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Díríonn Coimisiún na Scrúduithe Stáit d'aird ar na nithe seo a leanas maidir leis na Béaltrialacha Gaeilge i scrúdú na hArdteistiméireachta.

The State Examinations Commission (SEC) draws your attention to the following in respect of the Leaving Certificate Irish Oral examinations.

1. **An Ghaeilge san Ardteistiméireacht: Béaltrialacha 2013**

Faoi iamh tá deich gcinn den fiche sraith pictiúr a bheidh in úsáid sna Béaltrialacha Gaeilge, Ardleibhéal agus Gnáthleibhéal, in 2013. Ní bheidh siad in úsáid sna Béaltrialacha ar an mBonnleibhéal. Eiseofar deich gcinn eile de shraitheanna pictiúr le haghaidh 2013, roimh shaoire na Nollag. Ní mór do mhúinteoirí a bheith cúramach agus a chinntiú go bhfuil an tsraith cheart pictiúr in úsáid ag scoláirí agus iad ag ullmhú do na béaltrialacha. In Eanáir 2011 a seoladh chuig na scoileanna na sraitheanna pictiúr a bheidh in úsáid i mBéaltrialacha 2012. Tá siad ar fáil ar ár suíomh gréasáin, www.examinations.ie, sa rannóg Eolas faoi Scrúduithe.

2. **An Ghaeilge san Ardteistiméireacht: Béaltrialacha 2012**

D'fhonn tuilleadh cuidithe a thabhairt do mhúinteoirí agus iad ag ullmhú a gcuid scoláirí don Bhéaltriail, tá treoirlínte measúnachta agus critéir ghinearálta mharcála ullmhaithe ag CSS. Foilsíodh an t-eolas sin ar shuíomh an Choimisiúin www.examinations.ie an tseachtain seo caite sa rannóg Eolas faoi Scrúduithe. Tá cóip chrua den eolas sin leis seo.

Déan cinnte de, le do thoil, go gcuirfear an fógra seo, agus an tsraith pictiúr atá in éineacht leis, faoi bhráid mhúinteoirí agus scoláirí na Gaeilge san Ardteistiméireacht.

1. **Leaving Certificate Irish: Oral Examinations 2013**

Enclosed are ten of the twenty picture sequences which will be used in the Oral Irish Examination at Higher and Ordinary Level in 2013. They will not be used in the Oral Irish

Examination at Foundation Level. The second set of ten picture sequences for 2013 will issue to schools before the Christmas holidays. Teachers should take care to ensure that students are prepared for the oral examinations using the correct set of picture sequences. The picture sequences for use in the 2012 Oral examinations were issued to schools in January 2011 and are available from the Examination Information section of our website, www.examinations.ie.

2. Leaving Certificate Irish: Oral Examinations 2012

To further assist teachers preparing their students for the restructured Irish examination in 2012 the SEC has prepared assessment guidelines and general marking criteria. This information, which was published in the Examination information section of www.examinations.ie last week, is now enclosed in hard copy.

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Please ensure that this notice and the enclosed picture sequences are brought to the attention of teachers and learners of Leaving Certificate Irish.

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