

# VAUVERT NEWSLETTER



VAUVERT VOCATIONAL SCHOOL INTERNATIONAL BULLETIN

**SPECIAL EDITION:**

## HOW TO GET YOUR VOCATIONAL A LEVELS?

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Students need to

- do 20 weeks of approved internship
- have a minimum of ten out of twenty on the compulsory subjects

The compulsory subjects represent eight different exams (Humanities, Mathematics, sciences, History-Geography, English, PE and each sector's speciality - Trade, Sales or Bodyworks for example).

More than half exams take place during the school year and are called CCF (control in progress). During the second and third year, the teacher assesses the students and keep the mark up to the end of the cycle.

Some subjects keep their final examination, such as Humanities, History-Geography, Prevention-Security-Environment.

## WHAT IS A CCF EXAM?

by Zoé & Lotti.

A CCF (Assesment during training) in Vocational A-levels is a certification evaluation that takes the place or complements the final exams for some subjects. It makes it possible to evaluate students' skills throughout their training, directly in the classroom or in the company - under the teachers' responsibility.

- progressive evaluations : carried out at different times during second and third year
- real situations : often based on professional situations
- supervised by teachers who create the exam and evaluate according to criteria defined by the official texts
- grades are added up to the final exam mark for each subject

# EXAMINATION ORGANISATION

There are many rules to examination organisation in classes :

- No one is allowed to go out before the end of one hour at least.
- Mobile phones and smart watches are forbidden (turned off and in the bags)
- Bags are all piled up next to the teacher
- Copies must remain anonymous (no name, no special sign)
- Students needing the toilet are accompanied by a teacher
- Students must use special copies and special draft paper
- Students are allowed to eat and drink



## FINAL SCHOOL WORKSHOP EXAMINATION (INDUSTRIAL SECTOR)

by Antonin, Clément,  
Aaron S V&C.

The test is at the end of the last year.

The jury is composed of professional people coming from companies and the teachers.

The exam turns around car electrical breakdowns. It lasts three hours and it is worth 60 points, coefficient 3.

Each candidate is given a car with an electrical problem.

Students must :

- find the problem and its cause
- suggest a solution and a process to fix the problem
- fix the problem



## FINAL EXAMINATION DURING WORK PLACEMENT (TERTIARY SECTOR)

by Evan & Gauthier.

The test is at the end of the last work placement.

The Sales, Trade and Reception students have to do the last two training periods in the same company because they start a work in the first one and finish it in the last one.

Students must make a presentation of their work in a twenty minutes orl examination taking place in the company with their tutor and the teacher.

this mark will have a multiplying factor of 4!

NB: In France, marks are out of twenty.

