

FPS/2018/0123

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Dear Parents/Guardian of Primary 3 pupils

MID-YEAR EXAMINATION FOR PRIMARY 3 PUPILS

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

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, any papers taken during make-up sessions will only be considered as practice, 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 to pupils who are absent without a reason deemed valid by the school.

Please do not hesitate to discuss with the Form Teacher 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



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Principal

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) | | | |
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| Subject | Date of Examination | Examination Components | Duration of Paper |
| English Language | 19 April 2018 (Thu) | Oral Communication | To be conducted during school curriculum. |
| | 25 April 2018 (Wed) | Listening Comprehension | About 35 min |
| | 7 May 2018 (Mon) | Paper 1 (Writing) | 50 min |
| | | Paper 2 (Language Use & Comprehension) | 1 h 15 min |
| Mathematics | 8 May 2018 (Tue) | - | 1 h |
| Mother Tongue Language | 19 April 2018 (Thu) | Oral Communication | To be conducted during school curriculum. |
| | 25 April 2018 (Wed) | Listening Comprehension | About 20 min |
| | 9 May 2018 (Wed) | Paper 1 (Composition) | 40 min |
| | | Paper 2 (Language Use & Comprehension) | 1 h 15 min |
| Science | 10 May 2018 (Thu) | - | 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. Customised booklets (Term 1 & Term 2) 4. Test Book Tests 1 – 4 | <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 10000 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 | <p>Section A: Multiple-Choice Questions</p> <p>Section B: Short Answer Questions</p> <p>Section C: Word Problems</p> |

| Subject | | Topics | Components |
|------------------------------|---------|---|---|
| Mother Tongue Language | Chinese | <p>考试范围大部分围绕着以下单元所学，但不限制于以下单元里头的词汇</p> <p>小三欢乐伙伴 (3A) (第一课至第七课)</p> | <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 • 看图对话 2. 听力测试 |
| | Malay | <p>Unit 1 hingga 5 Buku Cepak 3A</p> | <p>Kertas 1: Karangan Karangan Berdasarkan Gambar Bersiri</p> <p>Kertas 2: Penggunaan Bahasa</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Imbuhan 2. Prosedur Kloz (Golongan Kata) 3. Peribahasa 4. Kefahaman 1 (Objektif) 5. Kefahaman 2 (Subjektif) <p>Kertas 3 : Kefahaman Mendengar</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Pemandangan Gambar 2. Kefahaman Mendengar Berdasarkan Teks <p>Kertas 4: Lisan</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bacaan Lantang 2. Penerangan Berdasarkan Gambar 3. Perbualan Berkaitan Dengan Gambar |

| Subject | | Topics | Components |
|------------------------------|-------|---|---|
| Mother Tongue Language | Tamil | தொகுதி 1-5 தேன்தமிழ் பாடநூல் & பயிற்சிநூல் 3A | <p>தாள் 1: கட்டுரை (4 படத்தொடர், 10 உதவிச்சொற்களுடன் கொடுக்கப்படும்)</p> <p>தாள் 2: மொழிப்பயன்பாடு 1. மூவிடப்பெயர் 2. அடைமொழி 3. காலங்கள் 4. ஆத்திசூடி 5. முன்னுணர்வு கருத்தறிதல் 6. சுயவிடை கருத்தறிதல்</p> <p>தாள் 3: கேட்டல் கருத்தறிதல் 1. படங்களைத் தெரிவு செய்தல் 2. பனுவல்களைக் கேட்டு விடைகளைத் தெரிவு செய்தல்.</p> <p>தாள் 4: வாய்மொழி 1. வாய்விட்டு வாசித்தல் 2. பட உரையாடல் 3. படத்தையொட்டிய கலந்துரையாடல்</p> |
| Science | | <p>Diversity (Lower Block)</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 |