

Circular S/IF/47/24

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To: Head of Modern Languages Department in all Post Primary Schools and FE Colleges

For circulation to: All Modern Languages Teachers

GCSE Modern Languages

Pre-release

The pre-release topic for 2025 is on each CCEA modern language website for Conversation 1.

GCSE French pre-release topic - travel and tourism. (Context 2)

Please note centres may prepare for 'travel and tourism' only or the entire topic as below.

- Travel and tourism (for example holidays, destinations, transport, tourist information, weather, directions, accommodation, activities, shopping and eating out)

GCSE German pre-release topic - myself, my family and relationships. (Context 1)

Please note centres may prepare for 'myself, my family and relationships' only or the entire topic as below.

- Myself, my family, relationships and choices (for example family and friends)

GCSE Irish pre-release topic - extra-curricular activities. (Context 3)

Please note centres may prepare for 'extra-curricular activities' only or the entire topic as below.

- Extra-curricular activities (for example clubs, societies, events, trips and visits)

GCSE Spanish pre-release topic - my studies and school life. (Context 3)

Please note centres may prepare for 'my studies and school life' only or the entire topic as below.

- My studies and school life (for example school subjects, uniform, timetable, rules and regulations)

The pre-release should not be used as part of a mock examination for this cohort, but you can use the examination format to conduct a mock, e.g. Role-plays, Conversation 1 and Conversation 2.

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