

## **NOTICE TO CENTRES**

FAO: All Media Studies teachers

Date: April 2010

Subject: AS Media Studies G322/3 Examination

## Units G322/3 Key Media Concepts (TV/Radio Drama) Note Taking Breaks - Timings Update for June 2010 onwards

This notice is to notify a slight change to the timings for note taking breaks in section A of this examination. All note taking breaks will now be of the same duration. Feedback suggested the original five minute break after the second extract/screening was too long and candidates were not making full use of their time; often having stopped writing well before the end of the first note taking break.

## Overall time allowed for note taking remains unchanged.

The timings for the DVD or Audio extract for G322/3 are now as follows:

- Two minute break to read section A
- First extract played/screened (no notes to be made at this time).
- Second extract played/screened (notes may be made)
- Short break for note making
- Third extract played/screened (notes may be made)
- Short break for note making
- Fourth extract played/screened (notes may be made)
- Short break for note making

Total viewing/listening time 30 minutes (extract lengths may vary slightly from series to series).

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