

#### **CHIJ Our Lady of the Nativity**

1257 Upper Serangoon Road Singapore 534793
Tel: 6385 2455
Fax: 6385 2012
Email: chijoln@moe.edu.sg

17 January 2022 Ref : 2022OLN\_0038

Dear Parents,

#### **INFORMATION: 2022 P3 TO P5 ASSESSMENT**

- In line with national objectives of reducing the overemphasis on academic results, our school has reduced the number of examinations to free up curriculum time for teachers to optimize teaching. This enables teachers to fully employ engaging pedagogy and formative assessment techniques to deepen learning and support our students in these 'transition years' that typically see them being exposed to higher demands in subject mastery and content rigour.
- 2. Academic progress for these levels will be monitored through classwork, lesson participation, Weighted Assessments (WAs) and Examinations to assess a student's understanding of the skills and concepts taught.
  - a. The End-of-Year (EYE) examinations will be conducted in Term 4 for all levels.
  - b. WAs will take place during subject periods but may not be conducted in a conventional exam setting so as to reduce stress. WAs carry some weighting and contribute to a student's overall grade at the end of the year.
- 3. The weighting for each term's assessment is as follows:

|           | Term 1 | Term 2 | Term 3 | Term 4 |
|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Primary 3 | WA     | WA     | WA     | EYE    |
|           | (10%)  | (10%)  | (10%)  | (70%)  |
| Primary 4 | WA     | WA     | WA     | EYE    |
|           | (10%)  | (10%)  | (10%)  | (70%)  |
| Primary 5 | WA     | WA     | WA     | EYE    |
|           | (10%)  | (10%)  | (10%)  | (70%)  |

- 4. Please see overleaf for the various modes of assessment from P3 to P5.
- 5. The intent of assessment is to provide teachers and students with feedback on the quality of learning. Please note that marks will not be used to allocate students to classes at the end of the year.
- 6. Should you have any query, please contact your child's Form Teacher. The 2022 list of form teachers and their email addresses can be found on our website <a href="http://chijourladyofthenativity.moe.edu.sg">http://chijourladyofthenativity.moe.edu.sg</a>

Thank you & God bless,

Ms Christina Teo Principal

This is a computer-generated letter. No signature is required.

# Modes of Assessment For Primary 3 to Primary 5 (Term 1)

| Subjects    | Primary 3                           | Primary 4                      | Primary 5                                  |  |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|--|
| English     | Listening Comprehension             |                                |  |  |
| Language    | (Week 9)                            |                                |  |  |
| Language    |                                     |                                |  |  |
|             | Listening Comprehension<br>(Week 9) |                                |  |  |
| MT Language |                                     |                                |  |  |
|             |                                     |                                | Review Paper                               |  |
|             | Review Paper                        | Review Paper                   | (Week 9)                                   |  |
|             | (Week 9)                            | (Week 9)                       | Topics :                                   |  |
| Mathematics | Topics :                            | Topics :                       | Whole Numbers, 4                           |  |
|             | Numbers to 10 000,                  | Numbers to 100 000,            | Operations of Whole                        |  |
|             | Addition & Subtraction              | Factors and Multiples,         | Numbers & Fractions (P4)                   |  |
|             | within 10000 and Word               | Multiplication & Division      |  |  |
|             | Problems on Addition & Subtraction  | of Whole Numbers and           | Heuristic / Problem-Solving                |  |
|             | Subtraction                         | Whole Numbers on Word Problems | Skills : Assumption & Replacement Concepts |  |
|             |                                     | Word Froblems                  | Neplacement Concepts                       |  |
|             | Review Paper                        | Review Paper                   | Review Paper                               |  |
|             | (Week 9)                            | (Week 9)                       | (Week 9)                                   |  |
| Science     | Topics:                             | Topics:                        | Topics :                                   |  |
| Science     | Diversity of Living and             | Magnet (P3) and Plant          | Light (P4), Heat (P4), Water               |  |
|             | Non-Living Things                   | & Human System (P4)            | (P5) & Cells (P5)                          |  |
|             |                                     |                                |  |  |
|             |                                     |                                | Language Use &                             |  |
| Higher MT   | Nil                                 | Nil                            | Comprehension                              |  |
|             |                                     |                                | (Week 9)                                   |  |
|             |                                     |                                |  |  |

# Modes of Assessment For Primary 3 to Primary 5 (Term 2)

| Subjects         | Primary 3   | Primary 4  | Primary 5   |  |
|------------------|---|--|---|--|
| English Language | Language Use and Comprehension Review (Week 9)  |  |   |  |
| MT Language      | Language Use and Comprehension Review<br>(Week 9)   |  |   |  |
| Mathematics      | Review Paper (Week 8) Topics: Multiplication Tables of 6, 7, 8 & 9, Multiplication, Division and Word Problems involving the Four Operations  Heuristic / Problem- Solving Skill: Guess & Check | Review Paper (Week 8) Topics: Word Problems involving the Four Operations, Angles, Squares & Rectangles and Symmetry  Heuristic / Problem- Solving Skills: Internal Transfer 1 & 2 | Review Paper (Week 8) Topics: Area of Triangles, Volume, Fractions and Word Problems involving the Four Operations  Heuristic / Problem-Solving Skills: Buy & Get Free / Discount Concept, Fraction of A Remainder & Equal Fraction Concept |  |
| Science          | Review Paper (Week 9) Topics: Life Cycles of Plants and Animals   | Review Paper<br>(Week 9)<br>Topic :<br>Matter  | Review Paper (Week 9) Topics: Reproduction in Animals and Plants.   |  |
| Higher MT        | Nil   | Nil  | Language Use and<br>Comprehension Review<br>(Week 9)  |  |

#### Modes of Assessments For Primary 3 to Primary 5 (Term 3)

| Subjects            | Primary 3   | Primary 4  | Primary 5  |
|---------------------|---|--|--|
| English<br>Language | Writing Review (Week 5 and Week 9)  |  |  |
| MT Language         |   | Writing Review<br>(Week 5 and Week 9)  |  |
| Mathematics         | Performance Tasks<br>(Week 9)<br>Topic :<br>Measures                              | Review Paper (Week 9) Topics: Fractions, Addition & Subtraction of Fractions, Decimals and The Four Operations of Decimals  Heuristic / Problem- Solving Skills: External Transfer 1 & 2 | Review Paper (Week 9) Topics: Ratio, Decimals, Rate and Word Problems involving the Four Operations  Heuristic / Problem-Solving Skills: Comparing Fractions of Parts, Repeated Identities 1 & 2 |
| Science             | Performance Task (Week 8/9) Topics: Magnet (exclude Electromagnets) and Materials | Performance Task (Week8/9) Topics: Light, Heat (exclude Expansion and Contraction of Matter)   | Review Paper (Week 9) Topics: Plant Transport System, Circulatory & Respiratory System and Electrical System   |
| Higher MT           | Nil   | Nil  | Writing Review<br>(Week 5 and Week 9)  |

# Modes of Assessments For Primary 3 to Primary 5 (Term 4)

| Subjects         | Primary 3                                 | Primary 4 | Primary 5 |
|------------------|---|-----------|-----------|
| English Language |   |           |           |
| MT Language      | End-of-the-Year Examination               |           |           |
| Mathematics      | (Details will be given at the later date) |           |           |
| Science          |   |           |           |