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YEAR 5	MATHEMATICS MENTAL PAPER	TIME: 15 minutes
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Teacher's Paper

Guidelines for the conduct of the Mathematics Examination – Mental Paper

1. Words written in **bold** should be **emphasised**.
2. Read, **loudly and clearly**, **each question twice in succession**, and then allow 5, to 10, to 20 seconds as the test progresses through the three sections.
3. Access to rough paper for working out answers is **not allowed**. Any working on the answer sheet, however, will not be penalised.
4. The questions should be read out in **English** and **no code-switching/mixing is allowed**. Code-switching is permitted **only** for giving pupils instructions.
5. Before starting the test, read out the following instructions, using **exactly these words**:
 - I will read out each question twice. Listen carefully both times. You will then have time to work your answer.
Se naqralek kull mistoqsija darbtejn wara xulxin. Ismagħni sew. Wara jkollok il-ħin biex twegibha.
 - If you make a mistake, cross out the wrong answer and write the correct answer next to it.
Jekk tieħu żball f'xi risposta, aqtagħha u ikteb ir-risposta t-tajba ħdejjha.
 - You will not be allowed to ask any questions once the test has started.
Ma tistax tistaqsi mistoqsijiet hekk kif jibda t-test.
 - You may do your working on the free space on the paper, but write your answer in the box given.
Tista' tuża' l-ispazju vojta fil-karta għall-working, iżda fil-kaxxa ikteb biss ir-risposta.

6. At the end of the test, read out the following instructions, **using exactly these words:**

- *The test is finished; put down your pens.*
It-test spicča; poġġi l-bajrow fuq il-mejda.

MENTAL PAPER

‘For this group of questions, you have 5 seconds to work out each answer and write it down.’

‘Għal dawn il-mistoqsijiet li ġejjin, għandek 5 sekondi biex taħseb u tikteb kull risposta.’

1	How many days are there in April ?
2	Write a number which is greater than one thousand and five hundred .
3	Divide seventy by ten .
4	Double two hundred and fifty .
5	How many equal sides are there in an isosceles triangle ?

For this group of questions, you have 10 seconds to work out each answer and write it down.'

'Għal dawn il-mistoqsijiet li ġejjin, għandek 10 sekondi biex taħseb u tikteb kull risposta.'

6	Write three quarters as a decimal number.
7	Multiply thirty by fifty.
8	How many metres are there in fifteen kilometres ?
9	Subtract ninety from ten thousand.
10	Round five hundred and fifty to the nearest hundred.
11	Work out the total of four point four and five point six .
12	Tick the value of the digit two in zero point two five. Is it tens , units , tenths , or hundredths ?
13	Tick the best estimate for the capacity of a mug. Is it two hundred millilitres , two litres or ten litres ?
14	How many hours are there in two days ?
15	Look at the scale on your answer sheet. What number does the arrow show?

For this group of questions, you have 20 seconds to work out each answer and write it down.'

'Għal dawn il-mistoqsijiet li ġejjin, għandek 20 sekondi biex taħseb u tikteb kull risposta.'

16	Luke is facing North . Mark is facing the opposite direction from North. Which direction is Mark facing?
17	Write a square number greater than sixty and less than eighty.
18	A number multiplied by ten is sixteen. What is the number ?
19	Ann buys two pencils . Each pencil costs seventy cent . Ann pays with one coin and gets some change . Which coin does Ann pay with?
20	Maria makes one pie. She wants to give four sixths of the pie to her son and six twelfths of the pie to her daughter. Is one pie enough? Tick ' Yes ' or ' No '.

END OF MENTAL PAPER