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YEAR 4	MATHEMATICS MENTAL PAPER	TIME: 15 minutes

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**. However, any working on the answer sheet will not be penalised.

4. The question 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 tweġibha.

   - *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 ħdejha.

   - *You will not be allowed to ask any questions once the test has started.*

     Ma tistax tistaqsi mistoqsijiet hekk kif jibda t-test.

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 spiċċa; poġġi l-bajrow fuq il-mejda.

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'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.	Write **two hundred and forty-six** in **figures**.
2.	How many **sides** does a **triangle** have?
3.	How many **minutes** are there in **one hour**?
4.	How many **lines of symmetry** does a **rectangle** have?
5.	**Thirty-seven**, **thirty-eight**, **thirty-nine**… what is the **next number**?

'For the next 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.	What is the total of **seven**, **five** and **three**?
7.	What is **one hundred less** than **four hundred and seventy-two**?
8.	What is **double forty-four**?
9.	**Divide sixteen** by **four**.
10.	What is **half** of **twelve**?

11.	What do I need to **add** to **fifty-five** to make **one hundred**?
12.	How many **metres** are there in **one kilometre**?
13.	What is **one less** than **one hundred and twenty-five**?
14.	What is the difference between **twelve** and **twenty-eight**?
15.	How many **twenty euro cent coins** do I need to make **one euro**?

'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 sekonda biex taħseb u tikteb kull risposta.'

16.	What is **one third** of **twenty-one**?
17.	A large packet of sweets costs **one euro and twenty cents**. What is the **total cost** of **three packets**?
18.	Write **twenty minutes past ten** as a **digital time**.
19.	**Stickers** cost **five cents each**. How many stickers can I buy with **fifty cents**?
20.	If you share **twenty-four marbles** between **three children**, how many **marbles does each child get**?

END OF MENTAL PAPER