

Sample Paper Time-Budget Sheets

For Round 2 timed attempts. Patterns are from the CBSE Class 12 Sample Question Papers 2026-27. Fill in 'Actual' after each attempt and compare. Use the 15-minute reading time to plan which section to start with.

Mathematics (80 marks, 38 questions)

Section / questions	Marks	Budget (min)	Actual (min)	Attempt 2	Attempt 3
A: 18 MCQs + 2 assertion-reason × 1	20	25			
B: 5 very short answer × 2	10	20			
C: 6 short answer × 3	18	40			
D: 4 long answer × 5	20	50			
E: 3 case studies × 4	12	30			
Final check	—	15			

Physics (70 marks)

Section / questions	Marks	Budget (min)	Actual (min)	Attempt 2	Attempt 3
A: 12 MCQs + 4 assertion-reason × 1	16	20			
B: 5 short answer × 2	10	15			
C: 7 short answer × 3	21	50			
D: 2 case studies × 4	8	20			
E: 3 long answer × 5	15	55			
Final check	—	20			

Accountancy (80 marks, 34 questions)

Section / questions	Marks	Budget (min)	Actual (min)	Attempt 2	Attempt 3
MCQs × 1 (Q1-16 and Q27-30)	20	25			
3-mark questions (Q17-20, Q31-32)	18	36			
4-mark questions (Q21-22, Q33)	12	27			
6-mark questions (Q23-26, Q34)	30	75			
Final check	—	17			

Your subject: _____

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Rules for a real Round 2

- ☐ Three hours, one sitting, no breaks
- ☐ Phone in another room; no notes or books
- ☐ Write on plain A4 sheets or an old answer booklet
- ☐ Note the time you finish each section
- ☐ Mark it the same day with the official marking scheme