



26 March 2024

Dear Parent/ Guardian

WEIGHTED ASSESSMENT 2 IN TERM 2 FOR SECONDARY 4 & 5

With the removal of Mid-Year Examinations for the graduating cohort, Weighted Assessments are conducted in term 1 and term 2 to progressively assess key student competencies and application of core subject knowledge that culminate in students' synoptic understanding of the subject matter in the Preliminary Examination.

In accordance with MOE guidelines, the school has allocated the percentage of each term's assessment as shown in the table below. These weighted assessments count towards the final grade for each subject.

	TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3*
Assessment	WA 1	WA 2	Preliminary Examination
Secondary 4 & 5	15%	15%	70%

*Preliminary examinations are conducted in Term 3 except for the Mother Tongue Language 'O' Level Preliminary Examination that will be conducted in Term 2. Details of the examination will be shared separately.

Referring to Annex A overleaf, please note that there will be three papers conducted during or after normal curriculum time:

Dates (Day)	Subjects
1 April 2024 (Monday)	Mother Tongue Language (Express Syllabus & Mother Tongue B Syllabus)
9 May 2024 (Thursday)	Physic Practical (4/1)
10 May 2024 (Friday)	Chemistry Practical (4/1)

In addition, to provide the necessary learning support for your child/ward, students are expected to attend the following learning support programmes after their weighted assessment on the following dates:

Dates (Day)	Support Programme	Class(es)
29 April 2024 (Monday)	English Language Support Programme	All classes
3 May 2024 (Friday)	Coursework Support Programme	4/2, 4/3, 4/4, 4/5 & 4/6
10 May 2024 (Friday)	Coursework Support Programme	4/2 & 4/3

We seek your cooperation in supervising your child/ ward in his/ her studies so that he/ she is prepared for the upcoming Weighted Assessment 2. We would like to draw your attention to the following rules and regulations that govern all assessment matters:

- I. No make-up assessments will be conducted for students who are absent on the day of the Weighted Assessments.
- II. Students who are certified medically unfit to take the Weighted Assessments will be recorded as "absent with valid reason". They must submit the **original copy** of the Medical Certificate from authorised medical practitioners to their respective Form Teacher when they return to school after their medical leave. For Covid-19 related absences, students may submit a parent letter supported **with** an image of the positive ART test for up to 2 days of absences.

Should you have any queries or feedback, please contact us at 65729100 (General Office) or through email at aes@moe.edu.sg.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely

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Principal



**ASSUMPTION ENGLISH SCHOOL
SECONDARY FOUR EXPRESS/ FIVE NORMAL ACADEMIC
2024 WEIGHTED ASSESSMENT 2 TIMETABLE**

Annex A

Date	Time	Name of the Paper	Subject Code	Duration	ExtraTime
	(hh:mm)			(hh:mm)	AA
Mon 1/4 (during normal curriculum time)	14:20 - 15:50	Chinese Language	1160	1:30	25 min
	14:20 - 15:50	Malay Language	1148		
		14:30 - 15:20	Chinese Language B	1153	1:00
Mon 29/4	08:00 – 09:50	English Language	1184/02	1:50	25 min
	11:20 - 13:10	English Language Support Programme			
Tue 30/4	08:00 – 09:45	Humanities (Social Studies) (4E)	2260/01	1:45	25 min
			2261/01		
			2262/01		
		Humanities (Social Studies) (5N)	2272/01		
			2273/01		
			2274/01		
	11:00 - 12:50	Biology Practical	6093/03	1:50	30 min
Wed 1/5	Labour Day Public Holiday				
Thu 2/5	08:00 - 09:45	Humanities (Geography) (4E)	2260/02	1:45	25 min
	08:00 - 09:40	Humanities (Geography) (5N)	2272/02	1:40	25 min
	08:00 - 09:50	Humanities (History) (4E)	2261/02	1:50	25 min
	08:00 - 09:40	Humanities (History) (5N)	2273/02	1:40	25 min
	08:00 - 09:40	Humanities (Literature)	2274/02	1:40	25 min
	11:00 - 13:15	Additional Mathematics (4E, 5N)	4049	2:15	30 min
Fri 3/5	08:00 - 09:45	Higher Chinese Language	1116	1:45	25 min
	10:40 - 12:20	Coursework Support Programme			
Mon 6/5	08:00 - 10:15	Mathematics	4052	2:15	30 min
Tue 7/5	08:00 - 08:50	Science (Chemistry) (4E)	5086 / 5088	0:50	10 min
		Science (Chemistry) (5N)	5076 / 5078		
	08:00 - 08:50	Chemistry	6092	0:50	10 min
	10:00 - 11:45	Geography	2279/01	1:45	25 min
	10:00 - 11:30	Literature in English	2065/02	1:30	25 min
	13:30 onwards	Science (Physics/ Chemistry) Practical	5076 / 5086	1:30	25 min
	13:30 onwards	Science (Chemistry/ Biology) Practical	5078 / 5088	1:30	25 min
Wed 8/5	08:00 - 08:50	Science (Physics) (4E)	5086	0:50	10 min
		Science (Physics) (5N)	5076		
	08:00 - 08:50	Science (Biology) (4E)	5088	0:50	10 min
		Science (Biology) (5N)	5078		
	08:00 - 08:50	Physics	6091	0:50	10 min
	10:00 - 10:50	Biology	6093	0:50	10 min
	10:00 - 11:30	Nutrition & Food Science	6097	1:30	25 min
Thu 9/5 (after normal curriculum time)	School as per normal				
	15:00 - 16:50	Physics Practical	6091	1:50	30 min
Fri 10/5 (after normal curriculum time)	School as per normal				
	14:20 - 15:40	Coursework Support Programme			
	14:30 - 16:20	Chemistry Practical	6092	1:50	30 min

*Students will be given more information on the Mother Tongue Language Preliminary Assessment that will be conducted on 3 May 2024.

NOTE:

- Students are to be in school as usual during the entire Weighted Assessment period.
- Students are to be properly attired during the entire assessment period.
- Students to be seated at their assigned desk 15 minutes before the start of their Weighted Assessment papers.
- Students will be allowed to leave the school only after they have completed their assessments and support programmes for the day.
- All students are to report to school as per normal on Thursday 9/5 onwards.
- Please refer to the school website for the topics to be assessed and assessment formats for the different subjects.
- Students who have lessons at external language centres are to go for lessons as per normal after they are done with the Weighted Assessments for the day.