

## Apr 2022 - Notification for Parents and Guardians (Primary 4 & 6)

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### A. THE WEEKS AHEAD

| Date                                | Event Description  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Fri, 01.04.2022                     | P4 PL-MDPW*  |
| Fri, 01.04.2022                     | Virtual Secondary School Fair (P5 & P6)                              |
| Mon, 04.04.2022 – Fri, 08.04.2022   | P5 PL-MDPW*  |
| Fri, 15.04.2022                     | Public Holiday – Good Friday   |
| Mon, 18.04.2022 – Tue, 19.04.2022   | P4 #SA1 - Oral (within curriculum time)                              |
| Wed, 20.04.2022 - Thur, 21.04.2022  | P6 SA1 – Oral (2.15pm – 5.00pm. Parents to arrange for own transport |
| Wed, 20.04.2022 - IIIdi, 21.04.2022 | arrangement)   |
| Wed, 20.04.2022                     | P4 & P5 – Student Forum  |
| Mon, 25.04.2022                     | P4 & P6 SA1 – EL Paper 1   |
| Tue, 26.04.2022                     | P4 & P6 SA1 – MT Paper 1   |
| Wed, 27.04.2022 - Thur, 28.04.2022  | P3 **WA Oral (within curriculum time)                                |
| Fri, 29.04.2022                     | P4 & P6 SA1 – Make-up Oral   |

<sup>\*</sup> PL-MDPW - Personalised Learning through Multi-Disciplinary Project Work

### **B. MORNING FLAG RAISING CEREMONY**

(Mr Chua Wee Nam, HOD Student Management and Leadership)

Starting from 11 April Monday, Primary 1 to 4 students will assemble at the Parade Square while Primary 5 and 6 will assemble at the Upper ISH for the Morning Flag Raising Ceremony. Students should sit according to their classes and engage in silent reading at the assembly area.

Students will report directly to their respective venues instead of their classrooms. All students are expected to be seated by 7.30 am at the assembly areas. Students who report to their reporting venues after 7.40am will be considered as late.

During the Ceremony, students who are Singapore citizens are to sing the National Anthem and take the Pledge. In line with SMM, students will observe safe distancing at the assembly areas. Masks must remain on at all times.

On Fridays, students will report directly to classrooms in the morning to proceed with their Friyay activities.

In the event of inclement weather, Primary 1 to 4 students will report to their classrooms for morning assembly.

## C. USE OF DISPOSALBLES IN SCHOOL CANTEEN

(Ms Gracia Tye, AM)

In compliance with environmental sustainability measures under the GreenGov.SG initiative, the school canteen will cease using disposable ware with immediate effect. Take-away is strictly not allowed.















<sup>\*\*</sup> WA - Weighted Assessment (WA)

<sup>#</sup> SA1 - refers to Semester Assessment 1

EL - English Language, MT - Mother Tongue,

# D. RE-OPENING OF STALL 5 (MUSLIM FOOD)

(Ms Gracia Tye, AM)

The school would like to inform all parents that a new stallholder has started to operate Stall 5 from 14.03.2022. The new stall is offering Nasi Padang.

# E. UPDATE ON SAFE MANAGEMENT MEASURES

In line with the national easing of community SMMs, the SMM in school has been updated to the following:

- Mask wearing is required indoors (e.g. hall, library, classroom, canteen, school bus).
- Students who have recovered from COVID-19 and are well do not need to carry out the ART within 90 days from their recent infection unless otherwise required. However, if these students are unwell, they should seek medical attention and to follow doctor's advice.
- For students who have recovered from COVID-19 or complete their vaccination, it is advisable for them to avoid strenuous physical activities or intense exercise for up to 2 weeks after their infection or vaccination.

For COVID-19 related matters, please refer to <a href="https://www.moh.gov.sg/covid-19">www.moh.gov.sg/covid-19</a> for updates.

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### P4 AND P6 SA1 ASSESSMENT MATTERS 2022

#### A. SCHOOL ASSESSMENT WEIGHTING 2022

Radin Mas Primary School (RMPS) continues to provide different checkpoints in the form of weighted and non-weighted assessments to ensure a holistic education for our students. Qualitative and quantitative information gathered from these assessments allow teachers to ascertain the mastery level of students for the topics taught and timely intervention to be carried out to help students close learning gaps, should there be areas of concern.

Non-weighted assessments are conducted regularly to provide feedback on students' learning progress and support them in achieving the intended learning outcomes. These tasks are formative and include day-to-day class work, various assignments and teacher observations.

Primary 4 and Primary 6 students will have two semestral assessments (SA1 and SA2). The following table indicates the percentage of marks apportioned to each term/semester for the core subjects.

| Level     | Term 1 | Term 2            | Term 3                   | Term 4            |
|-----------|--------|-------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Primary 4 |        | SA1<br><b>30%</b> |                          | SA2<br><b>70%</b> |
| Primary 6 |        | SA1               | Preliminary Exam<br>100% |                   |

#### B. SCHOOL EXAMINATION POLICY FOR SEMESTRAL ASSESSMENTS

The well-being of our students is of utmost importance. In the interest of the entire student population of RMPS, we appeal to parents not to send your child to school to sit for their examination if your he / she is unwell / on medical leave (i.e. with a medical certificate).

The following table indicates the various codes which can be printed on the Result Slips of students who are absent for any component/ paper during the examination.

| Code | Reasons For Absence  | School Action   |
|------|--|---|
| AB   | Absence without a valid reason   | Score of '0' is entered for component/ paper missed   |
| MC   | Absence with Medical Certificate   | Component(s)/ paper(s) missed will not be used for  |
| VR   | Absence with valid reason (Official supporting documents must be submitted; letter of excuse from parent will NOT be accepted) | the computation of Overall Results.  These students will not be disadvantaged in any way.  Copies of the examination paper(s) missed will also be given to them for reference / practice at home. |

Students who are unwell <u>will not</u> be allowed to sit for the examination even if they turn up in school, and parents will be asked to take them home. The school will consider the examination results of students who sit for their written examination papers while on Medical Leave null and void. There will be <u>no re-test</u> for students who are absent from any written component(s) / paper(s) during the examination. The school will only conduct a make-up for students who missed their Oral Examination.















### C. SA1 SCHEDULE AND SCOPE OF TOPICS TESTED

### 1. SA1 Oral Examination

The SA1 Oral Examination will be conducted from 18.04.2022 to 21.04.2022. Please refer to Annex 1, Semestral Assessment 1 Schedule.

# 2. SA1 Written Examination

The SA1 Written Examination will be conducted from 25.04.2022 to 12.05.2022. Please refer to Annex 1, Semestral Assessment 1 Schedule.

## 3. SA1 Details

Please refer to Annex 2, Scope of Semestral Assessment 1 Written Papers and Annex 3, Format & Duration of Semestral Assessment 1 Papers.

## **Important Notes:**

- a. Please make your own transport arrangement for your child / ward on the day of his / her Primary 6 Oral Examination.
- b. There will be **NO** CCA on 25.04.2022 and 09.05.2022.
- c. Only absentees with valid reasons will be eligible to sit for the make-up Primary 4 and Primary 6 Oral Examination on Friday, 29.04.2022 during curriculum time. Supporting documents or medical certificates must be submitted to the respective Form Teachers upon their return to school. Parents' letters of excuse will **NOT** be accepted.

# **SEMESTRAL ASSESSMENT 1 SCHEDULE**

| LEVEL ay/Date                            | P4   | P6   |
|--|--|--|
| Mon, 18.04.2022<br>to<br>Thu, 21.04.2022 | EL & MT Oral<br>18.04.2022 (Mon) to 19.04.2022 (Tue)<br>During Curriculum Time | EL/MT/FEL/FMT Oral<br>20.04.2022 (Wed) to 21.04.2022 (Thu)<br>2.00 pm – 5.00 pm* |
| Mon, 25.04.2022                          | EL Paper 1   | EL/FEL Paper 1   |
| Tue, 26.04.2022                          | MT Paper 1   | MT Paper 1   |
| Fri, 29.04.2022                          | Make-up EL/MT Oral<br>During Curriculum Time                                   | Make-up EL/MT/ FEL/FMT Oral<br>During Curriculum Time                            |
| Fri, 06.05.2022                          |  | HMT Paper 1  |
|  |  | HMT Paper 2  |
| Mon, 09.05.2022                          | EL Paper 2   | EL Paper 2   |
|  | EL Listening Comprehension   | EL/FEL Listening Comprehension   |
|  |  | FEL Paper 2  |
| Tue, 10.05.2022                          | Mathematics  | Mathematics Paper 1  |
|  |  | Mathematics Paper 2  |
|  |  | Fdn Mathematics Paper 1  |
|  |  | Fdn Mathematics Paper 2  |
| Wed, 11.05.2022                          | MT Paper 2   | MT Paper 2   |
|  | MT Listening Comprehension   | MT/FMT Listening Comprehension   |
|  |  | FMT Paper 1  |
| Thu, 12.05.2022                          | Science  | Science  |
|  |  | Fdn Science  |

<sup>\*</sup> This is an estimation of the end time. Students are dismissed once they have completed both EL/FEL and MT/FMT Oral Examination.

EL – English Language MT – Mother Tongue FEL – Foundation English Language FMT – Foundation Mother Tongue

Fdn Mathematics – Foundation Mathematics Fdn Science – Foundation Science

# **SCOPE OF SA1 WRITTEN PAPERS**

| Level          | P4  | P6   | P6 Foundation   |
|----------------|---|--|---|
| Subjects       |   |  |   |
| English        | STELLAR Units 1 to 5, including Grammar & Vocabulary items covered in Term 1 & 2     All items taught | STELLAR Units 1 to 5, including Grammar & Vocabulary items covered in Term 1 & 2     Revision of P1 – P5     All items taught          | STELLAR Units 1 to 4, including Grammar & Vocabulary items covered in Term 1 & 2     Revision of P1 – P5     All items taught |
| Mathematics    | All units in 4A Textbook     All P3 units   | P6 Topics  Fractions Ratio Percentage Circles Angles in Geometric Figures Volume of Solids and Liquids All P3, P4 & P5 units           | P6 Topics     Fractions     Decimals     Percentage     Pie Chart     All P3, P4 & P5 units                                   |
| Science        | P4 Topics  Magnets  Matter  Heat and Temperature  All P3 Topics                                       | P6 Topics  • Energy in Food  • Forms and Uses of Energy  • Sources of Energy  • Forces and Types of Forces  • All P3, P4 and P5 Topics | P6 Topics  • Energy in Food and from the Sun  • Forces and Types of Forces  • All P3, P4 and P5 Topics                        |
| Chinese        | Units 1-8 All items taught  | Units 1- 6     All items taught  | <ul><li>Units 1-6</li><li>All items taught</li></ul>  |
| Malay          | Units 1-5 All items taught  | Units 1- 4     All items taught  | Units 1-4     All items taught  |
| Tamil          | Units 1-5 All items taught  | Units 1- 4     All items taught  | Units 1-4 All items taught  |
| Higher Chinese | Not Applicable  | Units 1- 7     All items taught  | Not Applicable  |

# **FORMAT & DURATION OF SA1 PAPERS**

| Oral (16 marks)  Listening Comprehension (40 min/ 14 Marks)  Composition (50 min/ 20 marks)  | Oral (30 marks)  Listening Comprehension (40 min/ 20 marks)  Continuous & Situational Writing   | Oral (30 marks)  Listening Comprehension (40 min/ 20 marks)  |
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| (16 marks) <u>Listening Comprehension</u> (40 min/ 14 Marks) <u>Composition</u>  | (30 marks) <u>Listening Comprehension</u> (40 min/ 20 marks)  | (30 marks)  Listening Comprehension  |
| (40 min/ 14 Marks)  Composition  | (40 min/ 20 marks)  |  |
|  | Continuous & Situational Writing  |  |
| Language Use and Comprehension   | (1 h 10min/ 55 marks) - Situational Writing (15 marks) - Continuous Writing (40 marks)  | Continuous & Situational Writing (1 h 10min/ 40 marks) - Situational Writing (10 marks) - Continuous Writing (30 marks)  |
| <ol> <li>Vocabulary MCQ (6 marks)</li> <li>Grammar MCQ (10 marks)</li> <li>Grammar Cloze 1 (4 marks)</li> <li>Grammar Cloze 2 (4 marks)</li> <li>Comprehension Cloze (4 marks)</li> <li>Sentence Combining (4 marks)</li> <li>Comprehension Passage 1 (8 marks)</li> <li>Comprehension Passage 2 (10 marks)</li> </ol> | Language Use and Comprehension (1 h 50 min/ 95 marks) Booklet A: MCQ 1. Grammar (10 marks) 2. Vocabulary (5 marks) 3. Vocabulary Cloze (5 marks) 4. Visual Text Comprehension (8 marks)  Booklet B: OEQ 5. Grammar Cloze (10 marks) 6. Editing for Spelling and Grammar (12 marks) 7. Comprehension Cloze (15 marks) 8. Synthesis and Transformation (10 marks) 9. Comprehension (20 marks)   | Language Use and Comprehension (1 h 20 min/ 60 marks) Booklet A: MCQ 1. Grammar (8 marks) 2. Punctuation (2 marks) 3. Vocabulary (5 marks) 4. Visual Text Comprehension (5 marks)  Booklet B: OEQ 5. Form Filling (5 marks) 6. Editing for Grammar (6 marks) 7. Editing for Spelling (6 marks) 8. Comprehension (Completion of sentences) (5 marks) 9. Synthesis (3 marks) 10. Comprehension Cloze (5 marks) 11. Comprehension Passages 1 & 2 (10 marks)   |
| Written Paper (1 h 45 min/ 100 marks) Section A (40 marks): 20 MCQ Section B (40 marks): 20 SAQ Section C (20 marks): 5 LAQ  | Paper 1 – No calculator allowed (1 h/ 45 marks) Section A (20 marks): 15 MCQ Section B (25 marks): 15 SAQ  Paper 2 – Calculator allowed (1 h 30 min/ 55 marks) Section A (10 marks): 5 SAQ Section B (45 marks): 12 LAQ   | Paper 1 – No calculator allowed (1 h/ 50 marks) Section A (30 marks): 20 MCQ Section B (20 marks): 10 SAQ  Paper 2 – Calculator allowed (1 h/ 40 marks) Section A (20 marks): 10 SAQ Section B (20 marks): 6 LAQ   |
| Written Paper (1 h 45 min/ 100 marks) Booklet A (56 marks): 28 MCQ Booklet B (44 marks): 12-13 OEQ   | Written Paper (1 h 45 min/ 100 marks) Booklet A (56 marks): 28 MCQ Booklet B (44 marks): 12-13 OEQ  | Written Paper (1 h 15 min/ 70 marks) Booklet A (36 marks): 18 MCQ Booklet B (34 marks): 11 - 13 OEQ  |
|  | (1 h 15 min/ 50 marks)  1. Vocabulary MCQ (6 marks)  2. Grammar MCQ (10 marks)  3. Grammar Cloze 1 (4 marks)  4. Grammar Cloze 2 (4 marks)  5. Comprehension Cloze (4 marks)  6. Sentence Combining (4 marks)  7. Comprehension Passage 1 (8 marks)  8. Comprehension Passage 2 (10 marks)  Written Paper (1 h 45 min/ 100 marks)  Section A (40 marks): 20 MCQ  Section B (40 marks): 20 SAQ  Section C (20 marks): 5 LAQ  Written Paper (1 h 45 min/ 100 marks)  Booklet A (56 marks): 28 MCQ | Language Use and Comprehension (1 h 15 min/ 50 marks)  1. Vocabulary MCQ (6 marks) 2. Grammar MCQ (10 marks) 3. Grammar Cloze 1 (4 marks) 4. Grammar Cloze 2 (4 marks) 5. Comprehension Cloze (4 marks) 6. Sentence Combining (4 marks) 7. Comprehension Passage 1 (8 marks) 8. Comprehension Passage 2 (10 marks)  8. Comprehension Passage 2 (10 marks)  8. Comprehension Passage 2 (10 marks)  8. Comprehension Passage 2 (10 marks)  8. Comprehension Passage 2 (10 marks)  8. Comprehension Passage 2 (10 marks)  8. Synthesis and Transformation (10 marks) 9. Comprehension (20 marks)  9. Comprehension (20 marks)  8. Synthesis and Transformation (10 marks) 9. Comprehension (20 marks)  9. Comprehension (20 marks)  8. Synthesis and Transformation (10 marks) 9. Comprehension (20 marks)  9. Comprehension (20 marks)  9. Comprehension (20 marks)  9. Comprehension (20 marks)  9. Comprehension (20 marks)  9. Comprehension (20 marks)  9. Comprehension (20 marks)  9. Comprehension (20 marks)  9. Comprehension (20 marks)  9. Comprehension (10 marks)  9. Comprehension (10 marks)  9. Comprehension (10 marks)  9. Comprehension (20 marks)  10. Hat 5 min/ 100 marks)  10. Grammar (10 marks)  10. Gr |

# **FORMAT & DURATION OF SA1 PAPERS**

| Subjects                 |  |   |
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| <u>CL ML TL CL ML TL</u> | <u>FCL</u>   | <u>FML</u>  |
| #文式考2                    | <b>华文试像1</b> (40 min/ 15 marks) 1. 语文应用 (5 marks) 2. 阅读理解 (10 marks)  ロ试 (55 marks) <u>听力</u> (40 min/ 30 marks) | Paper 1 Penggunaan Bahasa dan Kefahaman Membaca (40 min/ 15 marks) 1. Penggunaan Bahasa (5 marks) 2. Kefahaman 1 (4 marks) 3. Kefahaman 2 (6 marks)  Oral (55 marks)  Listening Comprehension (40 min/ 30 marks)  FIL  Paper 1 (40 min/ 15 marks) 1. ெமா பயன் பா (5 marks) 2. வா (4 marks) 3. நைட்டுறை சார்ந்த ப (6 marks)  Oral (55 marks)  Listening Comprehension (40 min/ 30 marks) |

| Level                   | P6  |
|-------------------------|---|
| Subjects                |   |
| Higher Mother<br>Tongue | HCL<br>华文试卷 1<br>(50 min/ 40 marks)<br>华文试卷 2<br>(1 h 20 min/ 60 marks)<br>1. 综合填空 (10 marks)<br>2. 字词改正 (10 marks)<br>3. 阅读理解— (16 marks)<br>4. 阅读理解— (24 marks) |