# MTB Grade 2 Piano

## Recital

## Select <u>three</u> pieces from the following list (20 marks each)

Pieces	Composer	Book	Publisher
Irish Washer Woman	Traditional		
Liberty Bell	Sousa	Complete Piano Player Book 3 by Kenneth Baker	Wise
Blue Moon	Rodgers		
Sonatina in F major (any movement)	Vanhal		
Sonatina in G major (any movement)	Biehl	Lyrical Sonatinas Book 1 by Victoria McArthur	Alfred
Sonatina in C major (any movement)	Czerny		
The Wild Rider (Horseman)	Schumann	Masterpieces with Flair Book 1	Alfred
Allegro non troppo	Gurlitt		
Arabesque op.100 No.2	Burgmuller	Classics to Moderns Book 2	Yorktown Music Press
Jazz – Etudiette			
Gipsy – Tango	Seiber	Easy Dances book 2	Schott
Garage Sale	Pam Wedgwood	Really Easy Jazzin' About	Faber
Champagne Rag			
Forget me Not	Pam Wedgwood	Easy Jazzin' About	Faber
Songbird			
Chasing Tails	Alan Bullard	Mastering the Piano <b>Level 1</b> Lang Lang Piano Academy	Faber
Ecossaise in G		Mastering the Piano <b>Level 2</b> Lang Lang Piano Academy	Faber
Melody (Arabian Air)			

### Technical Section (Prepare both sections 25 marks)

#### <u>Section 1</u>

#### **Scales & Arpeggios from memory**

(Note: During the examination the candidate should play <u>all</u> the listed scales and arpeggios) <u>Scales</u>

F major (hands together) D major (hands together) D harmonic minor (hands together)	Two octaves Two octaves Two octaves
<u>Contrary Motion</u> C major (hands together)	Two octaves
<u>Chromatic Scale</u> On B (hands separately)	One octave
<u>Arpeggios</u> D major (hands separately) D minor (hands separately)	Two octaves Two octaves

All scales and arpeggios to be played legato

#### Section 2

#### **Technical exercises**

Perform **<u>all</u>** of the following exercises

Dozen a day Book 3: Transitional by Edna Mae Burnam - Willis Music

Group 4 No.9 Turning Right Leg Around in A Circle

Group 4 No.10 Turning Left Leg Around in A Circle

Group 5 No.10 Leap Frog

#### Reading and listening skills (15 marks)

Candidates must perform the Reading skills plus either option 1 or option 2 of the Listening skills

#### **Reading skills**

Perform the Rhythm Exercises for this grade – see **MTB Reading Skills sheet** which can be downloaded from the website syllabus page.

<u>Plus</u>

Listening Skills (choose option 1 or option 2)

Option 1 - Sing the Prepared Aural Tests for this grade which can be downloaded from the website syllabus page – see **MTB Listening Skills sheet** 

<u>Or</u>

Option 2 - Perform one duet from Stage 7 of *Improve Your Sight Reading Duets 2-3* by Paul Harris, Published by Faber. The candidate should play the 1<sup>st</sup> part. The 2<sup>nd</sup> part may be played by the teacher, another pupil or any suitable player.