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Dear Parents/Guardians of P6 Students,

Primary 6 Term Assessment (TA) for Term 1

Assessment is an important part of teaching and learning which provides useful information to your child/ward, your child's/ward's teachers and you. In the implementation of holistic assessment, our school will use a range of appropriate assessment modes for different purposes to support the development of the whole child. Through holistic assessment, our teachers can gather information about students' learning and provide feedback to the students on their mastery of concepts and skills as well as their strengths and areas for improvement. For parents/guardians, this feedback can also help you support your child's/ward's learning and growth.

To ensure rigor and standards of the learning outcomes, our school's holistic assessment plan includes both non-weighted (formative assessment) and weighted assessment (summative assessment).

a. Non-weighted (formative assessment): Term Assessments

The goal of non-weighted/ formative assessment is to gather timely feedback that can be used by teachers and students to guide improvements on the on-going teaching and learning. These are developmental assessments and do not carry any weighting towards the final scores. The information is also helpful for students to assess and reflect on their level of mastery of the concepts and/or skills. Besides, parents/guardians can use the information to provide the necessary support and encouragement for their children/wards.

b. Weighted (summative assessment): Preliminary Examinations

Weighted / summative assessment is used to assess and report on students' level of achievement of learning objectives. These are weighted and the scores obtained form part of the computation of a student's overall results for the year.

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Term Assessment 1	Term Assessment 2	Preliminary Examinations 100%	PSLE

Please also find appended below the Term Assessment (TA) Plan and Schedule for Term 1 for all P6 students:

Date of Assessment	Subject	Format of Paper	Topics to be Assessed
20 Feb Mon	Standard English Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grammar MCQ • Vocabulary MCQ • Visual Text Comprehension • Grammar Cloze • Editing • Synthesis and Transformation 	Topics covered in P5 & P6
	Foundation English Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grammar MCQ • Punctuation • Vocabulary MCQ • Visual Text Comprehension • Form Filling • Editing for Grammar & Spelling • Synthesis and Transformation • Comprehension Cloze 	Topics covered in P5 & P6
21 Feb Tue	Standard Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MCQ • Short-Answer Questions • Structured/ Long-Answer Questions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • P5 & P6 Fractions • P5 Whole Numbers and Four Operations of Whole Numbers • P5 Area of Triangles • P5 Decimals • P6 Algebra
	Foundation Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MCQ • Short-Answer Questions • Structured/ Long-Answer Questions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • P5 Whole Numbers and Four Operations of whole numbers • Factors & Multiples • P5 & 6 Fractions • P5 & P6 Decimals
22 Feb Wed	Standard Chinese Language	MCQ & Open-Ended Questions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grammar • Vocabulary • Comprehension 	P6 Units 1 to 3
	Foundation Chinese Language	MCQ & Fill In the Blanks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grammar • Vocabulary • Comprehension 	P6 Units 1 to 3
	Standard Malay Language	MCQ: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grammar • Vocabulary • Comprehension 	
	Standard Tamil Language	MCQ: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grammar • Vocabulary • Comprehension 	
23 Feb Thu	Standard Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MCQ • Open-Ended Questions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Energy in food • Forms & uses of energy • Revision topics on Water & Changes of States and the Water Cycle
	Foundation Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MCQ • Structured Questions • Open-Ended Questions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Energy in food • Revision topics on Water & Changes of States and the Water Cycle
24 Feb Fri	Higher Chinese Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proverbs • Comprehension 	P6 Units 1 to 4
	Higher Malay Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proverbs • Comprehension 	

As TA is part of our ongoing formative assessment, there will not be any make-up test(s) if your child/ward is absent for any test(s). However, your child/ward will be given the question paper from his/her subject teachers for practice.

If you require further clarifications on the above, please contact your child's/ward's Form Teacher. You can also contact Mrs Vimala Ratna, Year Head (Upper Primary), at vimala_ratna@moe.edu.sg.

Yours sincerely,

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Principal