



# **HENRY PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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## **Primary 4 Semester 2 Assessments**

Dear Parents/ Guardians,

### **Weighted Assessments in Term 3**

There will be weighted assessments for students in Term 3. The weightage for these assessments is 15%. Please refer to Annex A for details of the assessments.

### **Primary 4 End-Of-Year (EOY) Examinations in Term 4 (Mainstream students only)**

Please refer to Annex B for the examination details for the respective subjects.

There will be no make-up examination for Primary 4 from this year. This is to further strengthen school's efforts in enhancing holistic development of students and their intrinsic motivation to learn for life. Students who are absent due to medical reasons must submit a medical certificate (MC) upon their return. A mark of zero will be given to students who are absent without a reason deemed valid by the school.

The final marks will be pro-rated for students who are absent with valid reasons only. If a student is absent for any of the written papers, he/she will receive the question papers to attempt at home. However, the marks will not be considered as part of the assessment.

### **Examination Conduct for End-Of-Year Examinations**

Please remind your child that only authorised items are allowed to be brought into the examination venue. Please refer to the checklist below which is in line with SEAB guidelines for national examinations for more information.

Items Allowed	Items <u>NOT</u> Allowed
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◆ Stationery such as 2B pencils, soft erasers, sharpeners, dark blue / black pens</li><li>◆ Standard mathematical instruments, such as rulers, protractors, set-squares (must not contain formula sheet)</li><li>◆ Approved electronic dictionaries (<a href="https://seab.gov.sg/home/examinations/approved-dictionaries">https://seab.gov.sg/home/examinations/approved-dictionaries</a>)</li><li>◆ Spare set of batteries for electronic dictionaries</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◆ Electronic / communication / entertainment / gaming devices</li><li>◆ Study notes / books / papers</li><li>◆ Instruction leaflets containing mathematical formula / conversion table / instructions</li><li>◆ Non-standard mathematical instruments e.g. model rulers</li><li>◆ Unapproved electronic dictionaries with unacceptable features</li></ul>

## Annex A

### Primary 4 Term 3 Weighted Assessments

The details of the weighted assessments for the respective subjects in Term 3 are as follows:

Subject	Topics and Format
English Language Week 6 31 July – 4 August 2023	<b><u>English Weighted Assessment 2</u></b> 35 minutes 20 marks  <b><u>STELLAR Units:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dinosaurs Exist!</li><li>• Heartbeats in the Dark</li></ul> <b><u>Components of paper:</u></b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Grammar Cloze (4 marks)</li><li>2. Comprehension Cloze (4 marks)</li><li>3. Synthesis (2 marks)</li><li>4. Comprehension OE (10 marks)</li></ol>
Mathematics Week 8 14 – 18 August 2023	<b><u>Mathematics Weighted Assessment 2</u></b> 40 minutes 30 marks  Topics: <b><u>Shaping Math 4A</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Unit 5 Geometrical Figures</li><li>• Unit 6 Line Symmetry</li></ul> <b><u>Shaping Math 4B</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Unit 1 Decimals</li><li>• Unit 2 The Four Operations of Decimals (Including P3 topic, Money)</li></ul> <b><u>Components of paper:</u></b> Section 1: Short-answer Questions (16 marks) Section 2: Structured/Long-answer Questions (14 marks)
Science Week 9 21 – 25 August 2023	<b><u>Science Weighted Assessment 2</u></b> 45 minutes 15 marks  Components of Paper: <b>Section A (6 to 9 marks):</b> Two performance task questions on the following topics: P3 Magnets P4 Heat and Temperature P4 States of Matter  <b>Section B (7 to 9 marks):</b> Short and open-ended questions on the following topics: P4 Heat and Temperature P4 States of Matter  Process skills: Observing, Comparing, Classifying, Measuring and Communicating
Chinese/Malay/Tamil Language Week 4 & Week 5 17 July – 28 July 2023	<b><u>Integrated and Interactive Performance Task (20 marks)</u></b> Show and Tell More information will be provided by MT teachers.

**Primary 4 Examinations in Semester 2**

Subject	Week/Day	Assessment
English Language	12 September 2023 Tuesday	<b><u>Oral (16 marks)</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reading Aloud (6 marks)</li> <li>• Stimulus-based Conversation (10 marks)</li> </ul>
	2 October 2023 Monday	<b><u>Paper 1 (20 marks)</u></b> 50 minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Continuous Writing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ A prose length of at least 120 words</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	19 October 2023 Thursday	<b><u>Listening Comprehension (14 marks)</u></b> <u>Components of paper:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Picture Matching (6 marks)</li> <li>2. Note-taking (5 marks)</li> <li>3. Comprehension MCQ (3 marks)</li> </ol>
	23 October 2023 Monday	<b><u>Paper 2 (50 marks)</u></b> 1 hour 15 minutes Some test items will be taken from these STELLAR readers: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Making Ice Cream</li> <li>2. Life of a Vet</li> <li>3. The Paralympic Games</li> <li>4. The World Beyond Us</li> <li>5. Ruby's Sunflower</li> <li>6. Dinosaurs Exist!</li> <li>7. Heartbeats in the Dark</li> <li>8. All the Buzz About Honey</li> <li>9. What Happens When You Laugh</li> </ol> <u>Components of paper:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Vocabulary MCQ (6 marks)</li> <li>2. Grammar MCQ (10 marks)</li> <li>3. Grammar Cloze (8 marks)</li> <li>4. Comprehension Cloze (4 marks)</li> <li>5. Synthesis (4 marks)</li> <li>6. Comprehension 1 (8 marks)</li> <li>7. Comprehension 2 (10 marks)</li> </ol>

Mathematics	24 October 2023 Tuesday	<p><b><u>Mathematics End-of-Year Examination</u></b></p> <p>1 hour 45 minutes</p> <p>100 marks</p> <p><u>Shaping Math 4A</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Unit 1: Whole Numbers</li> <li>• Unit 2: Multiplication and Division of Whole Numbers</li> <li>• Unit 3: Fractions</li> <li>• Unit 4: Angles</li> <li>• Unit 5: Geometrical Figures</li> <li>• Unit 6: Line Symmetry</li> </ul> <p><u>Shaping Math 4B</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Unit 1: Decimals</li> <li>• Unit 2: The Four Operations of Decimals</li> <li>• Unit 3: Area &amp; Perimeter</li> <li>• Unit 4: Tables and Graphs</li> <li>• Unit 5: Time</li> </ul> <p><u>Shaping Math 3A and 3B</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Whole Numbers</li> <li>• Multiplication and Division of Whole Numbers</li> <li>• Money</li> <li>• Bar Graphs</li> <li>• Fractions</li> <li>• Area &amp; Perimeter</li> <li>• Length, Mass and Volume</li> <li>• Time</li> </ul> <p><u>Components of paper:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Section A: Multiple Choice Questions (20 marks)</li> <li>2. Section B: Open-ended Questions (50 marks)</li> <li>3. Section C: Problem Sums (30 marks)</li> </ol>
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<p>Science</p>	<p>26 October 2023 Thursday</p>	<p><b><u>Science End-of-Year Examination</u></b></p> <p>1 hour 45 minutes</p> <p>100 marks</p> <p><b><u>Primary 3 Topics</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diversity: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Classification of Living and Non-Living Things</li> <li>○ Plants, Animals, Fungi &amp; Bacteria</li> <li>○ Exploring Materials</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Interactions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Magnets and Their Characteristics</li> <li>○ Making Magnets</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Cycles: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Life cycles of plants and some animals</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b><u>Primary 4 Topics</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Systems: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Your Amazing Body as a System</li> <li>○ Plants and their Parts</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Cycles: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Matter</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Energy: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Heat and Temperature</li> <li>○ Light and Shadows</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b><u>Components of paper:</u></b></p> <p>Booklet A: Multiple Choice Questions (56 marks)</p> <p>Booklet B: Open-ended Questions (44 marks)</p>
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Chinese Language	12 September 2023 Tuesday	<b><u>口试 (30 分)</u></b> (一) 朗读短文 (10 分) (二) 看图说话 (10 分) (三) 会话 (10 分)
	3 October 2023 Tuesday	<b><u>看图作文(15 分)</u></b> 40 minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 字数须在 80 字以上</li> <li>• 按照图意写一篇作文</li> <li>• 四幅图</li> </ul>
	19 October 2023 Thursday	<b><u>听力 (10 分)</u></b> <u>考试项目:</u> (一) 听音选音节 (2 分) (二) 听话选图 (3 分) (三) 听对话选回应 (1 分) (四) 听力理解 (4 分)
	25 October 2023 Wednesday	<b><u>试卷 (二) (45 分)</u></b> 1 hour 小学华文欢乐伙伴 4A 与 4B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 第一课至第十六课</li> </ul> <u>考试项目:</u> (一) 语文应用(10 题 20 分) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 辨字测验 (2 题 4 分)</li> <li>• 词语选择 (4 题 8 分)</li> <li>• 词语搭配 (4 题 8 分)</li> </ul> (二) 短文填空 (4 题 8 分) (三) 阅读理解一 (3 题 8 分) (四) 阅读理解二 (5 题 9 分)

Malay Language	12 September 2023 Tuesday	<b><u>Lisan (30 markah)</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bacaan Lantang (10 markah)</li> <li>• Penerangan Berdasarkan Gambar (10 markah)</li> <li>• Perbualan (10 markah)</li> </ul>
	3 October 2023 Tuesday	<b><u>Kertas 1: Karangan (15 markah)</u></b>  40 minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Karangan berdasarkan 4 gambar</li> <li>• Tidak kurang daripada 100 perkataan</li> </ul>
	19 October 2023 Thursday	<b><u>Kefahaman Mendengar (10 markah)</u></b>  <u>Components of paper:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Pemadanan Gambar (3 item - 3 markah)</li> <li>2. Melengkapkan Dialog (1 item - 1 markah)</li> <li>2. Kefahaman Mendengar Berdasarkan Teks (6 item - 6 markah)</li> </ol>
	25 October 2023 Wednesday	<b><u>Kertas 2 (45 markah)</u></b>  1 hour  <u>Buku Cepak 4A &amp; 4B</u>  Unit 1 – Unit 10  <u>Components of paper:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Imbuhan (5 item 10 markah)</li> <li>2. Peribahasa (4 item 8 markah)</li> <li>3. Melengkapkan Teks (5 item - 10 markah)</li> <li>4. Kefahaman 1 (3 item - 8 markah)</li> <li>5. Kefahaman 2 (5 item - 9 markah)</li> </ol>

Tamil Language	12 September 2023 Tuesday	<u>வாய்மொழித் தேர்வு (30 மதிப்பெண்கள்)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>வாய்விட்டு வாசித்தல் (10 ம.பெ.)</li> <li>படத்தைப் பற்றி விவரித்துச் சொல்லுதல் (10 ம.பெ.)</li> <li>படத்தோடு தொடர்புடைய உரையாடல் (10 ம.பெ.)</li> </ul>
	3 October 2023 Tuesday	<u>கட்டுரை (15 மதிப்பெண்கள்)</u> 4 படங்களைப் பார்த்து 60 சொற்களுக்குக் குறையாமல் எழுத வேண்டும் 40 minutes
	19 October 2023 Thursday	<u>கேட்டல் கருத்தறிதல் (10 மதிப்பெண்கள்)</u> <u>Components of Paper</u> 1. படங்களைத் தெரிவு செய்தல் (3 ம.பெ.) 2. எதிருரைப் பனுவல் (1 ம.பெ.) 3. பனுவலைக் கேட்டு விடையைத் தேர்ந்தெடுத்தல் (6 ம.பெ.)
	25 October 2023 Wednesday	<u>தாள் 2 (45 மதிப்பெண்கள்)</u> தேன்தமிழ் 4A and 4B தொகுதி 1 முதல் 10 வரை <u>Components of Paper</u> 1. மூவிடப் பெயரும் வினையும் (5 கேள்விகள் / 10 ம.பெ.) 2. செய்யுள் / பழமொழி (4 கேள்விகள் / 8 ம.பெ.) 3. முன்னுணர்வுக் கருத்தறிதல் (4 கேள்விகள் / 8 ம.பெ.) 4. தெரிவுவிடைக் கருத்தறிதல் (3 கேள்விகள் / 6 ம.பெ.) எழுத்துவழிக் கருத்துப் பரிமாற்றம் (1 கேள்வி / 4 ம.பெ.) 5. சுயவிடைக் கருத்தறிதல் (5 கேள்விகள் / 9 ம.பெ.) 1 hour