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Dear Parents/Guardians,

2023 Formal Assessment for Primary 6

- In line with the Ministry of Education's direction to further enhance the holistic development of our students and their intrinsic motivation to learn for life, there will be no Mid-year Assessment for Primary 1 to 6. This would free up more time and space for teaching and learning, and for teachers to adopt more varied pedagogies to deepen students' learning and strengthen their 21st Century Competencies.
- 2. The table below shows our Primary 3 to Primary 6 Formal Assessment weighting:

| Weighted Assessment | Year-end Assessment | Total |
|---------------------|---------------------|-------|
| 30% | 70% | 100% |

Please refer to the Student Handbook for more information on our Assessment Policy. Details of the 2023 assessment plan by term and by subject are provided in <u>Annex A</u>.

- 3. Do take note of the following for our Weighted Assessment:
 - a) Absences from any Weighted Assessment must be supported by a Medical Certificate (MC). Where possible, a make-up paper will be arranged. Otherwise, it will be classified as Valid Reason (VR) for the paper missed.
 - b) For absences without any valid reason, the report slip will be indicated with an 'AB' and a zero mark will be given for the paper missed.
 - c) Respective Subject Teachers will communicate to our students the expectations for the assessments. Students will only be assessed on what they have learnt.

4. We look forward to your support and partnership in your child/ward's learning.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

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Mr Vimalenthiran Vijayasingam Principal

Term 1 Weighted Assessment

| Subject | Component/Topics assessed | | Time Frame |
|---------------|--|---|------------|
| | Standard | Foundation | |
| English | Language Use and Comprehension | Continuous Writing | Weeks 6-7 |
| Mother Tongue | Picture Composition Higher Mother Tongue: Composition | Listening Comprehension | Weeks 6-7 |
| Mathematics | Mastery of P1 to P5 topics Angles in Geometrical Figures Fractions Ratio | Mastery of P5 FMA topics Fractions Decimals (only multiplication) | Weeks 8-9 |
| Science | Energy (Energy in Food, Energy Conversions) Forces Electrical Systems & Magnets (P3 to P5) Human & Plant Systems (P3 to P5) | Energy in Food Forces Electrical Systems & Magnets (P3 to P5) Human & Plant Systems (P3 to P5) | Weeks 8-9 |

Term 2 Weighted Assessment

| Subject | Component/Topics assessed | | Time Frame |
|---------------|---|---|------------|
| | Standard | Foundation | |
| English | Continous Writing | Language Use and Comprehension | Weeks 5-6 |
| Mother Tongue | Oral Communication | Oral Communication | Weeks 5-6 |
| | Higher Mother Tongue: Language Use and Comprehension | | |
| Mathematics | Topics tested in WA1 Percentage Circles Volume | Topics tested in WA1 Decimals Percentage Average Pie Charts | Weeks 7-8 |
| Science | Topics tested in WA1 Living Together Food Chains & Food Webs Adaptations | Topics tested in WA1 Living Together Food Chains & Food Web | Weeks 7-8 |

Term 3 Preliminary Examination

Details will be shared in our Term 3 notification.