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Dear Parents / Guardian

PRIMARY 4 SEMESTRAL ASSESSMENT 1, 2017

1. The school will conduct the following assessments as per the schedule below.

Date	Subject
12 Apr	Science (Oral)
17 Apr – 28 Apr	Music (Performance Task)
17 Apr – 28 Apr	Visual Art (Performance Task)
17 Apr – 28 Apr	Social Studies (Performance Task)
17 Apr – 28 Apr	Physical Education (Performance Task)
20 Apr	Mathematics (Quiz 2)
28 Apr	English Language (Oral)
27 Apr	Mother Tongue Language (Oral)
4 May	English Language (Writing)
4 May	English Language (Written Paper)
5 May	Mathematics (Written Paper)
8 May	Mother Tongue Languages (Writing)
8 May	Mother Tongue Languages (Written Paper)
12 May	Science (Written Paper)
16 May	Mother Tongue Languages (Listening)
16 May	English Language (Listening)

**The assessment dates exclude Saturdays, Sundays, Public Holidays and School Holidays.*

2. To ensure impartiality and transparency in our examination procedure, there will be no make-up examinations. Any pupil who is absent from any examination must produce a medical certificate from a certified medical practitioner.
3. Pupils who are absent without a valid reason for the examinations will not be awarded any marks for the paper(s) which they have missed. A set of the question papers will be given to the pupils to facilitate learning after the release of the examination scripts.
4. Pupils who are late for any examinations or assessments will not be accorded any extra time.
5. On the pages that follow, please find the details of the assessments for the subjects listed.

Your partners in education,

Md Faisal (Mr)
Head of Department (Science & Project Work)

cc. Vimalenthiran Vijayasingam (Mr)
Principal



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I English Language

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Oral	Reading Aloud Stimulus-based Conversation	Not Applicable
Listening	Picture Matching Note-taking Comprehension MCQ	30 min
Writing	Writing	50 min
Written paper	Language Use and Comprehension Scope: Unit 1 : Ruby's Sunflower Unit 2 : Prince Zak Unit 3 : Canoe Diary Unit 4 : Making Ice-cream Unit 5 : A Nasty Accident Unit 6 : The Four Friends	1h 15 min

II Mathematics

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Quiz 2	Short Answer Question Structured / Long Answer Questions Scope: Angles Squares and Rectangles	30 min
Written Paper	MCQ Questions Short Answer Questions Structured / Long Answer Questions Scope: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Numbers to 100 000 • Factors and Multiples • Multiplication and Division of Whole Numbers • Word problems Involving Four Operations of Whole Numbers • Angles • Squares and Rectangles • Symmetry • Fractions • All Topics Taught in P3 	1h 45 min



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III Mother Tongue Languages

Chinese Language

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Oral	朗读篇章 看图说话 会话	Not Applicable
Writing	作文：看图写话	40 min
Written Paper	辨字测验 词语选择 词语搭配 造句 短文填空 阅读理解一（包括书面互动） 阅读理解二 Scope: 第一课至第九课	1 h
Listening	多项选择	Not Applicable

Malay Language

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Oral	Reading Picture description Conversation	Not Applicable
Writing	Composition	40 min
Written Paper	Imbuan Peribahasa Melengkapkan Teks Kefahaman 1 Kefahaman Subjektif	1 h
Listening	Listening Comprehension	Not Applicable



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Tamil Language

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Oral	Reading Picture description Conversation	Not Applicable
Writing	Composition	40 min
Written Paper	Language Use and Comprehension : - வேற்றுமை உருபுகள் - செய்யுள் - முன்னுணர்வுக் கருத்தறிதல் - தெரிவுவிடைக் கருத்தறிதல் - எழுத்துவழிக் கருத்துப்பரிமாற்றம் - கருத்தறிதல்	1 h
Listening	Listening Comprehension	Not Applicable



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IV Science

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Oral	Pupils will view a video clip, after which they will describe and comment on what they have viewed.	30 min
Written Paper	<p>MCQ Questions Open-ended Questions</p> <p>Scope: Energy 1. Light and Shadows</p> <p>Cycles 2. Matter and its Three States (solid, liquid and gas)</p> <p>Primary 3 Topics Diversity 3. Classifying things 4. Living and non- living things - Classifying living or non-living things based on their characteristics 5. Plants - Similarities and differences between plants - Plant parts (Roots, Stems, Leaves, Flowers, Fruits) 6. Animals - Classifying animals (Mammals, Birds, Fishes, Insects, Amphibians and Reptiles) based on characteristics 7. Fungi and Bacteria 8. Exploring Materials - Classification and Similarities and differences between materials - Properties of materials and their uses</p> <p>Cycles 9. Life Cycles (Identifying and recognising stages in a life cycle) 10. Life Cycles of Flowering Plants</p>	1 h 45 min



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V Physical Education

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Performance Task	Gymnastics: 1. Jump with hand support on at least medium-height apparatus to mount on feet, in tuck and straddle shapes. 2. Jump off high apparatus (e.g. beam, vaulting box) to land in a controlled finished position.	Not Applicable

VI Music

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Performance Task	Performance – Singing, Movement & Percussion in groups (triple time) Performance of the following partner songs with ostinato patterns and movements created by the group: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fish and Chips• Don't Throw Your Junk• Lollipop	Not Applicable

VII Visual Art

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Performance Task	Artwork: Patterned Pups Scope: Elements of Art: Colour	Not Applicable

VIII Social Studies

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Performance Task	Reflection IFD Quiz from Textbook & Workbook	Not Applicable