

# Anglo-Chinese School (Junior)



A Methodist Institution  
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Dear Parents/Guardians

## Primary Three/ Four Holistic Assessment 2017

In line with MOE's PERI's recommendation of adopting Holistic Assessment to nurture Confident Children, Independent Learners and Caring citizens, the school has implemented Holistic Assessment since 2013.

Holistic Assessment allows an ongoing gathering of information on different facets of our boys from various sources with the aim of providing qualitative and quantitative feedback to support their development. Through bite-sized assessment in the core subjects, we hope to build our boys' confidence and desire to learn. These traits will be instrumental in nurturing them to be independent and life-long learners. This is in line with the school's mission to nurture our boys with a quality, holistic education.

This year, we have scaled up Holistic Assessment to Primary Three and Primary Four levels with the same intent of providing pupils with more platforms to reflect on their learning in a timely manner. As indicated in the Principal's Letter as well as the Student Companion, the Continual Assessment (CA) is replaced with bite-sized assessment. We recognise the importance of parental support in supporting our boys' learning. Hence we have collated the whole year's assessment schedule as well as assessment coverage and weightings for your reference.

We look forward to your continued partnership.

Warm Regards,

Mrs Chaillan Mui Tuan

Principal



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ANGLO-CHINESE SCHOOL (JUNIOR)  
 HOLISTIC ASSESSMENT OVERVIEW 2017  
PRIMARY FOUR

## ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

Term/Week	TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3	TERM 4
Week 1				
Week 2				P4 MT SA2 (Oral)
Week 3		P4 SC PBA		
Week 4				P4 EL SA2 (Compo) P4 MT SA2 (Compo)
Week 5	P4 EL Bite-size 1 (5%) P4 MA Bite-size 1 (5%)	P4 MT SA1 (Compo) P4 MT SA1 (Oral)	P4 EL Bite-size 3 (5%) P4 MA Bite-size 3 (5%)	P4 SC PBA P4 EL SA2 (Oral)
Week 6	P4 SC Bite-size 1 (5%) P4 MT (Bite-size 1) (5%)		P4 SC Bite-size 3 - Practical (5%) P4 MT Bite-size 3 (5%)	
Week 7		P4 MT SA1 (LC)		P4 MT SA2 (LC)
Week 8		P4 EL SA1		P4 EL SA2 P4 MA SA2 P4 MT SA2 P4 SC SA2
Week 9	P4 EL Bite-size 2 (5%) P4 MA Bite-size 2 (5%)	P4 MA SA1 P4 MT SA1	P4 EL Bite-size 4 (5%) P4 MA Bite-size 4 (5%)	

		P4 SC SA1		
Week 10	P4 SC Bite-size 2 (5%) P4 MT Bite-size 2 (5%)		P4 SC Bite-size 4 (5%) P4 MT Bite-size 4 (5%)	

*The assessment schedule and coverage is subjected to changes. If there are changes, parents will be notified in advance.*

**P4 ASSESSMENT COVERAGE AND COMPONENTS FOR BITE-SIZED ASSESSMENT**

SUBJECT/TERM	TERM 1			TERM 2			TERM 3			TERM 4		
	ENGLISH	<p><b>Bite-size 1 (5%)</b> Term1 Week 5 Comprehension</p> <p><b>Bite-size 2 (5%) (10 questions – 1m each)</b> Term1 Week 9 Grammar &amp; Vocabulary MCQ</p>	<p><b>English SA1 (30%)</b> Term 2 Week 8</p> <p><i>Assessment Coverage and Components will be emailed to parents closer to the date.</i></p>	<p><b>Bite-size 3 (5%) (10 questions – 1m each)</b> Term 3 Week 5 Editing, Synthesis &amp; Transformation</p> <p><b>Bite-size 4 (5%)</b> Term3 Week 9</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Grammar Cloze</li> <li>- Passage on Personal Pronoun</li> <li>- Passage on Subject-Verb Agreement</li> <li>- Vocabulary</li> </ul>	<p><b>English SA2 (50%)</b> Term 4 Week 8</p> <p><i>Assessment Coverage and Components will be emailed to parents closer to the date.</i></p>							
MATHS	<p><b>Bite-size 1 (5%)</b> Term 1 Week 5 Chapter 1 &amp; 2: Numbers 1 to 100000 Chapter 2: factors and multiples</p> <p><b>Bite-size 2 (5%)</b> Term1 Week 9 Chapter 3 multiplication and division of whole numbers Chapter 4 word problems Heuristics</p>	<p><b>Maths SA1(30%)</b> Term 2 Week 9</p> <p><i>Assessment Coverage and Components will be emailed to parents closer to the date.</i></p>	<p><b>Bite-size 3 (5%)</b> Term 3 Week 5 Chapter 9: addition and subtraction of fractions Chapter 10: decimals – understanding tenths, hundredths, &amp; thousandths, comparing and ordering decimals</p> <p><b>Bite-size 4 (5%)</b> Term 3 Week 9 Chapter 10 &amp; 11 rounding decimals, fractions and decimals, 4 operations of decimals Chapter 12 word problems; decimals</p>	<p><b>Maths SA2 (50%)</b> Term 4 Week 8</p> <p><i>Assessment Coverage and Components will be emailed to parents closer to the date.</i></p>								

SCIENCE	<p><b>Science Bite-size 1 (5%)</b> Term 1 Week 5</p> <p>5 Multiple Choice questions, 3 Structured Questions and 2 Open-ended questions (10 Mark paper)</p> <p>Theme: Cycles Chapter 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Life Cycles of Some Animals</li> </ul> <p><b>Science Bite-size 2 (5%)</b> Term 1 Week 10</p> <p>5 Multiple Choice questions, 3 Structured Questions and 2 Open-ended questions (10 Mark paper)</p> <p>Theme: Cycles Chapter 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Life Cycles of Plants</li> </ul>	<p><b>Science Performance Based Assessment (3%)</b> Term 2 Week 3</p> <p><b>Science SA1 (27%)</b> Term 2 Week 9</p> <p><i>Assessment Coverage and Components will be emailed to parents closer to the date.</i></p>	<p><b>Science Bite-size 3: Science Practical Test (5%)</b> Term 3 Week 6</p> <p>4 Open Ended Questions (10 Marks)</p> <p>Theme: Cycles Chapter 1 to 3</p> <p>Theme: Interactions Chapter 1 to 2</p> <p>Theme: Energy Chapter 1</p> <p><b>Science Bite-size 4 (5%)</b> Term 3 Week 10</p> <p>5 Multiple Choice questions, 3 Structured Questions and 2 Open-ended questions (10 Mark paper)</p> <p>Theme: Energy Chapter 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Light and Shadows</li> </ul>	<p><b>Science Performance Based Assessment (5%)</b> Term 4 Week 5</p> <p><b>Science SA2 (45%)</b> Term 4 Week 8</p> <p><i>Assessment Coverage and Components will be emailed to parents closer to the date.</i></p>												
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