

Sanquhar Academy – Alternative Certification Plans for Assessments in 2021



Date (w/b)	Phase	Teaching, learning, assessment and moderation	Assessment Dates/ Deadlines
8/03	Phase 1 – Learning and Teaching	Remote learning – focus on Learning and Teaching, course completion and consolidation Blended learning, including some face to face learning Links to e-Sgoil and West OS Staff using Understanding Standards material and SQA subject specific guidance	
15/03			
22/03			
29/03			
05/04			
12/04			18th April 2021
19/04	Phase 2 – Consolidation and Assessment	Continue to focus on course completion and preparing for assessment period. Teachers providing feedback to pupils on the assessments. Assessments completed in class at normal class times. We will attempt to ensure that learners have no more than 2 assessments in any one day. Broad course coverage, similar to course assessment, carried out under appropriate conditions. All Provisional Grades must be based on demonstrated attainment. All entitlements to additional assessment arrangements must be fulfilled. We are aiming to complete assessments during May and 1 st week of June. Every effort will be made to ensure that any pupil requiring to self-isolate during this period will not be disadvantaged.	Week 1- Assessments scheduled - Higher HFT
26/04			Week 2- Assessment Scheduled – N5 HFT, N5 Practical Cookery, Higher History, Higher Modern Studies, N5 Modern Studies, N5 French, N5 History.
03/05			Week 3 – H Modern Studies, H History, N5 French, Advanced Higher History, N5 Modern Studies
10/05			Week 4- Higher HFT, N5 HFT, N5 English, Advanced Higher Geography
17/05			Week 5 - Higher Design & Manufacture, H Business, N5 Business, N5 Practical Woodwork, N5 English, N5 French, N5 Admin& IT, N5 Practical cookery, Advanced Higher History, Advanced Higher Maths, Higher Maths, H Geography, N5 Drama
24/05			Week 6 – Higher Admin & IT, N5 Admin & IT, Advanced Higher Biology, Higher Chemistry, N5 Maths, Higher Physics, Higher Biology, N5 Biology, N5 Chemistry, N5 Geography, N5 Graphics, Advanced Higher Graphics, N5 Applications, H Art, N5 Art, Advanced Higher Chemistry, Advanced Higher Geography, Higher Geography, H Physics, N5 Physics, Higher Design & Manufacture, N5 English, N5 French, Advanced Higher Maths, Higher Maths, N5 PE, Higher PE, N5 Drama, N6 Music
31/05	Week 7 – Advanced Higher Geography, Higher HFT, N5 HFT, Advanced Higher Maths, N5 Maths, N5 French, N5 Applications, N5 English, Higher Music		
07/06	Phase 3 – Moderation, extended learning and wider achievements	Teaching staff will verify assessment evidence. Staff will continue to link with colleagues within the moderation partnerships. PTCs will quality assure the robustness of the subject level moderation process. SLT will ensure the quality assurance process has taken place at subject/faculty level. School process will follow the D&G Framework. This will vary from subject to subject. Pupils may be encouraged by staff to complete deeper learning tasks and additional wider achievement accredited learning.	Friday 18th June – school deadline for Provisional Grades
14/06			
21/06			
9/08	Phase 4 - SQA Certification day	10 th August 2021	