

FPS/2017/0145

31 March 2017

Dear Parents/Guardian

MID-YEAR EXAMINATION FOR PRIMARY 3 PUPILS

In preparation for the coming Mid-Year Examination, please take note of the information in the tables below. Table 1 is the schedule of the examination and examination components, Table 2 shows the topics covered for the respective subjects. This information will aid you in supervising your child's preparation and revision for the examinations.

TABLE 1: EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

Weighting for Mid-Year Examination is 25% of the entire year (Except for Mathematics which is 20% of the entire year)			
Subject	Date of Examination	Examination Components	Duration of Paper
English Language	6 April 2017 Thursday	Oral Communication	To be conducted within school curriculum
	24 April 2017 Monday	Listening Comprehension	30 min
		Paper 1 (Writing)	50 min
		Paper 2 (Language Use & Comprehension)	1 h 15 min
Mathematics	8 May 2017 Monday	-	1 h
Mother Tongue Language	6 April 2017 Thursday	Oral Communication	To be conducted within school curriculum
	25 April 2017 Tuesday	Listening Comprehension	30 min
		Paper 1 (Composition)	40 min
		Paper 2 (Language Use & Comprehension)	1 h 15 min
Science	4 May 2017 Thursday	-	1 h 15 min

TABLE 2: TOPIC COVERAGE

Subject	Topics	Components
English Language	<p>The language items to be tested come from but are not limited to the following materials:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Stellar Units 1 - 4 2. Companion Booklets (<i>Can You Fix This, Whose Story Is It, Amazing Creatures, Let's Investigate</i>) 3. Test Papers 1 – 4 4. Customised Booklet Term 1 & Term 2 	<p>Paper 1: Guided Writing</p> <p>Paper 2: Language Use & Comprehension</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Grammar 2. Vocabulary 3. Sentence Combining 4. Comprehension <p>Paper 3: Listening Comprehension</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Picture Matching and Sequencing 2. Note Taking 3. Listening Comprehension <p>Paper 4: Oral Communication</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Reading Aloud 2. Stimulus Based Conversation
Mathematics	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Numbers to 10 000 2. Addition within 10 000 3. Subtraction within 10 000 4. Word Problems: Addition and Subtraction 5. Multiplication Tables of 6, 7, 8 and 9 6. Multiplication 7. Division 8. Word Problems Involving the Four Operations 9. Money 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section A : Multiple Choice Questions 2. Section B : Short Answer Questions 3. Section C : Word Problems
Science	<p><u>Diversity</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Classification 2. Plants 3. Animals 4. Fungi and Bacteria 5. Exploring Materials 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section A: Multiple Choice Questions 2. Section B: Open-ended Questions

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Mother Tongue Language	Chinese	<p>试卷一：作文 (看图写段)</p> <p>试卷二：语文理解与运用</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 辨字测验(多项选择) 2. 看图选词(多项选择) 3. 词语搭配(多项选择) 4. 完成句子(多项选择) 5. 组句成段(多项选择) 6. 扩写句子 (自由作答) 7. 仿写句子 (自由作答) 8. 阅读理解一 (多项选择) 9. 阅读理解二 (自由作答) <p>试卷三：</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 口试 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 朗读短文 • 看录像后与老师进行会话 2. 听力测试
	Malay	<p>Unit 1 hingga 4 Buku Cepak 3A</p> <p>Kertas 1: Karangan Gambar Bersiri (4 gambar beserta perkataan bantuan)</p> <p>Kertas 2: Penggunaan Bahasa</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Imbuhan 2. Prosedur Kloz 3. Menyusun Perkataan/Frasa Menjadi Ayat 4. Kefahaman 1 (Objektif) 5. Kefahaman 2 (Subjektif) <p>Kertas 3 : Kefahaman Mendengar</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Pemadanan Gambar 2. Kefahaman Mendengar Berdasarkan Teks <p>Kertas 4: Lisan</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bacaan Lantang 2. Penerangan Berdasarkan Video 3. Perbualan Berkaitan Dengan Video

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Tamil	தொகுதி 1-5 தேன்தமிழ் பாடநூல் 3A	<p>தாள் 1: கட்டுரை</p> <p>(4 படத்தொடர், 10 உதவிச்சொற்களுடன் கொடுக்கப்படும்)</p> <p>தாள் 2: மொழிப்பயன்பாடு</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. மூவிடப்பெயர் 2. அடைமொழி 3. காலங்கள் 4. ஆத்திசூடி 5. முன்னுணர்வு கருத்தறிதல் 6. சுயவிடை கருத்தறிதல் <p>தாள் 3: கேட்டல் கருத்தறிதல்</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. படங்களைத் தெரிவு செய்தல் 2. பனுவல்களைக் கேட்டு விடைகளைத் தெரிவு செய்தல். <p>தாள் 4: வாய்மொழி</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. வாய்விட்டு வாசித்தல் 2. பட உரையாடல் 3. படத்தையொட்டிய கலந்துரையாடல்

We seek your cooperation in ensuring that your child/ward is present during the periods of examination for **ALL** subjects.

If your child/ward is **absent** for an examination, his/her subject teacher will arrange for a make-up session. However, the make-up will count only as a practice paper, and not as part of the Mid-Year Examination. Marks will be pro-rated for pupils who submit their medical certificate (MC). A mark of **zero** will be given for pupils who are absent without a reason deemed valid by the school.

Please do not hesitate to discuss with the Form or Subject Teacher of your child/ward should you have any concerns regarding his/her learning progress. Kindly acknowledge receipt of this letter by returning the acknowledgement slip to your child's/ward's Form Teacher.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Koh Chin Thong Martin
Principal

Acknowledgement Slip
Mid-Year Examination for Primary 3 Pupils

To: The Principal

I, _____, parent/guardian of
_____ () of Primary 3 _____,

have received and noted the contents of the letter dated 31 March 2017.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

*** Please return this portion to the Form Teacher. Thank you.*