

Year 2024-25 First Semester Midterm Exam Scope Grade 6 to Grade 8

	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8
Language Arts	Grade 6 ☑ Paper Exam ☐ Alternative Assessment Unit 1: Childhood Vocabulary/Word Study	Grade 7 ☑ Paper Exam ☐ Alternative Assessment Unit 1: Generations Vocabulary/Word Study - Academic Vocabulary - Concept Vocabulary and Word Study for each article read - Multimeaning Words - Latin Suffix: -ity - Suffix: -ment - Latin prefix: -super - Media Vocabulary - Connotation and Denotations Analyze Craft and Structure - Character and Point of View - Author's Point of View - Narrative Point of View - Development of Central Ideas - Characterizations - Figurative Language: Symbolism Conventions/Author's Style - Nouns and Pronouns	Grade 8 □ Paper Exam □ Alternative Assessment Unit 1: Rites of Passage Performance-Based Assessment Part 1: Writing to Sources: Nonfiction Narrative Part 2: Speaking and Listening: Oral Presentation
	- Common, Proper and Possessive Nouns	Conventions/Author's Style	
		 Multimedia Presentation Comparison-and-Contrast Essay Narrative Poem 	

Chinese	Paper Exam □ Alternative Assessment L1, L3, L4, L5	☑ Paper Exam ☐ Alternative Assessment Group A: 夏夜、吃冰的滋味、差不多先生傳 Group B: : L1-L4	☑ Paper Exam ☑ Alternative Assessment Group A: 小詩選、古體詩選、土芭樂的生存之道 Alternative Assessment, student need to analysis the article(相同意象之新詩/詞/散文各一篇) finish a post including mind map, time line and four panel comics, this assessment need to hand in before Oct, 30th. Group B: : L1-L3 Paper exam 50% and Oral exam 50%
Math	 ✓ Paper Exam ✓ Alternative Assessment Chapter 1 Whole Numbers, Prime Numbers, and Prime Factorization Chapter 2 Number Lines and Negative Numbers Chapter 3 Fractions and Decimals 	□ Paper Exam □ Alternative Assessment Due to the change in schedule, the format and details of the math exam will be announced to students later by the academic affairs section.	Paper Exam Alternative Assessment Due to the change in schedule, the format and details of the math exam will be announced to students later by the academic affairs section.

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✓ Paper Exam ✓ Paper Exam ✓ Paper Exam ✓ Alternative Assessment Module 6: Early Civilizations of the Fertile Crescent and the Nile Valley Paper Exam: ✓ Alternative Assessment Module 11: History of Sub-Saharan Africa Module 12: West and Central Africa (Lesson 1) Module 7: Canada Module 13: East and Southern Africa (Lesson 1) Alternative Assessment (in class): Africa poster USA presentation	Social Studies	Alternative Assessment Module 6: Early Civilizations of the Fertile Crescent and the Nile Valley	✓ Alternative Assessment Paper Exam: Module 11: History of Sub-Saharan Africa Module 12: West and Central Africa (Lesson 1) Module 13: East and Southern Africa (Lesson 1) Alternative Assessment (in class):	✓ Alternative Assessment Module 4: Government and Citizenship Module 7: Canada Alternative Assessment (in class):

Science	✓ Paper Exam ☐ Alternative Assessment Topics: the scientific method, Spheres of Earth and their interaction, agents of chemical and physical weathering, land forms.	✓ Paper Exam ☐ Alternative Assessment Unit 1: Cells Lesson 1: The Characteristics of Cells Lesson 2: Chemistry of Life Lesson 3: Cell Structure and Function Lesson 4: Levels of Cellular Organization Lesson 5: Homeostasis and Cell Processes Lesson 6: Photosynthesis and Cellular Respiration Unit 2: Reproduction and Heredity Lesson 1: Mitosis Lesson 2: Meiosis The Examination will be tested only on Unit 1: Cells	☑ Paper Exam ☐ Alternative Assessment Topics: the scientific method, describing and classifying matter. Measuring matter, changes in matter.
Chinese Social Studies	□ Paper Exam □ Alternative Assessment Students will use a poster to create a presentation on the topic "Why does technological development need to be managed?" They will choose one of the following three aspects for in-depth exploration: 1. Protecting personal and government information security 2. The environmental impact of energy technology 3. The societal impact of biotechnology After completing their posters, students will present their work on stage. Following the presentations, peers are required to provide written feedback to each other, highlighting strengths or suggestions to foster mutual learning and growth.		