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20 July 2023

Dear Parents/Guardians,

PRIMARY 5 SEMESTER 2 ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

We hope that your child has settled well into Semester 2. To monitor the students' learning progress and provide feedback for improvement, we will be carrying out Weighted Assessment in Term 3 and End-of-Year-Examination in Term 4.

The assessment schedule as well as the topics and item types to be assessed for each subject are as follows:

Term 3 Weighted Assessment

Day & Date	Subject Item	Marks
Monday 7 Aug 2023	English Language: Composition	40
Monday 7 Aug 2023	Foundation English Language: Composition	40
Friday 11 Aug 2023	Higher Mother Tongue Language: Language Use <u>HCL: 5B</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cloze Passage• Character/Word Correction• Reading Comprehension <u>HML: 5B</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Proverb• Text Editing• Comprehension 2 <u>HTL: 5B</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Language Editing• Completion of sentences• Comprehension 1• Comprehension 2	44

Day & Date	Subject Item	Marks
Monday 14 Aug 2023 & Thursday 17 Aug 2023	Mathematics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 7: Ratio Chapter 8: Volume of Cubes and Cuboids Chapter 9: Decimals Heuristics taught in Term 2 <i>The use of approved calculators is allowed for Paper 2 on 17 Aug 2023.</i>	Paper 1: 18 Paper 2: 22 Total: 40
Monday 14 Aug 2023 & Thursday 17 Aug 2023	Foundation Mathematics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter A5: Fractions – Addition and Subtraction Chapter A6: Geometry Chapter B1: Decimals – Place Value Chapter B2: Decimals – Four Operations <i>The use of approved calculators is allowed for Paper 2 on 17 Aug 2023.</i>	Paper 1: 22 Paper 2: 18 Total: 40
Friday 18 Aug 2023	Mother Tongue Language: Composition	40
Monday 21 Aug 2023	Science <u>Cycles</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reproduction in Humans <u>System</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plant Transport System Air and Respiratory System 	40
Monday 21 Aug 2023	Foundation Science <u>Cycles</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reproduction in Humans <u>System</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plant Transport System Air and Respiratory System 	40

Term 4 End-of-Year Examination

Day & Date	Subject Item	Marks
*Thursday 21 Sep 2023 & Friday 22 Sep 2023	English Language: Oral <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading Aloud • Stimulus-Based Conversation 	30
*Thursday 21 Sep 2023 & Friday 22 Sep 2023	Foundation English Language: Oral <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading Aloud • Stimulus-Based Conversation 	30
*Thursday 21 Sep 2023 & Friday 22 Sep 2023	Mother Tongue Language: Oral <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading Aloud • Conversation based on video stimulus 	50
*Thursday 21 Sep 2023 & Friday 22 Sep 2023	Foundation Mother Tongue Language: Oral <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading Aloud • Conversation based on video stimulus 	55
Monday 9 Oct 2023	English Language: Paper 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Situational Writing • Continuous Writing 	55
Monday 9 Oct 2023	Foundation English Language: Paper 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Situational Writing • Continuous Writing 	40
Tuesday 10 Oct 2023	Mother Tongue Language Paper 1: Composition	40
Wednesday 11 Oct 2023	English Language Paper 3: Listening Comprehension	20

Day & Date	Subject Item	Marks
Wednesday 11 Oct 2023	Foundation English Language Paper 3: Listening Comprehension	20
Wednesday 11 Oct 2023	Mother Tongue Language Paper 3: Listening Comprehension	20
Wednesday 11 Oct 2023	Foundation Mother Tongue Language Paper 3: Listening Comprehension	30
Monday 23 Oct 2023	English Paper 2: Language Use & Comprehension <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vocabulary (MCQ) • Grammar (MCQ) • Vocabulary Cloze • Grammar Cloze • Editing • Comprehension Cloze • Synthesis & Transformation • Visual Text Comprehension • Comprehension Open-Ended 	95
Monday 23 Oct 2023	Foundation English Paper 2: Language Use & Comprehension <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grammar (MCQ) • Punctuation • Vocabulary (MCQ) • Visual Text Comprehension • Form Filling • Editing for Grammar • Editing for Spelling • Comprehension (Completion of Sentences) • Synthesis • Comprehension Cloze • Comprehension Open- Ended 	60
Tuesday 24 Oct 2023	Mathematics: End-of-Year Examination Paper 1 & 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • P4 Topics • Chapter 1: Whole Numbers • Chapter 2: Operations of Whole Numbers • Chapter 3: Fractions and Mixed Numbers • Chapter 4: Multiplication of Whole Numbers, Fractions and Mixed Numbers • Chapter 5: Fractions: Word Problems • Chapter 6: Area of Triangle • Chapter 7: Ratio • Chapter 8: Volume of Cubes and Cuboids • Chapter 9: Decimals • Chapter 10: Percentage 	Paper 1: 45 Paper 2: 55 Total: 100

Day & Date	Subject Item	Marks
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 11: Average Chapter 12: Rate Chapter 13: Angles Heuristics taught from Term 1 to 3 <p><i>The use of approved calculators is allowed for Paper 2 ONLY. This paper comprises multiple-choice questions, short answer questions and long answer questions.</i></p>	
Tuesday 24 Oct 2023	<p>Foundation Mathematics: End-of-Year Examination Paper 1 & 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter A1: Whole Numbers – Place Value Chapter A2: Whole Numbers – Addition and Subtraction Chapter A3: Multiplication and Division Chapter A4: Fractions Chapter A5: Fractions – Addition and Subtraction Chapter A6: Geometry Chapter B1: Decimals – Place Value Chapter B2: Decimals – Four Operations Chapter B3: Fractions – Multiplication Chapter B4: Time Chapter B5: Area, Perimeter and Volume Chapter B7: Tables and Line Graphs <p><i>The use of approved calculators is allowed for Paper 2 ONLY. This paper comprises multiple-choice questions, short answer questions and long answer questions.</i></p>	<p>Paper 1: 50</p> <p>Paper 2: 40</p> <p>Total: 90</p>
Wednesday 25 Oct 2023	<p>Mother Tongue Language Paper 2: Language Use & Comprehension</p> <p><u>Chinese: Unit 1 to 14</u></p> <p><i>Booklet A (MCQ)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Language Application Cloze Passage Reading Comprehension 1 <p><i>Booklet B</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete the dialogue Reading Comprehension 2 (2 passages) 	90

Day & Date	Subject Item	Marks
Wednesday 25 Oct 2023	<p>Mother Tongue Language Paper 2: Language Use & Comprehension</p> <p><u>Malay: 5A & 5B</u></p> <p><i>Booklet A (MCQ)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prefix & Suffix • Proverb • Word Class (Cloze Passage) • Comprehension 1 (MCQ) <p><i>Booklet B</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phrases • Comprehension 2 (2 texts - 1 text on Graphic Stimulus, 1 narrative text) <p><u>Tamil: 5A & 5B</u></p> <p><i>Booklet A (MCQ)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Case Marker (Vetrumai) • Poetry, Proverbs • Adjectives, Adverbs • Cloze comprehension • Reading comprehension <p><i>Booklet B</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sound differentiation • Graphic stimulus • Comprehension passage 	90
Wednesday 25 Oct 2023	<p>Foundation Mother Tongue Language Paper 1: Language Use & Comprehension</p> <p><u>Chinese: Unit 1 to 13</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language Application • Reading Comprehension <p><u>Malay: 5A & 5B</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language Application • Comprehension 1 • Comprehension 2 <p><u>Tamil: 5A & 5B</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language Application • Comprehension 1 • Comprehension 2 	15

Day & Date	Subject Item	Marks
Thursday 26 Oct 2023	Science <u>System</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Unit of Life (Cells) • Plant Transport System • Air and Respiratory System • The Circulatory System • Electrical System <u>Cycles</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water and Changes of State • Water Cycle • Reproduction in Plants • Reproduction in Humans Also includes all P3 and P4 Topics	100
Thursday 26 Oct 2023	Foundation Science <u>Cycles</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water and Changes of State • Water Cycle • Reproduction in Plants • Reproduction in Humans <u>System</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plant Transport System • Air and Respiratory System • The Circulatory System • Electrical System Also includes all P3 and P4 Topics	70
Friday 27 Oct 2023	Higher Mother Tongue Language Paper 1: Composition	40
	Higher Mother Tongue Language Paper 2: Language Use & Comprehension <u>Chinese: Unit 1 to 16</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cloze Passage • Character/Word Correction • Reading Comprehension 1 • Reading Comprehension 2 <u>Malay: 5A & 5B</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proverbs • Edit Text • Comprehension 1 • Comprehension 2 	60

Day & Date	Subject Item	Marks
	<u>Tamil: 5A & 5B</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language Editing • Completion of sentences • Comprehension 1 • Comprehension 2 	

*English Language and Mother Tongue language oral examinations will be conducted after school. More details will be shared via Parent's Gateway at a later date.

Please take note of the following:

1. Absence from Weighted Assessments and Examinations

- 1.1 Students are required to be present for all weighted assessments and examinations. Absence from assessment/examination must be covered by a medical certificate from qualified medical professionals who are registered with the Singapore Medical Council. Students are required to submit their medical certificate(s) to their form teachers on the day they return to school.
- 1.2 Students with valid medical/compassionate reasons for their absence from assessment/examination will be accorded VR (Valid Reason) for the subject. Marks will be pro-rated for the subject(s) accordingly.
- 1.3 No marks will be accorded to students who are absent **without** a valid reason or a medical certificate.
- 1.4 Examples of non-valid reasons include:
 - Truancy
 - Family matters (except for compassionate grounds)
 - External examinations such as piano and ballet examinations
- 1.5 There will be no make-up papers for all weighted assessments and examinations except for P6 Preliminary Examinations. Students must produce a medical certificate or have a valid reason to qualify for these examinations.
- 1.6 Students who are absent for weighted assessments and examinations will sit for the papers as practice when they are back in school. The marks will not be recorded in the report books.

2. Sitting for the Weighted Assessments and Examinations

- 2.1. Students are to be punctual for all assessments and examinations. Students who are late are allowed to sit for the remaining duration of the assessment and examination with no additional time given.
- 2.2. Students taking P5 & P6 Mathematics Paper 2 can only use approved calculator models for the assessments and examinations.

https://www.seab.gov.sg/docs/default-source/documents/guidelines_calculators.pdf

- 2.3. Students taking P4 to P6 Mother Tongue Paper 1 (Composition) can only use approved dictionaries for assessments and examinations.

https://www.seab.gov.sg/docs/defaultsource/documents/list_of_dictionaries_for_examination.pdf

- 2.4. A student's assessment and examination results may be subjected to penalties or accorded a score of zero if he/she engages in any of the following:

- cheating, attempts to cheat, aids in cheating during assessments and examinations
- misbehaves, or fails to comply with the assessment and examination regulations
- attempts to cheat while the teacher is reviewing the marked papers in class or when the marked papers are taken home for parent's / guardian's signature

Additionally, the student will receive a 'Fair' conduct grade for the academic year.

We thank you for your partnership and look forward to your continued support in the holistic development of your child.

Yours faithfully,



Mrs Teo Whye Choo
Principal