

FPS/2018/0123

28 March 2018

Dear Parents/Guardian of Primary 4 pupils

MID-YEAR EXAMINATION FOR PRIMARY 4 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


Mrs Tonnine Chua
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)			
Subject	Date of Examination	Examination Components	Duration of Paper
English Language	20 April 2018 (Fri)	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 50 min
Mathematics	8 May 2018 (Tue)	-	1 h 15 min
Mother Tongue Language	20 April 2018 (Fri)	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 45 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>Prince Wuti and the Frog, The Hunt at Sungei Buloh, The Act, Cheesecake for Grandpa</i>) 3. Customised Booklet (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 100 000 2. Factors and Multiples 3. Multiplication and Division of Whole Numbers 4. Whole Numbers: Word Problems 5. Angles 6. Squares and Rectangles 7. Symmetry 8. Fractions 	<p>Section A: Multiple Choice Questions</p> <p>Section B: Short-Answer Questions</p> <p>Section C: Word Problems</p>
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>小四欢乐伙伴 (4A) (第一课至第七课)</p>	<p>试卷一：作文 (看图写篇中段-四幅图)</p> <p>试卷二：语文理解与运用</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 汉语拼音 (多项选择) 2. 辨字测验 (多项选择) 3. 词语选择 (多项选择) 4. 短文填空 (多项选择) 5. 阅读理解一 (多项选择) 6. 词语搭配 (多项选择) 7. 造句/完成句子 (自由作答) 8. 阅读理解二-A 组 (多项选择+书面互动) 9. 阅读理解二-B 组 (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

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Mother Tongue Language	Malay	Unit 1 hingga 5 Buku Cepak 4A	<p>Kertas 1: Karangan Karangan Berdasarkan Gambar Bersiri</p> <p>Kertas 2: Penggunaan Bahasa</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Imbuhan 2. Peribahasa 3. Melengkapkan Teks 4. Kefahaman 1 (Objektif) 5. Interaksi Penulisan 6. 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
	Tamil	தொகுதி 1-5 தேன்தமிழ் பாடநூல் 4A	<p>தாள் 1: கட்டுரை (4 படத்தொடர், 10 உதவிச்சொற்களுடன் கொடுக்கப்படும்)</p> <p>தாள் 2: மொழிப்பயன்பாடு</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. மூவிடப்பெயரும் வினையும் 2. செய்யுள்/ பழமொழி 3. முன்னுணர்வு கருத்தறிதல் 4. தெரிவுவிடைக் கருத்தறிதல் 5. சுயவிடைக் 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. காணொளி உரையாடல் 3. காணொளியையொட்டிய கலந்துரையாடல்

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Science	<u>Diversity (Lower Block)</u> 1. Classification 2. Plants 3. Animals 4. Fungi and Bacteria 5. Exploring Materials	<u>Interactions (Lower Block)</u> 1. Magnets and their Characteristics 2. Making Magnets	1. Section A: Multiple Choice Questions 2. Section B: Open-ended Questions
	<u>Systems (Lower Block)</u> 1. Your Amazing Body as a System 2. Plants and their Parts	<u>Cycles (Lower Block)</u> 1. Life Cycles of Some Animals 2. Life Cycles of Plants 3. Matter	

Acknowledgement Slip

To: The Principal

Mid-Year Examination for Primary 4 Pupils

I have received and noted the contents of the Assessment Letter dated 28 March 2018. I will give my very best support to my child/ward as he/she prepares for his/her Mid-Year examinations. Thank you.

Name of Child/Ward: _____ ()

Class of Child/Ward: Primary 4 _____

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

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

