

AMKP/SCH/23/33D

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Dear Parents/Guardians of Primary 6 Students,

Holistic Assessment for Semester 2

As mentioned in the previous letter on Holistic Assessment sent in Term 1, the Timed Practices in Semester 1 gave students the opportunity to demonstrate their learning, practise assessment skills and receive timely and formative feedback from their teachers on their progress. In Term 3, the P6 students will sit for the Preliminary Examination (Prelim). This will allow students to demonstrate their learning as well as for teachers to provide feedback in preparation for the Primary School Leaving Examination (PSLE).

Holistic Development Profile (HDP)

Additionally, we will use other subject-specific assessment tasks to determine students' learning progress in Social Studies, Physical Education (PE), Art and Music. The levels of attainment of the learning outcomes for these subjects, together with the Prelim results, will form the HDP which your child/ward will receive in Semester 2.

Assessment Plan

The assessment weightings for the year are as follows:

Semester / Term	Semester 1		Semester 2	
	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
English Language, Mother Tongue Languages, Mathematics & Science				
Assessment type	Timed Practice 1	Timed Practice 2	Prelim	PSLE
Weightings	NA	NA	100%	NA
Social Studies				
Assessment type	WA	WA	WA	
Weightings	10%	30%	60%	
Physical Education, Art & Music				
Assessment type		WA	WA	
Weightings		50%	50%	

Conduct of the Preliminary Examination (Prelim)

Students must be punctual for all Prelim papers. Given that Prelim is a major examination, we will allow our students to sit for EYE paper if they are no more than 30 minutes late for the paper. However, no extra time will be given to students who are late for the paper. This practice is to instil in our students a sense of personal responsibility and that punctuality is important.

Should your child/ward be absent on the day of the Prelim due to illness, he/she must produce a valid medical certificate to cover his/her absence. Medical certificates from Traditional Chinese Medicine practitioners or letters of excuse from parents/guardians will not be accepted for absence from Prelim.

With the exception of Oral, there will not be any make-up papers for the Prelim. For Prelim papers missed by the student, in place of a score, the student will be given an 'MC' or 'VR' upon providing a medical certificate/official supporting document(s). In such cases, papers missed will be not used for the computation of the overall results. No mark will be awarded for the Prelim paper if the student is unable to produce a valid supporting document/s for paper/s missed.

Please refer to Annexes A and B for more details on Primary 6 assessment in Semester 2. You may contact your child's/ward's Form Teachers or Year Head should you have any queries.

Thank you for your continued support and partnership in our children's educational journey.

Yours sincerely,



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Principal

ANNEX A

INFORMATION FOR PRIMARY 6 | SEMESTER 2

PRIMARY 6 PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION (PRELIM) 2023

The schedule for P6 Prelim for the various subjects is as follows:

Date	Subject	Timing and Duration	
		P6 Standard	P6 Foundation
26 July (Wed)	English Language / Mother Tongue Language Oral Day 1	1400h – 1700h	1400h – 1700h
27 July (Thurs)	English Language / Mother Tongue Language Oral Day 2	1400h – 1700h	1400h – 1700h
01 Aug (Tues)	Mother Tongue Language Listening Comprehension	0800h – 0830h (30min)	0800h – 0830h (30min)
	English Language Listening Comprehension	0930h – 1015h (45min)	0930h – 1020h (50min)
17 Aug (Thu)	English Language Paper 1	0800h – 0910h (1h 10min)	0800h – 0910h (1h 10min)
	English Language Paper 2	1000h – 1150h (1h 50min)	1000h – 1120h (1h 20min)
18 Aug (Fri)	Mathematics Paper 1	0800h – 0900h (1h)	0800h – 0900h (1h)
	Mathematics Paper 2	1000h – 1130h (1h 30min)	1000h – 1100h (1h)
21 Aug (Mon)	Mother Tongue Language Paper 1	0800h – 0850h (50min)	0800h – 0840h (40min)
	Mother Tongue Language Paper 2	1000h – 1140h (1h 40min)	
22 Aug (Tue)	Science	0800h – 0945h (1h 45min)	0800h – 0915h (1h 15min)
23 Aug (Wed)	Higher Mother Tongue Language Paper 1	0800h – 0850h (50min)	
	Higher Mother Tongue Language Paper 2	1000h – 1120h (1h 20min)	

The topics to be tested at the Prelim for the various subjects are as follows:

Standard Level	
Subject	Target Units/Topics to be tested
English Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Language skills learnt in all units from P1 to P6
Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All topics from P3 to P6
Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All topics from P3 to P6
Chinese Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Textbook and Activity Book 6A & 6B, Units 1 to 10 Language skills learnt in all units from P1 to P6
Higher Chinese Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Textbook and Activity Book 6A & 6B, Units 1 to 12 Language skills learnt in all units from P5 HCL and P6 HCL
Malay Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cekap Textbook and Activity Book 6A & 6B Units 1 to 7 Language skills learnt in all units from P1 to P6
Higher Malay Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cekap Textbook and Activity Book 6A & 6B Units 1 to 7 Language skills learnt in all units from P5 HML and P6 HML
Tamil Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Theentamizh Textbook and Activity Book, Units 1 to 7 Seiyul / Pazhamolzhi and Thirukural, from P2 to P6 (all words and phrases) Language skills learnt in all units from P1 to P6
Higher Tamil Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Theentamizh Textbook and Activity Book 6A & 6B HTL, Units 1 to 7 Language skills learnt in all units from P5 HTL and P6 HTL

Foundation Level	
Subject	Target Units/Topics to be tested
English Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Language skills learnt in all units: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> P1 – P4, P5 FEL and P6 FEL
Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All topics from P3 to P6
Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All topics from P3 to P6
Chinese Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Textbook and Activity Book 6A & 6B Units 1 to 9 Language skills learnt in all units: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> P1 to P4, P5 FCL and P6 FCL
Malay Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cekap Textbook and Activity Book 6A & 6B Units 1 to 7 Language skills learnt in all units from P1 to P6
Tamil Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Theentamizh Textbook and Activity Book Units 1 to 7 Language skills learnt in all units from P1 to P6

ANNEX B

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PRIMARY 6 WEIGHTED ASSESSMENT 2023

Subject / Term	Term 3	Term 4
Social Studies	Coverage: Group Performance Task & Individual Reflection <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Produce an infographic on how innovations of the civilisations in the Indian subcontinent and the Chinese civilisation continue to influence our lives today. Chapters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 2: Legacies of the Civilisations of the Indian Subcontinent Chapter 3: Legacies of the Chinese Civilisation 	
	26 June - 21 August (Week 1 - 9)	
Weighting	60%	-
Physical Education	Coverage: Skills-based Assessment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Games and sports Athletics Knowledge-based Assessment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Substances harmful to health 	Coverage: Self / Peer Assessment during PE lesson
	24 July - 4 Aug (Week 5 - 6)	-
Weighting	50%	0%
Art	Coverage: Individual Performance Task <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Where I Belong <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create a WhatsApp sticker that shows the celebration of Singapore culture or our heritage sites 	Coverage: Self-Assessment during lessons <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Museum Trail@AMKP <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discuss and share about Singapore artworks and artists Create an artwork inspired by one artist they have learnt about
	5 Jul - 12 Aug (Week 2 - 7)	-
Weighting	50%	0%

Music	Coverage: Individual Performance Task <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Listen and respond to music Analyse and evaluate Japanese music Describe music elements in Global music 	Coverage: Self-Assessment during lessons <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Listen, critique and express views on music based on dynamics, mood, timbre and tonality
	5 Jul - 12 Aug (Week 2 - 7)	-
Weighting	50%	0%