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Dear Parents of our Primary 4 Haig girls,

Supporting our Haig girls in their learning and growth

*"We, the pupils of Haig Girls' School, believe that we can think, learn, achieve and excel.
We believe that we will be gracious, self-disciplined and responsible citizens."
HGS Pupils' Creed*

Our Haig girls recite the Pupils' Creed daily to affirm their beliefs in exhibiting the growth mindset and the expectations of a Haig girl. We are proud of our Haig girls who demonstrate the attributes espoused in the creed and we would like to seek your help in reinforcing the following messages with your child:

- (a) Our brains are like muscles and they are constantly growing to embrace new knowledge;
- (b) With a positive attitude, effort, time and practice, we can learn to do difficult things;
- (c) The process is as important as the outcomes – it is important that we do not give up but to keep trying and learning.

We will continue to communicate to every Haig girl that assessments are not the end in themselves, but are learning opportunities for us to learn and grow. Together with you, we want to take the effort to recognise and affirm the efforts put in by our Haig girls in their learning.

Holistic Assessment to Support Learning

Haig Girls' School adopts a balanced approach to assessment - we have put in place weighted assessments that are spread over the year and non-weighted formative assessments that serve as checkpoints to inform our teachers of our Haig girls' learning and their needs.

To assess the different learning outcomes, the school has developed a range of age-appropriate assessment modes to enable our students to demonstrate their learning such as performance tasks, practical tests, project work and varied oral presentations, in addition to written assessments.

We believe that with our balanced approach to assessment, our Haig girls will find greater joy in learning and continue to develop the intrinsic motivation to learn.

Please find attached an overview of our P4 assessment plan and calendar of events for Semester 2 in Annexes A and B respectively.

We thank you for your partnership and look forward to your continued support in the holistic development of your child/ward.

Yours faithfully,
Mdm Yong Linlin Marie
P4 Assistant Year Head

Endorsed by
Miss Lo Yen Nie
Principal

Important Points to take note:

- Students who are ill should not be in school for tests and examinations. Our Haig girl should seek medical attention as the school cares for her wellbeing and she will not be in the position to give her best effort to the assessment.
- If a student misses a test because of an illness, she needs to submit a medical certificate upon her return. The student, in this case, will not get a '0' for the test. The school will indicate 'VR' (Valid Reason) in her report book and her overall marks will be pro-rated accordingly.
- Students who do not have a valid reason for missing their assessment may get an 'AB (Absent)' which will translate to zero mark for that assessment. Please check with the school if your child will be missing an assessment for reason/s other than being ill.
- There will be no make-up for the written, listening comprehension and practical assessments.

Subject	Component	Weighting	Date
English Language	Weighted Assessment 2		
	Paper 2 Mini Test (20 marks) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grammar MCQ • Vocab MCQ • Comprehension OE 	10%	12 Aug
	End-Year Examination		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paper 4 Oral (16 marks) • Paper 1 Narrative Writing (20 marks) • Paper 3 Listening Comprehension (14 marks) • Paper 2 (50 marks) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Grammar MCQ Discrete ○ Vocabulary MCQ ○ Grammar Cloze ○ Comprehension Cloze ○ Comprehension OE 1 ○ Comprehension OE 2 	60%	28 Sep 13 Oct 21 Oct 21 Oct
Mathematics	Weighted Assessment 2		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Numbers to 100 000 • Factors and Multiples • Multiplication and Division of Whole Numbers • Whole Numbers : Word Problems • Fractions • Decimals • Heuristic Worksheet 9 – 13 	10%	19 Aug
	End-Year Examination		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Numbers to 100 000 • Factors and Multiples • Multiplication and Division of Whole Numbers • Whole Numbers : Word Problems • Angles • Squares and Rectangles • Symmetry 	60%	28 Oct

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fractions Decimals Area and Perimeter Tables and Line Graphs Time Heuristic Worksheet 1 – 14 		
Science	Weighted Assessment 2		
	Practical Test (20 marks) Systems -Plants and their Parts Cycles -Matter Interactions -Magnets and their Characteristics -Making Magnets Energy -Light	10%	4 Aug
	End-Year Examination		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> P3 Topics Diversity: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Classification: Living and Non-living things Plants Animals Fungi & Bacteria Exploring Materials Cycles: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Life cycles of some animals Life cycle of plants Systems: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Your amazing body as a system Plants and their parts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> P4 Topics Cycles: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Matter Interactions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Magnets and their characteristics Making magnets Energy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Light and shadows Heat and temperature 	60%	27 Oct
Social Studies	Performance Task Remembering the Settlers of Singapore	100%	Term 3 Wk 4 - 8 (18 Jul - 19 Aug)
Chinese Language	Weighted Assessment 2		
	Language Test (30 marks) 4A4B 课本: 第九课至第十二课 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 语文应用 词语搭配 阅读理解（二）（开放题） 	10%	18 Aug
	End-Year Examination		

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Oral: Reading Aloud, Picture Description and Conversation (30 marks)● Picture composition writing (15 marks)● Listening Comprehension (10 marks)● Language Test (45 marks) <p>第一课至第十五课 (45 分)</p> <table><tr><td>一.辨字测验</td></tr><tr><td>二.词语选择</td></tr><tr><td>三.短文填空</td></tr><tr><td>四. 词语搭配</td></tr><tr><td>五. 阅读理解一(多项选择)</td></tr><tr><td>六. 阅读理解二 (开放题)</td></tr></table>	一.辨字测验	二.词语选择	三.短文填空	四. 词语搭配	五. 阅读理解一(多项选择)	六. 阅读理解二 (开放题)	60%	27 Sep 14 Oct 26 Oct 26 Oct
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Malay Language	Weighted Assessment 2								
	Language Test (30 marks) <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Language Use - 20 marks● Comprehension (Open-ended) - 10 marks	10%	18 Aug						
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Semester 2 Calendar of Events

Term 3

Week	Date	Events	CCA (Mon)	Remedial (Wed & Thu)	D3T2 (Tue & Fri)
1	28 June (Tue) 29 June (Wed) 30 June (Thu)	P4 SwimSafer	Yes	No	Yes
	1 July (Fri)	Celebrating You			
2	4 July (Mon)	School Holiday (Youth Day)	No (Youth Day)	Yes	Yes
	5 July (Tue) 6 July (Wed) 7 July (Thu)	P4 SwimSafer			
3	11 July (Mon)	Hari Raya Haji (Public Holiday)	No (Hari Raya Haji)	No	Yes
	12 July (Tue) 13 July (Wed) 14 July (Thu)	P4 SwimSafer			
	16 July (Sat)	P5 NE Show (For P5 students)			
4	18 July (Mon)	Commemoration of Racial Harmony Day	Yes	Yes	Yes
	19 – 20 July (Tues & Wed)	Racial Harmony Day Recess Activities			
	19 July (Tue) 20 July (Wed) 21 July (Thu)	P4 SwimSafer			
5	26 July (Tue)	P4 SwimSafer	Yes	No (P6 Prelim Oral)	Yes
	27 – 28 July (Wed & Thu)	P1 – P5 E-Learning Days (P6 Prelim Oral Examination)			
6	2 Aug (Tue) 3 Aug (Wed) 4 Aug (Thu)	P4 SwimSafer	Yes	Yes	Yes
	4 Aug (Thu)	P4 SC Weighted Assessment 2			
	5 Aug (Fri)	SYF Evening Concert			
7	8 Aug (Mon)	Commemoration of National Day	No (National Day Celebration)	Yes (only for Thu)	No (Prep for PSLE Oral)
	9 Aug (Tues)	National Day (Public Holiday)			
	10 Aug (Wed)	National Day (School Holiday)			
	11 – 12 Aug (Thu & Fri)	PSG Bookfair (During Recess Time)			
	11 Aug (Thu)	P4 SwimSafer			
	12 Aug (Fri)	P3 EL Weighted Assessment 2 P4 EL Weighted Assessment 2			

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8	15 Aug (Mon) onwards	Suspension of P6 remedial	No (PSLE Oral)	Yes	Yes
	15 – 16 Aug (Mon & Tues)	PSLE Oral			
	17 Aug (Wed) 18 Aug (Thu)	P4 SwimSafer			
	18 Aug (Thu)	P3 – P5 MT Weighted Assessment 2 P6 EL / FEL Prelim Paper 1 and Paper 2			
	19 Aug (Fri)	P3 – P5 MA Weighted Assessment 2 P6 MA / FMA Prelim Paper 1 and Paper 2			
9	22 Aug (Mon)	P6 MT / FMTL Prelim Paper 1 and Paper 2	Yes	Yes	Yes
	23 Aug (Tues)	P6 SC Prelim Paper			
	24 Aug (Wed)	P5 SC Weighted Assessment 2 P6 HMTL Prelim Paper 1 and 2			
	25 Aug (Thu)	P5 HMTL Weighted Assessment 2 P6 Prelim Listening Comprehension			
	23 Aug (Tues) 24 Aug (Wed) 25 Aug (Thu)	P4 SwimSafer			
10	30 Aug (Tues) 31 Aug (Wed)	P4 SwimSafer	Yes	No (Teachers' Day Celebration)	No (Teachers' Day)
	1 Sep (Thu)	Teachers' Day Celebration			
	2 Sep (Fri)	Teachers' Day Last day of Term 3 – Eat with your Family Day			
	3 - 11 Sept	School Holidays			

Term 4

Week	Date	Events	CCA (Mon)	Remedial (Wed & Thu)	D3T2 (Tue & Fri)
1	16 Sep (Fri)	PSLE Listening Comprehension	Yes	Yes (Only for Wed)	No (PSLE LC)
2	21 Sep (Wed)	P5 EL Oral Examination (PM)	Yes	No (P5 Oral)	Yes
	22 Sep (Thu)	P5 MT Oral Examination (PM)			
3	26 Sep (Mon)	P3 EL Oral Examination (During Curriculum Time)	Yes	Yes	Yes
	27 Sep (Tues)	P4 MT Oral Examination (During Curriculum Time)			
	28 Sep (Wed)	P3 MT Oral Examination P4 EL Oral Examination (During Curriculum Time for both levels)			
	29 – 30 Sep (Thu & Fri)	PSLE Written Examination			
4	3 Oct (Mon) onwards	Suspension of all remedial lessons	Yes	No	No (Children's Day)
	3 – 5 Oct (Mon - Wed)	PSLE Written Examination			
	6 Oct (Thu)	Children's Day Celebration			
	7 Oct (Fri)	Children's Day (School Holiday)			
5	10 Oct (Mon) onwards	Suspension of CCAs / D3T2	No	No	No
	13 Oct (Thu)	P3 – P5 End of Year Exam – EL Paper 1			
	14 Oct (Fri)	P3 – P5 End of Year Exam – MT Paper 1			
6	17 – 20 Oct (Mon – Thu)	PSLE Marking Exercise			
	21 Oct (Fri)	P3 – P5 End of Year Exam – EL Paper 2 & LC			
7	24 Oct (Mon)	Deepavali – Public Holiday			
	26 Oct (Wed)	P3 – P5 End of Year Exam – MTL Paper 2 & LC			
	27 Oct (Thu)	P3 – P5 End of Year Exam – Science			
	28 Oct (Fri)	P3 – P5 End of Year Exam – Mathematics			
8	31 Oct (Mon)	P5 End of Year Exam – Higher MTL			
	3 – 5 Nov (Thu – Sat)	P5 Camp			
9	9 Nov (Wed)	Promotion Day			
	10 Nov (Thu)	Sports Day			

Week	Date	Events	CCA (Mon)	Remedial (Wed & Thu)	D3T2 (Tue & Fri)
10	14 Nov (Mon)	Curriculum Briefing for P5 2023 Cohort (Zoom)			
	17 Nov (Thu)	Prize Giving Day			
	18 Nov (Fri)	P6 Graduation Day Last day of Term 4 - Eat with your Family Day			
	19 Nov – Jan 2023	School Holidays	No	No	No