

Dear Parents,

Please note that SAFAL (Structured Assessment for Analyzing Learning ) is a competency based assessment for Grade 3, 5 and 8. As you are aware, NEP 2020 recommends transforming the assessment system to promote the development of students and suggests a shift from testing rote memorization to competency-based learning. SAFAL will ensure progress throughout school years by providing diagnostic information about students' learning. **The results of this assessment will largely be used to provide development feedback and not for promotion of students to the next grade.**

SAFAL will be conducted on a pilot basis in school for students in **Grades 5 and 8** during the academic year 2022-23. The assessment will track the progress on core competencies and include the following subjects and languages :

Grade 5 : Assessment for Language, EVS, and Mathematics

Grade 8 : Assessment for Language, Science and, Mathematics

**Online SAFAL Assessment dates are: Starts on 08 February Ends on 23 February 2023.**

Day	Date and Day	Subject
1	8 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 (Wednesday)	Grade 8 Science (Medium of Instruction- English)
2	9 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 (Thursday)	
3	10 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 (Friday)	Grade 8 Mathematics (Medium of Instruction- English)
4	13 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 (Monday)	
5	14 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 (Tuesday)	Grade 8 Language (English)
6	15 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 (Wednesday)	
7	16 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 (Thursday)	Grade 5 EVS (Medium of Instruction- English)
8	17 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 (Friday)	
9	20 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 (Monday)	Grade 5 Mathematics (Medium of Instruction- English)
10	21 <sup>st</sup> February 2023 (Tuesday)	
11	22 <sup>nd</sup> February 2023 (Wednesday)	Grade 5 Language (English)
12	23 <sup>rd</sup> February 2023 (Thursday)	

Sd/ Principal

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