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23 August 2023

Dear Parents/Guardians

Information Sheet for September 2023

(1) <u>Teachers' Day Celebrations on Thursday, 31 Aug 2023</u> - (reminder from Parents Gateway message)

The school will be celebrating Teachers' Day on <u>Thursday</u>, <u>31 August 2023</u>. Students will report to school as usual in the morning and the staggered dismissal will be as follows:

Level	Dismissal Timing
Primary 1 & 2	10.25 am
Primary 5 & 6	10.30 am
Primary 3 & 4	10.35 am

As the students will be dismissed early, there would not be recesses on that day. Hence, the canteen will NOT be open. Students are encouraged to have their breakfast before coming to school. Teachers' Day falls on <u>Monday</u>, <u>11 September 2023</u> and is a school holiday.

Please note that on Thursday, 31 August 2023, the Student Care Centre (Little Professor) will be operational until **1.30pm**.

The General Office will be closed at **2pm** as the school is used as a polling/counting centre for the Presidential election.

The Student Care Centre will be closed on Friday, 1 September 2023 and Monday, 11 September 2023 for the Presidential Election and the Teachers' Day school holiday respectively.

(2) School and Public Holidays

Dates	School / Public Holidays	Remarks
Friday, 1 Sept 2023	Public Holiday	Presidential Election
Saturday, 2 Sept to Sunday,	End of Term 3 School	-
10 Sept 2023	Holidays	
Monday, 11 Sept 2023#	School Holiday	Teachers' Day
Friday, 15 Sept 2023@	School Holiday for Pri 1 to 5	PSLE Listening
	students only	Comprehension
		Examinations

[#] Students will return to school on Tuesday, 12 Sept 2023.

(3) Primary School Leaving Examination (PSLE) Listening Comprehension

The PSLE Listening Comprehension for Primary 6 students will be conducted on Friday, 15 September 2023. More information regarding the PSLE Listening Comprehension will be given to the Primary 6 students at a later date.

(4) Mid-Autumn Festival Celebrations

The school will be celebrating the Mid-Autumn Festival on Monday, 18 September and Tuesday, 19 September 2023 during curriculum time. The programme aims to allow our students to know more about the Chinese culture through the celebrations of the festival. The highlights of the celebrations include Chinese culture demonstration, game stalls put up by our Parents Support Group and some classroom activities. This year, we will be having a concert as well to celebrate the theme of 'Reunion'.

More details will be given to the students nearer the date of the event.

[@] Please note the Student Care Centre (Little Professor) will be closed on Friday, 15 September 2023 as part of their annual closure day.

(5) Pre-PSLE Study Break from 25 Sep to 27 Sep 2023 for Primary 6 students

The school will be implementing a three-day study break only for Primary 6 students from **Monday**, **25 September to Wednesday**, **27 September 2023** to support their well-being prior to the PSLE.

During the study break, Primary 6 students are strongly encouraged to remain at home and do their revision. Students who require assistance from their teachers may arrange for consultations with their teachers. In addition, the school may request for selected students to return to school during the study break. Parents/Guardians of selected students will be informed separately.

(6) Primary 1 to 5 Home-Based Learning (HBL) during the PSLE Written Exams

The PSLE written examinations will be held from Thursday, 28 September to Wednesday, 4 October 2023. As the school needs to deploy more teachers and use more rooms for the coming PSLE written examinations, students from Primary 1 to 5 will be placed on HBL on selected days.

Dates	PSLE Written Exam	Levels on HBL	Levels return to school
28 September (Thursday)	English	Pri 4 & 5	Pri 1 to 3
29 September (Friday)	Mathematics	Pri 4 & 5	Pri 1 to 3
2 October (Monday)	Chinese Language	Pri 1 to 3	Pri 4 & 5
3 October (Tuesday)	Science	Pri 1 to 3	Pri 4 & 5

All students are to return to school on Wednesday, 4 October 2023.

Please note that our Student Care Centre (SCC) will be opened from 8am on the 4 days of the PSLE. However, all students going to the SCC will have to enter only through Gate 1.

(7) Children's Day Celebrations, 2023

The school will celebrate Children's Day on Thursday, 5 October 2023. To assist parents in the childcare arrangements for their child after school, the school wishes to inform that dismissal for the students on that day will be as follows:

Level	Dismissal Timing
Primary 1 & 2	10.25 am
Primary 5 & 6	10.30 am
Primary 3 & 4	10.35 am

(8) Travel Declaration for September Holiday

To ensure schools continue to be a healthy and safe environment for all, we require parents/guardians to make a travel declaration for your child/ward only if he/she intends to travel for the holidays.

To make a travel declaration for your child/ward via Parents' Gateway (PG), go to [SERVICE > DECLARE TRAVELS].

• For travel during September holiday, please declare your child/ward's travel plan(s), indicating both the country and city of travel, and any city of transit, by Thursday 31 August 2023. Only one parent is required to declare.

If your child/ward is not travelling during the holidays, no action is required.

When planning your travel, please refer to <u>ica.gov.sg/enter-transit-depart</u> for more information and updates on travel. If there is a change of travel plan(s) after declaration, please submit a new travel declaration for the updated travel destination via PG or inform the school for cancellation of travel plan(s)/change of travel plans. Thank you for your support to keep our school safe.

Thank you, parents and guardians! Do have a well-deserved September school holiday.

In partnership with you,

Mrs Theresa Hong Principal

(1) 教师节庆祝活动(转自"家长联通"的温馨提醒)

我校将于 8 月 31 日 (星期四) 庆祝教师节。学生当天如常到学校报到,下课时间将有所调整。以下是各年级的放学时间:

年级	放学时间
一和二年级	上午10时25分
五和六年级	上午10时30分
三和四年级	上午 10 时 35 分

由于庆祝活动当天会提早放学,所以没有安排休息时间。学校食堂摊位也在当天休业。请确保您的孩子吃了早餐才来学校。9月11日(星期一)是教师节,即学校假期,学生不必上课。

学校的课后托管中心将在8月31日(星期四)运营到下午1点30分。学校办公室也将在下午2点关闭。(学校是总统选举投票及计票中心。)

因总统选举和教师节学校假期,课后托管中心将在9月1日与9月11日关闭。

(2) 第三学段末学校假期与公共假期

日期	学校、公共假期	备注
9月1日 (星期五)	公共假期	总统选举
9月2日(星期六)到9月10日	第三学段末学校假期	_
(星期日)		
9月11日(星期一)#	学校假期	教师节
9月15日(星期五)@	小一至小五的学生当天不	小六会考听力考试
	必到校上课.	

[#] 学生将于9月12日(星期二)返校。

(3) 小六会考听力考试

小六学生将于 9 月 15 日 (星期五) 参与小六会考听力考试。学校将稍后通知小六考生有关的考试详情。

(4) 中秋节庆祝活动

为了让学生通过欢庆传统节日,进一步了解华族文化,我校将于9月18日和9月19日(星期一和星期二)上课时段庆祝中秋节。活动内容包括华族文化示范摊位、家长会游戏摊位以及课堂活动。今年,我们还将举办一场以"团圆"为主题的庆祝会。

活动详情将择日通知学生。

(5) 小六考生温书假(9月25日至27日)

为了确保小六考生有充足的休息与复习时间以应付考试,小六学生将于9月25日至27日(星期一至星期三)放三天的温书假。

在温书假期间, 六年级学生应在家中进行复习。需要学科教师辅助的学生可以安排与教师进行咨询。 此外, 学校也可能要求特定学生在温书假期间返回学校。被选中返校的学生家长/监护人将另行收到 通知。

[@] 学校的课后托管中心将在9月15日(星期五)关闭,这也是他们每年的闭馆日。

(6) 一至五年级的居家学习(小六会考笔试期间)

小六会考笔试将于9月28日至10月4日进行。由于学校需要为即将到来的小六会考笔试部署更多的人力与空间的资源,我们将安排一至五年级的学生在选定的日期进行居家学习。

日期	小六会考笔试科目	进行居家学习的年级	回学校如常上课的年级
9月28日(星期四)	英文	四年级和五年级	一年级至三年级
9月29日(星期五)	数学	四年级和五年级	一年级至三年级
10月2日(星期一)	华文	一年级至三年级	四年级和五年级
10月3日(星期二)	科学	一年级至三年级	四年级和五年级

各年级学生将于10月4日(星期三)返回学校。

学校的课后托管中心将在以上四天在早上8点开始运营。学生必须从学校的一号大门进入学校。

(7) 儿童节庆祝活动

学校将在10月5日(星期四)庆祝儿童节。为了方便家长规划孩子课后的安排,校方在此预先告知当天的放学时间:

年级	放学时间
一和二年级	上午10时25分
五和六年级	上午10时30分
三和四年级	上午10时35分

(8) 九月假期旅游申报

为提供学生一个健康、安全的学习环境,请打算在九月假期中出国旅游的家长/监护人提交旅游申报。

您必须通过"家长联通"(Parents Gateway) 为您的孩子提交旅行申报,您可通过 [SERVICE > DECLARE TRAVELS]搜寻到申报表。请在8月31日(星期四)或之前申报孩子的旅行计划,并注明旅行的国家和城市,以及任何过境城市。其中一位家长/监护人申报即可。

如果您的孩子假期期间不打算出国旅行, 您无需进行申报。

计划您的旅行时,请参阅网址 <u>ica. gov. sg/enter-transit-depart</u>以了解更多有关于旅游的信息与最新详情。如果申报后旅行计划有更动,请通过"家长联通"提交一份新的旅游申报或通知学校旅行计划已取消/有更动。感谢您的支持,让我们的学校保持安全。

再次感谢各位家长/监护人的配合, 祝您度过一个愉快、充实的九月学校假期。

伍燕玲校长