**Preliminary Round: 14 Mar**

**8.00 am to 10.00 am:**
Free workshop, conducted by NLB, on how to be information literate. The contents covered will be useful for participants during the finals and even in their daily school work.

After the workshop, each team will be given 30 minutes to complete a 50 question MCQ (Multiple Choice Question) General Knowledge Quiz on Singapore. Sample question:

“What is the birthdate of our former Prime Minister Lee Kuan Yew?”

a) 16 Sep 1913  b) 16 Sep 1923  c) 16 Sep 1933  d) 16 Sep 1943

The 50 Questions Infopedia will be from the Singapore [http://eresources.nlb.gov.sg/infopedia/](http://eresources.nlb.gov.sg/infopedia/)

The top 12 teams (3 from each of the 4 libraries) will win prizes and qualify for the finals. The winning teams will be announced on our website: [http://www.nlb.gov.sg/sure/](http://www.nlb.gov.sg/sure/)

**National Finals 18 March 2016**

**8.00 am to 10.00 am:**

The final 12 teams will battle it out for the Top 3 prizes in the finals.

They will be given 1 hour to answer 30 questions using the library’s print and electronic resources. They will use the resources to ‘prove’ the answer is correct (Maximum score is 300).

Each question is worth 10 marks: 1 mark – correct answer 2 marks – using a credible website 3 marks – using the library’s eDatabase 4 marks – using the library’s Print collection

Sample Question:

“What is the birthdate of our former Prime Minister Lee Kuan Yew?”

1 mark – correct answer is 16 Sep 1923

1 or 2 marks (website) – if you use a less credible website like Wikipedia, you score 1 point. If you use a credible website like Straits Times, you score 2 points.

3 marks – e.g. if you used NLB databases, you score 3 points - [http://eresources.nlb.gov.sg/index.aspx](http://eresources.nlb.gov.sg/index.aspx)

4 marks – If you used the library catalogue and found the hardcopy book and quote the answer from the book, you score 4 points [http://catalogue.nlb.gov.sg/](http://catalogue.nlb.gov.sg/)