Fung Kai Liu Man Shek Tong Secondary School 2013-2014 Final Examination Revision Guidelines for Form 5

Paper 1 Reading

- * Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes
- * Part A + Part B
- * A pencil must be used to answer all questions
- * Themes: Traditional Culture and Popular Culture
- * Time management is important
- * Follow the instructions given when answering the questions

Paper 2 Writing

- * Time allowed: 2 hours
- * Part A (short task: 200 words) + Part B (long task: 400 words)
- * Five choices of topic under the following electives (Choose ONE question only)
 - 1) Learning English through Social Issues
 - 2) Learning English through Popular Culture
 - 3) Learning English through Workplace Communication
 - 4) Learning English through Drama
- * For Part B, you should put 'X' in the corresponding question number box \Box on page 1 of the answers sheets to indicate which question (Q.2-Q.6) you are going to attempt.
- * Possible text types: article, letter to the editor, letter of appeal, speech, proposal
- * A pen must be used to answer both Part A and Part B
- * Rough work should be done on the rough work sheets.
- * Spend some time on planning and proofreading

Paper 3 Listening & Integrated Skills

- * Time allowed: 2 hours (approx.)
- * Part A (short tasks) + Part B (data-file related tasks)
- * A pencil and a pen must be used for Part A and Part B respectively
- * Themes: Education and Careers
- * Text types in Part B: brochure, article, letter of invitation, email, speech
- * When the recording ends, you will be given 1 hour and 15 minutes to complete the tasks in Part B.
- * Pay special attention to proper nouns and plural nouns
- * Avoid indiscriminate copying when doing the data-file related tasks in Part B

Paper 4 Speaking

- * Part A (Group discussion: 8 minutes for 4 candidates / 6 minutes for 3 candidates)
- * Part B (Individual Response: 1 minute for each candidate)
- * One examiner in each exam centre
- * Immediate oral feedback will be given by the examiner
- * Themes: Crime, Technology, Pets, Parenting, Living in HK, English Learning

Suggested revision materials:

- Papers 1-4 (Modules 1-4, Test Papers 1-4, Mock Examinations 1-2)
- Elective module: 'Social issues' file
- 1st exam papers, all UT and UQ papers
- Grammar & Usage
- Writing Handbook
- Newspaper cutting file
- Handy Guide (recommended pages)
 - * Common names (female & male) (p.202)
 - * Jobs & occupations (p.214)
 - * Sports (p.224-226)
 - * Jobs (p.218-219)
 - * Environment (p.220-221)
 - * Crime (p.221-222)
 - * Drama (p.228-229)
 - * Comics & leisure reading (p.230-231)
 - * The Individual & Society (p.235-236)
 - * Study, school life & work: Jobs and Careers (p.239-240)
 - * Nature & the Environment (p.241-242)
 - * Common spelling mistakes (p.245-248)
- Other supplementary materials

Reminder:

- Legible handwriting and good grammar make a big difference in your exam scores.
- Your overall performance in the final exam (English Language) will DIRECTLY affect the chance of your promotion to S6 next year.