

STATE EXAMINATIONS COMMISSION

PRESS RELEASE

EXAMINATION RESULTS 2004

On-line and telephone access to exam results

13th August 2004

The State Examinations Commission will re-launch its highly successful on-line results service at 12 noon on Wednesday, 18th August 2004, the same day that the results will be in schools. Last year, 24,000 candidates in 40 countries worldwide used the on-line service to access their examination results. Access to the service, which requires the use of an examination number and a unique candidate Personal Identification Number, is through www.examinations.ie.

Candidates also have the option of accessing their results by telephone using their PIN and examination numbers. Details of the phone service, which requires the use of a touch-tone phone, are

1530 719 290 for callers within the Republic of Ireland
Call cost 33c per minute inclusive of VAT

00 353 1 2588588 for callers outside the Republic of Ireland
International call rates apply.

These services are not intended to replace the valuable results service and advice provided to students by schools at results issue time.

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Notes for Editors

The State Examinations Commission (SEC) is responsible for the development, assessment, accreditation and certification of the second-level examinations of the Irish state: the Junior Certificate and the Leaving Certificate. This is the second year that the state examinations have been operated by the SEC. The organisation is a non-departmental public body based in Athlone, Co. Westmeath. Further information on the organisation and the examinations from www.examinations.ie.

Leaving Certificate results will be in schools on Wednesday 18th August 2004

This is the fourth year that the on-line examination results service has been in operation.

The PIN and Examinations numbers required to access the services have already been issued to all candidates.

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