

1 February 2023

Dear Parents/Guardians,

It has been a month since the start of the year, and we hope that your child/ward enjoys coming to school every day. Let's continue to support our children by ensuring that they are in school by 7.30 a.m. daily and practise good personal hygiene and social responsibility. All students have to bring their personal working thermometer to school daily. If your child/ward is unwell, do take him/her to the doctor and keep him/her at home until he/she recovers fully.

1. <u>Commencement of E2K, Small-Group Teaching (SGT) and P5 & P6</u> <u>Supplementary Lessons</u>

Supplementary lessons for Primary 6 students have commenced in January. For Primary 5 students, supplementary lessons will commence on Tuesday, 21 February 2023. Information will be sent out to parents via Parents Gateway (PG) nearer to the date. Please note that supplementary lessons are compulsory for all Primary 5 and 6 students.

E2K (Mathematics & Science) for the Primary 4 and 5 and SGT for Primary 3 and 4 are for identified students only and they will commence in February. If your child/ward has been selected for E2K and SGT, you will receive a letter from the school via Parents Gateway (PG) for your consent. We seek your support in ensuring that your child/ward attends these lessons that have been planned for them by the school.

2. <u>Cohort Engagement Sessions for Parents of Primary 1 to 5 Students</u>

Cohort engagement sessions aim to allow parents to better understand the cohort programmes our students will be experiencing at the different levels. Details for the above engagement sessions will be sent to you via Parents Gateway (PG). Do register for the cohort engagement sessions once you receive the notification.

3. <u>Commemoration of the Total Defence Day (TDD) on Tuesday, 14 February 2023</u>

We will be commemorating TDD on Tuesday, 14 February 2023. The annual commemoration of TDD serves to remind us of the fall of Singapore during World War II, a stark reminder that peace and stability of a nation should not be taken for granted. The theme for this year's TDD is "Together We Keep Singapore Strong", which focuses on the various ways we can put Total Defence into action in our daily lives.

Through this year's commemoration of TDD, we aim to instill in students their sense of belonging to Singapore, a sense of reality and the sense of hope through understanding the 6 pillars of Total Defence. This would, in turn, culminate and strengthen our collective will and resolve to remain resilient and united as one people.



4. P4 Social Studies Learning Journey to Geylang Serai

As part of the refreshed Character and Citizenship Education curriculum, the Primary 4 students will be embarking on a one-day learning journey to Geylang Serai between Monday, 20 February 2023 and 23 February 2023, from 2 pm to 4.30 pm.

This learning journey is one of the key Student Development Experiences for primary school students which supports their learning in Social Studies, as they deepen their understanding of the heritage and culture of Singapore beyond the classroom context. The museum-based learning experiences will be guided and facilitated by specially trained museum educators using various artefacts in the museum.

More information will be provided at a later date via Parents Gateway.

Your partner-in-education

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