GRADE THREE

'B' Slip Jig, 'B' Single Jig, 'A' Hornpipe, Harvest Time Jig

THEORY AND MUSIC

1) Give the time signatures of the following dances:

Slip Jig 9/8
Single Jig 6/8
Hornpipe 4/4
Harvest Time Jig 6/8

- 2) Name the movements of the Harvest Time Jig.
 - a) Advance and Retire
 - b) Sides
 - c) Right Hands Across
 - d) Sides
 - e) Left Hands Across
 - f) Step and Turn
 - g) Advance, Retire and Pass Through
- 3) How many bars of music are in a step?

16 in total - Eight bars of music on the right foot and eight bars of music on the left foot.

4) Describe the rule for side stepping?

On the right foot, you go behind......on the left foot, you go in front.

5) What kind of dance is the Harvest Time Jig?

It is a progressive long dance normally performed at a Ceili.

6) Name the position of the dancers in the Harvest Time Jig?

Three facing three, with the gentelman in the centre.

7) How many movements are in the Harvest Time Jig?

There are 7 movements in the dance.

8) What side-step is used in the Harvest Time Jig?

Side-step to the right, ending with the 'Rising Step', and side-step back again, ending with the 'Rising Step'.

9) Describe the 'Step and Turn' movement.

The sink and grind is performed with each partner on the right foot. First time give right hand and dance around. Repeat the movement but this time giving the left hand.

10) How do you perform the pass through movement in the Harvest Time Jig?

All dancers drop hands, advance and pass through, right shoulder to right shoulder.



GRADE 3 – IRISH SECTION

Q.1	Fáilte Romhat Welcome		Faul-che ro-it
A.1	Go raibh maith agat Thank you		Gur-rev mah egg-ut
Q.2	Cad is ainm duit? What is your name?		Cod is anem dit?
A.2	My name is		is anem dumb
Q.3	Cad is ainm do mhúinteoir rince? Cod is anem du woon-toir rinnke? What is the name of your dancing teacher?		
A.3	is ainm di/dó is her/his name		is anem dee/doh
Q.4	Abair liom as Gaeilge na h-ainmneacha atá ar na rincí seo (Obar lum ass Gaelge na hanim-na-ka air na rinkee sho) Tell me the name of the following dances in Irish		
A.4	Slip Jig Single Jig Hornpipe Harvest Time Jig	Port Luascadh Port Singil Cornphiopa Port an Fhomh	air
Q.5	Slán leat Goodbye		Slawn latt
A.5	Go raibh maith agat Thank you		Gur rev mah egg ut

GRADE 3 – FIGURE SECTION

Perform the 'sink and grind' movement.

Dancers must demonstrate as per instruction given at class.

What is similar about the 'rise and grind' and 'sink and grind' movements?

Both movements end with "Up and hop back, hop back 234"

Here is a diagram of the formation of dancers in the Harvest Time Jig, show me which dancers are first to perform the 'Step and Turn' movement (candidate can draw on diagram or point to diagram or use chairs).

The dancers line up, 3 facing 3

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The gentleman and the lady on his right in each

set of 3 are first to perform the movement.

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