

FOCUS

Consumer Studies

Grades 10 & 11

Programme of Assessment (400 marks)

Assessment Tasks 25% (100 MARKS)	End-of-year assessment 75% (300 MARKS)	
- 2 tests - 1 exam - 3 other tasks	PAT 25% (100 marks)	Written exam 50% (200 marks)

Examinations in Grades 10 & 11

The mid-year examination papers should test the knowledge and skills covered in the Consumer Studies Learning Outcomes. The format must be similar to the format of the Grade 12 paper. The following structure is suggested for a three-hour end of year paper for Grade 10 and 11:

Contents		Marks
SECTION A	Short questions	40
SECTION B	Food and Nutrition	40
SECTION C	Clothing	40
SECTION D	Housing and Furnishing	40
SECTION E	Theory of practical option – Food, clothing or furnishing option	40
TOTAL		200

End of year examination 50% of the Promotion Mark (200 MARKS)		
	Grade 10	Grade 11
Learning Outcome 1	10%	10%
Learning Outcomes 2 and 3: Food & nutrition	25%	25%
Learning Outcomes 2 and 3: Clothing	30%	20%
Learning Outcomes 2 and 3: Housing & Furnishings	20%	30%
Learning Outcome 4: Theoretical Component	15%	15%
Total	100%	100%

Grade 12 Programme of Assessment

Continuous Assessment	External Assessment	
Internal Assessment task 25% (100 marks)	External Assessment Task 75%	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 2 tests - 2 exam (mid-year and trial) - 3 other tasks 	PAT 25% (100 marks)	Exam 50% (200 marks)

External examinations

For Grade 12 the three-hour end of year examination in Consumer Studies comprises 50% of the learner's total mark, that is 200 marks, for the subject. The suggested requirements for the external examination paper are indicated below.

External End-of-year examination 50% of the promotion mark (200 marks)	
	Grade 12
Learning Outcome 1	10%
Learning Outcome 2 and 3: Food and Nutrition	25%
Learning Outcome 2 and 3: Clothing	25%
Learning Outcome 2 and 3: Housing and Furnishings	25%
Learning Outcome 4: Theoretical Component	15%
TOTAL	100%

The following structure is suggested for the external end-of-year paper for Consumer Studies in Grade 12:

CONTENTS		MARKS
SECTION A	Short questions	40
SECTION B	Food and Nutrition	40
SECTION C	Clothing	40
SECTION D	Housing and Furnishing	40
SECTION E	Theory of practical option – Food, clothing or furnishings option.	40
	TOTAL	200