

FEDERATION OF CHRISTIAN MISSION SCHOOLS, MALAYSIA e-Newsletter

INAUGURAL ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE FEDERATION OF CHRISTIAN MISSION SCHOOLS, MALAYSIA
17 SEPTEMBER 2019 AT PETALING JAYA, SELANGOR



A bit of history ...

It was at the Conference of Christian Mission Schools held on 26-27 June 2009 when Tan Sri Bernard Dompok and Bishop Ng Moon Hing, then Chairman of the Christian Federation of Malaysia (CFM) called for the formation of a body comprising the Mission Schools in the country to be a common platform and a common voice in dealing with Mission School matters, especially with the Ministry of Education.

The federation was first established in Kota Kinabalu on 7 April 2010 when three bodies

- (1) Malayan Christian Schools' Council or MCSC (207 schools)
- (2) Sabah Christian Schools' Council (with Labuan 100 schools)
- (3) Sarawak Christian Schools' Council (129 schools) accepted the Charter. At that time the Federation was known as the Federation of Councils of Christian Mission Schools Malaysia (FCCMSM)

Efforts at registering with the Registrar of Societies finally succeeded in July 2019, with a new Name and Constitution. Under the new set-up, membership consists of 25 individual Mission Authorities who own Government-assisted primary and secondary Mission Schools in Malaysia, rather than the three regional councils. It took on a new name.

On 17 September 2019 the Inaugural Annual General Meeting of the newly-constituted **Federation of Christian Mission Schools, Malaysia or FCMSM** was held in Petaling Jaya.

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BIBLE KNOWLEDGE

Among the roles of FCMSM is to champion the teaching and learning of Bible Knowledge (BK) in schools and to encourage students to take the BK paper, code 9221 at the Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM) level offered by the Ministry of Education.

To that end, several BK Quizzes are organized to help students study the syllabus: Bible text – THE GOSPEL OF LUKE and THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES. These quizzes also help students achieve co-curricular marks.

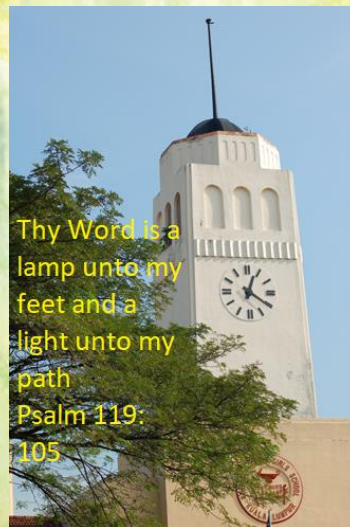
BIBLE KNOWLEDGE QUIZ

- BK (Year) Quiz.** This is a written quiz comprising 50 multiple-choice questions.
For BK20 Quiz, because of the Covid-19 Pandemic, the quiz became an Online Quiz held on 27 June 2020. This was a great success and attracted more than 2000 participants, double the number last year.
- SPM BK Oral Quiz.** This is an Oral Quiz in teams of 2 specially to help students prepare for the SPM paper.
Because of the pandemic situation and to comply with government Standard Operating Procedures, the Semifinals of the SPM BK Quiz is a written MCQ test taken Online, held on 18 July 2020.
- SPM BK Quiz Finals** for 2020 is taking on a new form as a Video Conference for the top Five winning teams, held on 1 August.
- BK Postal Quiz**, co-organized with Scripture Union

FORMAT INSTRUMEN PEPERIKSAAN SPM MULAI TAHUN 2021 MATA PELAJARAN BIBLE KNOWLEDGE (9221)

BIL	PERKARA	KETERANGAN
1	Jenis Instrumen	Ujian Bertulis
2	Jenis Item	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Subjektif Respons Terhad • Subjektif Respons Terbuka
3	Bilangan Soalan	Bahagian A (15 markah) 3 soalan (Jawab semua soalan) Bahagian B (15 markah) 3 soalan (Jawab semua soalan) Bahagian C (70 markah) Bahagian 1 2 soalan (Jawab 1 soalan) Bahagian 2 4 soalan (Jawab 3 soalan)
4	Jumlah Markah	100 markah
5	Tempoh Ujian	2 jam
6	Konstruk	Kemahiran Membaca <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Memahami • Mengaplikasi • Menganalisis • Menilai
7	Cakupan Konteks	Mencakupi kandungan dan pembelajaran dalam Good News Bible
8	Aras Kesukaran	Rendah : Sederhana : Tinggi 5 : 3 : 2
9	Kaedah Penskoran	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analitik • Holistik

The new KSSM SPM BK syllabus with effect from SPM 2021



Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path
Psalm 119:105

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."
Acts 1:8

Check out the BK Page on the FCMSM website
<https://www.fcmsm.org/bible-knowledge/>

COVID-19 Pandemic

Prayer Requests

- Teachers and Students going back to school, kindergarten, college and university
- Online learning in the “new norm”, especially students who have no devices and no or slow internet connectivity
- Teachers who have to learn up new ways of teaching their students
- School Heads and staff as they handle the SOPs during the pandemic
- MCSC Annual General Meeting which is going ONLINE : 23 July 2020
- Online FCMSM AGM : 20 August 2020
- And pray for the BK Quizzes ... that God will touch the hearts of all who listen to His word

We thank the *Malayan Christian Schools' Council (MCSC)*, *Pristine World* and *Methodist College Kuala Lumpur* for organizing and sponsoring the BK Quizzes for 2020.

For the 3 top winning teams of the SPM BK Quiz, MCKL has sponsored scholarships worth up to a total of RM57,000 on condition that a distinction is obtained for their SPM results.

We also thank the BK Quiz Organizing Committee, the donors for the BK Quiz, and the participants who made the quiz a great success.

May the Lord bless our endeavour for many to read, hear and study His Word.
To God be the Glory!

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