



TOWNSVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear P5 Parents / Guardians,

SCHOOL ASSESSMENT 2022

Assessment forms an integral part of teaching and learning for teachers to provide the timely support for our students. The school carries out formative as well as summative assessments to identify learning gaps and provide rich qualitative feedback to students.

Formative assessments would be carried out throughout the year while the summative assessment would only be conducted in Term 4. To help you better support your child/ward in his/her learning, the following documents are attached for your reference:

1. Annex A – Assessment Schedule
2. Annex B – Assessment format and topics
3. Annex C – Holistic Assessment Plan

Please refer to our school's Communication Book for more information on the school's Assessment Policy, Assessment Practices and Weightings.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,
Mr Victor Tan
Principal

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ANNEX A

**Townsville Primary School
Primary 5 End of Year Examination Schedule**

TERM/ WEEK	DATE	SUBJECT	DURATION
Term 4 Week 5	Monday 10 Oct 2022 Tuesday 11 Oct 2022	English / Mother Tongue Oral Exam	Curriculum time
	Thursday 13 Oct 2022	English Language / Foundation English Language Paper 1	1 h 10 min
	Friday 14 Oct 2022	Mother Tongue Language Paper 1	50 min
Term 4 Week 7	Wednesday 26 Oct 2022	Higher Mother Tongue Language Paper 1	50 min
	Thursday 27 Oct 2022	English Language Paper 2	1 h 50 min
		Foundation English Paper 2	1 h 20 min
		English Language / Foundation English Language Listening Comprehension	1 h
	Friday 28 Oct 2022	Mathematics Paper 1 Mathematics Paper 2	1 h 1 h 30 min
		Foundation Mathematics Paper 1 Foundation Mathematics Paper 2	1 h 1 h
Term 4 Week 8	Monday 31 Oct 2022	Mother Tongue Paper 2	1 h 40 min
		Foundation Mother Tongue Paper 1	40 min
		Mother Tongue Language / Foundation Mother Tongue Listening Comprehension	40 min
	Tuesday 1 Nov 2022	Science	1h 45 min
		Foundation Science	1h 15 min
	Wednesday 2 Nov 2022	Higher Mother Tongue Paper 2	1 h 20 min

ANNEX B

Townsville Primary School Primary 5 End of Year Examinations Format & Topics

STANDARD ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Paper	Booklet	Item Type	Weighting	STELLAR Units
1	Part 1 Part 2	Situational Writing	27.5%	Units 1-10 Situational Writing email, letter, diary entry (one of these text types will be tested) Continuous Writing 1 Guided Writing Question to write on a given theme (e.g. a challenge)
		Continuous Writing		
2	A (MCQ)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grammar• Vocabulary• Vocabulary Cloze• Visual Text -Comprehension	47.5%	
	B	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grammar Cloze• Editing for Spelling & Grammar• Comprehension Cloze• Synthesis/Transformation• Comprehension Open-Ended		
3	-	Listening Comprehension	10%	
4	-	Reading Aloud Stimulus-based Conversation	15%	

FOUNDATION ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Paper	Booklet	Item Type	Weighting	STELLAR units
1	Part 1 Part 2	Situational Writing	26.7%	Units 1-7 Situational Writing Email or letter <i>(one of these text types will be tested)</i>
		Continuous Writing		
2	A (MCQ)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grammar• Punctuation• Vocabulary• Visual Text -Comprehension	40%	
	B	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Form Filling• Editing for Grammar• Editing for Spelling• Comprehension (Completion of Sentences)• Synthesis• Comprehension Cloze• Comprehension Open-Ended (2 passages)		
3	-	Listening Comprehension	13.3%	
4	-	Reading Aloud Stimulus-based Conversation	20%	

STANDARD MATHEMATICS

Paper	Item Type	No. of questions	No. of marks per question	Marks (100)	Topics
1 Booklets A & B (No calculator)	Multiple-Choice (MCQ)	10	1	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whole Numbers • Operations on Whole Numbers • Fractions • Area of Triangle • Ratio • Volume • Decimals • Four Operations on Decimals • Percentage • Rate • Average • Angles • Triangles • Quadrilaterals
		5	2	10	
	Short Answer Questions	5	1	5	
		10	2	20	
2 (Calculator is allowed)	Short Answer	5	2	10	<p>*Including all topics taught in P1, P2, P3 & P4</p>
	Long Answer	12	3, 4 or 5	45	

FOUNDATION MATHEMATICS

Paper	Item Type	No. of questions	No. of marks per question	Marks (90)	Topics
1 Booklets A & B (No calculator)	Multiple-Choice (MCQ)	10	1	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whole Numbers • Fractions • Geometry • Decimals • Time • Perimeter, Area and Volume • Rate • Tables and Graphs
		10	2	20	
	Short Answer Questions	10	2	20	
2 (Calculator is allowed)	Short Answer	10	2	20	
	Structured	6	3 or 4	20	

STANDARD SCIENCE

Booklet	Item Type	No. of questions	No. of marks per question	Marks (100m)	Topics
A	Multiple-Choice (MCQ)	28	2	56	1) All P5 topics (exclude Energy) 2) <u>Diversity (P3)</u> - Living and non-living things - Animals - Plants - Fungi and Bacteria - Materials 3) <u>Energy (P4)</u> - Heat and Temperature - Light and Shadows
B	Open-Ended	12 -13	2-5	44	

FOUNDATION SCIENCE

Section	Item Type	No. of questions	No. of marks per question	Marks (70m)	Topics
A	Multiple-Choice (MCQ)	18	2	36	1) All P5 topics (exclude Energy) 2) <u>Diversity (P3)</u> - Classification of Living and non-living things - Animals - Plants - Fungi and Bacteria - Materials 3) <u>Energy (P4)</u> - Heat and Temperature - Light and Shadows
B	Structured	6-7	2	14	
C	Open-Ended	5-6	2-4	20	

STANDARD MOTHER TONGUE

Paper	Item Type	Marks	Topics
1	Composition	40 marks	<p><u>Standard Chinese Language</u> 考试范围： P3-P4 及 P5 华文（第一课至十四课）课本及活动本 考试项目： 试卷一： 作文（两题选作一题，字数不少于 100） 试卷二： 1. 语文应用 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 拼音选择 • 辨字测验 • 词语选择 • 词语解释 • 虚词选择 • 完成句子 • 句子选择 2. 短文填空（多项选项） 3. 阅读理解一（多项选择） 4. 完成对话（多项选项） 5. 阅读理解二（自由作答） 试卷三 1. 口试：（包括朗读篇章和会话。会话部分，考官会根据录像短片跟考生进行对话） 2. 听力测验（提供选择） <u>Standard Malay Language</u> Karangan - Karangan bertopik atau Bergambar (Murid hanya memilih satu) Penggunaan Bahasa dan Kefahaman <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Imbuhan • Peribahasa • Golongan Kata • Kefahaman 1 • Frasa • Kefahaman 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Rangsangan Grafik - Kefahaman Subjektif Kefahaman Mendengar <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mendengar beberapa petikan dan menjawab soalan Lisan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bacaan Lantang • Perbualan Berdasarkan rangsangan video </p>
2	Language Use and Comprehension (MCQ & Open-ended)	90 marks	
3	Listening Comprehension (MCQ)	20 marks	
4	Oral	50 marks	

			<p><u>Standard Tamil Language</u> கேட்டல் கருத்தறிதல் வாய்மொழி - வாய்விட்டு வாசித்தல் - ஒளிக்காட்சியை ஒட்டிய உரையாடல் தாள் 1 -கட்டுரை தாள் 2 : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • வேற்றுமை • செய்யுள் \ பழமொழி • அடைமொழி \ எச்சம் • முன்னுணர்வுக் கருத்தறிதல் • தெரிவுவிடைக் கருத்தறிதல் மற்றும் சொற்பொருள் • ஒலிவேறுபாட்டுச் சொற்கள் • கருத்துவிளக்கப்படக் கருத்தறிதல் • சுயவிடைக் கருத்தறிதல் </p>
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FOUNDATION MOTHER TONGUE

Paper	Item Type	Marks	Topics
1	Language Use & Comprehension (MCQ & FIB)	15 marks	<p><u>Foundation Chinese Language</u> 考试范围: P1-P4 及 P5 基华（第一课至十三课）课本和活动本</p> <p>考试项目: 试卷一: 语文应用与阅读理解（多项选择 / 开放式）</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 拼音选择 • 词语选择 • 阅读理解一 • 阅读理解二 <p>试卷二: 口试（包括朗读篇章和会话。会话部分，考官会根据录像短片跟考生进行对话） 试卷三: 听力测验</p> <p><u>Foundation Malay Language</u> Kefahaman Membaca <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Penggunaan Bahasa - Kefahaman 1 - Kefahaman 2 Lisan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bacaan Lantang • Perbualan Berdasarkan rangsangan video </p>
2	Oral	55 marks	
3	Listening Comprehension (MCQ)	30 marks	

			<p>Kefahaman Mendengar</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mendengar beberapa petikan dan menjawab soalan <p>Foundation Tamil Language வாய்மொழி</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> வாய்விட்டு வாசித்தல் ஒளிக்காட்சியை ஒட்டிய உரையாடல் <p>கேட்டல் கருத்தறிதல்</p> <p>தாள் 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> மொழி பயன்பாடு வாசிப்புக் கருத்தறிதல் நடைமுறை சார்ந்த பனுவல் <p>i. தெரிவுவிடை வினா</p> <p>ii. கோடிட்ட இடத்தை நிரப்பதல்</p>
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HIGHER MOTHER TONGUE

Paper	Item Type	Marks	Topics
1	Composition	40 marks	<p>Higher Chinese Language 考试范围: P3-P4 及 P5 高华 (第一课至十六课) 课本及活动本</p> <p>考试项目: 试卷一: 作文 (两题选作一题, 字数须在 200 字以上)</p> <p>试卷二: 1. 综合填空 (多项选择) 2. 字词改正 (客观式) 3. 阅读理解 (一) (开放式) 4. 阅读理解 (二) (开放式)</p> <p>Higher Malay Language Karangan Karangan bertopik atau melengkapkan permulaan karangan (Murid hanya memilih satu)</p> <p>Penggunaan Bahasa dan Kefahaman</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Memadankan Peribahasa Mengedit Teks Kefahaman 1 (Penulisan Interaktif, Item Kosa Kata)
2	Language Use and Comprehension (MCQ & Open-ended)	60 marks	

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kefahaman 2 (Kefahaman Subjektif, Item Kosa Kata) <p><u>Higher Tamil Language</u></p> <p>தாள் 1 – கட்டுரை</p> <p>தாள் 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • பிழைதிருத்தம் • வாக்கியங்களைமுடித்தெழுதுதல் • கருத்தறிதல் 1 • கருத்தறிதல் 2
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PRIMARY FIVE (HOLISTIC ASSESSMENT PLAN 2022)
SUBJECT: ENGLISH LANGUAGE (STANDARD)

ANNEX C

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Speaking and Representing	Speaking Task (non-weighted) LO: Generate, develop and organise ideas respectfully as individuals and collaboratively in planned and/or spontaneous situations with supporting opinions			<u>END OF YEAR EXAMINATION (EYE) 200 marks (55%)</u> a. Listening Comprehension (20 marks) b. Oral (30 marks) (Reading Aloud & Stimulus-Based Conversation) c. Situational & Continuous Writing (55 marks) d. Language Use and Comprehension (95 marks) - Grammar - Vocabulary - Other language items (Synthesis & Transformation, Spelling & Editing) - Comprehension (Refer to EYE Schedule)
Reading and Viewing		Reading Task (non-weighted) LO1: Read aloud Primary 5 level texts (e.g. STELLAR texts) with accuracy, fluency, expression, pace and intonation LO2: Understand Primary 5 texts (e.g. STELLAR texts) and are able to identify the big ideas in the texts		
Listening and Viewing	Listening Task (non-weighted) LO: Develop listening and viewing skills for understanding by focusing on literal and inferential meaning			
Writing and Representing		Writing Task (15%) LO: Generate, select and organize ideas for writing and representing creatively and critically for a variety of purposes, audiences and context		
Language Use (Grammar and Vocabulary)	CHECK POINT 1 (15%) Grammar MCQ (10 marks) Vocab MCQ (10 marks) Synthesis & Transformation (10 marks) Comprehension Close (10 marks)		CHECK POINT 2 (15%) Grammar MCQ (10 marks) Vocab MCQ (10 marks) Synthesis & Transformation (10 marks) Comprehension Close (10 marks) Comprehension OE (10 marks)	

*non-weighted assessment is based on curriculum experience (2-point formative assessment)

PRIMARY FIVE (HOLISTIC ASSESSMENT PLAN 2022)

SUBJECT: ENGLISH LANGUAGE (FOUNDATION)

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Speaking and Representing	Speaking Task (non-weighted) LO: Generate, develop and organise ideas respectfully as individuals and collaboratively in planned and/or spontaneous situations			<u>END OF YEAR EXAMINATION (EYE) 150 marks (55%)</u> e. Listening Comprehension (20 marks) f. Oral (30 marks) (Reading Aloud & Stimulus-Based Conversation) g. Situational & Continuous Writing (40 marks) h. Language Use and Comprehension (60 marks) - Grammar - Vocabulary - Other language items (Synthesis & Transformation, Spelling & Editing) - Comprehension (Refer to EYE Schedule)
Reading and Viewing		Reading Task (non-weighted) LO: Read aloud Primary 5 level texts (e.g. STELLAR texts) with accuracy, fluency, expression, pace and intonation LO: Understand Primary 5 texts (e.g. STELLAR texts) and are able to identify the big ideas in the texts		
Listening and Viewing	Listening Task (non-weighted) LO: Develop listening and viewing skills for understanding by focusing on literal and inferential meaning			
Writing and Representing		Writing Task (15%) LO: Generate, select and organize ideas for writing (e.g. reflecting on past experiences or events and ideas)		

Language Use (Grammar and Vocabulary)	CHECK POINT 1 (15%) Grammar MCQ (10 marks) Vocab MCQ (10 marks) Comprehension Close (10 marks) Compre OE (10 Marks)		CHECK POINT 2 (15%) Grammar MCQ (10 marks) Vocab MCQ (10 marks) Synthesis & Transformation (10 marks) Comprehension Close (10 marks) Comprehension OE (10 marks)	
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SUBJECT: STANDARD MATHEMATICS

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Topics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Numbers to 10 millions Order of Operations Fractions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Area of Triangles Volume of Cube and Cuboids Ratio 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Decimals Rate Percentage 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Average Angles Triangles Parallelogram, rhombus and trapeziums
Formative Assessment (Non-weighted)	Performance Task Topic: Order of Operations	Maths Journal Topic: Area of Triangles	Problem Solving Task Topic: Rate	Performance Task Topic: Angles
Weighted Assessments (%)	Topical Review 1	Topical Review 2	Topical Review 3	End – of – Year Examination (All topics taught in the year)
Total (100 %)	15 %	15 %	15 %	55 %

SUBJECT: FOUNDATION MATHEMATICS

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Topics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Numbers up to 10 million - four operations - factors & multiples - order of operations - word problems 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fractions Geometry 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Decimals Fractions: Multiplication 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Time Perimeter, area and volume Rate Tables and graphs
Formative Assessment (Non-weighted)	Maths Journal Topic: Whole Numbers	Problem Task Topic: Fractions	Performance Task Topic : Decimals	Maths Journal Topic: Rate
Weighted Assessments (%)	Topical Review 1	Topical Review 2	Topical Review 3	End of Year Examination (All topics taught in the year)
Total (100 %)	15 %	15 %	15 %	55 %

SUBJECT: STANDARD SCIENCE

Topics	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Term 1 Cycles <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Water and changes of state</i> - <i>The water cycle</i> Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>The unit of life (Cells)</i> 	Weighted Assessment (15%): <u>Cycles</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Water and changes of state</i> - <i>The water cycle</i> <u>Systems</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>The unit of life (Cells)</i> 	Weighted Assessment (15%): <u>Cycles</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Reproduction in Plants</i> • <i>Reproduction in Humans</i> 	Weighted Assessment (15%): <u>System</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Plant Transport System</i> • <i>Air & The Respiratory System</i> • <i>The Circulatory System</i> • <i>Electrical systems & Using Electricity</i> 	End of Year Examination (55%) 1) All P5 topics (exclude Energy) 2) <u>Diversity (P3)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Living and non-living things</i> • <i>Animals</i> • <i>Plants</i> • <i>Fungi and Bacteria</i> • <i>Materials</i> 3) <u>Energy (P4)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Heat and Temperature</i> • <i>Light and Shadows</i>
Term 2 Cycles <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Reproduction in Plants</i> - <i>Reproduction in Humans</i> 				
Term 3 Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Plant Transport System</i> - <i>Air & The Respiratory System</i> - <i>The Circulatory System</i> - <i>Electrical systems & Using Electricity</i> 				
Term 4 1) All P5 topics (may teach energy, but not tested) 2) <u>Diversity (P3)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Living and non-living things</i> • <i>Animals</i> 				

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plants Fungi and Bacteria Materials 				
3) <u>Energy (P4)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Heat and Temperature Light and Shadows 				
Total (100%)	15%	15%	15%	55%

SUBJECT: FOUNDATION SCIENCE

Topics	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Term 1 Cycles <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Water and changes of state</i> <i>The water cycle</i> 	Weighted Assessment (15%): <u>Cycles</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water and changes of state The water cycle 	Weighted Assessment (15%): <u>Systems</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Air and the Respiratory System</i> 	Weighted Assessment (15%): <u>Systems</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Electrical systems 	End of Year Examination (55%) 1) All P5 topics (exclude Energy) 2) <u>Diversity (P3)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Classification of Living and non-living things Animals Plants Fungi and Bacteria Materials 3) <u>Energy (P4)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Heat and Temperature Light and Shadows
Term 2 Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Air and the Respiratory System</i> 				
Term 3 Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Electrical systems & Using Electricity</i> 				
Term 4 Energy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Energy from the Sun (teach, not tested)</i> 				
Total (100%)	15%	15%	15%	55%

SUBJECT : STANDARD MOTHER TONGUE

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Listening		Listening Task (non weighted)		End of Year Exam (55%) a. Listening Comprehension b. Oral i. Read aloud passage ii. Conversation (based on video stimulus) c. Composition d. Language Use & Comprehension
Speaking		Speaking Task (15%) Conversation based on a video stimulus		
Reading				
Writing			Composition Writing (15%)	
Language Use	Class Test 1 (15%) Language Use & Comprehension		Class Test 2 (non weighted) Language Use & Comprehension	
Total (100%)	15%	15%	15%	55%

SUBJECT : FOUNDATION MOTHER TONGUE

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Listening				End of Year Exam (55%)
Speaking			Speaking Task (15%)	

			Conversation based on a video stimulus	a. Listening Comprehension b. Oral i. Read aloud passage ii. Conversation (based on video stimulus) c. Language use & Comprehension
Reading	Reading Task (15%) Read aloud (text/passage)			
Language Use		Class Test (15%) Language Use & Comprehension		
Total (100%)	15%	15%	15%	55%

SUBJECT : HIGHER MOTHER TONGUE

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Writing		Composition Writing (15%)		End of Year Exam (55%) a. Composition b. Language Use & Comprehension
Language Use	Class Test 1 (15%) Language Use & Comprehension		Class Test 2 (15%) Language Use & Comprehension	
Total (100%)	15%	15%	15%	55%

