**2024 SECOND YEAR ORAL EXAM GUIDELINES**

The oral exam will be a one-to-one interview between a candidate and an examining board or one examiner only. The exam will consist of two parts:

**The first part** will revolve around a discussion with or questions asked by the examiner related to the topics in the course bibliography.

Students are expected to be able to

* Introduce themselves and give personal information
* Describe
  + people
  + jobs
  + places
  + Make comparisons
  + Talk about
  + their families and friends
  + daily routines, free time activities
  + past experiences
  + their likes, dislikes and favourite things
  + music
  + future plans

**The second part** will consist of a discussion with or questions posed by the

examiner about ***The Earthquake*** (plot, characters, opinion).