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Through Ms Iris See (Year Head Primary 3 and 4)

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Primary 4 Term 2 Level Matters

It is my pleasure to welcome the Primary 4 students back for another great term. We are all excited to have the students back in our classrooms filling them with energy and enthusiasm for learning. Here is an update of the activities happening in Term 2.

Oral Examination for Semestral Assessment 1 (Mainstream)

The oral examinations will be held after school on 26 March 2018 (Monday) and 27 March 2018 (Tuesday) from 1.45 p.m. to 3.45 p.m. Students will be dismissed 15 minutes before the usual dismissal time for lunch on their oral examination days. Their lunch time will be from 12.45 p.m. to 1.30 p.m. Please make the necessary transport arrangements for your child on the affected dates.

If you wish to pass food to your child, Gate 1B (near the Indoor Sports Hall) will be opened at 12.45 p.m. for the two days. Please kindly arrange with your child to meet at the designated waiting area behind the canteen.

Please also make the necessary transport arrangements for your child on the affected dates.

Class	Monday, 26 March 2018	Tuesday, 27 March 2018
4A	Mother Tongue	English
4B	English	Mother Tongue
4C	Mother Tongue	English
4D	English	Mother Tongue
4E	Mother Tongue	English
4F	English	Mother Tongue
4G	Mother Tongue	English
4H	English	Mother Tongue

Written Examination for Semestral Examination 1 (Mainstream)

If your child/ward is absent for an assessment, he/she is required to submit the medical certificate (MC) to his/her form teacher when he/she returns to school. A mark of zero will be given for students who are absent without a reason deemed valid by the school.

Please refer to Annex 1 for the examination details for the respective subjects.

Remedial Classes (Mainstream)

Remedial classes will resume on Term 2 Week 1, on Mondays and Tuesdays from 1.45 p.m. to 3.45 p.m. Please make the necessary transport arrangements for your child.

Silent Reading

As mentioned in the previous letter, we gather for assembly at the school hall every morning, and students will do silent reading from 7.10 a.m. to 7.25 a.m. Our students are strongly encouraged to read English materials from Monday to Wednesday and Mother Tongue storybooks on Thursday and Friday. Hence, we would like to seek your support to remind your child on the above.

Parent-Teacher Meeting

There will be a Parent-Teacher Meeting on 25 May 2018 (Friday). More information will be provided closer to the date.

Briefing for Parents (Mainstream)

A briefing on subject-based banding and Higher Mother Tongue will be conducted for the parents of Primary 4 students on 25 May 2018 (Friday). A briefing on subject-based banding and Higher Mother Tongue will also be conducted for the parents of Primary 4 students on the same day. More details will be given at a later date.

Character Value for Term 2 – Integrity

The character value for Term 2 is Integrity. Through the assembly and the Form Teacher Guidance period (FTGP), the teachers will introduce to students, the various aspects of Integrity – in words and in deeds. For Primary 4 students, the student outcomes for the value of Integrity are doing what is right and leading by example and taking responsibility for ones' own actions.

We seek your co-operation in encouraging your child to do his/her best.

Warm regards,
Ms Hazlina Binti Habib Hasan
Assistant Year Head, Primary Four

VISION

A Leader in Every Child - with Talents and Strength of Character

SCHOOL VALUES

Respect, Integrity, Care, Excellence



Annex 1

Primary 4 Semestral Assessment 1

The examination details for the respective subjects are as follows:

Subject	Week/ Day	Assessment
English Language	Week 2 26 & 27 March 2018 Monday & Tuesday	<u>Oral (16 marks)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reading (6 marks)• Stimulus-based Conversation (10 marks)
	Week 6 23 April 2018 Monday	<u>Paper 1 (20 marks)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Continuous writing Duration: 50 minutes <u>Listening Comprehension (14 marks)</u> <u>Components of paper:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Picture Matching (4 marks)2. Note-Taking (5 marks)3. Unseen Dictation (5 marks)
	Week 8 10 May 2018 Thursday	<u>Paper 2 (50 marks)</u> <p>Some test items will be taken from these STELLAR readers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Prince Zak and the Wise Frog• Rats' Nests• Sports Day• Ruby's Sunflower• A Nasty Accident• Statues <u>Components of paper:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Vocabulary MCQ (6 marks)2. Grammar MCQ (8 marks)3. Grammar Cloze (8 marks)4. Comprehension Cloze (4 marks)5. Synthesis (4 marks)6. Comprehension 1 (10 marks)7. Comprehension 2 (10 marks) Duration: 1 hour 15 minutes

<p>Mathematics</p>	<p>Week 8 11 May 2018 Friday</p>	<p><u>Mathematics SA1 (100 marks)</u></p> <p><u>Shaping Math 4A</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 1: Whole Numbers • Unit 2: Multiplication and Division of Whole Numbers • Unit 3: Fractions • Unit 4: Angles • Unit 5: Geometrical Figures • Unit 6: Line Symmetry <p><u>Components of paper:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section A: Multiple Choice Questions (20 marks) 2. Section B: Open-ended Questions (50 Marks) 3. Problem Sums (30 Marks) <p>Duration: 1 hour 45 minutes</p>
<p>Science</p>	<p>Week 9 14 May 2018 Monday</p>	<p><u>Science SA1 (100 marks)</u></p> <p><u>Primary 4 Topics</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Your Amazing Body as a System, Plants, Plant Parts & their Functions • Matter • Heat and Temperature (Expansion & Contraction of solid, liquid and gas will not be tested) <p><u>Primary 3 Topics</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Classification : Living and Non-Living Things, Plants, Animals, Fungi and Bacteria, Exploring Materials • Magnets and Their Characteristics, Making Magnets • Life cycles of some animals, Life cycles of plants <p><u>Components of paper:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Section A: MCQ (56 marks) • Section B: Open-ended (44 marks) <p>Duration: 1 hour 45 minutes</p>

Chinese Language	<p>Week 2</p> <p>26 & 27 March 2018 Monday & Tuesday</p>	<p><u>口试 (30 分)</u></p> <p>(一) 朗读短文 (10 分)</p> <p>(二) 看图说话 (10 分)</p> <p>(三) 会话 (10 分)</p>
	<p>Week 6</p> <p>24 April 2018 Tuesday</p>	<p><u>看图作文 (15 分)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 字数须在 80 字以上 • 按照图意写一篇作文 • 4 图 <p>Duration: 40 minutes</p> <p><u>听力 (10 分)</u></p> <p><u>考试项目:</u></p> <p>(一) 听音选音节 (2 分)</p> <p>(二) 听话选图 (3 分)</p> <p>(三) 听对话选回应 (1 分)</p> <p>(四) 听力理解 (4 分)</p>
	<p>Week 9</p> <p>15 May 2018 Tuesday</p>	<p><u>试卷 (二) (45 分)</u></p> <p><u>小学华文欢乐伙伴 4A</u></p> <p>第一课至第九课</p> <p><u>考试项目:</u></p> <p>(一) 语文应用</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 辨字测验 (2 题 4 分) • 词语选择 (4 题 8 分) • 词语搭配 (4 题 8 分) <p>(二) 短文填空 (4 题 8 分)</p> <p>(三) 阅读理解一 (3 题 8 分)</p> <p>(四) 阅读理解二 (5 题 9 分)</p> <p>Duration: 1 hour</p>

Malay Language	<p>Week 2</p> <p>26 & 27 March 2018 Monday & Tuesday</p>	<p><u>Lisan (30 markah)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bacaan Lantang (10 markah) • Penerangan Berdasarkan Gambar (10 markah) • Perbualan (10 markah)
	<p>Week 6</p> <p>24 April 2018 Tuesday</p>	<p><u>Karangan (15 markah)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Karangan berdasarkan gambar <p>Duration: 40 minutes</p> <p><u>Kefahaman Mendengar (10 markah)</u></p> <p><u>Components of paper:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Pemadanan Gambar (3 item 3 markah) 2. Kefahaman Mendengar Berdasarkan Teks (7 item 7 markah)
	<p>Week 9</p> <p>15 May 2018 Tuesday</p>	<p><u>Kertas 2 (45 markah)</u></p> <p><u>Cekap 4A</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 1: Saya Bertanggungjawab • Unit 2: Teknologi di Sekolah • Unit 3: Pengalaman Berharga • Unit 4: Suatu Masa Dahulu • Unit 5: Legenda Singapura <p><u>Components of paper:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Imbuhan (5 item 10 markah) 2. Peribahasa (4 item 8 markah) 3. Golongan Kata (5 item 10 markah) 4. Kefahaman 1 (4 item 8 markah) 5. Kefahaman 2 (5 item 9 markah) <p>Duration: 1 hour</p>

	<p>Week 2</p> <p>26 & 27 March 2018 Monday & Tuesday</p>	<p>வாய்மொழித் தேர்வு (30 மதிப்பெண்கள்)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • வாய்விட்டு வாசித்தல் (10 மதிப்பெண்கள்) • படத்தைப் பற்றி விவரித்துச் சொல்லுதல் (10 மதிப்பெண்கள்) • படத்தோடு தொடர்புடைய உரையாடல் (10 மதிப்பெண்கள்)
<p>Tamil Language</p>	<p>Week 6</p> <p>24 April 2018 Tuesday</p>	<p>கட்டுரை (15 மதிப்பெண்கள்)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ஒரு படத்தைப் பார்த்து 60 சொற்களுக்குக் குறையாமல் எழுத வேண்டும். <p>Duration: 40 minutes</p> <p>கேட்டல் கருத்தறிதல் (10 மதிப்பெண்கள்)</p> <p><u>Components of paper:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. படங்களைத் தெரிவு செய்தல் (3 மதிப்பெண்கள்) 2. எதிருரைப் பணுவல் (1 மதிப்பெண்கள்) 3. பணுவலைக் கேட்டு விடையைத் தேர்ந்தெடுத்தல் (6 மதிப்பெண்கள்)

	<p>Week 9 15 May 2018 Tuesday</p>	<p>தாள் 2 (45 மதிப்பெண்கள்)</p> <p><u>தேன்தமிழ் 4A</u></p> <p>தொகுதி 1 – தொகுதி 5</p> <p><u>Components of paper:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. மூவிடப் பெயரும் வினையும் (5 கேள்விகள் 10 மதிப்பெண்கள்)2. செய்யுள்/பழமொழி (4 கேள்விகள் 8 மதிப்பெண்கள்)3. முன்னுணர்வுக் கருத்தறிதல் (4 கேள்விகள் 8 மதிப்பெண்கள்)4. தெரிவுவிடைக் கருத்தறிதல் (3 கேள்விகள் 6 மதிப்பெண்கள்) <p>எழுத்துவழிக் கருத்துப் பரிமாற்றம் (1 கேள்வி 4 மதிப்பெண்கள்)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">4. சுயவிடைக் கருத்தறிதல் (5 கேள்விகள் 9 மதிப்பெண்கள்) <p>Duration: 1 hour</p>
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