



Rivervale Primary School

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Assessment

Assessment is an integral part of the school curriculum. It enables the students to demonstrate their learning and allows teachers to give students feedback to close learning gaps. The tables below show the assessment weightings for the year and the achievement bands.

Level	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Primary 3	Formative Assessment (FA)			
	Weighted Assessment (WA)			End of Year Examination [EYE] 60%
	10%	15%	15%	

Primary 3 Banding	
Band	Mark Range
1	85 - 100
2	70 - 84
3	50 - 69
4	Below 50

Term 1, Weighted Assessment (WA) Schedule

Weighted assessments will be conducted in Term 1 to provide feedback to you on your child's/ward's progress. The table indicates the weeks of the WA together with the topics to be examined.

Primary 3 Standard Subjects

Week	Subject	Details	Marks & Duration
Week 8 19 Feb to 23 Feb	Mother Tongue Language	Oral – Passage Reading & Picture Description	20 marks
Week 8 19 Feb to 23 Feb	Science	Chapter 1 Diversity of Living and Non-Living Things Chapter 2 Classification of Living Things Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) Fill in the Blank Matching Activity	30 marks 40 minutes
Week 9 26 Feb to 1 Mar	English Language	Grammar - Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) Vocabulary - Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) Grammar Cloze Vocabulary Cloze	20 marks 30 minutes
Week 9 26 Feb to 1 Mar	Mathematics	Chapter 1 Numbers to 10 000 Chapter 2 Addition and Subtraction Chapter 3 Money Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) and Short Answer Questions (SAQ)	20 marks 30 minutes

Please note the following:

- a. If your child/ward is unwell on the days of the assessment, he/she is advised not to turn up in school. Your child/ward should consult a doctor and obtain a medical certificate. Your child/ward will be given a 'VR' (absence with valid reason) only if a medical certificate is produced. Without official certification, your child/ward will not be awarded any marks for this test which he/she has missed.
- b. There will be no make-up assessment for the absentees.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Jamie Yeo

Head of Assessment