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Dear Parents / Guardian

PRIMARY 6 SEMESTRAL ASSESSMENT 1, 2017

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

Date	Subject
17 Apr – 28 Apr	Music (Performance Task)
17 Apr – 28 Apr	Visual Art (Performance Task)
17 Apr – 28 Apr	Social Studies (Performance Task)
19 Apr – 28 Apr	Physical Education (Performance Task)
20 Apr	Mathematics / Foundation Mathematics (Quiz 2)
20 Apr – 21 Apr	English / Foundation English Language (Oral) Mother Tongue / Foundation Mother Tongue Languages (Oral)
4 May	English Language / Foundation English Language Paper 1 and 2 (Written Paper)
5 May	Mathematics / Foundation Mathematics (Written Paper)
8 May	Mother Tongue Languages Paper 1 and 2 (Written Paper) / Foundation Mother Tongue Languages Paper 1 (Written Paper)
12 May	Science / Foundation Science (Written Paper)
15 May	Higher Mother Tongue Languages Paper 1 and 2 (Written Paper)
16 May	English Language / Foundation English Language (Listening) Mother Tongue / Foundation Mother Tongue Languages (Listening)

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.



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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	After School
Listening	Comprehension MCQ	50 min
Writing	Situational Writing Continuous Writing Scope: Writing an e-mail, postcard, letter or report	1 h 10 min
Written Paper	Language Use and Comprehension Scope: Unit 1 : Coolie Boy Unit 2 : Bow Wow Brigade Unit 3 : Defending the Seas Unit 4 : Stop Thief Unit 5 : Death before Dishonour Unit 6 : What Sallamah didn't know	1 h 50 min

II Mathematics

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Quiz 2 <i>(*Calculators not allowed)</i>	Short Answer Questions Structured Questions Scope: - Fractions - Ratio - Percentage	30 min
Written Paper	Multiple Choice Questions Short Answer Questions Structured Questions Scope: - Whole Numbers, Fractions and Decimals - Ratio, Percentage - Algebra - Speed - Measurement - Length, Mass, Volume (P5), Triangles, 4-sided Figures, Area and Perimeter (P5), Time - Geometry (Angles, Perpendicular and Parallel Lines, Constructions, Nets) - Data Analysis - Average, Tables, Graphs, Pie Charts	Paper 1: 1 h (Calculator not allowed) Paper 2: 1 h 30 min (Calculator allowed)



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III Science

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Written Paper	Multiple Choice Questions Open Ended Questions Scope: <u>Primary 6 Topics</u> <u>Interactions</u> 1. Forces <u>Energy</u> 2. Energy - Sources, forms & conversion of energy 3. Environment - Observing and describing an environment - Factors that affect the survival of an organism & unfavourable environments 4. The Web of Life - Food chains & food webs - Decomposers, organisms, populations and communities - Different habitats support different communities 5. Adaptation - Adaptations for coping with physical factors of the environment, for obtaining food, for escaping predators and for reproduction <u>Primary 5 Topics</u> All topics taught in Primary 5 <u>Primary 4 Topics</u> All topics taught in Primary 4 <u>Primary 3 Topics</u> All topics taught in Primary 3	1 h 45 min



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IV Mother Tongue Languages

Chinese Language

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Oral	Reading Conversation (video stimulus)	Not Applicable
Listening	Multiple Choice Questions	Not Applicable
Writing	Composition	50 min
Written Paper	语文应用 短文填空 阅读理解（一）（包括书面互动） 完成对话 阅读理解（二） Scope: 第一课至第八课	1 h 40 min

Malay Language

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Oral	Reading Conversation (video stimulus)	Not Applicable
Listening	Multiple Choice Questions	Not Applicable
Writing	Composition	50 min
Written Paper	Imbuhan Peribahasa Golongan Kata Kefahaman 1 Objektif Frasa Kefahaman 2 Rangsangan Grafik Kefahaman 2 Subjektif	1 h 40 min

Tamil Language

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Oral	Reading Conversation (video stimulus)	Not Applicable
Listening	Multiple Choice Questions	Not Applicable
Writing	Composition	50 min
Written Paper	- வேற்றுமை உருபுகள் - செய்யுள்/பழமொழி	1 h 40 min



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V Foundation English Language

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Oral	Reading Aloud Stimulus-based Conversation	After School
Listening	Comprehension MCQ	50 min
Writing	Situational Writing Continuous Writing Scope: Writing an e-mail, postcard, letter or report	1 h 10 min
Written Paper	Language Use and Comprehension Scope: Unit 1 : Kusu Island Unit 2 : Working Dogs Unit 3 : Coolie Boy Unit 4 : Pirates in the Straits of Malacca	1 h 20 min



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VI Foundation Mathematics

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Quiz 2 (*Calculators not allowed)	Short Answer Questions Structured Questions Scope: - Whole Numbers, Fractions and Decimals - Word Problems	30 min
Written Paper	Multiple Choice Questions Short Answer Questions Structured Questions Scope: - Whole Numbers, Fractions and Decimals - Percentage - Measurement Time, Perimeter, Area, Volume (P5) - Geometry - Angles, Perpendicular and Parallel Lines, Squares, Rectangles, Triangles, Constructions - Data Analysis - Average, Tables, Graphs, Pie Charts	Paper 1: 1 h (Calculator not allowed) Paper 2: 1 h (Calculator allowed)

VII Foundation Science

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Written Paper	Multiple Choice Questions Structured Questions Open Ended Questions Scope: <u>Primary 6 Topics</u> <u>Interactions</u> 1. Forces <u>Energy</u> 2. Energy - Sources and forms of energy 3. Environment - Observing and describing a local environment - Interacting factors within an environment - Factors that affect the survival of an organism - Unfavourable environments 4. The Web of Life - Observing and describing an environment - Factors that affect the survival of an organism &	1 h 15 min



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VIII Foundation Mother Tongue Languages

Chinese Language

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Oral	Reading Conversation (video stimulus)	Not Applicable
Listening	Multiple choice Questions	Not Applicable
Written Paper	语文应用 阅读理解一 阅读理解二 Scope: 第一课至第六课	40 min

Malay Language

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Oral	Reading Conversation (video stimulus)	Not Applicable
Listening	Multiple choice Questions	Not Applicable
Written Paper	Penggunaan Bahasa (MCQ) Kefahaman 1 (MCQ) Kefahaman 2 (MCQ & FIB)	40 min



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IX Higher Mother Tongue Languages

Chinese Language

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Writing	Composition	50 min
Written Paper	短文填空 字词改正 阅读理解（一） 阅读理解（二） Scope: 小学高级华文 6A 全本	1 h 20 min

X Physical Education

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Performance Task	Athletics: 1. Throw using a short, fast approach run (i.e. taking 5 or 7 strides), appropriate projectile-like objects, aiming for height and distance, demonstrating good throw form, and with smooth transition in the sequence of movements. 2. Push a weight-appropriate shot-like implement (e.g. rubberised shot) using the standing putting technique with rotation through waist to increase force, demonstrating good push-throw form.	Not Applicable

XI Music

Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Performance Task	Performance of the group's Music Composition using everyday sounds represented by graphic notation. Scope: The 2 deliverables are: - graphic notation of music score - performance of the music composition in groups	Not Applicable

XII Visual Art



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Assessment	Format of Assessment / Topics	Duration
Performance Task	Artwork: Poster Design Scope: Digital Art	Not Applicable

XIII Social Studies

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