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Dear Parents / Guardians,

As we come to the end of term 3, we would like to highlight the following school, safety and health-related matters.

**1. Calendar of Events for Term 4**

Some important events in Term 4 are listed in the table below for your reference.

EVENT	DATE	REMARKS
<b>TERM 4</b>		
P6 Supplementary Classes	6 and 7 Sep (during vacation)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Lessons are from 8.00am to 12.30pm</li><li>• Letter to parent was given on 3 Jul</li></ul>
Parenting Talk: IQ + EQ + SQ = Success	12 Sep	Please refer to point 5 for details
PSLE Listening Comprehension	14 Sep	No lessons for P1 to P5
Semestral Assessment 2 (P2 to P5)	24 Sep to 30 Oct	Please refer to point 2 on the next page for detailed timetable
PSLE Written Paper	27 Sep to 3 Oct	Lesson as usual for P1 to P5
Meridian Games Day and Children's Day Celebrations	4 Oct	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• During curriculum time</li><li>• Students are reminded to come in their PE attire</li></ul>
Children's Day Holiday	5 Oct	School holiday
PSLE Marking	15 Oct to 18 Oct	No lessons for all students
Deepavali	6 Nov	Public holiday
Admin Day	7 Nov	No lessons for all students
"Dress Up Day"	13 Nov	More details will be given nearer the date
P1 to P5 Parent-Teacher Meeting (for selected students only)	14 Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No lessons for all students</li><li>• More details will be given nearer the date</li></ul>
P1 and P2 Prize Presentation	15 Nov	More details will be given nearer the date
P6 Graduation Day	15 Nov	More details will be given nearer the date
P3, P4, P5 and P6 Prize Presentation	16 Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• For selected students only</li><li>• More details will be given nearer the date</li></ul>
P1 Orientation for 2019 P1 Intake	16 Nov	More details will be given nearer the date

## 2. Semestral Assessment 2 (SA2)

P2, P3, P4 & P5 Semestral Assessment 2			
Day / Date	Level	Subject/Component	Remarks
Mon-Wed, 24-26 Sep 2018	P2 & P3	EL & MTL Oral Exam	1.P2 and P3 EL & MTL Oral Exam will be conducted during curriculum time.  2.P4 and P5 EL & MTL Oral Exam will be conducted from 2.00pm to 5.00pm. Students will be dismissed once they have completed their oral exam. Kindly make the necessary transport arrangements.
Mon, 24 Sep 2018	P4	MTL Oral Exam	
Mon, 24 Sep 2018	P5	EL Oral Exam	
Tue, 25 Sep 2018	P4	EL Oral Exam	
Tue, 25 Sep 2018	P5	MTL Oral Exam	
Mon, 8 Oct 2018	P2, P3, P4 & P5	EL Paper 1	
Tue, 9 Oct 2018	P3, P4 & P5	MTL Paper 1	
Wed, 10 Oct 2018	P5	HMTL Paper 1	
Thu, 11 Oct 2018	P2, P3, P4 & P5	EL & MTL Listening Comprehension	
Wed, 24 Oct 2018	P5	HMTL Paper 2	
Thu, 25 Oct 2018	P2, P3, P4 & P5	EL Paper 2	
Fri, 26 Oct 2018	P2, P3, P4 & P5	Mathematics	
Mon, 29 Oct 2018	P2, P3, P4 & P5	MTL Paper 2	
Tue, 30 Oct 2018	P3, P4 & P5	Science	

Please note:

1. The P5 students are expected to bring their calculators (Paper 2 only) and geometrical sets (Paper 1 & Paper 2) for their Mathematics Examination.
2. The P3 and P4 students are expected to bring their geometrical sets for their Mathematics Examination.
3. The P5 students are expected to bring the approved dictionary for the MTL/HMTL Paper 1 Examination.

Please ensure your child has a good breakfast on the day of examination. If he/she is unwell, please take him/her to seek medical help and let him/her rest at home. For the school's policy and practice on assessment matters, please refer to the letter dated 2 Feb 2018 (Our Ref: MPS/SM/2018/012)

Should you need further clarifications on SA2, please contact the following teachers at 65832125 or email them.

- Mdm Aisah Osman at [aisah\\_mohd\\_osman@moe.edu.sg](mailto:aisah_mohd_osman@moe.edu.sg)
- Ms Tan Shi Ying at [tan\\_shi\\_ying\\_a@moe.edu.sg](mailto:tan_shi_ying_a@moe.edu.sg)
- Mrs Stephanie Lim at [tay\\_wan\\_boon@moe.edu.sg](mailto:tay_wan_boon@moe.edu.sg)

### 3. Remedial, Bridging Programme, CCA and PAL in Term 4

For Term 4, there will be remedial and bridging programme only in Week 1 (10 Sep and 11 Sep) and Week 2 (17 Sep and 18 Sep). There is no more remedial and bridging programme after Week 2.

For CCA and PAL, there will be sessions only on 21 Sep, 12 Oct and 19 Oct.

### 4. Reporting Time for School

We would also like to remind parents that morning assembly starts punctually at 7.30 am and we seek your cooperation in ensuring that your child arrives in school early enough so that he/she can settle down in the school hall/classroom and take part in the daily singing of the National Anthem and pledge-taking. **From 2 Jan 2019, students will be marked late if they are not in the hall/class for National Anthem and pledge-taking at 7.30 am.** We appreciate your kind understanding and support on this matter.

### 5. Parenting Talk in Term 4: IQ + EQ + SQ = Success

Family Matters@Schools is organising a Parenting Talk on 12 Sep 2018 (Wed), 11.00 am - 1.00 pm. Parents will be learning about other types of intelligence that may be more important than IQ and that a balance of IQ, EQ and SQ is necessary for a happy and successful life for our children. Parents are strongly encouraged to attend. For enquiries, please contact Mdm Savi (Family Matters School Coordinator) at 98158298.

### 6. Health Matters

As part of our effort in instilling social responsibility in our students, we seek your cooperation to check your child's temperature and his/her overall well-being daily. Please remind your child of good hygiene practices and to bring his/her thermometer to school every day. If your child has a pre-existing condition, do also remind him/her to have the medication with him/her daily (e.g. child with asthma to carry the inhaler etc). Should your child feel unwell, please take him/her to seek medical help and let him/her rest at home.

### 7. Road and Water Safety

Your child may be engaged in outdoor activities, including water activities. They are highly vulnerable to accidents as they are not fully aware of the potential dangers and do not know how to avoid hazards. Please remind your child of the importance of road and water safety, and teach them useful road and water safety habits.

I seek your cooperation to abide by the road safety rules while moving your vehicles within the HDB car park. Do signal your intention early and drive slowly. In order to facilitate the traffic situation during the peak hours, we encourage your child to get ready early so that you could alight him/her and drive off immediately.

Please note that it is an offence to leave the engine of a motor vehicle running when it is stationary. I hope we can continue to build a safe environment for the community.

### 8. Updating of Contact Details

It is important that the school can contact at least an adult for each child in the school at all times. Please advise promptly of any changes to the contact details (phone numbers and home address), even if it is only a temporary change.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you and your child happy September school holidays.

Yours sincerely,



Ms Liza Rahmat  
Principal

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### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT SLIP: End of Term 3 Letter to Parents

To Form Teacher,

I have received the letter dated 29 August 2018 and have taken note of the contents.

Child's/Ward's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's/Guardian's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature/date: \_\_\_\_\_