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Dear Parents / Guardian

## **Primary 5 Assessment 2018**

Our school is committed to helping your child develop into a self-directed learner and confident citizen who upholds the school values of Integrity, Respect and Excellence. Assessment is an important part of the learning process as it provides useful information to him/her and the teachers on progress made in various learning areas.

At Primary 5, there will be three forms of weighted assessment: Informal Assessment, Mid-year Assessment and Year-end Assessment.

Informal Assessment (IA) will take place regularly to provide timely feedback to Clementians' on their learning, so that steps could be taken to close learning gaps. Given that IA does not take place under examination conditions, there are no designated dates for IA. Clementians will be given the opportunity to re-take selected components of IA after the teachers have closed their learning gaps, in order to encourage them to achieve mastery of the required knowledge and skills. It is hoped that this would imbue in them a Growth Mindset, motivate them to take greater ownership of their learning and allow them to experience success. The schedule for IA is attached in the [Annex](#).

The Mid-year and Year-end Assessment is another form of assessment that provides a measure of Clementians' learning in the skills and knowledge taught. It also allows teachers to gauge their progress towards the attainment of learning goals. A schedule will be given out closer to the date.

The table below shows the weighting for the different forms of assessment:

	Informal Assessment	Mid-year Assessment	Year-end Assessment	Total
Primary 5	30%	30%	40%	100%

Do support your child by inculcating good study habits to learn continually and encouraging him / her to put in his / her best effort.

Thank you for partnering us in your child's learning journey.

Yours sincerely  
Mr Chia See Chew Albert  
Principal

## Informal Assessment 2018

## Term 1 (10%)

Subject	Units / Topics		
English Language	STELLAR Units 1 to 2		
Mathematics	Textbook Chapters 1-5		
Science	Theme: System <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Unit of Life</li> </ul>	Theme: Cycles <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reproduction in Animals</li> <li>• From Parents to Young</li> <li>• Three States of Matter</li> </ul>	
Mother Tongue Language	Chinese	Malay	Tamil
	Textbook 5A Units 1 to 4	Textbook 5A Units 1 and 2	Grammar and vocabulary from Tamil Language Syllabus 2015

## Term 2 (10%)

Subject	Units / Topics		
English Language	STELLAR Unit 3 to 4		
Mathematics	Textbook Chapters 1 – 7		
Science	Theme: Cycles <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Water Cycle</li> <li>• Water and its changes of state</li> <li>• Reproduction in Plants</li> <li>• Seed Dispersal</li> </ul>		
Mother Tongue Language	Chinese	Malay	Tamil
	Textbook 5A Units 5 to 7	Textbook 5A Units 3 to 5	Grammar and vocabulary from Tamil Language Syllabus 2015

## Term 3 (10%)

Subject	Units / Topics		
English Language	STELLAR Units 5 to 6		
Mathematics	Textbook Chapters 9 - 12		
Science	Theme: Cycles <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Water Cycle</li> </ul>	Theme: Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Circulatory and Respiratory Systems</li> <li>• Electrical Systems</li> </ul>	
Mother Tongue Language	Chinese	Malay	Tamil
	Textbook 5B Units 11 to 14	Textbook 5B Units 6 to 8	Grammar and vocabulary from Tamil Language Syllabus 2015