

Humanities Divisional Board**Approved by officers on behalf of the Board on 26 June 2018****Preliminary Examination in English and Modern Languages****Brief note about nature of change:** Removal of obsolete text**Location of change**

In Examination Regulations 2017 (<http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2017-18/peieandmodelang/>)

Effective date

For students starting from MT 2018

For first examination from 2018-19

Detail of change

Deletions struck-through:

~~1.8~~ *Part 1: A Modern Language*

~~1.9~~ Each candidate shall offer the following two subjects in the modern language:

~~1.10~~ (1) Language papers (one paper of three hours and two papers each of one-and-a-half hours including in ~~French~~ certification of attendance and participation in oral classes, as specified for the Preliminary Examination in Modern Languages). As specified for papers I, IIA, and IIB in the regulations for the Preliminary Examination for Modern Languages.

Explanatory Notes

The requirement for there to be certification of attendance and participation in oral classes had originally applied solely to French; this was extended to cover all languages from MT17, but, mistakenly, this change was not made to the associated joint schools regulations at the time. Through this change, this is now being corrected. All students doing any joint school at Prelims in 17-18 will have been referring, in addition to the global

Joint Schools handbook, to the handbook for their particular language, and in each language-specific handbook was stated the requirement for oral certification for all students regardless of subject combination. Due to the timing of this correction to the regulations, it is being made for students starting from MT 2018.