



Science@BTPS

To nurture Every
Child to be a Selfdirected Inquirer of
Science Around Us

P4 Science
Parents Briefing 2023

4 Graciousness 2022

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P4 Science Assessment

Term	Assessment	Chapters tested		
1 W9	Topical Test (10%) (30 marks)	Cycles (Life Cycle & Matter)		
2 W7/8	Topical Test (15%) (30 marks)	Systems (Human and Plant) P3: Magnets		
3 W6	Topical Test (15%) (30 marks)	Cycles (Life cycle & Matter), Energy (Heat)		
4 Semestral W7 Assessment (60%) (100 marks)		All P3 and P4 topics		

P4 Assessment Format

Topical Test – Term 1-3

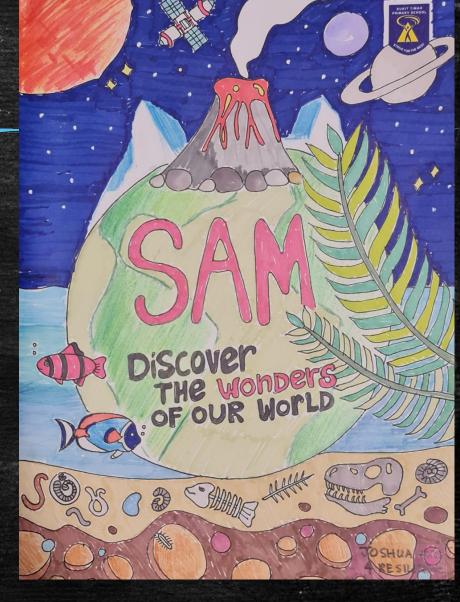
Section	Type of Questions	40 min	Marks
Α	MCQ	8 Q	16
B Open- ended		4-6 Q	14
	TOTAL	12-14 Q	30

Semestral Assessment – Term 4

Booklet	Type of Questions	1 h 45 mins	Marks	
Α	MCQ 28 Q		56	
В	Open- ended	12-13 Q	44	
	TOTAL	40-41 Q	100	

P4: Science Programme

- Inquiry-based Learning Approach
- Learning Plots Programme
- SAM Journal → Document learning, Important Science Words
- Formative assessment: Topical Checklist, Examination Review
- Revision: Topical papers, Exam Practice
- Themes: Cycles (Life cycle & Matter), Systems (Plant and Human), Energy
- Process Skill: Graphing & Inferring from given data



Joshua Ang 4 Resilience 2022

Topical Checklist and Examination Review

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Parent's signature:

Self-Assessment on: Diversity- Living and Non-living things

Choose the level that describes how well you have understood each of the Science ideas.

Levels	Descriptors
1	I have understood this Science idea the least. (I don't get it)
2	I have some understanding about this Science idea. (I partially get it)
3	I have understood this Science idea very well and can explain it to my friend. (I get it)

			Levels		
No.	Science ideas and Skills	1	2	3	
1.	I can describe the characteristics of living things.			1	
2.	I can describe the characteristics of non-living things.			/	
3.	I can describe the similarities and differences of plants and animals.				
4.	Skill: I use the following senses like sense of sight, sense of smell, sense of hearing, sense of touch and sense of taste in making observations.			~	
5.	Skill: I can make some measurements in my observations.			V	

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Pupils have generally done well in the following areas:

Process Skills: Observation and Classification

Pupils were able to recall and identify the characteristics of living things (Q1). They recognised that magnets have two poles and attract magnetic materials (Q9 and Q10). They were able to classify living things into broad groups based on similarities and differences of common observable characteristics, observe and compare the life cycles of animals over a period of time (Q33 and Q34).

Science ideas that need review:

Areas for Improvement	Answers Given	Learning Point				
	Incomplete Explanation					
Q36: Identify the changed variable and make comparison based on the set-ups given	(a) Most pupils wrote either A or B only. Some responses have no link to the question.	Pupils must know how to identify the investigative aim by looking out for the phrase "to find out". From there, they choose the two set-ups based on the changed variable and show comparison in their explanations.				



EngageI Pose Questions



Explore
I Actively
Look for
Answers



5 Learning Behaviours



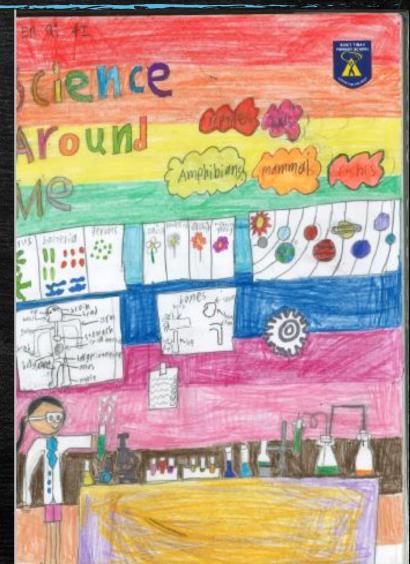


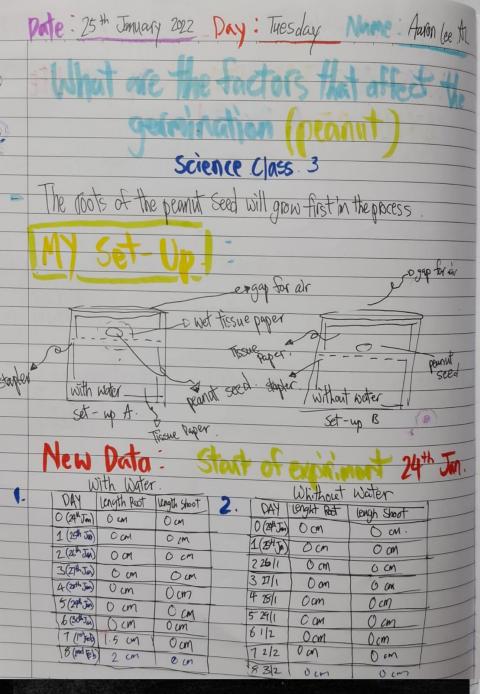
Evaluate I Reflect on my Learning

4 Things we want to see in the Journals

- 1) Strives for the best
- 2) Poses questions to find out more
- 3) Explain thinking using relevant science concepts
- 4) Links science learning to life

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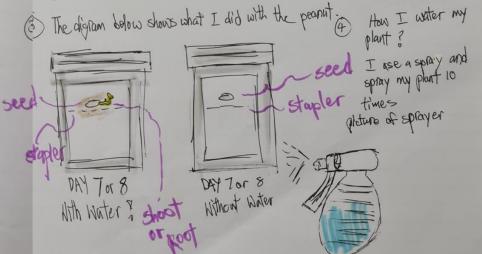




Home: Observation Entry My Entry

WHAT ARE MY OBSERVATION'S AT HOME WITH THE science. PEANUT!

- On day 7th onwards I started to ealise that there is a shoot or a root coming out of the peanut and the tissue paper was turning brown on the side that I watered.
- 2) On day 8th onwards, I started to measure the shoot or root coming out of the peaned. As the shoot or root comes out more the browner the tissue paper becomes.



Thank you!

Aaron Lee 4 Compassion 2022