

- 4.3.3 The learning rate of individual students will vary, and the length of examination training for each student is at the discretion of the teacher. It is recommended, however, that students studying for vocational graded examinations should take a minimum of two syllabus classes a week at the lower levels, increasing as the student progresses towards the higher levels. Additional time, particularly when growth spurts occur, can only be beneficial in the long term.

Recommended study hours:

Qualification	Guided Learning Hours	Additional learning	Total Qualification Time
Primary in Dance examination	40	0	40
Grade 1 examination	60	10	70
Grade 1 solo performance award	50	10	60
Grade 2 examination	60	10	70
Grade 2 solo performance award	50	10	60
Grade 3 examination	60	10	70
Grade 3 solo performance award	50	10	60
Grade 4 examination	75	20	95
Grade 4 solo performance award	60	15	75
Grade 5 examination	75	20	95
Grade 5 solo performance award	60	15	75
Grade 6 examination	90	40	130
Grade 7 examination	90	40	130
Grade 8 examination	90	40	130
Intermediate Foundation examination	150	100	275
Intermediate examination	150	125	275
Advanced Foundation examination	150	125	275
Advanced 1 examination	150	175	325
Advanced 2 examination	150	225	375
Solo Seal examination	180	60	240

4.4 Examination timings

- 4.4.1 The time scheduled for each examination is as shown in the tables on pages 32-33 below.

4.5 Re-taking examinations

- 4.5.1 Candidates may re-take an examination as many times as they wish, regardless of the result.