

STRATHAVEN ACADEMY

SENIOR PHASE WINTER ASSESSMENT PROGRAMME

DECEMBER 2026

(November - Practical assessments)

S4 Study Period: Monday, 7 December - Friday, 18 December



S4 Study Preference

Pupils in S4 will have the opportunity to choose to study from home during the written assessment diet (from Monday, 7 December to Friday, 18 December, inclusive). Alternatively, a space will be made available to young people studying in school supervised by the Senior Leadership Team.

The QR code will take you to a google form to indicate your preference for either studying from home or studying from school. This is essential in terms of health and safety and will ensure attendance is recorded accurately.

I ask that you complete the form by noon on Friday, 27 November 2026.

Kind regards

Mrs LA Quinn
QS Coordinator.



November Practical Assessment Diet

Wednesday, 25 November						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Music	National 5	Practical	Music Rooms	Individual time provided to pupil by music staff		

Thursday, 26 November						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Music	Higher / Advanced Higher	Practical	Music Rooms	Individual time provided to pupil by music staff		

Friday, 27 November						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Music	Higher / Advanced Higher	Practical	Music Rooms	Individual time provided to pupil by music staff		



Monday, 30 November						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Music	National 5	Practical	Music Rooms	Individual time provided to pupil by music staff		

Tuesday, 1 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Music	National 5	Practical	Music Rooms	Individual time provided to pupil by music staff		

Wednesday, 2 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Practical Cookery	N5 (S5/6)	Practical	Practical Cookery rooms	Individual time provided to pupil by practical cookery staff		

Thursday 3 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Practical Cookery	N5 (S5/6)	Practical	Practical Cookery rooms	Individual time provided to pupil by practical cookery staff		



December S4 Assessment Diet

Monday, 7 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Biology	National 5	Written	Gym (90) Drama Studio (27)	117	9.00 - 11.00	
Business	National 5	Written	Gym	28	12.30 - 2.00	
Graphic Communication	National 5	Written	Gym	20	12.30 - 2.30	
RMPS	National 5	Written	Gym	10	12:30 - 2:50	

Tuesday, 8 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
History	National 5	Written	Gym	78	9.00 - 11.20	
Music	National 5	Listening	Drama Studio	27	2.00 - 2.45	
Administration	National 5	Practical	F012	7	12.30 - 3.45	

Wednesday, 9 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
English	National 5	RUAE	Gym G124/125	167	11:00 - 12:00	
	National 5	Critical Essay	Gym G124/125	167	1:00 - 2:00	

Thursday, 10 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Mathematics	National 5	Paper 1	Gym G124/125	125	9.00 - 10.00	
		Paper 2	Gym G124/125	125	10.30 - 12.00	



Friday, 11 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Modern Studies	National 5	Written	G124/125	26	9.00 - 11.20	
Drama	National 5	Written	Drama Studio	29	13.30 - 15.00	

Monday, 14 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Applications of Mathematics	National 5	Paper 1	Gym G124/125	130	9.00 - 9.50	
		Paper 2	Gym G124/125	130	10.20 - 12.00	
Practical Cookery	National 5	Written	Gym	59	2.00 - 3.00	

Tuesday, 15 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Computing	National 5	Written	G124/125	17	9.30 - 11.00	
Spanish	National 5	Reading and Writing	Drama Studio G124/125	93	1.00 - 2.30	
		Listening	Drama Studio G124/125	93	3.10 - 3.40	

Wednesday, 16 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Geography	National 5	Written	G125/124	42	9.00 - 11:20	
Chemistry	National 5	Written	G125/124	52	12:30 - 2:30	



Thursday, 17 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Art & Design	National 5	Written	G125	48	9.00 - 10.20	
French	National 5	Reading and Writing	Drama Studio	23	12.00 - 1.30	
		Listening	Drama Studio	23	2.20 - 2.50	

Friday, 18 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Physics	National 5	Written Paper	Drama Studio G124/125	80	9.00 - 11.00	
Administration	National 5	Question Paper	F012	7	12:00 - 2.15	
Art & Design	Higher	Practical	All A&D Classrooms F050, F049, F053	32	All day	

Monday, 21 December						
Subject	Level	Paper	Venue	Candidates	Time	
Art & Design	National 5	Practical	All A&D Classrooms F050, F049, F053	48	All day	
PE	National 5	Practical	Games Hall		P5 Badminton P6&7 Basketball	

AH Art & Design Practical - By arrangement

Contingency day for missed prelims as arranged with Mrs Quinn