



# INFORMATION SHEET

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## Examination Dates and Topics Tested for Primary 6 Preliminary Examination (4F)

Date	Subject	Duration
Monday 13 August	Foundation Mother Tongue Paper 3 - Listening Comprehension	35 min
	Foundation English Language Listening Comprehension	35 min
Monday 20 August	Foundation English Language Composition	1 h 10 min
	Foundation English Language Paper 2	1 h 20 min
Friday 24 August	Foundation Mother Tongue Paper 1	40 min
Monday 27 August	Foundation Mathematics (Paper 1)	1 h
	Foundation Mathematics (Paper 2)	1 h
Tuesday 28 August	Foundation Science	1 h 15 min

Please note:

Only valid medical certificates and absence on compassionate grounds with supporting documents will be accepted as valid reasons for absence on the day of examinations. Pupils will sit for the make-up examination on 29 and 30 August 2018.

The schedule attached shows important information for the coming Preliminary Examination.

#### 4 Foundation Subjects

Subject	Details
<p><b>English Language</b></p> <p><b>Paper 1</b> a) Situational Writing b) Continuous Writing</p> <p><b>Paper 2</b> Language Components-  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Grammar MCQ</li> <li>➤ Punctuation MCQ</li> <li>➤ Vocabulary MCQ</li> <li>➤ Visual Text Comprehension MCQ</li> <li>➤ Form Filling</li> <li>➤ Editing for Grammar</li> <li>➤ Editing for Spelling</li> <li>➤ Comprehension (Completion of sentence)</li> <li>➤ Synthesis</li> <li>➤ Comprehension Cloze</li> <li>➤ Comprehension (Passages A &amp; B)</li> </ul> </p> <p><b>Paper 3:</b> Listening Comprehension</p>	<p><b>STELLAR Units:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kusu Island</li> <li>• Working Dogs</li> <li>• Coolie Boy</li> <li>• Pirates in the Straits of Malacca</li> </ul>
<p><b>Foundation Mathematics</b></p> <p><b>Paper Format</b> <b>Paper 1 (Calculator NOT allowed)</b> <b>Booklet A:</b> Multiple Choice Questions – 20 questions (30 marks) <b>Booklet B:</b> Short Answer Questions – 10 questions (20 marks) <b>Paper 2 (Calculator Allowed)</b> Short Answer &amp; Structured Questions - 16 questions (40 Marks)</p>	<p><b>Topics Tested:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Whole Numbers; Fractions &amp; Decimals</li> <li>• Measurement: Area and Perimeter: Squares, Rectangles, Triangles; Volume and Time</li> <li>• Tables, Graphs, Pie Charts &amp; Average</li> <li>• Geometry: Parallel/Perpendicular lines, Angles, Squares, Rectangles &amp; Triangles</li> <li>• Percentage</li> <li>• Rate</li> </ul>
<p><b>Foundation Science</b></p> <p><b>Paper Format</b></p> <p><b>Booklet A:</b> MCQ – 18 questions (36 marks)</p> <p><b>Booklet B:</b> Structured – 6 questions (14 marks) Open-ended – 6 questions (20 marks)</p>	<p><b>Topics Tested:</b></p> <p><b>Primary 6 Foundation Topics:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Forces</li> <li>➤ Living together</li> <li>➤ Food Chains</li> <li>➤ Adaptations</li> <li>➤ Man's impact on the environment</li> </ul> <p><b>All Primary 3 Topics:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Diversity of living (Plants, animals, fungi and bacteria) and non-living things -(General characteristics and classification)</li> <li>➤ Diversity of materials</li> <li>➤ Cycles in plants and animals (Life cycles)</li> <li>➤ Interaction of forces (Magnets)</li> </ul> <p><b>All Primary 4 Topics:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Human system (Digestive system)</li> <li>➤ Plant system (Plant parts and functions)</li> <li>➤ Cycles in matter</li> <li>➤ Energy forms and uses (Light and heat)</li> </ul>

**All Primary 5 Foundation Topics:**

- Plant system (Respiratory and circulatory)
- Human system (Respiratory and circulatory)
- Electrical systems
- Energy forms and uses (Photosynthesis)
- Cycles in plants and animals (Reproduction)
- Cycles in water