

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES FORM 5

The Form 5 Syllabus is a continuation of the Form 3 and Form 4 syllabus, and is in line with the Secondary Education Certificate of the University of Malta. (Sec Examination 2011 - Sec 13). Three lessons will be utilised on this subject in 2010-2011.

Students sitting for the Secondary Education Certificate of the University of Malta must obtain the relevant syllabus and past papers in:

1. Environmental Studies
2. Social Studies

Students can sit for one or both exams

It is in the interest of the student sitting for the exams to verify the topics and subjects which have been covered in Forms 3 and 4. Students must see that they have compiled notes on the various topics covered and continue to update them. By now students would have gained a better perspective of what they are facing in the subjects and how to go about doing their work.

For Environmental Studies the student must have written a project as indicated in the Form 4 syllabus and the project must be handed in by not later than the first week of November 2010. The project must be original and show students' input. This project is an integral part of the Secondary Education certificate in Environmental Studies and a maximum of 15 marks will be given in the annual Form 5 exam. This project is compulsory for all students.

Assessment

When	Criteria	Marks
Mid -Term Assessment	Behaviour and Participation	10
Mid-Term Academic Work Assessment	Class work, Homework, Test	50
Annual Exam	Exam	100
Annual Assessment	Behaviour and Participation	10
Annual Academic Work Assessment	Class work, Homework	50

Text Books:

- A New Geography of the Maltese Islands, Anton Azzopardi (NGM)
- GCSE Geography - CGP The Revision Guide (GCSE)
- Il-Wirt Arkitettoniku tal-Gzejjer Maltin, George A.Said-Zammit (WAM)
- Introducing Social Studies, Godfrey Baldacchino (ISS)

FIRST TERM

Theme 5: Work and Leisure

Social implications of work

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Theme 4: Human Communities

Prehistoric, Punic and Roman remains

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Theme 6: Managing a Nation

Politics

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Constitutional Development in the Maltese Islands

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Malta in the European Union

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Theme 4: Human Communities

Medieval remains

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The local community

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Institutions within the Community

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SECOND TERM

Theme 2: Management of Resources

Water

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Fish Farming and Aquaculture

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Media and Communications

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