

Task: Trial Examination

Due Date: Thursday 14.08.2025

Task Distributed:

Unit: All core units listed below

Task Type: Written examination

Task Weighting: 60%

Outcomes: SITXFSA005, SITXWHS005, SITXFSA006, SITXCCS011, SITHKOP009, SITHCCC023, SITHCCC027

Task Description

Your Examination will be 2 hours including 5 minutes reading time. This examination is broken down into 4 sections.

Section I

15 Multiple choice questions allow 15 minutes

Section II

Short answer questions. 35 marks allow 45 minutes

Section III

Scaffolded extended response questions. 3 questions – 1 worth 2 marks, 1 worth 5 marks and 1 worth 8 marks. These must be completed in a separate writing booklet.

Section IV

This is an essay-style, extended response question. It's worth 15 marks. Ensure you write clearly, make an introductory statement followed by detailed content and industry examples, finish with a conclusion summing up the content in your answer. Don't forget to use terminology specific to Hospitality.

Extended Response Focus Areas: Interact with Customers, Prepare dishes using basic methods of cookery and Participate in safe work practices.

Ensure you address the VERB at the beginning of the question eg: Describe, Outline, Explain, Discuss, and Compare.

NESA Glossary of Key Words

Understand the verb associated with the task. The verb will provide an understanding of the detail needed to successfully answer the question.

- **Outline:** sketch in general terms
- **Describe:** provide characteristics and features
- **Explain:** relate cause and effect; make the relationships between things evident; provide why and/or how

Check the NESA Glossary of Key Words for further guidance <https://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/hsc/hsc-student-guide/glossary-keywords>

Details of Submission

You are expected to attend this examination on Thursday 14th August and make a serious attempt at all questions. If you do not make a serious attempt at all questions in the paper you will receive an N warning.

Note: If a student is absent for an assessment task or fails to submit a task when it is due, a medical certificate must be presented on the first day the student returns to school.

Teacher Feedback and Student Self-Reflection

- The task will typically be returned to students within 14 days of the due date.
- At this time feedback including information on how to improve will be provided in person by the teacher.
- Students can clarify or seek further feedback by speaking with their teacher or the assessment marker.
- You will also receive feedback on your literacy performance based on the criteria in the school's literacy marking rubric. The marks achieved for literacy will account for between 10% – 20% of the maximum task value.

Upon completion of the task, students will be expected to complete a self-reflection evaluation page. It is an important part of the learning process as it provides an opportunity to reflect on the strength of their performance, as well as areas that have been identified to strengthen future tasks.

How does this link to my learning?

What Areas of Learning will this Assessment Task Report on?

- This examination is based on the HSC format and provides you with an understanding of what to expect when you sit the Trials and HSC examination.
- By completing this examination, you will be able to identify areas that you need to focus on in preparation for future exams.
- SITXFSA005 Use hygienic practices for food safety
- SITXWHS005 Participate in safe work practices
- SITXFSA006 Participate in safe food handling practices
- SITXCCS011 Interact with customers
- SITHKOP009 Clean kitchen premises and equipment
- SITHCCC023 Use food preparation equipment
- SITHCCC027 Serve food and beverage

Assessment Procedures

All students should be fully aware of the School Assessment Procedures for their year group. These were provided at the beginning of the school year and are available off the school website under the Learning Tab for each year group.