

26 January 2023

Dear Parents / Guardians,

Re: Primary 6 School-Based Assessments for Semester 1 2023

Since 2019, schools had removed all examinations, including weighted assessments, for Primary 1 and 2. This has allowed the students to place more focus on *learning* and strengthen their 21st century competencies (21CC) while reducing the excessive focus on *testing*. We have seen positive impact over the years where students shared that they had more time to learn, explore and pursue their passions.

The school will continue to build on these gains and remove the mid year examinations for Primary 3 to 6 this year. Instead, our teachers will be using a variety of teaching and assessment approaches such as classroom observations, individual work, homework and weighted assessments to monitor student learning. It is important that students put aside time daily to revise the lessons taught and complete their homework. This will allow the teachers to give them feedback regarding their progress in a more timely manner.

The details of the assessment (semester 1) for Primary 6 students are attached in Annex A. We will send you the assessment schedule for semester 2 in July. Do note that there is no weighting for the assessment in semester 1. The weighting for P6 Prelim Examinations will be 100%. There is also no make-up for any of the assessments should students be absent. Please refer to page 11 of the Student's Diary for more details on our Assessment Policy for Absenteeism.

We look forward to your partnership in providing a meaningful learning experience for your child. Should you require further clarification, please contact your child's/ward's form/subject teachers.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Michel Saw', written in a cursive style.

Mr. Michel Saw
Principal

Annex A

PRIMARY 6 ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE (SEMESTER 1 2023) – STANDARD SUBJECTS

Students will be given exam practice papers throughout the year.

SUBJECTS	TERM 1		TERM 2	
	0%		0%	
	WEEKS	TASKS	WEEKS	TASKS
ENGLISH	8	Listening Comprehension	9 & 10	Speaking Task • Reading Aloud & SBC via online recording
MOTHER TONGUE	7	Composition	9	Quiz • Grammar • Vocabulary • Cloze • Comprehension
HIGHER MOTHER TONGUE	9	Language Quiz • Vocabulary • Comprehension	8	Composition
MATH	10	Quiz • All P1 to P5 Topics • P6 Term 1 Topics (MCQ and SAQ No Calculator)	10	Quiz • All P1 to P5 Topics • P6 Semester 1 Topics • Conceptual Skills (SAQ and LAQ with Calculator)
SCIENCE	9	Quiz • All P3 to P5 Topics (MCQ) • P6 Chapters 1 & 2 of Energy (OE)	8	Quiz • Energy in Food • Forms and Uses of Energy • Sources of Energy • Forces

PRIMARY 6 ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE (SEMESTER 1 2023) – FOUNDATION SUBJECTS

Students will be given exam practice papers throughout the year.

SUBJECTS	TERM 1		TERM 2	
	0%		0%	
	WEEKS	NWA1	WEEKS	NWA2
ENGLISH	8	Listening Comprehension	9 & 10	Speaking Task • Reading Aloud & SBC via online recording
MOTHER TONGUE	7	Listening Comprehension	8	Oral • Video Conversation
MATH	10	Quiz • All P1 to P5 Topics • P6 Term 1 Topics (MCQ and SAQ No Calculator)	10	Quiz • All P1 to P5 Topics • P6 Semester 1 Topics (SAQ and LAQ with Calculator)
SCIENCE	9	Quiz • All P3 to P5 topics (MCQ) • P6 Chapters 1 of Energy (OE)	8	Quiz • Energy from The Sun • Forces

P6 CURRICULUM TOPICS (SEMESTER 1 2023) – STANDARD SUBJECTS

ENGLISH	MOTHER TONGUE	HIGHER MOTHER TONGUE	MATH	SCIENCE
STELLAR units <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unit 1: Coolie Boy Unit 2: The Bow Wow Brigade Unit 3: Defending the Seas Unit 4: Stop Thief Unit 5: Death Before Dishonour Unit 6: What Sallamah Didn't Know 	Chinese Language <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 第一课《加油！加油！》 第二课《祖孙情》 第三课《美食小侦探》 第四课《宝贵的礼物》 第五课《小故事，大道理》 第六课《精彩三国》 第七课《新加坡的过去和现在》 第八课《走遍天下书为伴》 第九课《拥抱未来》 	Higher Chinese Language <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 第一课《加油！加油！》 第二课《祖孙情》 第三课《美食小侦探》 第四课《宝贵的礼物》 第五课《小故事，大道理》 第六课《精彩三国》 第七课《世界走透透》 第八课《新加坡的过去和现在》 第九课《说龙》 第十课《走遍天下书为伴》 	Chapters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 1: Algebra Chapter 2: Fractions Chapter 3: Ratio Chapter 4: Percentage Chapter 5: Angles in Geometrical Figures Chapter 6: Circles 	Theme: Energy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 1: Energy in Food Chapter 2: Forms and Uses of Energy Chapter 3: Sources of Energy Theme: Interactions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 1: Forces Chapter 2: Living Together Chapter 3: Food Chains and Food Webs Chapter 4: Adaptations
	Malay Language <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unit 1: Bahasa Kita, Budaya Kita Unit 2: Gaya Hidup Sihat Unit 3: Samudera Unit 4: Cerita Rakyat Unit 5: Hulurkan Bantuan Unit 6: Bersatu Teguh 	Higher Malay Language <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unit 1: Bahasa Kita, Budaya Kita Unit 2: Gaya Hidup Sihat Unit 3: Samudera Unit 4: Cerita Rakyat Unit 5: Hulurkan Bantuan Unit 6: Bersatu Teguh 		
	Tamil Language <p>தொகுதி 1 : நன்னெறிக் கதைகள் தொகுதி 2 : குடும்ப உறவுகளின் மேன்மை தொகுதி 3 : முழுமைத் தற்காப்பு தொகுதி 4 : புலவர்களும் மன்னர்கள்</p>	Higher Tamil Language <p>தொகுதி 1 : தன்னம்பிக்கையும் விடாமுயற்சியும் தொகுதி 2 : தமிழர் வாழ்வியல் தொகுதி 3 : நினைவுச் சின்னங்கள் தொகுதி 4 : நவீனக் கண்டுபிடிப்புகளும் வளர்ந்துவரும் தொழில்களும்</p>		

P6 CURRICULUM TOPICS (SEMESTER 1 2023) – FOUNDATION SUBJECTS

ENGLISH	MOTHER TONGUE	MATH	SCIENCE
STELLAR units <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unit 1: Kusu Island Unit 2: Working Dogs Unit 3: Coolie Boy Unit 4: Pirates in the Straits of Malacca 	Foundation Chinese Language <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 第一课《加油！加油！》 第二课《祖孙情》 第三课《美食小侦探》 第四课《宝贵的礼物》 第五课《小故事，大道理》 第六课《新加坡的过去和现在》 第七课《走遍天下书为伴》 第八课《拥抱未来》 	Chapters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 1: Fractions Chapter 2: Decimals Chapter 3: Percentage Chapter 4: Area and Perimeter 	Theme: Energy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 1: Energy from The Sun
	Foundation Malay Language <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unit 1: Bahasa Kita, Budaya <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kita Unit 2: Gaya Hidup Sihat Unit 3: Samudera Unit 4: Cerita Rakyat 		Theme: Interactions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 1: Forces Chapter 2: Living Together Chapter 3: Food Chains Chapter 4: Adaptations
	Foundation Tamil Language <p>தொகுதி 1: நன்னெறிக் கதைகள் தொகுதி 2: உறவுகளின் மேன்மை தொகுதி 3: முழுமைத் தற்காப்பு தொகுதி 4: மன்னர்களும் புலவர்களும்</p>		