

通告 Notice

No. 20033: Special Arrangements for Chinese and Mathematics Assessments for the 1st Term 20-21

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Dear parents,

The five-month suspension of classes in the last school year has seriously affected our students' learning. Rebuilding their learning routines is a necessary but time-consuming process, and unfortunately the results have not been encouraging.

For the Chinese subject, students and teachers are adapting to the new study mode, learning targets, and assessment methods under the new curriculum. Unfortunately, the drastic cut in learning time (i.e. online learning at home and half-day school) has hindered most students in their efforts to perform well. Chinese language skills have weakened severely in some students who don't have the language exposure at home.

For Mathematics, many students are unable to handle new topics under the spiral curriculum, which progresses with increasing difficulty. Most students are struggling to maintain their previous ability level at the beginning of the first term as rebuilding their learning routines really takes time.

We want to take into account the difficulties students have experienced and not penalise them. Therefore, the Chinese and Mathematics assessment marks in the 1st term of the school year 20-21 will be calculated as follows:

Assessments	Original Calculations	New Calculations
Chinese Reading Comprehension	Take the average of the Test 1 and Test 2 marks	Take the higher mark between Test 1 and Test 2
Chinese Language Knowledge	Take the average of the Test 1 and Test 2 marks	Take the higher mark between Test 1 and Test 2
Chinese Dictations	Take the average of all dictation marks	Take the highest mark among all dictations
Mathematics	Test 30%, Exam 70%	 Take only the exam mark if it is higher than the test mark. Follow the original ratio if the test mark is higher.

Should you have any questions about this special arrangement, please contact our Chinese or Mathematics teachers at 2577-5188. Thank you.

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