

Media for AQA MFL Listening and Speaking tests and assessments

As it is increasingly difficult to source cassette tapes, we are providing guidance on how:

- we will supply material for listening tests
- you should record and send us your speaking tests or assessments

from 2009 to 2011.

We are concentrating on just offering a few platforms, but can accept others if these do not suit your facilities.

Information about the e-Portfolio Desk Top Tool (DTT) is at aqa.org.uk/ePortfolios

If you have any queries please contact us via Ask AQA: aqa.org.uk/askaqa or e-mail us at [mfl @aqa.org.uk](mailto:mfl@aqa.org.uk)

2009

		Listening Test	Speaking Test
January	GCE AS – Legacy	Cassette tapes will be supplied.	Cassette tapes will be supplied.
	GCE AS – New	All centres will be supplied with a CD for each candidate.	The DTT will be the only AQA method supplied for recording tests. AQA will also accept tests on cassette tape, CD or memory stick.
June	GCSE – Legacy	CDs will be supplied as the default medium. Sound files (MP3) will be available on e-AQA for registered centres. Cassette tapes will be available on request.	Cassette tapes will be supplied.
	GCE AS & A2 – Legacy	Cassette tapes will be supplied.	Cassette tapes will be supplied.
	GCE AS – New	All centres will be supplied with a CD for each candidate. Sound files (MP3) will be available on e-AQA for registered centres.	The DTT will be the only AQA method supplied for recording tests. AQA will also accept tests on cassette tape, CD or memory stick.






2010

January	GCE A2 – Legacy	Cassette tapes will be supplied.	Cassette tapes will be supplied.
	GCE AS – New	All centres will be supplied with a CD for each candidate. Sound files (MP3) will be available on e-AQA for registered centres.	The DTT will be the only AQA method supplied for recording tests. AQA will also accept tests on cassette tape, CD or memory stick.
June	GCSE – Legacy	CDs will be supplied as the default medium. Sound files (MP3) will be available on e-AQA for registered centres. Cassette tapes will be available on request.	Cassette tapes will be supplied.
	GCSE – New	French, German and Spanish only: CDs will be supplied as the default medium. Sound files (MP3) will be available on e-AQA for registered centres.	French, German and Spanish only: The DTT will be the only AQA method supplied for recording tests. AQA will also accept tests on cassette tape, CD or memory stick.
	GCE AS & A2 – New	All centres will be supplied with a CD for each candidate. Sound files (MP3) will be available on e-AQA for registered centres.	The DTT will be the only AQA method supplied for recording tests. AQA will also accept tests on cassette tape, CD or memory stick.

2011

January	GCSE – New	French, German and Spanish: CDs will be supplied on request. Sound files (MP3) will be available on e-AQA for registered centres as the default medium.	
	GCE AS – New	CDs will be supplied on request. Sound files (MP3) will be available on e-AQA for registered centres as the default medium.	The DTT will be the only AQA method supplied for recording tests. AQA will also accept tests on CD and memory stick.
June	GCSE – New	All languages: CDs will be supplied on request. Sound files (MP3) will be available on e-AQA for registered centres as the default medium.	All languages: The DTT will be the only AQA method supplied for recording tests. AQA will also accept tests on CD and memory stick.
	GCE AS & A2 – New	CDs will be supplied on request. Sound files (MP3) will be available on e-AQA for registered centres as the default medium.	The DTT will be the only AQA method supplied for recording tests. AQA will also accept tests on CD and memory stick.

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				Listening			Speaking			
										
2009	Jan	GCE	AS Legacy	✓			✓			
			AS New		✓		✓ ₃	✓ ₃	✓	
	June	GCSE	Legacy	✓ ₁	✓	✓ ₂	✓			
			GCE	AS & A2 Legacy	✓			✓		
				AS New		✓	✓ ₂	✓ ₃	✓ ₃	✓
2010	Jan	GCE	AS Legacy	✓			✓			
			AS New		✓	✓ ₂	✓ ₃	✓ ₃	✓	
	June	GCSE	Legacy	✓ ₁	✓	✓ ₂	✓			
			GCE	New		✓	✓ ₂	✓ ₃	✓ ₃	✓
				AS & A2 New		✓	✓ ₂	✓ ₃	✓ ₃	✓
2011	Jan	GCSE	New		✓ ₁	✓ ₂				
			GCE	AS New		✓ ₁	✓ ₂		✓ ₃	✓
	June	GCSE	New		✓ ₁	✓ ₂		✓ ₃	✓	
			GCE	AS & A2 New		✓ ₁	✓ ₂		✓ ₃	✓

- 1 Available on request
- 2 Available via e-AQA for registered centres
- 3 Not supplied by AQA



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