

Date: 7th Aug 2023

Dear Parents of IGCSE (Grade 9),

Greetings from Podar!

The Term 1 Examinations for the academic year 2023-24 begins on Monday, 18th September, 2023 and gets over on **Monday, 16th October 2023**.

Students will have regular school from **Tuesday, 17th Oct to Friday, 27th Oct 2023**

The Open day is scheduled on Wednesday, 1st November 2023. The Open House schedule will be shared closer to the date.

Diwali break starts from 6th November to 19th November 2023. The school will reopen on Monday 20th November, 2023.

A copy of the seating plan for all exam days will be shared with students on their respective class Assembly tiles of MS Teams a day prior to each exam.

Please find below the important instructions to be followed:

1. Students must report at 7.45 am and be seated in their allotted rooms and places as per the seating plan. Do not leave finding out which room you are supposed to be seated in until the day of the exam. The seating plan will be uploaded on the respective class Assembly tiles of MS Teams a day prior to each exam.
2. Electronic items including wrist watches and/or Mobile Phones are **NOT ALLOWED**. All other belongings including study materials should be kept in the bags before being seated. If you carry any unauthorized material to the class room, even by mistake, your paper will not be assessed as per Cambridge Assessment regulations.
3. Students will wear their lanyards with ID cards on them as soon as they enter the school premises. If you forget to bring it, you will be asked to call home for the same.
4. Only transparent water bottles and stationery pouches will be permitted. You will not be permitted to carry any other energy drink other than water in the bottle.
5. All must carry their own personal stationery. No borrowing will be permitted.
6. Once students enter the school premises they will not be permitted to leave until the exams for the day are over. This will be strictly followed and no requests will be entertained.
7. Students must carry snack and lunch boxes with them if required.
8. No jackets or a second layer of clothing will be permitted. Please dress accordingly. No caps or accessories during the exams.
9. Scientific calculators and/or GDCs must be on exam mode and be fully charged. Extra batteries must be carried along.

Please find pasted below the **portion for the Term exams and Exam Time Table**.

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Grade 9 Portion for First Term Exam : 2023 - 2024

Speaking and Listening Examinations will be conducted during the school hours from 4th September 2023 onwards (Schedule will be shared)

Date	Grade 9	Portion for First Term
Monday, 18th September 2023	Economics (P1 & 2)	Chapter 11- Price Elasticity of Demand Chapter 12-Price Elasticity of Supply Chapter 14-Market failure Chapter 20-Firms Chapter 21-Firms and production Chapter 22-Firms, costs, revenue and objectives
Tuesday, 26th September 2023	ICT Practical (P3)	16. Graphs and charts 20. Spreadsheets
Wednesday, 27th September 2023	English (P1)	Comprehension, Summary writing, Short answer questions and Writers effects and Directed writing task (Letter, Journal entry, formal report and interviews)
Friday, 29th September 2023	ICT (P1)	8. Safety and security 9. Audiences 10. Communication 16. Graphs and charts 17. Document Production 19. Presentations 20. Spreadsheets
	BS (P1& P2)	Ch 24 Income Statement Ch 25 Statement of financial statement Ch 26 Analysis of accounts Ch 6 Motivating employees Ch 8 Recruitment, selection and training of employees Ch 27 Economic issues Ch 29 Business and the international economy

Date	Grade 9	Portion for First Term
Tuesday, 3rd October 2023	Physics (P2,P4,P6)	1.1 Physical quantities and measurement techniques (Scalars and Vectors) 2.2 Thermal properties and temperature 3.2.1 Reflection of light 3.2.1 Refraction of light 3.2.3 Thin lenses 3.2.4 Dispersion of light 3.3 Electromagnetic spectrum 3.4 Sound
Wednesday, 4th October 2023	Biology (P2,P4,P6)	Unit 4:Biological Molecules 4.2 The structure of DNA Unit 6 : Plant nutrition 6.3 Factors affecting photosynthesis Unit 7 : Human Nutrition 7.3 Digestion 7.4 Absorption and assimilation Unit 8. Transport in plants 8.2. Transport of water 8.3 Translocation of sucrose and aminoacids Unit 9 : Transport in Animals : 9.2 The heart Unit 10 : Diseases and Immunity 10.2 The Immune response 10.1 Transmission of Pathogens Unit 14 14.1 Asexual and sexual reproduction 14.2 Sexual reproduction in flowering plants 14.3 Advantages and disadvantages of different methods of reproduction.
Thursday, 5th October 2023	Chemistry (P2,P4,P6)	Redox Electrolysis Stoichiometry Chemical energetics

Date	Grade 9	Portion for First Term
Friday, 6th October 2023	French	UNIT C - The world around us Topic: Hometown & local area (city/countryside) Grammar - Present, Simple Past and Imperfect tense. Unit E - The international world Topic : Vacations & Holidays Grammar - Simple Future tense and Near Future tense.
Friday, 6th October 2023	Hindi	"Unit 1 - वाचन अपठित प्रश्नोत्तर - अभ्यास 1 वैकल्पिक - अभ्यास 2 टिप्पणी - अभ्यास 3 " "Unit 2 - लेखन कार्य सार/सारांश - अभ्यास 4 भाव-पल्लवन - अभ्यास 5 " "Unit 2 - लेखन कार्य सार/सारांश - अभ्यास 4 सृजनात्मक - अभ्यास 6" "Unit 3 - श्रवण प्रश्नोत्तर - अभ्यास 1 रिक्तस्थान - अभ्यास 2 सही शब्द - अभ्यास 3 वैकल्पिक - अभ्यास 4 " "Unit 2 - लेखन कार्य सृजनात्मक - अभ्यास 6"
Friday, 6th October 2023	Spanish	Unit 1 - Quién soy y dónde vivo Unit 2 - La vida escolar Unit 3 - ¿Estás en forma? Unit 4 - Vamos a salir Unit 5 - El mundo del trabajo Unit 6 - De vacaciones Format : - Paper 1 : Listening - Paper 2 : Reading - Paper 3 : Speaking - Paper 4 : Writing

Date	Grade 9	Portion for First Term
Monday, 9th October 2023	Accounting (P1, P2)	"Chapter 1: Introduction to Accounting Chapter 2: Double entry book-keeping system Chapter 3: The Trial Balance " "Chapter 4: Double entry book-keeping-B (Cash Book) Chapter 5: Petty Cash books Chapter 6: Business documents" "Chapter 7: Books of prime entry Chapter 8: Financial Statements-Part A (Income statement) Chapter 9: Financial Statements-Part B (Statement of financial position)" "Chapter 10: Accounting rules Chapter 11: Other payables and other receivables:"
Tuesday, 10th October 2023	Math Ext (P2 - Non calculator)	Unit-Numbers Chapter 9 - 185 to 197 Sets Surds Unit-Geometry Chapter 3 - 45 to 63, Chapter 19 - 467 to 482 , Chapter 11 - 231 to 252 Angle properties and Polygons. Congruency and similarity of Triangles Circle Theorems Unit-Coordinate Geometry (Straight lines equations) Chapter 10 - 198 to 215 Unit- Algebra Chapter 14 - 301 to 314 , Chapter 21 - 528 to 531 Inequalities Proportion Direct and inverse proportion Unit- Mensuration Chapter 7 - 133 to 159
	Intl Math (P2 & P4)/	1.Chapter 8 Surds and Other Radicals Pg 129- 140 2.Chapter 4 Statistical Graphs Pg 57 -70 3.Chapter 18 One -Variable Statistics Pg 271-304 4.Chapter 19 Two Variable Analysis Pg 305-318 5.Chapter 7 Angles and Polygons Pg 109-128 6.Chapter 21 Similarity Pg 333- 350 7.Chapter 25 Functions Pg 407 - 432 8.Chapter 26 Polynomial Functions Pg 433-449

Date	Grade 9	Portion for First Term
Wednesday, 11th October 2023	Math Ext (P4)	Unit-Numbers Chapter 9 - 185 to 197 Sets Surds Unit-Geometry Chapter 3 - 45 to 63, Chapter 19 - 467 to 482 , Chapter 11 - 231 to 252 Angle properties and Polygons. Congruency and similarity of Triangles Circle Theorems Unit-Coordinate Geometry (Straight lines equations) Chapter 10 - 198 to 215 Unit- Algebra Chapter 14 - 301 to 314 , Chapter 21 - 528 to 531 Inequalities Proportion Direct and inverse proportion Unit- Mensuration Chapter 7 - 133 to 159
	Intl Math (P6)	Modelling Question based on 1.Chapter 8 Surds and Other Radicals Pg 129- 140 2.Chapter 4 Statistical Graphs Pg 57 -70 3.Chapter 18 One -Variable Statistics Pg 271-304 4.Chapter 19 Two Variable Analysis Pg 305-318 5.Chapter 7 Angles and Polygons Pg 109-128 6.Chapter 21 Similarity Pg 333- 350 7.Chapter 25 Functions Pg 407 - 432 8.Chapter 26 Polynomial Functions Pg 433-449
Thursday, 12th October 2023	EVM (P1, P2)	Unit 4 Water and its management . Unit 5 Oceans and fisheries. Unit 7 The atmosphere and human activities
Friday, 13th October 2023	GP	Component 1 - Theory paper - Globalisation, Education for all, Employment, Water Food and Agriculture Component 2 - Individual report - Introduction of issue undertaken in the research question.
Monday, 16th October 2023	ICT Practical (P2)	17. Document Production 19. Presentations

Grade 9 Term Exam Timetable 2023 – 2024 is shared from the next page onwards...

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Grade 9 Term Exam Timetable 2023 - 2024

Reporting Time 8.00 am

School Buses will be available at 11.50 am and 3.00 pm on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Thursday and Friday School Buses will be available only at 1.00 pm

Non-Bus (Walking student) will be left only at 12:00 / 12:35 pm except when exam gets over after that.

Speaking and Listening Examinations will be conducted during the school hours from 4th September 2023 onwards (Schedule will be shared)

Day	Date	Subject	Paper	Marks	Duration	Time
	12th, 13th Sept 2023	French-Speaking	P3 (Speaking)	40	During school hours (schedule will be shared)	
	12th, 13th Sept 2023	Spanish-Speaking	P3 (Speaking)	40	During school hours (schedule will be shared)	
Tuesday	12th Sept 2023	French-Listening	P1 (Listening)	40	During school hours	
		Spanish-Listening	P1 (Listening)	40		
		Hindi-Listening	P2 (Listening)	30		
Day	Date	Subject	Paper	Marks	Duration	Time
Monday	18th Sep 2023	Economics	P1	30	45min	8.15am - 9.00am
			P2	90	2hrs 15mins	9.15am- 11.30am
Tuesday	26th Sep 2023	ICT Practical-P3	P3	70	2hrs 15mins	8.15am- 10.30am
Wednesday	27th Sep 2023	English	P1	80	2hrs 15mins	8.15am- 10.30am
Friday	29th Sep 2023	ICT	P1	80	1hr 30min	8.15am to 9.45am
		B.S.	P1	80	1hr 30min	8.15am to 9.45am
			P2	80	1hr 30min	10.00am- 11.30am
Tuesday	3rd Oct 2023	Physics	P4	80	1hr 15mins	8.15am- 9.30am
			P6	40	1hr	9.45am-10.45am
			P2	40	45mins	11.00am-11.45am
Wednesday	4th Oct 2023	Biology	P4	80	1hr 15mins	8.15am- 9.30am
			P6	40	1hr	9.45am-10.45am
			P2	40	45mins	11.00am-11.45am

Day	Date	Subject	Paper	Marks	Duration	Time
Thursday	5th Oct 2023	Chemistry	P4	80	1hr 15mins	8.15am- 9.30am
			P6	40	1hr	9.45am-10.45am
			P2	40	45mins	11.00am-11.45am
Friday	6th Oct 2023	French	P4	45	1hr	8.15am- 9.15am
			P2	45	1hr	9.30am- 10.30am
		Spanish	P4	45	1hr 10mins	8.15am- 9.25am
			P2	45	1 hr	9.45am- 10.45am
		Hindi	P1	60	2hrs	8.15am-10.15am
Monday	9th Oct 2023	Accounting	P1	35	1hr 15mins	8.15am- 9.30am
			P2	100	1hr 45 min	9.45am- 11.30am
Tuesday	10th Oct 2023	Math Ext. P2	P2/1 (Non calculator)	100	2hrs	8.15am-10.15am
		Intl Math P2 & P4	P2 (Non calculator)	75	1hr 30mins	8.15am- 9.45am
			P4	75	1hr 30mins	10.00am-11.30am
Wednesday	11th Oct 2023	Intl Math P6	P6	50	1hr 30mins	8.15am- 9.45am
		Math Ext. P4	P4/3	100	2hrs	8.15am-10.15am
Thursday	12th Oct 2023	EVM	P1	80	1hr. 45 mins	8.15am- 10.00am
			P2	80	1hr 45 mins	10.15am- 12.00 noon
Friday	13th Oct 2023	G.P.	P1	70	1hr 15mins	8.15am- 9.30am
Monday	16th Oct 2023	ICT Practical-P2	P2	70	2hrs 15mins	8.15am- 10.30am
Regular school from Tuesday, 17th Oct to Friday, 27th Oct 2023						
Open Day - Wednesday, 1st Nov 2023						

Best Wishes,

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