Department of Examinations, Sri Lanka

G.C.E. (O.L.) Examination - 2026

It is hereby notified that the G.C.E. (O.L.) Examination is scheduled to commence on 08th December 2026 and continue until 17th December 2026.

The admission cards of school candidates appearing for this examination have been sent to the Principals of the respective schools. Accordingly, all school candidates should obtain their examination admission cards from their respective Principals. The admission cards of private candidates have been sent by post to their respective private addresses.

Private candidates who have not yet received their admission cards by post can download them from the official website of the Department of Examinations, Sri Lanka, www.doenets.lk, with effect from **23.11.2026.**

Any private candidate who has not received the admission card or has been unable to download it should visit the Department of Examinations, Sri Lanka, in person, with a copy of the application submitted, a photocopy of the receipt for payment of the examination fee, or a letter obtained from the Postmaster certifying payment of the examination fee.

Amendment of Admission Cards

Any changes to be made in the subject, medium and name cited in the admission cards received by school candidates and private candidates,

- **All amendments should be made online in the case of school candidates through their respective Principals and in the case of private candidates by themselves. For this purpose, candidates should visit the website** http://onlineexams.gov.lk.
- **Only one attempt of amendment will be given to each candidate.**
- **Examination centres for this examination will not be changed.**
- **The duration offered for making amendments will commence on 19.11.2026 and end at 12.00 midnight on 30.11.2026.**

N.B.:- In the event of any discrepancy in the name printed in English on the candidate's examination admission card, it is compulsory to make the necessary amendments online within the specified period, prior to the examination. Under no circumstances will any amendments to names be made after the examination.

The National Identity Card issued by the Department of Registration for Persons or a valid Passport or a valid Driving Licence will be accepted as a valid document to prove identity of a candidate at this examination.

01. Impersonation in the examination, keeping notes in one's possession while answering, getting assistance from & assisting another candidate and misbehaving in and around the examination hall shall be punishable offences under the Examinations Act.
02. Using calculators and correcting fluid in this examination is not permitted.
03. Sitting for this examination as a private candidate while studying in a government school shall be a punishable offence.
04. Bringing mobile phones, smartwatches or electronic devices into the examination hall, possessing and using such devices are strictly prohibited. Any candidate who violates this condition will be subject to a five-year examination ban and the relevant device may be confiscated.
05 All candidates **should keep their faces and ears uncovered and clearly visible throughout the examination** in the examination hall to ensure that they are not using any electronic communication devices like Bluetooth. Legal actions will be taken against candidates who violate these examination rules.

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