



JURONG WEST PRIMARY SCHOOL

Primary 3

Briefing for Parents



MATHEMATICS

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ASSESSMENT

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
10%	10%	10%	70%
Bite-sized Assessment	Bite-sized Assessment	Bite-sized Assessment	End-of-Year Examination



ASSESSMENT OBJECTIVES

Students should be able to:

- Recall mathematical facts, concepts, rules and formulae; perform straightforward computations and algebraic procedures
- Interpret information; understand and apply mathematical concepts and skills in a variety of contexts
- Reason mathematically; analyse information and make inferences; select appropriate strategies to solve problems



END-OF-YEAR EXAMINATION FORMAT

Components	No. of questions	Marks
Multiple-Choice Questions (MCQ) (1 mark / 2 marks each)	15	20
Short-Answer Questions (2 marks each)	6	12
Long-Answer Questions (3 marks / 4 marks)	5	18
Total	26	50
Duration	1 h 30 min	



HOW CAN YOU HELP YOUR CHILD?

- Monitor your child's progress
- Help in the mastery of Multiplication Tables
- Reinforce the use of model-drawing while solving word problems



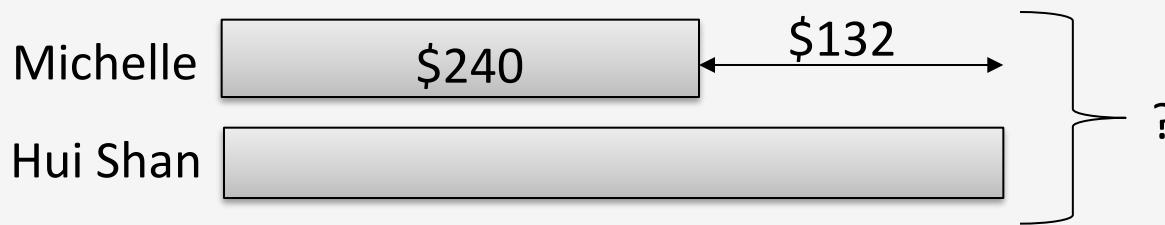
				
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$1 \times 10 = 10$	$2 \times 10 = 20$	$3 \times 10 = 30$	$4 \times 10 = 40$	$5 \times 10 = 50$

MODEL-DRAWING

Michelle saved \$240.

Hui Shan saved \$132 more than Michelle.

How much did they save altogether?



$$240 + 132 = 372$$

$$240 + 372 = 612$$

They saved \$612.



MODEL-DRAWING

Samuel has \$108.

Jun Yi has thrice as much money as Samuel.

How much money do they have altogether?



$$1 \text{ unit} = 108$$

$$\begin{aligned}4 \text{ units} &= 108 \times 4 \\&= 432\end{aligned}$$

They saved \$432.

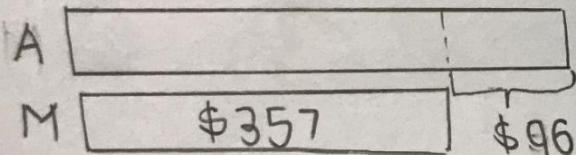


STUDENT'S WORK (BEST APPROACH)

Ramesh earned \$357 in March.

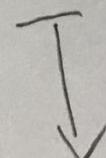
He earned \$96 less in March than in April.

How much did he earn in April?



$$\begin{array}{r} 357 \\ + 96 \\ \hline 453 \end{array}$$

$$357 + 96 = 453$$



He earned \$453 in April.

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EXPECTATIONS OF STUDENTS

- Hand in assignments punctually.
- Do corrections conscientiously. This gives your child the opportunity to revisit any misconceptions and clarify them.
- Seek clarifications when in doubt.
- Revise what is taught in class daily and practise, practise, practise.



EXPECTATIONS OF STUDENTS

- Show working for MCQs so that the teacher can monitor your child's thought processes and provide remediation when necessary.
- Display perseverance in solving a problem.
- Be systematic in presenting solutions to problem sums i.e. equations, workings and statements to conclude.



Thank you!

