



INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF MUSIC, SPEECH & DRAMA

CORPORATE MEMBER OF THE STSD (THE SOCIETY OF TEACHERS OF SPEECH & DRAMA, UK)

➤ **SPEECH & DRAMA SYLLABUS - GRADED EXAMINATIONS TO TEACHING DIPLOMAS**

IIMSD Teaching Diplomas are approved by the Society of Teachers of Speech & Drama UK. **LIIMSD** Teacher's Diploma will now be accepted for full STSD Membership. Examinations will be held once a year, examined by an examiner of a Foreign Examination Board (May to August).

➤ **IIMSD TEACHING YOUNG/ADVANCED LEARNERS DIPLOMA SYLLABUS**

This syllabus is available at the IIMSD office or posted on request.

➤ **THE CURRENT SPOKEN ENGLISH, WRITTEN ENGLISH, EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION SYLLABUS LABELLED "EXAMINATION SYLLABUS OF 2026" (BLUE COVER BOOK) IS VALID FOR EXAMINATIONS COMMENCING 2026.**

➤ **THE SYLLABUS LABELLED "MUSIC PRACTICAL GRADED & DIPLOMA EXAMINATIONS VALID FROM 2017 ONWARDS" IS THE VALID SYLLABUS FOR 2026.**

➤ **"THEORY OF MUSIC SYLLABUS 2018" IS THE VALID SYLLABUS FOR 2026. A HANDBOOK FOR GUIDANCE IS ALSO AVAILABLE.**

➤ **PRACTICAL EXAMINATIONS IN MUSIC & SPEECH** - Piano, Keyboard, Recorder, Violin, Singing, Spoken English, Effective Communication and Speech & Drama will be held at any requested Centre according to the dates specified.

➤ **ALL WRITTEN EXAMINATIONS** are held at the following **CENTRES ONLY**.

Athurugiriya / Aluthgama / Anuradhapura / Aryampathy / Ambalanthota / Ambalangoda / Avissawella / Bandarawela / Badulla / Batticaloa / Balangoda / Beruwala / Bogawantala / Colombo / Dambadeniya / Gampaha / Ganemulla / Galle / Gampola / Hatton / Hikkaduwa / Jaffna / Kandy / Kandana / Kalutara / Karaitivu / Kadawatha / Kalmunai / Kilinochchi / Kegalle / Kochchikade / Katunayake / Karaveddi / Kurunegala / Matara / Mannar / Malabe / Matugama / Manipay / Minuwangoda / Mulaitivu / Negombo / Nuwara Eliya / Point Pedro / Panadura / Pesalai / Rakwana / Ratnapura / Tangalle / Trincomalee / Thalawathugoda / Vavuniya / Warakapola / Wennappuwa / Weligama

WRITTEN ENGLISH EXAMINATIONS DATES - 1st / 2nd Sunday in April & 1st / 2nd Sunday in October (Refer page 5)

GENERAL ENGLISH EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD **ONLY IN OCTOBER**. (Aligned with school syllabus)

➤ **CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT - PARALLEL TO GRADE 11 SCHOOL SYLLABUS**

- Grade 11 Music Theory (Written paper) and the Listening Test - parallel to the O/L Western Music Syllabus
- Grade 11 English Language (General English Written Paper) - parallel to the O/L English Language syllabus.

A certificate band with "Certificate of Achievement" will be awarded to the candidates who will be sitting for these Examinations.

NOTE: Certificate of Achievement exams WILL BE HELD CLOSER TO THE G. C. E. O/L EXAMINATION.

CLOSING DATES **FOR PRACTICAL AND WRITTEN EXAMINATIONS 2026**

**SUBJECTS: - SPOKEN ENGLISH, SPEECH & DRAMA, EFFECTIVE SPEAKING, ORAL COMMUNICATION
PIANO, ELECTRONIC KEYBOARD, VIOLIN, RECORDER, SINGING**

<u>CLOSING DATES</u>	<u>DATES OF EXAMS - PRACTICAL EXAMS</u>
DECEMBER 21 ST 2025	FEBRUARY 1 ST - 10 TH
JANUARY 31 ST 2026	MARCH 1 ST - 10 TH
FEBRUARY 28 TH 2026	APRIL 1 ST - 10 TH
MARCH 31 ST 2026	MAY 1 ST - 12 TH
APRIL 30 TH 2026 MAY 31 ST 2026	JUNE } 24 TH JUNE - 7 TH JULY JULY }
JUNE 30 TH 2026 JULY 31 ST 2026	AUGUST } 19 TH AUGUST - 8 TH SEPTEMBER SEPTEMBER }
AUGUST 31 ST 2026	OCTOBER 1 ST - 6 TH / 25 TH - 31 ST
SEPTEMER 30 TH 2026	NOVEMBER 1 ST - 30 TH
OCTOBER 31 ST 2026	DECEMBER 1 ST - 20 TH

SUBJECTS: - WRITTEN ENGLISH, GENERAL ENGLISH, THEORY OF MUSIC

<u>CLOSING DATES</u>	<u>DATES OF EXAMS - WRITTEN EXAMS</u>
FEBRUARY 8 TH 2026	1 st or 2 nd Sunday in April 2026 Written English, Theory of Music
JULY 31 ST 2026	1 st or 2 nd Sunday in October 2026 Written English, General English, Theory of Music

**SUBJECTS: - CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT – PARALLEL TO GRADE 11 SCHOOL SYLLABUS
WESTERN MUSIC (Theory & Listening Test) AND ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

<u>CLOSING DATES</u>	<u>DATES OF EXAMS - WRITTEN EXAMS</u>
July 31 st 2026	Examination will be held closer to the G. C. E. O/L Examination.

LATE ENTRIES

LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED FREE **OF CHARGE FOR ONE WEEK AFTER CLOSING DATE.**

LATE ENTRY FEE OF HALF **THE ENTRY FEE WILL BE CHARGED FOR ENTRIES RECEIVED DURING THE SECOND WEEK AFTER THE CLOSING DATE.**

ENTRIES RECEIVED FROM THE FOURTH **WEEK** AFTER THE CLOSING DATE WILL BE SCHEDULED FOR THE NEXT SESSION.

PLEASE NOTE THE ABOVE WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.

CHANGES IN ENTRIES

ENTRY TO A DIFFERENT GRADE AFTER ENTRIES ARE RECEIVED WILL BE ON PAYMENT **OF DIFFERENCE IN FEE.**

CHANGE OF DATE OR RE ENTRY WILL BE HALF **PAYMENT OF THE ENTRY FEE.** (PLS SUBMIT THE RE-ENTRY FORM TOGETHER WITH THE ADMISSION SLIP)

SUBMISSION OF EXAM ENTRIES

THESE INSTRUCTIONS SHOULD BE READ CAREFULLY. PLEASE CONFORM TO THE FOLLOWING.

1. The entry forms could be photocopied from the attached entry forms on the following pages.

page 27 & 28 - IIMSD Graded Examination Entry Form

page 29 to 32 - IIMSD Diploma Examination Entry Form

2. Complete the entry form as mentioned below; The name (one name commonly used & surname) to be spelt correctly in **BLOCK LETTERS/CAPITALS** with correct Date of Birth.

NOTE: If the Date of Birth is not entered, candidate will not be considered for a prize.

- ❖ Please note if a candidate is entered for **TWO EXAMS OF DIFFERENT SUBJECTS**, (Ex: THEORY OF MUSIC & WRITTEN ENGLISH/GENERAL ENGLISH) or **TWO EXAMS OF SAME SUBJECTS**, (E.g. TWO DIFFERENT GRADES), the entire time duration of the papers will be given to work the papers.
- ❖ WRITTEN ENGLISH, BEGINNER AND PRE-INTRODUCTORY papers **WILL BE READ** as students who are taking these examinations are as young as 3 to 5 years, who are unable to read the questions. To encourage such candidates, this option is available where the invigilator reads aloud the questions.

3. Examination fees are payable as follows.

- Cash payment could be made & receipt obtained
- Pay by cheque in favour of the '**International Institute of Music, Speech & Drama (Pvt) Ltd.**'
- Pay online or deposit to the following banks;

A/C Name	- 'International Institute of Music, Speech & Drama (Pvt) Ltd.'
A/C No.	- Sampath Bank - Kollupitiya Branch
	- A/C 0134-1000-1297
	Commercial Bank - Kollupitiya Branch
	- A/C 1108127601

****All deposit slips should accompany an entry form.**

Please DO NOT send only the deposit slip or make deposits early and send the entries later.

***Please ensure that the date of deposit is mentioned in all online banking receipts**

4. Submission of Entry Forms

Handover or email the duly completed entry forms including the cover page with Teacher's details together with the fees (cash / cheques / bank deposit slips) to the office.

NOTE: For correction or re-issue of an admission notification a fee of Rs. 750/= will be charged.

5. Identity Card: Kindly produce the Postal / National ID / Passport or Photograph attested by a JP / Principal of School / Attorney at Law or Clergy.

6. Examination Results: Certificates are sent by post/courier together with the results.

PURCHASING OF EXAMINATION PAPERS & BOOKS

If you need to purchase any Examination books - (Written English past-paper books, Poem Anthology, Structure book, Word book) please feel free to contact the office between 9.00 AM – 4.30 PM.

Please send us the books order via Email/WhatsApp and we will reply you as time permits with the order value.

Payments to be made as follows,

- Cash payment could be made & receipt obtained from our office
- Pay by cheque in favour of the '**International Institute of Music, Speech & Drama (Pvt) Ltd.**'
- Pay online or deposit to the following banks;

A/C Name	- International Institute of Music, Speech & Drama (Pvt) Ltd.
A/C No.	- 0134-1000-1297
Bank	- Sampath Bank, Kollupitiya branch

You can make the payment and email the receipt to us on iimsd_ferdi@yahoo.com or WhatsApp on +94 77 725 1513 giving your address and phone number so that we can courier it to you. Kindly pay the courier charges and collect your books.

OFFICE ADDRESS

NO	: No: 25, Isipathana Mawatha, Colombo 5.
TEL	: 011 2375853 / 4513969
E-MAIL	: iimsd_ferdi@yahoo.com

WORKING HOURS: WEEK DAYS 9.00 AM - 4.30 PM

IIMSD PRIZE GIVING OF 2025 EXAMINATIONS

Candidates receiving the Highest Honour Mark (above 85 marks) for Practical & Written Examinations at each Registered Centre and within the specified age group as at December 31st 2025 will receive a Prize at the Annual Prize Giving in Colombo.

Prize Giving will be held in October **2026**.

A donation of Rs. 1700/= per Prize-winner will be accepted.

- If a Prize-winner gets more than one prize, he/she should pay Rs. 1700/= for every prize received.

Each Prize-winner should deposit the donation to the below mentioned bank accounts.

Prizegiving Donations are payable as follows.

- Cash payment could be made & receipt obtained
- Pay by cheque in favour of the '**International Institute of Music, Speech & Drama (Pvt) Ltd.**'
- Pay online or deposit to the following banks;

A/C Name	- International Institute of Music, Speech & Drama (Pvt) Ltd
A/C No.	- 1108127601
Bank & Branch	- Commercial Bank, Kollupitiya

The following details should be written behind all bank receipts/slips.

- Name of student
- Index number given in prize list
- Subject
- Grade
- Teacher Name

Handover the Bank receipt/slip to the teacher with the details of candidate written behind it. The teacher should hand over or courier all bank slips to the office on **or before July 31st 2026.**

Please note that the closing date will be strictly enforced to enable us to prepare for the Prizegiving. Donations & details received after this date WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

PLEASE NOTE:

- **BANK RECEIPT / SLIP WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED BY WHATSAPP**
- **ALL BANK RECEIPTS / SLIPS SHOULD BE SENT BY POST, EMAIL OR COURIER OR CAN BE HANDED OVER TO OFFICE.**

IIMSD SCALE OF FEES 2026

PRACTICAL & WRITTEN EXAMINATIONS IN SPEECH SUBJECTS

SPOKEN ENGLISH / EFFECTIVE SPEAKING/ ORAL COMMUNICATION/SPEECH & DRAMA

Syllabus Labelled 2026 will be valid for 2026

GRADE	AGE LIMIT		IIMSD FEES PHYSICAL EXAMS (Rupees)	IIMSD WRITTEN EXAMINATION FEES (Rupees)
	Year of Birth (As at 31/12/2025)	Age (As at 31/12/2025)		
Beginner	2022/2021	3 & 4 years	3,300.00	2,800.00
Pre Introductory	2020	5 years	3,450.00	2,950.00
Introductory / Initial	2019	6 years	3,600.00	3,100.00
Pre Elementary	2018	7 years	3,750.00	3,250.00
Elementary	2017	8 years	3,900.00	3,400.00
Grade 1	2016	9 years	4,050.00	3,550.00
Transitional	2015	10 years	4,200.00	3,700.00
Grade 2	2014	11 years	4,350.00	3,850.00
Intermediate	2013	12 years	4,500.00	4,000.00
Grade 3	2012	13 years	4,650.00	4,150.00
Upper Intermediate	2011	14 years	4,800.00	4,300.00
Grade 4	2010	15 years	4,950.00	4,450.00
Grade 5	2009	16 years	5,100.00	4,600.00
Grade 6	2008	17 years	5,300.00	4,800.00
Grade 7	2007	18 years	5,500.00	5,000.00
Grade 8	2006	19 years	5,700.00	5,200.00
Grade 9	2005	20 years	5,900.00	5,400.00
Grade 10	2004	21 years	6,300.00	5,800.00
Grade 11	2003	22 years	6,700.00	6,200.00
Grade 12	2002	23 years	7,100.00	6,600.00
Certificate in Teaching for Young Learners (Practical Only) (Cert IIMSD)			18,200.00	-
Certificate in Teaching for Advance Learners (Cert Adv IIMSD)			23,200.00	-
Diploma in Teaching (Dip IIMSD in Teaching) - (Academic Dress – Gown)			28,200.00	-

IIMSD SCALE OF FEES 2026

SPEECH & DRAMA TEACHING DIPLOMA SYLLABUS

WITH FOREIGN EXAMINER
Syllabus valid from 2016 onwards

SPEECH & DRAMA TEACHING DIPLOMA	Complete (Rs.)	Practical (Rs.)	Theory (Rs.)
Certificate in Teaching Speech & Drama - Cert. IIMSD (TD) - Speech & Drama	25,700.00	-	-
Diploma in Teaching Speech & Drama - Dip. IIMSD (TD) - Speech & Drama (Academic Dress - Gown)	33,200.00	-	-
Associate in Teaching Speech & Drama - AIIMSD (TD) - Speech & Drama (Academic Dress - Gown & Cap)	40,700.00	-	-
Licentiate in Teaching Speech & Drama - LIIMSD (TD) - Speech & Drama (Academic Dress - Gown, Cap & Licentiate Hood)	55,700.00	40,700.00	20,700.00

GENERAL ENGLISH - WRITTEN PAPER

Parallel to the Government School English Language Syllabus
(Please refer the current government syllabus for examination content)

GRADE	AGE LIMIT		FEES Rs.
	Year of Birth (As at 31/12/2025)	Age (As at 31/12/2025)	
Grade 1	2020	5 years	2,950.00
Grade 2	2019	6 years	3,100.00
Grade 3	2018	7 years	3,250.00
Grade 4	2017	8 years	3,400.00
Grade 5	2016	9 years	3,550.00
Grade 6	2015	10 years	3,700.00
Grade 7	2014	11 years	3,850.00
Grade 8	2013	12 years	4,000.00
Grade 9	2012	13 years	4,150.00
Grade 10	2011	14 years	4,300.00
Certificate of Achievement (Grade 11 – English Language)	2010	15 years	4,500.00
Certificate of Achievement (Grade 12 – English Language)	2009/2008	16 / 17 years	5,000.00

IIMSD SCALE OF FEES 2026

PRACTICAL & THEORY EXAMINATIONS IN MUSIC SUBJECTS

PIANO / KEYBOARD / RECORDER / VIOLIN / SINGING / THEORY OF MUSIC

Syllabus valid from 2017 onwards

GRADE	Year of Birth (As at 31/12/2025)	AGE LIMIT <i>for Award of Prizes as at 31st December 2024</i>			IIMSD FEES PHYSICAL EXAMS (Rupees)	IIMSD FEES THEORY OF MUSIC EXAMS (Rupees)
		Piano	Keyboard	Recorder Violin Singing		
Step 1	2018	7 years	N/A	N/A	3,750.00	N/A
Step 2	2017	8 years	8 years Beginner	N/A	3,900.00	N/A
Step 3	2016	9 years	9 years Preliminary	N/A	4,050.00	N/A
Initial	2015	10 years	10 years	10 years	4,200.00	N/A
Introductory	2015	10 years	10 years	10 years	N/A	3,200.00
Grade 1	2014	11 years	11 years	11 years	4,350.00	3,650.00
Grade 2	2013	12 years	12 years	12 years	4,500.00	3,800.00
Grade 3	2012	13 years	13 years	13 years	4,650.00	4,100.00
Grade 4	2011	14 years	14 years	14 years	4,800.00	4,250.00
Grade 5	2010	15 years	N/A	15 years	4,950.00	4,400.00
Grade 6	2009	16 years	N/A	N/A	5,100.00	4,600.00
Grade 7	2008	17 years	N/A	N/A	5,500.00	4,800.00
Grade 8	2007	18 years	N/A	N/A	5,700.00	5,000.00
Diploma in Performance	2006 & before	Over 18 years	N/A	N/A	28,200.00	N/A
Certificate of Achievement - Grade 11 (Music Theory & Listening Test)					N/A	6,000.00