



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 6	Formative Assessment (FA)			N.A.
	Weighted Assessment (WA)		Prelim Exam	
	100%	100%	100%	

Primary 6 AL Banding for Standard Subjects

AL Band	Mark Range
1	≥ 90
2	85 - 89
3	80 - 84
4	75 - 79
5	65 - 74
6	45 - 64
7	20 - 44
8	< 20

Primary 6 Higher Mother Tongue Grading

Grade	Mark Range
Distinction	80 - 100
Merit	65 - 79
Pass	50 - 64
U-grade	Below 50

Primary 6 AL Banding for Foundation Subjects

AL Band	Mark Range	Equivalent to Standard Level AL
A	75 - 100	6
B	30 - 74	7
C	< 30	8

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 6 Standard Subjects

Week	Subject	Details	Marks & Duration
Week 7 14 Feb to 16 Feb	Higher Mother Tongue Language	P5 Vocabulary CL: P6 Unit 1 – 3 ML: P6 Unit 1 – 2 TL: P6 Unit 1 – 3 Editing Vocabulary/Proverbs Comprehension Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ), Fill-in-the blanks, Open-ended questions	35 marks 50 minutes
Week 8 19 Feb to 23 Feb	Mother Tongue Language	P5 Vocabulary CL: P6 Unit 1 – 3 ML: P6 Unit 1 – 2 TL: P6 Unit 1 – 3 Grammar Vocabulary/Proverbs Comprehension Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ), Fill-in-the blanks, Open-ended questions	35 marks 50 minutes
Week 8 19 Feb to 23 Feb	Science	P3 Diversity & Cycles P4 Systems, Energy & Interactions P5 Cycles, Systems & Energy P6 Chapter 1 Forces Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) and Open-ended questions	40 marks 45 minutes
Week 9 26 Feb to 1 Mar	English Language	Editing Synthesis & Transformation	20 marks 30 minutes
Week 9 26 Feb to 1 Mar	Mathematics	Whole Numbers (Primary 5) Chapter 2 Fractions Chapter 3 Ratio Chapter 5 Angles Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) and Short Answer Questions (SAQ) The use of calculator is NOT allowed.	30 marks 50 minutes

Primary 6 Foundation Subjects

Week	Subject	Details	Marks & Duration
Week 8 19 Feb to 23 Feb	Foundation Mother Tongue Language	CL: Unit 1 – 3 TL: Unit 1 – 3 Grammar Vocabulary Comprehension Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ), Fill-in-the blanks	15 marks 40 minutes
Week 8 19 Feb to 23 Feb	Foundation Science	P3 Diversity & Cycles P4 Systems, Energy & Interactions P5 Cycles, Systems & Energy P6 Chapter 1 Forces Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) and Open-ended questions	40 marks 45 minutes
Week 9 26 Feb to 1 Mar	Foundation English Language	Editing Comprehension Cloze Complete-the-sentence	20 marks 30 minutes
Week 9 26 Feb to 1 Mar	Foundation Mathematics	Whole Numbers (Primary 1 to 5) Decimals (Primary 5) Chapter 1 Fractions Chapter 2 Decimals Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) and Short Answer Questions (SAQ) The use of calculator is NOT allowed.	30 marks 50 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

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