

### PEICAI SECONDARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians

## Preliminary Examination 2022 (GCE O-Level) (Secondary 4 Express/5 Normal Academic)

1 The Preliminary Examination for 4E5N will be held from **17 August (Wed) to 31 August (Fri)**. The following are attached:

Annex A: Rules and Regulations for School Tests and Examinations Annex B: Timetable for Preliminary Examination 2022 (GCE O-Level)

- 2 The Preliminary Examination is a milestone check on students' learning for teachers to:
  - provide the necessary guidance and support to close any learning gaps, as well as,
  - engage parents on their child's/ward's academic progress before the GCE O-Level Examination.
- 3 A Progress Report capturing the performance of your child/ward would be issued to him/her on 1 September, in the last week of Term 3. The report would allow you to have a good sensing of your child's/ward's academic progress and readiness for the GCE O-Level Examination.
- 4 It is compulsory that students sit for all scheduled papers. However, if your child/ward is unwell or is tested positive for COVID-19, he/she should not report to school. He/she should see a doctor and submit an original and valid medical certificate\* upon his/her return to school. Students who miss any paper and do not have a valid medical certificate will be awarded a zero mark for the paper they missed.
- 5 Should you need further clarifications, please contact your child's/ward's Form Teacher or email the school at <a href="mailto:peicai ss@moe.edu.sg">peicai ss@moe.edu.sg</a>.
- 6 Thank you for your continued support and I would like to take this opportunity to wish your child/ward all the best in the upcoming Preliminary Examination.

Yours sincerely

Ms Tan Li Ping Vice-Principal

\* issued by a medical practitioner registered under the Medical Registration Act

#### Rules and Regulations for School Examinations/ Weighted Assessment

#### Attire & Appearance

1. All students must be in proper school attire with proper appearance as specified in the school rules and regulations.

#### **Punctuality**

- 2. Students who are late for any paper will report to the General Office before reporting to the respective venue.
- 3. No extra time will be given for late-comers.

#### Dishonesty

- 4. The school takes a serious view of any dishonesty, including the following:
  - i. has in his/ her possession any unauthorised devices capable of capturing, storing, displaying and/ or transmitting or receiving visual, audio or verbal information within the examination premises;
  - ii. has in his/ her possession any unauthorised reference material or notes;
  - iii. communicates or attempts to communicate with any other candidate/ unauthorised person during the examination or any other occasion when communication is prohibited;
  - iv. obtains or attempts to obtain or offers assistance on the examination material (e.g. copying) during the examinations;
  - v. commits or attempts any acts of dishonesty, or support such acts.
- 5. A student who commits or attempts any acts of dishonesty, or abetment of such acts would be awarded a zero mark for the paper.

#### **Borrowing of Stationery**

6. Students should bring their own stationery that they will need for the assessment papers. However, should they need assistance during the examination, they need to alert the invigilator.

#### Use of Washroom during Assessment

7. Students are encouraged to use the washroom before the start of the paper. They are not allowed to use the bathroom fifteen minutes after the start and before the end of the paper. Students are also discouraged to use the washroom in the midst of the examination so that they could fully utilise the time allocated for the paper.

#### **Absence from Assessment**

- 8. Attendance for all assessment is compulsory.
- 9. It is compulsory for students to sit for all components of subjects such as Oral, Listening Comprehension, Coursework, Practical and Written papers. Students will receive a zero mark for subjects if they do not turn up for one or more components and do not have a valid medical certificate to support their absence.
- 10. Students who are absent for any paper are required to submit an original and valid Medical Certificate to their Form Teacher supporting their absence immediately upon their return to school, failing which, a zero mark will be awarded for the paper the student is absent from without any valid reason.
- 11. Students who are confirmed COVID-19 cases (currently quarantined in hospital or community isolation facilities) or who are on medical leave or are unwell with fever or flu-like symptoms should not come to school to sit for any school-based assessment. Students are to inform their Form Teachers or any such circumstances and Form Teachers will advise the students accordingly.

#### At the start of and during the Assessment

12. Students are to carefully check that the paper for the correct subject and code has been distributed to them and that the number of printed pages is correct as stated in the question paper. Students taking SBB are to check that they have received the papers of the correct stream. Students need to alert the invigilator immediately should they think that there are errors in the papers distributed to them or if they have received the wrong question paper.

# Peicai Secondary School Preliminary Examination Timetable 2022 (GCE O-Level) Secondary Four Express & Five Normal (Academic)

#### Instructions to candidates:

- 1. You will report to the school Hall for flag-raising assembly as usual. You will move to the other examination venues after flag-raising if applicable. All written papers will take place in the school hall.
- 2. For papers that start <u>after 8 a.m</u>., you will report directly to the examination venue and be seated at your assigned seats 15 min before the start of the examination.
- 3. You will be dismissed at the end of the last paper.

Date/Day	Time	Duration	Level Stream	Subject	Subject code	Remarks
17 Aug Wed	Shift 1: 0800 - 0930 Shift 2: 1020 - 1150 Shift 3: 1240 - 1410	1h 30 min	4E5N	Science (Phy/Chem) (Practicals)	5076/5	Reporting time Shift 1: 0715 Shift 2: 0915
	Shift 1: 0800 - 0930 Shift 2: 1020 - 1150 Shift 3: 1240 - 1435 (AA)	1h 30 min	4E5N 4NA (SBB)	Science (Chem/Bio) (Practicals)	5078/5	Reporting Venue: D4-04
18 Aug Thu	Shift 1: 0800 - 0950 Shift 2: 1040 - 1230 Shift 3: 1320 - 1510	1h 50 min	4E	Physics (Practicals)	6091/3	Reporting time Shift 1: 0715 Shift 2: 0930
19 Aug Fri	Shift 1: 0800 - 0950 Shift 2: 1040 - 1230	1h 50 min	4E	Chemistry (Practicals)	6092/3	Reporting Venue: E2-02
22 Aug Mon	0800 - 0950 0800 - 1015 (AA)	1h 50 min 2h 15 min (AA)	4E5N 4NA (SBB)	English Paper 1	1128/1	
	1045 - 1235 1045 - 1300 (AA)	1h 50 min 2h 15 min (AA)	4E5N 4NA (SBB)	English Paper 2	1128/2	
23 Aug Tue	0800 - 0945 0800 - 1010 (AA)	1h 45 min 2h 10 min (AA)	4E5N	Humanities (Soc. Studies)	2272/1 2273/1	
	1100 - 1300 1100 - 1330 (AA)	2h 2h 30 min (AA)	4E5N 4NA (SBB)	Mathematics Paper 1	4048/1	
24 Aug	0800 - 0940	1h 40 min	4E5N	Humanities (Geog)	2272/2	
Wed	0800 - 0940 0800 -1005 (AA)	1h 40 min 2h 05 min (AA)	4E5N	Humanities (History)	2273/2	-
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	1010 - 1210 1035 - 1315 (AA)	2h 2h 30 min (AA)	4E5N	Design & Technology Paper 1	7059/1	
	1010 - 1210	2h	4E5N	Nutrition & Food Science Paper 1	6097/1	
	1010 - 1310	3h	4E5N	Art Paper 2	6123/2	
	1010 - 1150	1h 40 min	4E	Pure Geography Paper 1	2236/1	
	1010 - 1155	1h 45 min	4E	Physics Paper 2	6091/2	

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25 Aug Thu	0800 - 0915	1h 15 min	4E5N	Science (Phy/Chem) Paper 2	5076/2		
	0800 - 0915 0800 - 0930 (AA)	1h 15 min 1h 30 min (AA)	4E5N 4NA (SBB)	Science (Chem/ <u>Bio</u> ) Paper 4	5078/4		
	0800 - 0945	1h 45 min	4E	Chemistry Paper 2	6092/2		
	Recess						
	1015 - 1230	2h 15 min	4E5N	Add. Mathematics Paper 1	4049/1		
	1015 - 1115 1015 - 1130 (AA)	1h 1h 15 min (AA)	4E5N	Principles of Accounts Paper 1	7087/1		
26 Aug Fri	0800 - 0900	1h	4E5N 4NA (SBB)	EL Listening Comprehension Paper 3	1128/3	Exam Venues: 4C1 (D4-05) 4C2 (D4-06) 4C3 (D3-01) 4C4 (D3-02) 5B1 (D4-04)	
	Recess						
	0930 - 1200 0930 - 1240 (AA)	2h 30 min 3h 10 min (AA)	4E5N 4NA(SBB)	Mathematics Paper 2	4048/2		
29 Aug Mon	0800 - 0915	1h 15 min	4E5N	Science (Phy/ <u>Chem</u> ) Paper 3	5076/3		
	0800 - 0915 0800 - 0930 (AA)	1h 15 min 1h 30 min (AA)	4E5N 4NA SBB	Science ( <u>Chem</u> /Bio) Paper 3	5078/3		
	0800 - 0900	1h	4E	Chemistry Paper 1	6092/1		
	Recess						
	0945 - 1200	2h 15 min	4E5N	Add. Mathematics Paper 2	4049/2		
	0945 - 1145 1000 - 1230 (AA)	2h 2h 30 min (AA)	4E5N	Principles of Accounts Paper 2	7087/2		
30 Aug Tue	0800 - 0900	1h	4E5N	Science (Phy/Chem) Paper 1	5076/1		
	0800 - 0900 0800 - 0915 (AA)	1h 1h 15 min (AA)	4E5N 4NA(SBB)	Science (Chem/Bio) Paper 1	5078/1		
	0800 - 0900	1h	4E	Physics Paper 1	6091/1		
	Recess						
	0930 - 1100	1h 30 min	4E	Pure Geography Paper 2	2236/2	13	

Date/Day	Time	Duration	Level Stream	Subject	Subject code	Remarks	
Wed	0800 - 1000	2h	4E5N 4NA(SBB)	Chinese Paper 1 Malay Paper 1	1160/1 1148/1		
	0800 - 0850	50 min	4E5N 4NA(SBB)	Chinese B Paper 1 (e-Written) Malay B Paper 1 (e-Written)	1153/1 1151/1		
	0800 - 1000	2h	4E	Higher Chinese Paper 1	1116/1		
	Recess						
	1030 - 1200	1h 30 min	4E5N 4NA(SBB)	Chinese Paper 2 Malay Paper 2	1160/2 1148/2		
	1030 - 1130	1h	4E5N 4NA(SBB)	Chinese B Paper 2 Malay B Paper 2	1153/2 1151/2		
	1030 - 1215	1h 45 min	4E	Higher Chinese Paper 2	1116/2		