

1 March 2023

Dear Parents/Guardians,

We are approaching the end of Term 1. We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for supporting our school programmes and activities. At the same time, we would like to inform you of the various events / activities that the school is planning for your children in Term 2.

**1. Term 1 School Holidays from 11 to 19 March 2023**

Term 1 March school holidays are from Saturday, 11 March 2023 to Sunday, 19 March 2023. Do enjoy the week-long term break spending quality time with your children and family before returning to school for another exciting new school term. We would like to encourage our students to practise Habit 7, that is, to sharpen their saw by having a well-balanced holiday with study, play and rest time.

To ensure schools continue to be a healthy and safe environment for all, we require parents/guardians to make a travel declaration only if your child/ward intends to travel for the March school holidays. There is no requirement for declaration if you are not travelling. Please declare your child/ward's travel plans for the March school holidays via the Parents Gateway App (refer to <https://pg.moe.edu.sg>). If you have more than 1 child, and the declarations details are the same, please select all of them and make only 1 declaration, even if they are in different schools. Only one parent is required to declare. Thank you for providing travel information to help the school to be prepared for travel safety and emergencies.

We hope that you and your family continue to be well and healthy. Should your child/ward fall ill, do bring him/her to see a doctor. We thank you for being socially responsible and helping to keep our families, school, community and Singapore safe.

**2. P5 Effective Study Skill and Motivation Programme on 6 March 2023**

As shared during our P5 Parents Engagement session and mass collection letter (2023/L035) sent via Parents Gateway on 31 January, the above has been planned for all our P5 students. The programme will be conducted during curriculum hours on 6 March (Monday).

In line with our school's I-LEAD+ programme for the holistic development of our Horizon students, the programme seeks to develop 3 areas in our upper block students.

1. Self-motivation techniques
2. Study skills for personal effectiveness
3. Soft skills development such as social emotional growth and having empathy for others

The P5 students can look forward to Part 1 of the programme where they will be learning effective studying habits such as visual note-taking and note-making techniques - mind mapping and doodling. In addition, they will be taught strategies to cultivate a positive growth mindset and memory management techniques. Part 2 will be carried out when they move onto P6 next year.

3. **Calendar of Events (Term 2)**

Please refer to the attached annex for Calendar of Events for March and Term 2.

We look forward to a meaningful partnership to help our children enjoy school every day!

Your partner-in-education

Mrs Ong Hui Khim  
Principal

**Calendar of Events for Term 1, 2023**

<b>Date / Time</b>	<b>Event / Activity</b>	<b>For</b>
<u>Week 9</u> 28 Feb (Tue) to 2 Mar (Thu)	Learning Journey to Science Centre Singapore <sup>1,3</sup>	Primary 5 students
<u>Week 10</u> 6 Mar (Mon)	Primary 5 Effective Study Skill and Motivation Programme	All Primary 5 students
7 Mar (Tue) to 9 Mar (Thu)	Primary 3 Learning Journey to Sungei Buloh Wetland Reserve <sup>2,3</sup>	All Primary 3 students

**Calendar of Events for Term 2, 2023**

<b>Date / Time</b>	<b>Event / Activity</b>	<b>For</b>
<u>Week 1 and Week 2</u> 21 Mar (Tue) to 29 Mar (Fri)	Primary 3 Computational Thinking in Mathematics (CTIM)	All Primary 3 students
<u>Week 1 to Week 8</u> 21 Mar (Tue) to 11 May (Fri)	Primary 5 Computational Thinking in Mathematics (CTIM) – Code for Fun <sup>4</sup>	All Primary 5 students
<u>Week 2</u> 27 Mar (Mon), 29 Mar (Wed), 31 Mar (Fri)	Primary 6 Social Studies Learning Journey to the Asian Civilisations Museum (ACM) <sup>2,3</sup>	All Primary 6 students
<u>Week 3</u> 7 Apr (Fri)	Good Friday Public Holiday	All students
<u>Week 4</u> 10 Apr (Mon) to 13 Apr (Thu)	Primary 4 Museum-based Learning Journey <sup>2,3</sup>	All Primary 4 students
<u>Week 5 and Week 6</u> 20 Apr (Thu), 27 Apr (Thu)	Primary 2 Social Studies Neighbourhood Walk <sup>2,3</sup>	All Primary 2 students
22 Apr (Sat)	Hari Raya Puasa Public Holiday	All students

<u>Week 6</u>		
24 Apr (Mon)	School Holiday in lieu of Hari Raya Puasa	All students
27 Apr (Thu)	Primary 6 Weighted Assessment (WA) Oral <sup>2</sup> (Primary 1 and 2 – Normal curriculum hours Primary 3 to 5 – Home-based learning)	All Primary 6 students
<u>Week 7</u>		
1 May (Mon)	Labour Day Public Holiday	All students
2 May (Tue) to 4 May (Thu)	Primary 5 Outdoor Adventure Camp <sup>2</sup>	All Primary 5 students
<u>Week 8</u>		
8 May (Mon) to 11 May (Thu)	Primary 4 Social Studies Learning Journey to Kreta Ayer <sup>2,3</sup>	All Primary 4 students
12 May (Fri)	Primary 5 Trips for International Experience (TIE) Virtual Immersion Programme to Indonesia <sup>2</sup>	All Primary 5 students
<u>Week 9</u>		
15 May (Mon)	Primary 1 Viva la Musica <sup>2</sup>	All Primary 1 students
18 May (Thu)	Primary 6 Effective Study Skill and Motivation Programme	All Primary 6 students
<u>Week 10</u>		
22 May (Mon) to 25 May (Thu)	Science Discovery Week	All P3 to P6 students
26 May (Fri)	Meet the Parents Session (MTPS) <sup>2</sup> (Primary 1 to 6 – Home-based learning)	All parents
<u>June Holidays</u>		
2 Jun (Fri)	Vesak Day Public Holiday	All students
21 Jun (Wed) to 23 Jun (Fri)	P6 Booster Session <sup>2</sup>	Selected Primary 6 students

**Note:**

<sup>1</sup> Please refer to letter (2023/L062) sent via Parents Gateway on 20 Feb for more details.

<sup>2</sup> Details of the event will be provided closer to the given date via Parents Gateway (PG).

<sup>3</sup> Students will only be involved on one of the dates stated.

<sup>4</sup> Students will only be involved on one of the weeks stated.

Events listed here are accurate as of 1 March 2023. Should there be any changes of the events due to unforeseen circumstances, the school will inform you in writing via Parents Gateway (PG).