

# Assessment and Promotion Criteria

Every student is encouraged to take responsibility for his own learning. The school's assessment modes and weightage will enable students to develop independent and consistent learning throughout the year.

## Assessment Modes and Weightage

- Assessment of the overall performance of a student is based on the whole year's assessments administered by the school.
- The computation of Continual Assessment marks for each semester (WA1 and WA2) is the cumulative marks of various modes of assessments for the semester. These may include class tests, assignments, project work etc.
- The weighting of every assessment component (WA1, WA2, MYE and EYE) contributes to the overall percentage of 100% for the year.

**TABLE 1**

The weightage for Continual and Semestral Assessments for all subjects (excluding subjects shown in TABLE 2, TABLE 3 and TABLE 4), is as follows:

<b>Express and Normal (Academic &amp; Technical)</b> (Sec 1 - 3)				
	<b>Weighted Assessment (WA1)</b>	<b>Weighted Assessment (WA2)</b>	<b>Weighted Assessment (WA3)</b>	<b>End of Year (EYE)</b>
Term 1	15%	15%	15%	55%
Term 2	15%	15%	15%	55%
Term 3	15%	15%	15%	55%
Total	100%			

## Lateral Transfer Criteria

- Sec 1, 2 and 3 students who show exceptional ability and academic performance may apply to be laterally transferred to a more demanding course / stream when they meet the following criteria:
  - a. 70% or higher in the average for all subjects based on year end overall results
  - b. deemed able to cope with the more demanding course / stream.

## Assessment and Promotion Criteria

- For the Sec 4NA students, the promotion criteria is as follows:

Course & Level of current year	Course & Level of the next year	Minimum (Promotion or Advancement) Criteria
<b>Sec 4 N(A)</b>	Promoted to Sec 5 N(A)	EL+ Mathematics + Best 3 Subjects $\leq$ 19 points
	Entry into Polytechnic Foundation Programme( <b>PFP</b> )	Refer to <b>Page 56</b> on Post-Secondary Education for GCE 'N(A)' students.
	Direct Entry Scheme to Polytechnic (DES to Poly) Programme ( <b>DPP</b> )	
	Full time Higher National ITE (Higher NITEC) courses	

- For the Sec 4NT students, the promotion criteria is as follows:

Course & Level of current year	Course & Level of the next year	Minimum (Promotion or Advancement) Criteria
<b>Sec 4 N(T)</b>	Laterally Transferred to Sec 4 N(A)	Grade A for both English Language (EL) and Mathematics (MA), and Grade B or better for one other subject at the N(T)-level in one sitting.
	No retention at Sec 4 N(T)	Students will progress to ITE (Refer to <b>Page 58</b> on Post-Secondary Education for GCE 'N(T)' students.)