

MEDIA STUDIES FORM 1

Textbook: *Exploring Media Languages* (Media Education for Form 1)
Joseph Borg & Mary Anne Lauri (Media Centre Publications 2003)

FIRST TERM

Introduction: *What are Media Languages*

The Media
Languages
Media languages

Chapter 1: *The Language of TV and the Cinema*

Similarities and differences
TV comes to our homes
Film and TV production
In the studio
Directing a production
Special effects
Choosing a sequence
Picture transition
Different TV programmes
Different film genres

SECOND TERM

Chapter 2: *The Language of Newspapers and Magazines*

Similarities and differences
How newspapers and magazines communicate
The printing process
The staff
Different sections of a newspaper and magazine

Chapter 3: *The Language of Radio*

Sounds around us
Sounds on radio
Voices
Sound effects
Music
Radio scripts
The radio studio

THIRD TERM

Chapter 4: *The Language of the Internet*

Communication through the Internet
World wide web
Search engines
Using e-mail
Chatting

Assessment scheme:

When	Criteria	Marks
Academic Assessment	Home works, class works	50
Behaviour Assessment		10
Mid-Year Exam	Exam	100
Academic Assessment	Home works, class works	50
Behaviour Assessment		10
Annual Exam	Exam	100
Academic Assessment	Home works, class works	50
Behaviour Assessment		10