

Εισαγωγικές Εξετάσεις για την Α΄ Λυκείου

ΕΞΕΤΑΣΤΕΑ ΥΛΗ για το μάθημα: «Αγγλικά»

(Διάρκεια Εξέτασης: 75 λεπτά)

Overall ability: in terms of the *Common European Framework*, students should have abilities typical of a **high B2**.

As a more specific indication, students should have an excellent command of the following:

Grammar and syntax:

- ▶▶ *Various sentence structures (compound/complex sentences; use of connectors)*
- ▶▶ *All tenses*
- ▶▶ *Passive voice (including causative form and impersonal constructions)*
- ▶▶ *Conditionals (all types including mixed conditionals)*
- ▶▶ *Reported speech*

Reading Comprehension and literary analysis: students should be able to identify and analyze the use of the following literary devices in a given text:

- ▶▶ *Conflict*
- ▶▶ *Climax*
- ▶▶ *Characterization*
- ▶▶ *Setting*
- ▶▶ *Theme*
- ▶▶ *Figurative language (metaphor, simile, personification)*

Reading focus:

- ▶▶ *Main idea*
- ▶▶ *Referential and inferential questions*
- ▶▶ *Critical thinking questions*

Writing: ability to write an

- ▶▶ **Opinion essay**

Oral fluency: students of Athens College and Psychico College Middle Schools are expected to have a high degree of oral ability in English. Although speaking is **not** part of the test for the outside entrants, both parents and students should be aware of the importance the school gives to speaking skills. English is the medium of instruction in English classes.