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## **Section One: Recital (60 marks)**

### Select three pieces from the following list (20 marks each)

Some Tomplay pieces offer versions with an accompaniment. However, for the exam itself, Tomplay pieces should be performed as a solo without the backing accompaniments. As an alternative to the pieces below, candidates may perform up to 3 free choice pieces. For guidance on selecting and approving free choice pieces please <u>click here</u>

| Composer/Artist                  | Title                                          | Book/Cat. Ref                     | Publisher/ Buy Here                    |  |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------------|--|
| Johann Sebastian<br>Bach         | Two Part Invention in Bb                       | MTB Piano Book Grade 6            | MTB Bookshop                           |  |
| Johannes Brahms                  | Waltz                                          | MTB Piano Book Grade 6            | MTB Bookshop                           |  |
| William Byrd                     | Pavan. The Earle of Salisbury                  | MTB Piano Book Grade 6            | MTB Bookshop                           |  |
| John Field                       | Nocturne in D minor                            | MTB Piano Book Grade 6            | MTB Bookshop                           |  |
| Erik Satie                       | Gnossienne No.5                                | MTB Piano Book Grade 6            | MTB Bookshop                           |  |
| Scott Joplin/ Arthur<br>Marshall | Swipesy                                        | MTB Piano Book Grade 6            | MTB Bookshop                           |  |
| Mozart                           | Fantasia in D Minor K397                       | Tomplay                           | tomplay.com or Any reliable edition    |  |
| Mozart                           | Sonata in C K545 1 <sup>st</sup> Movt: Allegro | Tomplay                           | tomplay.com or Any reliable edition    |  |
| Beethoven                        | Sonata Op.13: Andante Cantabile                | Tomplay                           | tomplay.com or Any reliable edition    |  |
| Mendelssohn                      | Song without Words in A minor Op.19<br>no.2    | Tomplay                           | tomplay.com or Any reliable edition    |  |
| Djawadi                          | Game of Thrones                                | Tomplay                           | tomplay.com                            |  |
| Chopin                           | Prelude in B Minor Op.28 no.6                  | Tomplay or SMD Cat Ref:<br>155070 | tomplay.com or sheetmusicdirect.com    |  |
| Einaudi                          | Le Onde                                        | SMD Cat Ref: 31982                | sheetmusicdirect.com or musicnotes.com |  |
| K. Badelt                        | He's a Pirate                                  | SMD Cat Ref: 25202                | sheetmusicdirect.com                   |  |
| Einaudi                          | l Giorni                                       | SMD Cat Ref: 47141                | sheetmusicdirect.com                   |  |
| E. Morricone                     | Gabriel's Oboe                                 | SMD Cat Ref: 51930                | sheetmusicdirect.com                   |  |

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|---------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| J. Williams               | Imperial March (Star Wars)                      | SMD Cat Ref: 94315                                               | sheetmusicdirect.com  |
| Guridi                    | Nostalgia (Tres Piezas Breves)                  | Sheet Music Direct                                               | sheetmusicdirect.com  |
| R. Nathaniel Dett         | Honey                                           | Piano Music of Africa and the<br>African Diaspora Vol 2          | OUP                   |
| Dussek                    | Sonatina in Eb Op.19 No.6: 1st Movt:<br>Allegro | N/A                                                              | Any reliable edition  |
| Mendelssohn               | Song Without Words Op.38 no.2 in C<br>minor     | N/A                                                              | Any reliable edition  |
| Grieg                     | Poetic Tone Picture Op.3 no.3 in C<br>minor     | N/A                                                              | Any reliable edition  |
| Grovles                   | Le Pastour (L'almanach aux Images)              | N/A                                                              | Any reliable edition  |
| Richard Rodney<br>Bennett | Four Calling Birds                              | Partridge Pie Book 1                                             | Novello               |
| Patrick Hawes             | Towards the Light                               | N/A                                                              | Novello               |
| Kabalevsky                | Theme and Variations in A Minor Op.40 no.2      | N/A                                                              | Boosey and Hawkes     |
| Harvey                    | Rumba Toccata                                   | 20 <sup>th</sup> Century Real Repertoire for<br>Piano Grades 5-7 | Faber                 |
| Arnold                    | The Buccaneer                                   | 20 <sup>th</sup> Century Real Repertoire for<br>Piano Grades 5-7 | Faber                 |
| Alwyn                     | The Sea is Angry                                | 20 <sup>th</sup> Century Real Repertoire for<br>Piano Grades 5-7 | Faber                 |
| Pinto                     | Run Run                                         | sheetmusicplus.com                                               | Schirmer              |
| Hiller                    | Fandango Sancta                                 | Easy Piano Pieces<br>[Chopin/Liszt/Hiller]                       | Wiener Urtext UT52009 |
| Liszt                     | Dorothea                                        | Easy Piano Pieces<br>[Chopin/Liszt/Hiller]                       | Wiener Urtext UT52009 |
| Liszt                     | Die Hirten an der Krippe                        | Easy Piano Pieces<br>[Chopin/Liszt/Hiller]                       | Wiener Urtext UT52009 |

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## **Section Two: Technical (25 marks)**

#### **Technical**

#### **Technical Exercises:**

Perform all the technical exercises required for this grade

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#### **Scales from Memory:**

Perform all scales from memory required for this grade from the sheet

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## **Section Three: Musicianship (15 marks)**

Prepare either option 1 or 2 below

#### **Musicianship Option 1**

#### **Reading Skills:**

Perform the rhythm exercises for this grade

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#### **Listening Skills:**

Sing the prepared aural tests for this grade

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#### **Musicianship Option 2**

#### **Reading Skills:**

Perform the rhythm exercises for this grade

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**Duet:** 

Perform a duet for this grade from either option

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