



Dear parents/ guardians,

We have come to the end of Term 3 and below are some important information for your attention when school reopens in Term 4.

### 1. School's Achievements

We are pleased to share our pupils' remarkable achievements in various CCA and external competitions:

- i) **Coders Passion Scratch Hackathon 2025** – Best Game Award, 3 Merit Awards and 3 Commendation Awards
- ii) **E6 Cluster Hackathon 2025** – Most Innovative Award, Best User Experience Award, Community Impact Award, Most Future-Ready Award and Together We Build Award
- iii) **Hwa Chong Info-Communications Challenge 2025** – Gold Award
- iv) **Music Singapore Youth Festival 2025 (The Youth Station Project: Produced!)** – Top 10 Entries
- v) **Malay Language Competition: Katapella 2025** – 3<sup>rd</sup> Position
- vi) **Malay Language Competition: Lensa Si Cilik 2025** – Gold Award
- vii) **National Mathematical Olympiad of Singapore 2025** – 1 Silver Award, 8 Bronze Awards and 7 Honourable Mention Awards
- viii) **Singapore Primary Science Olympiad 2025** – 2 Bronze Awards and 3 Merit Awards

We would like to thank all our parents/guardians for their continued support in their child's holistic development and pursuit of excellence. We would also like to thank our dedicated teachers and coaches who have trained and motivated our pupils in the process.

### 2. PSLE Listening Comprehension

There will be no school for Primary 1 – Primary 5 pupils on **16 September 2025, Tuesday** as it is the PSLE Listening Comprehension Examination. We wish all our PRIMARY 6 pupils the very best for this examination.

### 3. Pre-PSLE Study Break for Primary 6 Pupils

A nation-wide three-day study break will be implemented for Primary 6 pupils from **22 September 2025, Monday to 24 September 2025, Wednesday**, to support their well-being prior to the PSLE.

During the study break, Primary 6 pupils are strongly encouraged to remain at home to rest adequately and do their revision. The school will remain open for Primary 6 pupils who require in-school support. Pupils who require assistance from their teachers may arrange for consultations with their teachers in school. Additionally, the school may request selected pupils to return during

the study break, and their parents/guardians will be informed separately. Parents/Guardians who are unable to secure alternative care arrangements may continue to send their children/wards to school for supervision. The Student Care Centre will also remain open during the study break for families who require the service.

#### **4. Implementation of Home-Based Learning (HBL) for Primary 3 to Primary 5 Pupils during the PSLE Written Examinations**

Our Primary 6 pupils will be taking their PSLE written papers from **25 September to 1 October 2025**. As such, the school will be conducting HBL for the following levels:

- Primary 3 and Primary 4 pupils will have two days of HBL.
- Primary 5 pupils will have three days of HBL.
- Primary 1 and Primary 2 pupils will continue to attend school as usual during this period.

All pupils will return to school on **1 October 2025**.

Please refer to the table below for the HBL schedule:

| <b>Level</b> | <b>HBL Date / Day<br/>(Not required to report to school)</b> |
|--------------|--|
| P3           | 25 & 26 September (Thursday & Friday)                        |
| P4           | 29 & 30 September (Monday & Tuesday)                         |
| P5           | 25, 26 & 29 September (Thursday, Friday & Monday)            |

During the HBL days, teachers will assign either SLS work or hardcopy work to the pupils. There will be no online lessons, as teachers will be involved in the conduct of the PSLE Written Examinations.

##### **a) Recesses for P1 – P5 Pupils:**

In our efforts to promote a culture of care and to ensure a conducive examination environment for our Primary 6 pupils, the P1 – P5 pupils will have their recesses in their classrooms during the PSLE written examinations period. The P1 – P5 pupils are strongly encouraged to bring packed food from home. Arrangements will be made for pupils who are unable to bring food from home to purchase food from the canteen. To encourage recycling, pupils who are purchasing food from the canteen are encouraged to bring their own containers and cutlery.

We thank you in advance for your understanding and support to our Primary 6 pupils.

#### **5. ArtBeats 2025 – Feel the Pulse of Creativity**

ArtBeats, our inaugural Aesthetics Week, will take place from **15 to 19 September 2025**. The week-long programme aims to provide pupils with hands-on, arts-based experiences during recess, supporting their holistic development through Art and Music (*Note: There will be no activities on 16 September due to the PSLE Listening Comprehension Examination*).

Highlights include:

- *Roving Art Studio*: An art truck by National Gallery SG with interactive storytelling and activities.
- *Travelling Art Cart*: A month-long station introducing Southeast Asian batik.
- *Art Beyond Limits*: Inclusive, sensory-based art and music activities.
- *Anything but Your Pencil Case Day (19 September)*: Pupils bring a creative item (not a pencil case!) to store their stationery. Parents are encouraged to DIY with your child.

We look forward to a joyful week of creativity and expression.

## 6. Learning Journey to Jacob Ballas Children's Garden for Primary 1 Pupils

As part of their exploratory and interdisciplinary learning experiences, the school will be organising a learning journey to Jacob Ballas Children's Garden for Primary 1 pupils during school curriculum hours. The learning journey will take place from **17 to 18 September 2025**. Please see the schedule below.

| Class          | Date                         |
|----------------|------------------------------|
| 1B, 1C, 1D, 1E | 17 September 2025, Wednesday |
| 1A, 1F         | 18 September 2025, Thursday  |

More details on the learning journey will be sent via Parents Gateway (PG) nearer to the dates.

## 7. Learning Journey to Thow Kwang Pottery Jungle Dragon Kiln for Primary 3 Pupils

As an extension of their Art curriculum, Primary 3 pupils will be going on a learning journey to Thow Kwang Pottery Jungle Dragon Kiln to deepen their understanding of ceramics.

This authentic, site-specific experience aims to help pupils appreciate the history, techniques, and values associated with clay and ceramic art. Please see the schedule below.

| Class      | Date                      | Time             |
|------------|---------------------------|------------------|
| 3A, 3B     | 15 September 2025, Monday | 12.30pm – 5.00pm |
| 3C, 3D, 3E | 22 September 2025, Monday |                  |

More details on the learning journey will be shared via Parent Gateway (PG) nearer to the dates.

## 8. Learning Journey to Toyota World Para Swimming Championships Singapore 2025 for Primary 4 Pupils

As part of their interdisciplinary learning experience on an inclusive community, Primary 4 pupils will be going on a learning journey to the Toyota World Para Swimming Championships Singapore 2025. This will take place during school curriculum hours on **25 September 2025**.

More details on the learning journey will be shared via Parent Gateway (PG) nearer to the date.

## 9. Co-Curricular Schedule for Term 4/ 2025

Please find below the Term 4 CCA schedule for Primary 3 to Primary 5 pupils. CCA for Primary 6 pupils will resume from Week 7 onwards.

| Dates  |         |        | P3 to P5 |
|--------|---------|--------|----------|
| Term 4 | Week 1  | 17-Sep | CCA      |
|        | Week 2  | 24-Sep | CCA      |
|        | Week 3  | 1-Oct  | CCA      |
|        | Week 4  | 8-Oct  | No CCA   |
|        | Week 5  | 15-Oct | No CCA   |
|        | Week 6  | 22-Oct | No CCA   |
|        | Week 7  | 29-Oct | CCA      |
|        | Week 8  | 5-Nov  | CCA      |
|        | Week 9  | 12-Nov | CCA      |
|        | Week 10 | 19-Nov | No CCA   |

## 10. Healthy Living #7: Nurturing Your Child's Well-Being Through Outdoor Play

Spending time outdoors boost creativity, confidence, and well-being. Here are some simple ways to enjoy outdoor time as a family:

- Set a regular routine for outdoor play
- Visit parks, trails, or beaches to explore nature
- Encourage unstructured, child-led play
- Limit screen time with “screen-free” outdoor hours
- Be a role model — join in the fun!
- Try hobbies like gardening or nature journaling together

Let's nurture a love for nature and movement — one outdoor adventure at a time!

## 11. Growth Mindset Nuggets #8: Mathematical Mindsets – Building Confidence, One Problem at a Time

The Mathematics Department believes every child can be a confident problem-solver. We nurture a growth mindset by encouraging pupils to see mistakes as learning opportunities and challenges as chances to grow.

Through classroom discussions and engaging activities like Math Recess Play and Mini Bitz, pupils focus on the learning journey rather than just the final answer. Teachers model positive self-talk and celebrate effort, helping pupils turn “I can't do it... yet” into a stepping stone toward mastery.

Pupils are given regular opportunities to share their thinking, collaborate with peers, and reflect on their growth. By emphasising sense-making and logical reasoning over rote memorisation, our teachers build both confidence and resilience. Our goal is for pupils not only to excel in Mathematics but also to develop curiosity, adaptability and a love for challenge – qualities that prepare them for lifelong learning.

We warmly invite our parents to journey alongside us, as partners in nurturing each child's confidence and success in Mathematics.

## 12. Major Events and Holidays for Term 4

| Date                                   | Event   | Remarks   |
|--|---|---|
| <b>5 Sep (Fri)</b>                     | <b>Teachers' Day</b>                                  | <b>School Holiday</b>   |
| 6 Sep (Sat) –<br>14 Sep (Sun)          | September Term Break                                  | P6 supplementary classes on 11 and 12 Sep.<br>Details have been sent to parents via PG.                   |
| 16 Sep (Tue)                           | PSLE Listening Comprehension<br>Examinations          | P1 – P5 pupils need not report to school.   |
| 25 Sep (Thu) –<br>1 Oct (Wed)          | PSLE Written Examinations                             | 25 & 26 Sep – HBL for P3 pupils<br>29 & 30 Sep – HBL for P4 pupils<br>25, 26 & 29 Sep – HBL for P5 pupils |
| 2 Oct (Thu)                            | HeArts Shine Fiesta cum<br>Children's Day celebration | Reporting and dismissal time as per usual.  |
| <b>3 Oct (Fri)</b>                     | <b>Children's Day</b>                                 | <b>School Holiday</b>   |
| 7 Oct (Tue) –<br>8 Oct (Wed)           | P3 & P4 Oral  | After school hours. More details will be sent via<br>PG nearer the date.                                  |
| 9 Oct (Thu) –<br>10 Oct (Fri)          | P5 Oral   |   |
| <b>13 Oct (Mon) –<br/>15 Oct (Wed)</b> | <b>PSLE Marking days</b>                              | <b>All pupils need not report to school.<br/>SCC will be open.</b>  |

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|-------------------------------|---|---|
| 17 Oct (Fri)                  | SA (Eng Paper 1 & LC) P3 - P5           | --  |
| <b>20 Oct (Mon)</b>           | <b>Deepavali</b>                        | <b>Public Holiday</b>   |
| 22 Oct (Wed)                  | SA (MT Paper 1 & LC) P3 - P5            | --  |
| 23 Oct (Thu)                  | SA (Eng Paper 2) P3 - P5                |   |
| 24 Oct (Fri)                  | SA (Math) P3 - P5                       |   |
| 27 Oct (Mon)                  | SA (MT Paper 2) P3 - P5                 |   |
| 28 Oct (Tue)                  | SA (Sci) P3 - P5                        |   |
| 29 Oct (Wed)                  | SA (HMT Paper 1 & 2) P5 only            |   |
| <b>13 Nov (Thu)</b>           | <b>Results Processing Day</b>           | <b>All pupils need not report to school.<br/>SCC will be open.</b>                    |
| 20 Nov (Thu)                  | P6 Graduation Celebrations              | More details will be sent via PG nearer the date.                                     |
| 20 Nov (Thu)                  | Little Achievers Award Day<br>(P1 & P2) | More details will be sent via PG nearer the date.                                     |
| 21 Nov (Fri)                  | Prize Giving Day (P3 – P6)              | More details will be sent via PG nearer the date.                                     |
| 22 Nov (Sat) –<br>1 Jan (Wed) | Year-end holiday                        | School will start on 2 Jan (Fri) 2026 (for P1) and<br>5 Jan (Mon) 2026 (for P2 to P6) |

Thank you for your kind attention to the above information. We wish your child a restful September school break!

Your partner-in-education,



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