

**ORTHODOX SYRIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL
ASSOCIATION OF THE EAST
ASIA PACIFIC DIOCESE**



CIRCULAR 2

January 2026

Respected Vicars, HMs and teachers,

Greetings to you all in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

We are pleased to announce that the OSSAE Asia Pacific Diocese will be celebrating Sunday School Day on **Sunday, 8th February 2026**. This is a dedicated day to honor the ministry of our Sunday School and to pray for the spiritual growth of our children.

Church Programs

All parishes within the Diocese are requested to observe Sunday School Day with the following programs:

* Special Prayer: A dedicated prayer for the Sunday School ministry, its teachers, and students post Holy Qurbana.

* Flag Hoisting: The Sunday School flag be hoisted within the church premises following the Service where possible.

* Sunday School Pledge: All students and teachers will collectively take the Sunday School Pledge to reaffirm their commitment to learning and living the Word of God.

Diocesan Creative activities

To mark this year's celebration, we are inviting our students to participate in creative activities based on the following themes:

- Coloring In - Prep to Year III - God Keeps His Promise
- Coloring In - Year IV to Year VI - God's Masterpiece: Creator of Nature
- Drawing & Coloring - Year VII onwards - Growing in God's Light

On successful completion, student who participates in these activities will receive an official E-Certificate on behalf of OSSAE in recognition of their participation. HM's to email name list of participants who has completed coloring and drawing to ossae.eastasiaregion@gmail.com

May God's grace be with our dedicated teachers. We pray that our children are enriched spiritually as they learn His Word, and may the Holy Spirit help them walk steadfastly in His path.

Re-EXAM for Yr X and Yr XII

For those who did not attend the Annual Exam in December 2025, and for those who would like to improve their grades, there is a RE-EXAM for OSSAE on **February 22nd 2026**. Registration forms will be distributed to you by your respective HM. Please complete the registration form and payment before 15 FEB 2026. Late entries will not be accepted.

Mode of exam : Written.

Duration of the exam : 1 hour 45 minutes

Total marks : 100 (70 written exam, 20 viva, 10 Assignment)

- Assignments for Yr 10 and Yr 12 based on the topic to be marked and submitted along with marks for VIVA of Prayer and Hymn before 15th FEB through the email id ossaeeastasiaregionexam@gmail.com.
- Assignments to be sent to Exam Controller attached along with Answer papers of the Public Examination.
- Years 10 and 12 --- Written exams based on entire portion excluding supplementary reading for the year.
- Grading system will be used for the declaration of results. The certificates will be issued to all successful students of Year 10 & 12.

Exam Registration form has been sent to all HM as Google Form.

Link for Exam Registration - <https://forms.gle/ZXYaByo3khEL1M9J9>

- HM or respective Yr X/ XII teacher must fill the registration form of the students
- Examination Fee is \$10 per student
- Total payments of students shall be remitted to the following Bank Account as in one payment from each unit as it will be easy to track payments.

Account Name - OSSAE East Asia Region

Bank - Commonwealth Bank

BSB - 062-443

A/C No - 1350 3662

Revaluation Guidelines

- 1) A candidate who wishes to apply for revaluation of his/her Annual Exam paper, should firstly submit an email to OSSAE Director and Exam Controller requesting Revaluation. This must be done within 10 days on receiving your marks.
OSSAE Director email – ossae.eastasiaregion@gmail.com and
OSSAE Exam Controller email – ossaeeastasiaregionexam@gmail.com

2) The process of revaluation includes

- Recounting of marks
- Re-checking answers

3) Re-Valuation will be done by a teacher appointed by the Vice President of OSSAE Asia Pacific Sunday School.

4) Re-valuation marks and the original marks will be compared. If any changes the highest received mark and accordingly Grade between the two will be awarded. If no changes the original marks/Grade stand. If after revaluation the marks don't improve the Grade, no further action will be taken either.

5) Mark Sheets of Original or Revaluation will not be disclosed. It is thoroughly checked by the Exam Panel and reviewed by Vice President.

6) The re-valuation results will be communicated via email by OSSAE Director.

Yours in Christ

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