

GCE Performing Arts Specification Addendum

Exceptional Assessment Adaptations (for 2021–2022)

This addendum should be used in conjunction with the current specification

The table below shows the units available for Summer 2022 cash in and details where applicable:

- the unit eligible for omission; or
- any adaptations that have been made to internally assessed tasks for 2021–2022; and
- any adaptations that have been made due to public health restrictions

Please note: This applies only to candidates entering in Summer 2022

| Content | Assessment | Weightings | Assessment Adaptations 2021–2022 |
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| AS 1: Developing Skills and Repertoire | Internally assessed Externally moderated A portfolio, including a summary of research, skills audit, record of work, risk assessment, either live performance or production and presentation, and evaluation. | 60% of AS 24% of A Level | Assessment of Section 1 and Section 3 of the Summary of Research has been removed. For the Record of Work and Performance or Presentation, candidates will only be assessed on <u>one</u> extract of repertoire. The Skills Audit, Risk Assessment and Evaluation will be assessed as normal, as per the specification. You can view full information on the adaptations for this unit here . |
| AS 2: Planning and Realising a Performing Arts Event | Externally set pre-release stimulus material Externally assessed Supporting document in three sections produced under controlled conditions. Live performance and/or presentation. | 40% of AS 16% of A Level | Candidates should use the pre-release stimulus material from 2019/2020 for this unit. This material, currently dated 2020 , can be found on the CCEA website. Visiting examination will be in place for Summer 2022; however, CCEA will keep this under review in light of the changing public health context. Solo work/monologues will be accepted. |

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| A2 1: Planning for Employment | Internally assessed Externally moderated A record of work, including a written report in three sections, promotional portfolio and evaluation. | 60% of A2 36% of A Level | Assessment of Section 3 of the Written Report has been removed. For the Audition and Interview or Presentation and Interview, candidates will only be required to prepare <i>one</i> extract of repertoire. The Promotional Portfolio and Evaluation will be assessed as normal, as per the specification. You can view full information on the adaptations for this unit here . |
| A2 2: Performing to a Commission Brief | Externally set pre-release stimulus material Externally assessed A record of work, including a research report, summary of findings, evidence of tasks completed and evaluation. The evaluation is to be produced under controlled conditions. Live performance and/or presentation. | 40% of A2 24% of A Level | Candidates should use the pre-release stimulus material from 2019/2020 for this unit. This material, currently dated 2020 , can be found on the CCEA website. Visiting examination will be in place for Summer 2022; however, CCEA will keep this under review in light of the changing public health context. Solo work/monologues will be accepted. |

1. AS (2021) contribution to GCE Qualification (2022)

For candidates who started their course in September 2020 and hope to achieve a GCE qualification level grade in Summer 2022, they will be awarded a grade based on their performance in their A2 units only.

2. Teaching Order

For candidates commencing their AS or A2 course in September 2021, it is recommended that, as far as possible, the units are delivered in numerical order in case of any further disruption to the academic year.