

Important Notes:

1. **English:** The use of a dictionary and translator of any kind is not allowed.
  2. **Mathematics:** - Scientific calculator is allowed for all levels.
- Please bring along all mathematical construction instruments e.g. curve ruler

## **A. ENGLISH TEST LOWER SECONDARY**

To ensure a fair and accurate assessment of the applicant's linguistic ability, candidates will be tested on various components:

### **For admission to Secondary 1**

1. Continuous Writing - Minimum Word Count: 150
2. Comprehension (consisting of multiple-choice questions)
3. Cloze Passage

### **For admission to Secondary 2**

1. Continuous Writing - Minimum Word Count: 200
2. Comprehension (consisting of multiple-choice questions)
3. Cloze Passage

## **UPPER SECONDARY**

The admissions test for Upper Secondary English will assess applicants mainly on their essay writing skills. Scripts will be graded for content and language (on the fluency of expression and vocabulary). The paper comprises two parts:

### **For admission to Secondary 3**

1. Free Writing – Word Count: Between 300-400 (choice of narrative, descriptive and expository topics)
2. Reading Comprehension (no summary question)

### **For admission to Secondary 4**

1. Free Writing – Word Count: Between 350-450 words (choice of narrative, descriptive and expository topics)
2. Reading Comprehension (no summary question)

### **For admission to Pre-University 1**

The admissions test for Pre-University 1 will assess applicants on their writing skills - Argumentative Writing and reasoning component. Applicants are required to write between 500-600 words.

## **B. MATHEMATICS TEST**

### **For admission to Secondary 1**

Topics: Arithmetic, Fractions, Decimals, Statistics, Simple Algebra, Geometry, Mensuration

### **For admission to Secondary 2**

Topics: Number System, Algebra, Number Sequences, Mensuration, Rate, Ratio and Speed, Percentages, Functions and Graph, Statistics, Geometry

**For admission to Secondary 3**

Topics: Arithmetic, Use of electronic calculator, Congruence and Similarity, Rate, Ratio and Proportion, Geometry, Algebra, Simultaneous Linear Equations, Graphs and Applications, Motion Geometry, Pythagoras Theorem and Trigonometric Ratios, Mensuration, Statistics

**For admission to Secondary 4**

Topics: Number system, Use of electronic calculator, Arithmetic, Graphs and Applications, Algebra, Functions, Surds and Indices, Equations and Inequalities, Geometry, Mensuration, Trigonometry, Statistics

**For admission to Pre-University 1**

Topics: Number system, Set notation and language, Use of electronic calculator, Arithmetic, Graphs and Applications, Algebra, Functions, Surds and Indices, Equations and Inequalities, Geometry, Locus, Mensuration, Trigonometry, Statistics and Probability, Vectors in two dimension, Matrices, Transformations