

Class Exams (Primary & Standards 1 to 6) vs Grades

	Class Exams		Grades	
Vocabulary	Similar		Similar	
Exam	Teacher led		Examiner led (teacher not in room)	
Exam - no of candidates	2, 3 or 4		1 or 2	
Required to perform on own	No		Yes - selected exercises & dance	
Theory tested	No		Yes	
Free enchaînements	No		Yes	
Improvisation	Yes		No	
Weighting of Marks	Pri mary & Standard 1	None (10% for each of ten units)	Grade 1	Technique 40% Presentation 60%
	Standards 2, 3 & 4	Technique 40% Presentation & Musicality 60%	Grades 2, 3 & 4	Technique 50% Presentation & Musicality 50%
	Standards 5 & 6	Technique 50% Presentation & Musicality 50%	Grades 5 & 6	Technique 60% Presentation & Musicality 40%
Ofqual accredited	No		Yes	
UCAS points awarded	No		Yes - Grade 6 only	