



**MINISTRY OF EDUCATION and TECHNICAL and VOCATIONAL TRAINING**  
**EXAMINATION & ASSESSMENT DIVISION**  
**BAHAMAS GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION EXAMINATION**

**TIMETABLE 2023**

**ALL BGCSE PRACTICAL EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD FROM Monday, 27<sup>th</sup> March THROUGH Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> May 2023.**  
**Dates for Practical Examinations are starting dates only. Examinations are to be continued until each subject is completed.**  
**The following Subjects and their Components will be featured:**

<b>MORNING</b>				<b>2023</b>	<b>AFTERNOON</b>				
<b>CODE</b>	<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>PAPER</b>	<b>COMPONENT</b>		<b>CODE</b>	<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>PAPER</b>	<b>COMPONENT</b>	
6250 6251 6252	<b>Art &amp; Design/Craft</b>	<b>ALL PAPERS</b>	<b>PREPARATION TIME</b>	<b>Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>PREPARATION TIME CONTINUED</b>				
7309			<b>2</b>		<b>PRACTICALS Begin</b>	4136	<b>Auto Mechanics</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>PRACTICALS Begin</b>
4255			<b>1</b>		<b>PRACTICALS Begin</b>	4130	<b>Electrical Installation</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>PRACTICALS Begin</b>
4011			<b>4</b>		<b>PRACTICALS (3 hrs.) Begin</b>				
<b>PRACTICALS CONTINUE</b>				<b>Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> March - Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March</b>	<b>PRACTICALS CONTINUE</b>				
<b>GOOD FRIDAY – Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> April 2023</b>				<b>EASTER MONDAY – Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> April 2023</b>					
6250 6251 6252	<b>Art &amp; Design/Craft</b>	<b>ALL PAPERS</b>	<b>EXAMINATION Begins</b>	<b>Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April</b>	6250 6251 6252	<b>Art &amp; Design/Craft</b>	<b>ALL PAPERS</b>	<b>EXAMINATION</b>	
4320			<b>1A</b>	<b>PLANNING 2 hours (9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)</b>	<b>Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> April</b>				<b>PRACTICALS CONTINUE</b>
<b>PRACTICALS CONTINUE</b>				<b>Friday 21<sup>st</sup> April</b>	<b>PRACTICALS CONTINUE</b>				

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8020	Spanish	1 or 5	<b>SPEAKING Begins</b> (1 week ONLY)	Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>PRACTICALS CONTINUE</b>			
8031	French	1 or 5	<b>SPEAKING Begins</b> (1 week ONLY)					
1310	English Language	2	<b>LISTENING Aural Comp.</b> Approx. 1 hr. 15 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.)	Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>PRACTICALS CONTINUE</b>			
8020	Spanish	2 or 6	<b>LISTENING</b> Approx. 40 mins. (9:00 a.m.)	Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>PRACTICALS CONTINUE</b>			
8031	French	2 or 6	<b>LISTENING</b> Approx. 40 mins. (11:00 a.m.)					
2064	Keyboarding Skills	1	<b>CORE Begins</b> 2 hrs. 10 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.)	Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> April	2064	Keyboarding Skills	1	<b>CORE cont'd</b> 2 hrs. 10 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 2:40 p.m.)
<b>PRACTICAL CONTINUE</b>				Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> April - Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	<b>PRACTICALS CONTINUE</b>			
2064	Keyboarding Skills	2	<b>EXTENDED</b> 2 hrs. 40 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:40 a.m.)	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> May	2064	Keyboarding Skills	2	<b>EXTENDED</b> 2 hrs. 40 mins. (12:20 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
<b>PRACTICALS CONTINUE</b>				Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> May - Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>PRACTICALS CONTINUE</b>			
<b>P R A C T I C A L S   E N D – Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> May 2023</b>								

## THEORY EXAMINATIONS

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4015	<b>Graphical Communication</b>	1	<b>BASIC GRAPHICS</b> 3 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon)	<b>Tuesday</b> 9 <sup>th</sup> May	4136	<b>Auto Mechanics</b>	1	<b>STRUCTURED ANSWERS</b> 2 hrs. 10 mins. (1:00 p.m. – 3:10 p.m.)
4011	<b>Carpentry &amp; Joinery</b>	1	<b>SHORT ANSWERS</b> 1 hr. (9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.)	<b>Wednesday</b> 10 <sup>th</sup> May	8031	<b>French</b>	3 or 7	<b>READING</b> 1 hr. 15 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.)
4011	<b>Carpentry &amp; Joinery</b>	2	<b>THEORY</b> 1 hr. 30 mins. (10:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)				4 or 8	<b>WRITING</b> 1 hr. (2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
4015	<b>Graphical Communication</b>	2	<b>BUILDING/ ENGINEERING GRAPHICS</b> 3 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 12 noon)	<b>Thursday</b> 11 <sup>th</sup> May	7309	<b>Music</b>	1	<b>THEORY</b> 2 hrs. (1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
4130	<b>Electrical Installation</b>	1	<b>SHORT ANSWERS</b> 1 hr. (9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.)	<b>Friday</b> 12 <sup>th</sup> May	4320	<b>Food &amp; Nutrition</b>	2	<b>THEORY</b> 2 hrs. (1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
4130	<b>Electrical Installation</b>	2	<b>STRUCTURED QUESTIONS</b> 1 hr. 30 mins. (10:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)					
4255	<b>Clothing Construction</b>	2	<b>THEORY</b> 2 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)	<b>Monday</b> 15 <sup>th</sup> May	8020	<b>Spanish</b>	3 or 7	<b>READING</b> 1 hr. 15 mins. (12 noon – 1:15 p.m.)
							4 or 8	<b>WRITING</b> 1 hr. (1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.)

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1310	English Language	1	<b>CONTINUOUS WRITING</b> 1 hr. 10 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.)	Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> May	1215	Literature	1	<b>LIT. APPRECIATION &amp; PROSE</b> 2 hrs. 30 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
3009	Biology	1	<b>MULTIPLE CHOICE</b> 1 hr. 15 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.)	Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> May	5121	Religious Studies	1	<b>CHRISTIAN BELIEF AND PRACTICE</b> 2 hrs. (1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
		2	<b>STRUCTURED/ SHORT ANSWERS</b> 1 hr. 30 mins. (10:30 a.m. – 12 noon)					
1310	English Language	3	<b>WRITTEN COMPREHENSION</b> 2 hrs. 10 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.)	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> May	3815	Mathematics	1	<b>CORE</b> 1 hr. 30 mins. (1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.)
3815	Mathematics	2	<b>CORE</b> 2 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	3051	Chemistry	1	<b>MULTIPLE CHOICE</b> 1 hr. 15 mins. (12 noon – 1:15 p.m.)
							2	<b>STRUCTURED/ SHORT ANSWERS</b> 1 hr. 30 mins. (1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
1215	Literature	2	<b>DRAMA/POETRY</b> 2 hrs. 30 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.)	Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	3009	Biology	3	<b>EXTENDED</b> 1 hr. 30 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.)
							5	<b>ALTERNATIVE TO COURSEWORK</b> 1 hr. (2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.)

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1310	English Language	4	EXTENDED WRITTEN COMPREHENSION 2 hrs. 30 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.)	Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	2009	Bookkeeping & Accounts	1	MULTIPLE CHOICE/ STRUCTURED 2 hrs. (1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
3815	Mathematics	3	EXTENDED 2 hrs. 30 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.)	Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	5121	Religious Studies	2	CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVES 2 hrs. (1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
5101	History	1	BAHAMIAN/CARIBBEAN 2 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)	Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> May	2030	Economics	1	MULTIPLE CHOICE/ SHORT ANSWERS 2 hrs. (1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
5109	Geography	1	MULTIPLE CHOICE 1 hr. (9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.)	Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	3102	Combined Science	1	MULTIPLE CHOICE 1 hr. 15 mins. (12:00 noon – 1:15 p.m.)
		5	ALTERNATIVE TO COURSEWORK 1 hr. 30 mins. (10:30 a.m. – 12 noon)				2	STRUCTURED/ SHORT ANSWERS 1 hr. 30 mins. (1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
<b>WHIT MONDAY HOLIDAY – Monday, 29<sup>th</sup> May 2023</b>								
2221	Commerce	1	MULTIPLE CHOICE/ STRUCTURED 2 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 11:00 noon)	Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> May	3117	Physics	1	MULTIPLE CHOICE 1 hr. 15 mins. (12:00 noon – 1:15 p.m.)
							2	SHORT ANSWERS/ STRUCTURED 1 hr. 30 mins. (1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

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<b>2009</b>	<b>Bookkeeping &amp; Accounts</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>EXTENDED</b> 3 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon)	<b>Wednesday</b> <b>31<sup>st</sup> May</b>	<b>5101</b>	<b>History</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>MODERN WORLD</b> 2 hrs. 30 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
<b>2036</b>	<b>Office Procedures</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>MULTIPLE CHOICE/ SHORT ANSWERS</b> 2 hrs. (9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)	<b>Thursday</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> June</b>	<b>3051</b>	<b>Chemistry</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>EXTENDED</b> 1 hr. 30 mins. (12:00 noon – 1:30 p.m.)
							<b>5</b>	<b>ALTERNATIVE TO COURSEWORK</b> 1 hr. 15 mins. (1:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
<b>LABOUR DAY HOLIDAY – Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2023</b>								
<b>5109</b>	<b>Geography</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>STRUCTURED QUESTIONS</b> 2 hrs. 30 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.)	<b>Monday</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>2030</b>	<b>Economics</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>STRUCTURED QUESTIONS</b> 2 hrs. 30 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
<b>3102</b>	<b>Combined Science</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>EXTENDED</b> 1 hr. 30 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.)	<b>Tuesday</b> <b>6<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>2221</b>	<b>Commerce</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>SHORT ANSWERS/ESSAY</b> 2 hrs. 30 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
		<b>5</b>	<b>ALTERNATIVE TO COURSEWORK</b> 1 hr. 15 mins. (10:45 a.m. – 12:00 noon)					
<b>2036</b>	<b>Office Procedures</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>STRUCTURED QUESTIONS</b> 2 hrs. 30 mins. (9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.)	<b>Wednesday</b> <b>7<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>3117</b>	<b>Physics</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>EXTENDED</b> 1 hr. 30 mins. (12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.)
							<b>5</b>	<b>ALTERNATIVE TO COURSEWORK</b> 1 hr. 15 mins. (2:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.)

**SUBJECT TO CHANGE**  
**COURSEWORK DUE – Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> April 2023**  
**ISSUED: 14<sup>th</sup> October 2022**