



May 2026

IB DP Exam session Guidelines

Cordova High School

Questions? Contact Ms. Poland spoland@fcusd.org

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DP Exam session



3 weeks of testing

First exam: Thursday April 30th PM session

Last exam: Wednesday May 20th PM session

Most exams will be held in AG100 or the Aux Gym

HOTA and **Lang & Lit** and **Psych** exams will be held in the **Aux Gym**

Spanish HL Paper 2 Listening will be in the **Library**

Math A&A HL Paper 3 will be held in **M103**



AG100

May 2026 - Cordova High School DP Exam calendar

Official exam start time for all AM sessions is 8:30AM and for PM sessions is 12:30PM - Report time is 20 minutes prior to the exam start time - Please be prompt! All test sessions must be a minimum of 2 hours long (IB policy as of 2025) Please note session end times are approximate depending on official start time, breaks, time to collect materials, etc.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				Apr 30, 2026	May 1, 2026
PM Exam start 12:30				ESS SL 1 hour Paper 1 12:10-2:30 *candidates take A lunch* AG100	No exams 1 hour 45 (Spring Activities Day)
	May 4, 2026	May 5, 2026	May 6, 2026	May 7, 2026	May 8, 2026
AM Exam start 8:30	ESS 2 hours Paper 2 8:10-11:00 AG100	HOTA HL 2 hour 30 Paper 3 8:10-11:15 AUX GYM	No exam in AM	Psych SL 1 hour Paper 2 8:00-10:30 AUX GYM	Lang & Lit SL/HL 1 hour 45 Paper 2 8:10-10:45 AUX GYM
PM Exam start 12:30	HOTA HL 2 hr 30 Paper 1 and 2 12:10-3:30 *candidates take A lunch* AUX GYM	No exam in PM	Psych SL 2 hours Paper 1 11:50-3:00 *candidates take A lunch* AUX GYM	Lang & Lit SL/HL Paper 1 1 hr 15 (SL) 2 hr 15 (HL) 12:00-3:15 *candidates take A lunch* AUX GYM	No exam in PM
	May 11, 2026	May 12, 2026	May 13, 2026	May 14, 2026	May 15, 2026
AM Exam start time 8:30	No exam in AM	Bio HL 2 hrs 30 Paper 2 8:10-11:15 AG100	No exam in AM	Spanish SL/HL Paper 2 (listening comp) 1 hour 8:10-10:30 AG100 & Library	Math all levels Paper 2 2 hours A&I SL/A&A HL 8:10-11:00 AG100
PM Exam start time 12:30	Bio HL 2 hours Paper 1a and 1b 12:10-3:00 *candidates take A lunch* AG100	No exam in PM	Spanish SL/HL 2 hrs 15/ 2 hrs 30 Paper 1&2 Reading 12:10-3:45 *candidates take A lunch* AG100	Math all levels Paper 1 2 hours A&I SL/A&A HL 12:10-3:00 *candidates take A lunch* AG100	No exam in PM (Senior send off rally)
	May 18, 2026	May 19, 2026	May 20, 2026		
AM Exam start time 8:30	No exam in AM	GloPo HL Paper 3 1 hr 30 8:10-10:30 AG100	French ab initio/SL Paper 2 (listening) 45 min 8:10-10:30 AG100		
PM Exam start time 12:30	GloPo SL/HL Papers 1 and 2 1 hr 15 + 1 hr 45 12:10-4:00 *candidates take A lunch* AG100	French ab initio/SL Paper 1&2 Reading 12:10-3:15 *candidates take A lunch* AG100	Math HL 1 hour 15 Paper 3 12:10-2:30 *candidates take A lunch* M103		

Please note: For exam sessions that go past the normal school day, it is the student's responsibility to inform parents, work etc. of their schedule and the approximate end time. Students will not be able to use or check cell phones during any testing session.

When you arrive for your testing session:

Arrive on time!

8:10 for the AM session

12:10 for the PM session

Check the seating chart and list posted in the window to find your seat number. Seat numbers will change for every exam session

ALL electronics and ALL wearable technology, including all types of watches must be turned off and **IN YOUR BACKPACK**

Conduct of the examinations

Items not permitted

If you take any of the following items into an IB examination - *even by mistake* - you will be in breach of regulations and may not be eligible for a grade in the subject being examined.

If you do not understand these instructions, please contact your coordinator.

The infographic is a blue and white graphic with a curved top. It contains six panels, each with an icon and text. The panels are arranged in a 3x2 grid. The top row contains 'Electronic equipment' (hand holding a phone) and 'Wearable technology and all types of watches' (two watches). The middle row contains 'Books or guides' (stack of books) and 'Refreshments' (apple and water cup). The bottom row contains 'Rough/scratch paper or notes' (stack of paper). Each panel has a title, an icon, and a note.

Item Category	Icon	Notes
Electronic equipment	Hand holding a smartphone	Note that this includes, but is not limited to, mobile phones/cellphones and any device that allows communication. An approved calculator is permitted in certain examinations.
Books or guides	Stack of books	
Wearable technology and all types of watches	Two smartwatches	Note that this includes, but is not limited to, smart watches, smart glasses, and wireless headphones.
Refreshments	Apple and a water cup	Water is permitted at the discretion of the coordinator.
Rough/scratch paper or notes	Stack of paper	

Conduct of the examinations

Notice to candidates

The following instructions must be observed for all IB examinations. Failure to comply may result in no grade being awarded for the subject being examined.

If you do not understand these instructions, please contact your coordinator.



Arrive on time for your examination. You are not permitted to leave the examination within the first 60 minutes, or the last 15 minutes.



Do not communicate with other candidates in the examination room.



Do not bring any unauthorized materials to your desk.



Follow all invigilator instructions. Raise your hand if you require the invigilator's attention.



Do not take any examination material out of the examination room.



Ensure that you report any incidents of possible academic misconduct to your coordinator.



Do not discuss the content of the examination with any person outside of your school in the next 24 hours.

When you enter the testing room:

Backpacks and personal belongings must be placed along the wall by the door

Find your seat number (don't forget to check the list before entering the room!) and take your seat

The only item you should take to your seat is your clear water bottle (if you have one)

All other supplies will be provided for you.

After the exam

Snacks will be provided after the exam, or for sessions with two papers, during the break time.

All exam sessions must be a minimum of 2 hours of supervised time per new IB policy

Please remember....

You are not allowed to talk about the exam, or post anything about the exam after the exam session.

These are worldwide exams and these rules are in place to maintain the integrity of the test for all students around the world.

Social media

Candidates, teachers and invigilators must not, **under any circumstances**, discuss, disclose, or allude to the content of any IB exam for 24 hours after the examination has ended.

This includes all online communication, including the use of any social media network or messaging app.

Any candidate found to be in breach of these regulations will be subject to investigation by the IB.

A few reminders

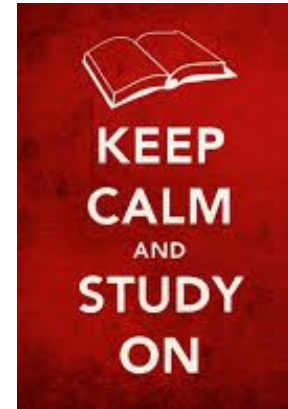
During the May exams:

Get plenty of rest the night before your exam

Take care of yourself!

Remember to eat breakfast

You've worked hard for this! You're going to do great :)



Results come out in the first week of July. You will need your personal code and PIN to log in to IBIS to get your results.

If you would like your exam scores sent to a college of your choice, please fill out [the google form](#) (on the school website) to request that by June 1st, 2026.

Ms. Poland will submit these requests for free through IBIS, BUT after the June 1st deadline you will need to request your results directly from the IB and they charge a fee.

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