



BOARD FOR THE TEACHING & TESTING OF SOUTH ASIAN LANGUAGES

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Dear Parents/ Guardians,

Re: Weighted Assessments for Primary 3

1. In line with MOE's announcement to remove the Mid-Year-Examination (MYE) in Primary 3, BTTSAL has also removed the Primary 3 MYE for NTIL from 2020.
2. The MYE is replaced by Weighted Assessments (WA). The Weighted Assessments are conducted in the form of project work. There will be three Weighted Assessments (WA) conducted during the year as stated below. The marks scored for the Weighted Assessments will be included in the overall results for the year.
3. End-of-Year Examination (EYE) will be conducted in Semester 2, Term 4.
4. Weighted Assessments distribution for 2020 will be as follows:

	Term 1	Term 2		Term 3	Term 4	
	WA	WA	MYE	WA	WA	EYE
Weighting	10%	15%	NA	15%	NA	60%
Type of Project	Individual Project	Group Project		Pair Activity		

5. Weighted Assessment Plan aims at nurturing and motivating our students to learn and reduce an over-inflation of effort so as to ensure their well-being. Hence, it will reduce the over-emphasis on academic results and peer comparisons, which will lead to a balanced approach to their development.
6. Please ensure that your child is not stressed about the Weighted Assessments. Your child's teacher would keep you informed about the details of the Weighted Assessments and about your child's progress.

Thank you.

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