



# DUNEARN SECONDARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

## **'O' Level Preliminary Examinations 2023**

We wish to inform you that in view of the Writ of Election for Presidential Election 2023, MOE and the Singapore Examinations and Assessment Board (SEAB) will make the following adjustment: change of Teachers' Day 2023 school holiday previously scheduled on Friday, 1 Sep to Monday, 11 Sep 2023.

As such, the Secondary 4E/5N 'O' Level Preliminary Examinations originally scheduled on 11 Sep 2023 will be rescheduled. Attached is the revised schedule with the affected exams highlighted for your information.

We wish to bring to your attention the following details with regards to the examinations:

1. Students who are taking their examination at 8.15 am are to report as per normal for the flag-raising assembly.
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We also wish to bring to your attention the following information pertaining to the revised schedule:

| Date            | Event  | Remarks   |
|-----------------|--|---|
| 21 Aug – 30 Aug | 'O' Level Preliminary Examinations                 | Students are to report as per normal for the flag-raising assembly. |
| 31 Aug          | Teacher's Day Celebrations                         |   |
| 1 Sep – 11 Sep  | School Holidays                                    | Students do not need to report to school.                           |
| 12 Sep – 14 Sep | Continuation of 'O' Level Preliminary Examinations | Students are to report as per normal for the flag-raising assembly. |
| 15 Sep onwards  | Checking and going through of exam papers          |   |

The schedules are also available at our school webpage <http://www.dunearnsec.moe.edu.sg/>.

Thank you once again for your continued support and confidence in the school. We wish your child/ward all the best in the forthcoming examinations.

Yours faithfully,

Mdm Tan Miao Ling  
Principal

**DUNEARN SECONDARY SCHOOL**  
**'O' Level Preliminary Examination Schedule 2023**  
**Secondary 4 Express / 5 Normal (Academic)**  
**Term 3 Week 9**

| Date          | Time  | Subject Title                          | Duration of paper |     | Class                        |
|---------------|---|--|-------------------|-----|------------------------------|
|               |   |  | Hr                | Min | 4E/5NA                       |
| 21 Aug<br>Mon | 0815 – 1005   | English Language Paper 1               | 1                 | 50  | 4O, 4E, 4S, 4T, 5R           |
|               | 1100 – 1250   | English Language Paper 2               | 1                 | 50  | 4O, 4E, 4S, 4T, 5R           |
| 22 Aug<br>Tue | 0815 – 1030   | Mathematics Paper 1 (4052) #           | 2                 | 15  | 4O, 4E, 4S, 4T, 4R(3), 4P(1) |
|               | 0815 – 1015   | Mathematics Paper 1 (4048)             | 2                 | 00  | 5R                           |
|               | 1130 – 1315   | Chemistry Paper 2                      | 1                 | 45  | 4O                           |
|               | 1130 – 1245   | Science (Chemistry) Paper 3            | 1                 | 15  | 4O(1), 4E, 4S, 4T, 5R        |
| 23 Aug<br>Wed | 0815 – 0955   | Humanities – History/Geography Paper 2 | 1                 | 40  | 4O, 4E, 4S, 4T, 5R           |
|               | 1100 – 1315   | Additional Mathematics Paper 1         | 2                 | 15  | 4O, 4E, 4S, 5R               |
| 24 Aug<br>Thu | <b>Science (Phy/Chem), Science (Chem/Bio) Practical Examination</b><br>Please refer to separate timetable and instructions which will be issued to students at a later date from the Science Department.<br>No examination and lessons for 4E/5N students who are not sitting for the Combined Science Practical Examination. |  |                   |     |                              |
| 25 Aug<br>Fri | 0815 – 0930   | Science (Physics) Paper 2              | 1                 | 15  | 4O(1), 4E, 4S, 4T, 5R        |
|               | 0815 – 0930   | Science (Biology) Paper 4              | 1                 | 15  | 4E(2), 4S, 4T, 5R            |
|               | 1030 – 1200   | Literature Paper 2                     | 1                 | 30  | 4T(37), 5R(10)               |
|               | 1030 – 1215   | Biology Paper 2                        | 1                 | 45  | 4O                           |

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**Term 3 Week 10**

| Date          | Time        | Subject Title                       | Duration of paper |     | Class                                   |
|---------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|-----|---|
|               |             |                                     | Hr                | Min | 4E/5NA                                  |
| 28 Aug<br>Mon | 0815 – 1045 | Mathematics Paper 2 (4048)          | 2                 | 30  | 5R                                      |
|               | 0815 – 1030 | Mathematics Paper 2 (4052) #        | 2                 | 15  | 4O, 4E, 4S, 4T,<br>4R(3), 4P(1)         |
|               | 1115 – 1300 | Physics Paper 2                     | 1                 | 45  | 4O                                      |
| 29 Aug<br>Tue | 0815 – 1015 | Chinese Language Paper 1 #          | 2                 | 00  | 4O, 4E, 4S, 4T,<br>5R,<br>4R(3), 4P(2)  |
|               | 0815 – 1015 | Malay Language Paper 1 #            | 2                 | 00  | 4O, 4E, 4S, 4T,<br>5R,<br>4R(12), 4P(5) |
|               | 1115 – 1245 | Chinese Language Paper 2 #          | 1                 | 30  | 4O, 4E, 4S, 4T,<br>5R,<br>4R(3), 4P(2)  |
|               | 1115 – 1245 | Malay Language Paper 2 #            | 1                 | 30  | 4O, 4E, 4S, 4T,<br>5R,<br>4R(12), 4P(5) |
| 30 Aug<br>Wed | 0815 – 1000 | Humanities – Social Studies Paper 1 | 1                 | 45  | 4O, 4E, 4S, 4T,<br>5R                   |
|               | 1100 – 1315 | Additional Mathematics Paper 2      | 2                 | 15  | 4O, 4E, 4S,<br>5R                       |

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**Secondary 4 Express / 5 Normal (Academic)**  
**Term 4 Week 1**

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|------------|----------------|--|-------------------|-----|-----------------------|
|            |                |  | Hr                | Min | 4E/5NA                |
| 11 Sep Mon | School Holiday |  |                   |     |                       |
| 12 Sep Tue | 0815 – 1115    | Art  | 3                 | 00  | 4S(4), 4T(9)          |
|            | 0815 – 1015    | Design & Technology / Nutrition & Food Science | 2                 | 00  | 4S, 4T, 5R            |
|            | 0815 – 1015    | Principles of Accounts Paper 2                 | 2                 | 00  | 4E, 4S, 4T, 5R(1)     |
|            | 0815 – 0915    | Physics Paper 1                                | 1                 | 00  | 4O                    |
|            | 1015 – 1205    | Physics Paper 3 (Practical)                    | 1                 | 50  | 4O                    |
|            | 1115 – 1215    | Principles of Accounts Paper 1                 | 1                 | 00  | 4E, 4S, 4T, 5R(1)     |
| 13 Sep Wed | 0815 – 0915    | Science (Physics / Chemistry) Paper 1          | 1                 | 00  | 4O(1), 4E, 4S, 4T, 5R |
|            | 0815 – 0915    | Science (Chemistry / Biology) Paper 1          | 1                 | 00  | 4E(2), 4S, 4T, 5R     |
|            | 0815 – 0915    | Chemistry Paper 1                              | 1                 | 00  | 4O                    |
|            | 1015 – 1205    | Chemistry Paper 3 (Practical)                  | 1                 | 50  | 4O                    |
|            | 1015 – 1155    | Literature Paper 1                             | 1                 | 40  | 4T(37), 5R(10)        |
| 14 Sep Thu | 0815 – 0915    | Biology Paper 1                                | 1                 | 00  | 4O                    |
|            | 1015 – 1205    | Biology Paper 3 (Practical)                    | 1                 | 50  | 4O                    |

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