

Cambridge Examinations at a Glance

Progression Tests that are created by Cambridge but administered by and marked by teachers.



English

	Stages 3-6	
Paper 1 Written Test	60 mins	50 marks
Paper 2 Written Test	60 mins	50 marks

Total 100 marks

	Stages 7-9	
Paper 1 Written Test	1h 10 mins	50 marks
Paper 2 Written Test	1h 10 mins	50 marks

Total 100 marks

Math

	Stages 3-4		Stages 5-6*	
Paper 1 Written Test	35 mins	25 marks	45 mins	40 marks
Paper 2 Written Test	35 mins	25 marks	45 mins	40 marks
Paper 3 Mental Strategies Test	15 mins	10 marks	15 mins	10 marks

Total 100 marks

Total 90 marks

*Use of a calculator is permitted at stages 5 and 6 in paper 2 only.

	Stages 7-9	
Paper 1 Written Test	55 mins	45 marks
Paper 2* Written Test	55 mins	45 marks
Paper 3 Mental Strategies Test	15 mins	10 marks

Total 100 marks

*Use of a calculator is permitted in paper 2 only.

Science

	Stages 3-4		Stages 5-6	
Paper 1 Written Test	35 mins	40 marks	45 mins	50 marks
Paper 2 Written Test	35 mins	40 marks	45 mins	50 marks

Total 80 marks

Total 100 marks

	Stages 7-9	
Paper 1 Written Test	45 mins	50 marks
Paper 2 Written Test	45 mins	50 marks

Total 100 marks

Progression Tests are administered at the end of the school year in Maths and Science from Grade 3-8 and English from Grade 5-8. These tests are based on Cambridge learning outcomes that are specific to the child's current stage of learning. Teachers mark these tests and input the results into a report generator. These reports allow the teacher, the student, the parents, and the school administration team to see how the student did on each strand and sub-strand related to the subject. Teachers can use this report to help identify areas that may need improvement or areas that may need enrichment in the following school year. These tests also provide feedback on how the student is performing in comparison to other Cambridge schools internationally.