS & A Level Information Technology (9626).

Please see the June 2021 timetable for details. The data files for each practical test will be available to download three days before the test from Digital File Despatch.

- A Data files for Cambridge Associates will be available five days before the test to allow time to distribute the files to Associate Centres. We will provide detailed instructions about running these tests in the *Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter*.
- Collect and keep all question papers in a secure place for 24 hours after the exam has finished or 24 hours after the Key Time, whichever is later. After 24 hours you may return the question papers to candidates and teachers if the Head of Centre agrees. You must return question papers for Cambridge IGCSE ICT practical tests with your candidates' work. See section 5.3.2 of the [Cambridge Handbook](#).
- Send your scripts to us as soon as each exam has finished. If this is not possible you must despatch all the scripts you have at least once each week. Check the contents of the script packet against the bar-coded script packet label to make sure they match. The script packet must contain a script for each candidate who is ticked as present on the attendance register, and the scripts should be in candidate number order with the attendance register on top. Do not include any other documents in your script packets.

May	You send	We send
Start of the month	<i>Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter</i> explaining all the tasks you need to complete this month.	
June series		
1 to 31	Window for electronic submission of examined coursework for Cambridge International AS & A Level Global Perspectives & Research (9239/02, 03).	
31	Provisional timetable for the June 2022 series available from Direct .	
	Comments about the provisional timetable can be emailed to us for four weeks after the timetable is made available.	
November series		
10	Deadline for completed Estimated Entry Forms for November 2021 . We use estimated entries to despatch pre-release materials and question papers for exams that take place before the main exam period.	
Mid May	Entries open for the November 2021 series.	

Other activities to think about in May

June 2021 series

- Send your scripts to us as soon as each exam has finished. If this is not possible, you must despatch all the scripts you have at least once each week. Check the contents of the script packet against the bar-coded script packet label to make sure they match. The script packet must contain a script for each candidate who is ticked as present on the attendance register, and the scripts should be in candidate number order with the attendance register on top. Do not include any other documents in your script packets.
- We must receive special consideration applications within seven days of the last exam of the syllabus affected.

November 2021 series

- If you plan to make entries for candidates requiring modified papers or access arrangements please start preparing now to meet the July deadline.

June	You send	We send
Start of the month	<i>Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter</i> explaining all the tasks you need to complete this month.	
June series		
7	Deadline for us to receive internally assessed marks for Cambridge International AS & A Level language speaking tests. You can submit them through Direct .	
	Deadline for us to receive internally assessed samples for Cambridge International AS & A Level language speaking tests. Send your samples with a copy of your internally assessed marks and the correct forms.	
Mid June	End of timetabled exam period.	
	Special consideration applications within seven days of the last exam of the syllabus affected.	
November series		
1 June	Early exam and pre-release materials for some syllabuses available. Find out more at www.cambridgeinternational.org/prerelease	

Other activities to think about in June

June 2021 series

- Collect and keep all question papers in a secure place for 24 hours after the exam has finished or 24 hours after the Key Time, whichever is later. After 24 hours you may return the question papers to candidates and teachers if the Head of Centre agrees. You must return question papers for Cambridge IGCSE ICT practical tests with your candidates' work. See section 5.3.2 of the [Cambridge Handbook](#).
- Send your scripts to us as soon as each exam has finished. If this is not possible you must send us all the scripts you have at least once a week. Check the contents of the script packet against the bar-coded script packet label to make sure they match. The script packet must contain a script for each candidate who is ticked as present on the attendance register, and the scripts should be in candidate number order with the attendance register on top. Do not include any other documents in your script packets.
- We must receive special consideration applications within seven days of the last exam of the syllabus affected.
- From now until the release of results, we may contact you with questions about the exams of particular candidates. Check your emails regularly and make sure you, or another member of staff, are available to answer any urgent queries. If we cannot contact you or resolve the problem before results are released we may have to issue 'NO RESULT' or 'PENDING' outcomes. If your contact details have changed please let us know immediately.

November 2021 series

- The final entries and application deadline for candidates requiring modified question papers is **1 July 2021**. We will not be able to accept entries or applications after this date. Please submit your entries before this date, preferably at least two weeks before so that you have time to check your entries and make any amendments before the deadline. We would prefer that you submit your applications for modified question papers before the deadline, even if you are not sure your candidate(s) will need them. We will only send you modified question papers if you submit a final entry for the relevant candidate, syllabus and component.
- If you plan to make entries for the November 2021 series it is a good idea to start planning now to meet the September deadline.
- Early exam and pre-release materials for some syllabuses are available from 1 June. Find out when the materials for the syllabuses your candidates have entries for are available at www.cambridgeinternational.org/prerelease

July	You send	We send
Start of the month	Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter explaining all the tasks you need to complete this month.	
November series		
1	Application deadline for modified question papers (<i>Preparation – Form 3</i>) and final entries deadline for candidates requiring modified papers. We will only send you modified question papers if you submit a final entry for the relevant candidate, syllabus and component.	
	Early exam and pre-release materials for some syllabuses available. Find out more at www.cambridgeinternational.org/prerelease	
Mid July	Early confidential materials, including question papers and instructions based on your estimated entries. If you did not submit estimated entries by the deadline of 10 May 2021 we will not despatch your early question papers and instructions until we have received your final entries.	
21	Application deadline for access arrangements (<i>Preparation – Form 1</i>).	
End of July onwards	Entries confirmation packs based on your final entries.	

Other activities to think about in July

June 2021 series

- From now until the release of results, we may contact you with questions about the exams of particular candidates. Check your emails regularly and make sure you, or another member of staff, are available to answer any urgent queries. If we cannot contact you or resolve the problem before results are released we may have to issue 'NO RESULT' or 'PENDING' outcomes. If your contact details have changed please let us know immediately.

November 2021 series

- The final entries deadline for first-time candidates is 16 August 2021. Plan to submit your entries at least two weeks before this date to allow time to make any entry amendments before the deadline.
- The final entries deadline for retake entries is 21 September 2021. An entry is a retake entry if the candidate sat the same syllabus, regardless of the entry option, in the June 2021 series. For each syllabus that a candidate is retaking, you must include a previous centre number and candidate number when you make the entry and you must tick the 'retake' box next to the entry on [Direct](#). If you do not tick the 'retake' box we will charge you a late entry fee.
- The deadline for telling us about access arrangements you plan to use is 21 July 2021.

August	You send	We send
Start of the month	<i>Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter</i> explaining all the tasks you need to complete this month.	
June series		
12	June 2021 series provisional results for all qualifications available to download from Direct .	
Late August	June 2021 series provisional results despatch including statements of results.	
November series		
1	Early exam and pre-release materials for some syllabuses available. Find out more at www.cambridgeinternational.org/prerelease	
16	Final entries deadline (first-time entry candidates). We will charge late entry fees for entries and amendments received after this date.	
17	Start of late entry fees for first-time entries (17 August to 21 September).	

Other activities to think about in August

June 2021 series

- For all qualifications except Cambridge Pre-U you can issue provisional results as soon as they are available on [Direct](#). You must wait until 13 August to issue Cambridge Pre-U provisional results to candidates.
- If you have not received your provisional results despatch by early September 2021 contact our Customer Services team.
- Make sure all your candidates' names and other details are correct on results documentation ready for the certificates we send you in October. There is an administrative fee for any requests to amend details received after 20 September 2021.

November 2021 series

- Make sure you submit all your entries by 16 August 2021 for the following exams which take place before the main timetabled exam series:
 - Cambridge IGCSE ICT (0417/21, 22, 31, 32).
 - Cambridge IGCSE (9–1) ICT (0983/02, 03).
 - Cambridge International AS & A Level Information Technology (9626/02, 04).

If you do not submit all your entries by 16 August 2021 for these components we may not be able to send you the materials you need to conduct the exams.

- We will charge late entry fees for any entries and entry amendments we receive after 16 August 2021.
- The final entries deadline for retake entries is **21 September 2021**. An entry is a retake entry if the candidate sat the same syllabus, regardless of the entry option, in the June 2021 series. For each syllabus that a candidate is retaking, you must include a previous centre number and candidate number when you make the entry and you must tick the 'retake' box next to the entry on [Direct](#). If you do not tick the 'retake' box we will charge you a late entry fee.

September	You send	We send
Start of the month	<i>Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter</i> explaining all the tasks you need to complete this month.	
June series		
Mid September	Estimated Entry Forms for the June 2022 series available from the 'Support Materials' section of Direct . To be returned by 10 October 2021.	
20	Deadline for letting us know if any details are incorrect on June 2021 results documentation without charge.	
	Deadline for submitting enquiries about results for the June 2021 series.	
	Deadline for submitting <i>Coursework and Moderation – Form 5</i> and <i>Coursework and Moderation – Form 6</i> .	
November series		
14	Pre-exam despatch (exam stationery, administrative documents, address labels, script packets and attendance registers).	
Mid September	Question papers based on your final entries. Question paper despatches will be made on a regular basis for any late entries or amendments you have made.	
15	Start of Cambridge IGCSE oral and practical exam period (see November 2021 final timetable for full details of test windows for each component).	
21	Final entries deadline for retake entries from the June 2021 series only. When making the entry include the previous centre number and candidate number, and tick the retake indicator for each syllabus the candidate is retaking.	
	Late entries deadline. See sections 2.3 and 2.4 of the >Cambridge Handbook for our late entry regulations.	
30	Deadline for applications for timetable deviations (<i>Preparation – Form 2</i>).	

Other activities to think about in September

June 2021 series

- Make sure all your candidates' names and other details are correct on results documentation ready for the certificates we send you in October. There is an administrative fee for any requests to amend details received after 20 September 2021.
- Submit all your enquiries about results by 20 September 2021. We will not accept requests received after this date. We will invoice you for any enquiries about results that do not lead to a syllabus grade change.

November 2021 series

- We will send your entries confirmation pack within two weeks of receiving your entries. If you have not received your pack two weeks after you have submitted your entries contact us. The pack includes printed statements of entry. Check them carefully and let us know if any of the information is incorrect.
- Make sure that all invigilators are appointed and trained, all exam venues are arranged and candidates know the dates, times and venues of their exams.
- Remind teachers that you need to submit marks and samples for internally assessed components by the dates published in the samples database (www.cambridgeinternational.org/samples) and forecast grades for all syllabuses by 31 October 2021. Your samples need to reach us by the dates in the samples database. Do not wait to despatch them at the same time as your scripts for timetabled exams.
- Securely store any early question papers and instructions you receive until the relevant exam. Check that you have all the materials you need for these exams.

Contact us immediately using:

- *Before the Exams – Form 2 if you are missing any of the packets on the despatch note*
- *Before the Exams – Form 3 if any question paper packets have been damaged or opened in transit*
- *Exam Day – Form 11 if any question paper packets are opened in error.*

Store the packets securely and do not open them. If you have not received these materials by 1 October 2021 contact us immediately.

- Please note, for the following syllabuses, the above does not apply; you should pass the question papers to the candidates as soon as you receive them:

- Cambridge IGCSE Art & Design (0400/02)
- Cambridge IGCSE (9–1) Art & Design (0989/02).
- Cambridge O Level Art & Design (6090/02, 03).
- Cambridge International AS & A Level Art & Design (9479/02).
- Cambridge International AS & A Level Digital Media & Design (9481/02).

Exam series in 2022

- Please complete and submit *Preparation – Form 5* if you are planning to enter candidates for any additional qualifications in the June or November 2022 series. This way we can make sure that all your despatches contain the right information. You should submit the form no later than four weeks before the final entries deadline for the relevant series.
- We will invoice you in October if your centre needs to pay the annual centre registration fee.

October	You send	We send
Start of the month	<i>Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter</i> explaining all the tasks you need to complete this month. The October newsletter also includes a link to the >Cambridge Handbook for 2022 .	
31	>Cambridge Handbook for 2022 . You can access this document online at www.cambridgeinternational.org/examsofficersguide from the beginning of October 2021.	
June series		
10	Deadline for completed Estimated Entry Forms for the June 2022 series. We use estimated entries to despatch early confidential materials, including pre-release materials and question papers, for exams that take place before the main exam period.	
Mid October	June 2021 certificates sent to centres.	
31	Deadline for us to receive Outline Proposal Forms for the June 2022 series.	
	<i>Cambridge Guide to Making Entries</i> for the June 2022 series.	
	Final timetable for the June 2022 series available from Direct .	
November series		
1 to 31	Window for electronic submission of examined coursework for Cambridge International AS & A Level Global Perspectives & Research (9239/02, 03).	
1	Start of speaking test window for Cambridge International AS & A Level languages other than English (1 October to 24 October), with samples to arrive by 31 October 2021.	
Early October	Start of timetabled exam period (early October to mid November).	
	Pre-exam despatch (exam stationery, administrative documents, address labels, script packets, bar-coded labels, attendance registers and multiple-choice answer sheets).	
28	Deadline for us to receive internally assessed marks for Cambridge IGCSE: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First Language English (0500 and 0627) • English as a Second Language (0510 and 0993 or 0511 and 0991) • English Literature (0486) • Geography (0460 and 0976) • History (0470 and 0977). You can submit your marks through Direct .	
31	Deadline for forecast grades. You can submit them through Direct .	
	Deadline for us to receive internally assessed marks for all components except the Cambridge IGCSE syllabuses listed on 28 October. You can submit your marks through Direct .	
	Deadline for us to receive internally assessed samples, sent with a copy of your internally assessed marks and the correct forms.	

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Deadline for:

- completion of Cambridge IGCSE Art & Design (0400/02)
- submission of Cambridge IGCSE Drama (0411/02 and 0994/02)
- submission of Cambridge O Level Art & Design (6090/01)
- completion of Cambridge O Level Art & Design (6090/02)
- completion of Cambridge O Level Art & Design (6090/03)
- submission of Cambridge International AS & A Level Art & Design (9479/1)
- completion of Cambridge International AS & A Level Art & Design (9479/2)
- submission of Cambridge International AS & A Level Art & Design (9479/3)
- submission of Cambridge International AS & A Level Digital Media & Design (9481/1)
- completion of Cambridge International AS & A Level Digital Media & Design (9481/2)
- submission of Cambridge International AS & A Level Digital Media & Design (9481/3)
- submission of Cambridge International AS & A Level Music (9483, 02, 03)
- submission of Cambridge International AS & A Level Global Perspectives & Research (9239/04).

Provisional timetable for the November 2022 series available from [Direct](#).

Comments about the provisional timetable can be emailed to us for four weeks after the timetable is made available.

Other activities to think about in October

June 2021 series

- Check carefully to make sure you have received all the certificates you expect and that all names are spelled correctly. After 20 September 2021, we charge an administrative fee for any requests to amend details on certificates. We can only replace June 2021 certificates until 30 April 2023.

November 2021 series

- Make sure each piece of work in your internally assessed sample is clearly identified with your centre number, the candidate number, the syllabus and component. You can use the 'Coursework identification labels' we send in your pre-exam despatch. You can also download them from www.cambridgeinternational.org/forms (*Coursework and Moderation – Label 3*).
- For Art & Design syllabuses, use these identification labels:
 - Cambridge IGCSE Art & Design (0400) and Cambridge IGCSE (9–1) Art & Design (0989) – 1a
 - Cambridge O Level Art & Design (6090) – 1b
 - Cambridge International AS & A Level Art & Design (9479) – 1c.
- Check that you have enough exam stationery. Details of the items you need for each exam are in the additional exam materials database, available at www.cambridgeinternational.org/beforetheexams
- You have a one-day window to conduct practical tests for:
 - Cambridge IGCSE ICT (0417)
 - Cambridge IGCSE (9–1) ICT (0983/02, 03)
 - Cambridge International AS & A Level Information Technology (9626).

Please see the November 2021 timetable for details. The data files for each practical test will be available to download three days before the test from Digital File Despatch.

A Data files for Cambridge Associates will be available five days before the test to allow time to distribute the files to Associate Centres. We will provide detailed instructions about running these tests in the *Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter*.

- Collect and keep all question papers in a secure place for 24 hours after the exam has finished or 24 hours after the Key Time, whichever is later. After 24 hours you may return the question papers to candidates and teachers if the Head of Centre agrees. You must return question papers for Cambridge IGCSE ICT practical tests with your candidates' work. For further information please see section 5.3.2 of the [Cambridge Handbook](#).
- Keep Test Cards and Teachers' Notes for speaking tests in a secure place until the end of the speaking test window shown in the timetable.
- Send your scripts to us as soon as each exam has finished. If this is not possible you must send us all the scripts you have at least once a week. Check the contents of the script packet against the bar-coded script packet label to make sure they match. The script packet must contain a script for each candidate who is ticked as present on the attendance register, and the scripts should be in candidate number order with the attendance register on top. Do not include any other documents in your script packets.
- We must receive special consideration applications within seven days of the last exam of the syllabus affected.

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Start of the month	<i>Cambridge Exams Officer eNewsletter</i> explaining all the tasks you need to complete this month.	
June series		
Mid November	Entries open for the June 2022 series.	
November series		
Mid November	End of timetabled exam period.	
	Special consideration applications within seven days of the last exam of the syllabus affected.	

Other activities to think about in November

November 2021 series

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December 2021

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June series		
Early December	Early exam and pre-release materials for some 2022 syllabuses available. Find out more at www.cambridgeinternational.org/prerelease	

Other activities to think about in December

November 2021 series

- From now until the release of results, we may contact you with questions about the exams of particular candidates. Check your emails regularly and make sure you, or another member of staff, are available to answer any urgent queries. If we cannot contact you or resolve the problem before results are released we may have to issue 'NO RESULT' or 'PENDING' outcomes. If your contact details have changed please let us know immediately.
- If you plan to make entries for the June 2022 series please start planning now to meet the January deadline for candidates requiring modified question papers, and the February deadline for all other entries.