


Gongshang Bulletin

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School Holiday

Youth Day (holiday in-lieu): 3 July 2017 (Monday)

2017 Primary One Registration Exercise (Phase 1)

Please be reminded that parents need not come to the school for Phase 1 of the Primary One Registration, as the Registration Forms have already been issued to parents in May 2017. The school will process the Registration Forms on 29 June 2017 (Thursday) and 30 June 2017 (Friday). Confirmation letters will be sent out through the Form Teachers to your children by 7 July 2017 (Friday).

Primary 1 & 2 Bite-sized Assessments*

Dates	Primary 1 (Letter Reference 17/E/023)	Primary 2 (Letter Reference 17/E/024)
20 July 2017 (Thursday)	Mathematics Practical Assessment 2	
24 – 28 July 2017 (Term 3, Week 5)	Show & Tell (CL) Situational Dialogue (ML)	Show & Tell (EL)
31 July – 4 August 2017 (Term 3, Week 6)	Speech and Drama (EL)	Story Telling (CL) Show & Tell (ML)

Mathematics Problem-Solving Module I and III (Letter Reference 17/E/157)

Level	Primary 3		Primary 5	
Day	Thursdays		Fridays	
Dates	29/6, 6/7, 13/7, 20/7 & 27/7 (Total of 5 sessions)		30/6, 7/7, 14/7, 21/7 & 28/7 (Total of 5 sessions)	
Time	2.00 – 4.00 pm			
Venue	Gongshang Primary School			
Teacher IC	Mdm Suryati			
Description of event	The above programme is for selected Primary 3 and 5 pupils. It uses Mathematics-related magic to develop pupils' Mathematical thinking and analytical thinking. It will also focus on the use of puzzles, hands-on activities and application tasks to develop pupils' problem-solving skills.			

Primary 5 National Education (NE) Show (Letter Reference 17/E/ 275)

Date: 2 July 2017 (Sunday)
Reporting time in school: 3.00 pm (School Hall)
Estimated arrival time back in school: Between 9.45 pm and 10.15 pm
Venue: Floating Platform
Teachers-in-charge: Ms Jessica Tang and the P5 teachers

Primary 5 pupils will be going for the NE Show. They are strongly encouraged to be attired in simple, red, short-sleeved T-shirts (with minimal design) and PE shorts. Pupils are to report to school and will be dismissed from school.

As 6 buses will be turning into the school that night, parents will **not be allowed** to park their vehicles along Tampines Street 42. You are kindly advised to park at the nearby HDB carparks.

P5 VIA Visit to Jamiyah Home for The Aged (Letter Reference 17/E/298)

Venue : Jamiyah Home for The Aged
Teachers-in-charge : Mdm Safiah and Mdm Joy Ong

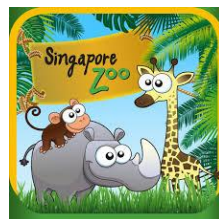


The Primary 5 pupils will be visiting Jamiyah Home for The Aged as part of their Values-in-Action (VIA) programme in Term 3. This is part of the school programme to promote awareness among our pupils towards caring for the elderly and providing them with an opportunity to be involved in community work.

Class	Date	Day	Time
P5.6	4 July 2017	Tuesday	2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.
P5.5	18 July 2017	Tuesday	
P5.1	27 July 2017	Thursday	

Primary 1 Learning Journey (Letter Reference 17/E/297)

Date: 7 July 2017 (Friday)
Time: During curriculum time
Venue: Singapore Zoological Gardens
Teacher-in-charge: Mrs Lata Menon



The objectives of the learning journey are two-fold:

- to allow our children to have an authentic learning experience;
- to enhance teaching and learning beyond the classroom context in order to have a better understanding of the subject matter

2017 International Competitions and Assessments for Schools (ICAS)

Subject	English Language	Mathematics	Mathematics
Date	11 July 2017 (Wednesday)	25 July 2017 (Tuesday)	26 July 2017* (Wednesday)
Level	Primary 3 - 6	Primary 3 - 5	Primary 6*
Time	2.00 pm – 3.15 pm	2.00 pm – 3.15 pm	2.30- 4.00 pm*
Teacher-in-charge	Mdm Habibah Tahar	Mdm Teo Shaw Ping	
Assembly Point	School Foyer		

*Change in date for P6s due to P6 Preliminary Oral Examination on 25 July 2017

Primary 4 Adventure Camp 2017 (Letter Reference 17/E/261)



Dates : 13 July 2017 (Thursday) – 15 July 2017
(Saturday)

Reporting time: 7.15 am (to school)

Dismissal time: 12.00 pm (from school)

Venue: MOE Dairy Farm Outdoor Adventure
Campsite (DFOAC)

Teachers-in-charge: Mr Daniel Vaithilingam (OIC)
and Mr Sean De Zilva (2IC)

As part of our holistic education for every pupil in the school, a residential 3D2N camp has been planned for your child / ward. The objectives of the camp are to enable our pupils to:

- experience and appreciate the outdoors and communal living;
- build resilience and independence through rugged outdoor communal living;
- be adaptable and appreciate diversity through working in teams in a new environment;
- develop positive relationships with teachers and peers through out-of-classroom interaction and challenging experiences.

Racial Harmony Day-cum-Mother Tongue Language Fortnight 2017

Date : 17 July 2017 (Monday) - 21 July 2017 (Friday)

Venue : Gongshang Primary School

Teachers-in-charge : Mr Isaac Foo, Mdm Roslinda, Mdm Sharifah, Mdm Wong Ngok Hiong, Mdm Marsita and Mdm Joy Ong

The CCE and MTL Departments are collaborating to celebrate Racial Harmony Day and MTL Fortnight 2017. Pupils will learn to appreciate the cultural and religious diversity in Singapore as well as the importance of harmonious living. This year's activities will focus on Singapore's traditional festivals. The



event will provide a platform for pupils to actively use their Mother Tongue Language in a meaningful and effective way. Pupils will get to learn more about their cultural roots through various engaging activities such as viewing exhibits of the traditional festivals, taking part in quizzes, riding on a trishaw and taking photographs at a special photo booth.

School Safety and Security

As part of the school's continuous effort to ensure a safe school environment, we would like to inform you that the school gates will be closed at the following timing, unless it is raining.

7.25 am to 7.40 am	School morning assembly
9.00 am to 10.30 am	Recess time
1.00 pm to 1.30 pm	Dismissal time (Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri) *
12.00 pm to 12.30 pm	Dismissal time (Wed) *
2.00 pm to 2.30 pm	

* Gates will only re-open after the last school bus has left the school

We seek the cooperation of all parents and guardians not to remain or enter the school premises earlier than the stipulated timing if you are fetching your child / ward. Likewise, the walk-in side gate along Tampines Street 42 will only be opened 10 minutes before dismissal.

Cyberwellness Message

How should we practise appropriate and safe online self-disclosure?

Guiding Principles for Appropriate Self-Disclosure

Be true to yourself and do not express yourself as someone you are not for the purpose of gaining attention.



Do not disclose your personal and private information online, especially those that can endanger yourself or your friends (e.g. addresses, contact numbers, date of birth, places which you frequent).

Know who can see your online posts; someone whom you think is a friend may not be a friend after all. Set your user settings to 'Private' on social networking sites so that only your family and close friends can read your posts.



Do not upload or send photos that can be used against you via electronic means (e.g. SMS, email, WhatsApp). For example, photos which you will not want your parents to see or know about.

When in doubt, do not be afraid to report abuse to a trusted adult (e.g. parents, teacher).



Source : <https://ictconnection.moe.edu.sg/cyber-wellness/cyber-wellness-101/online-identity-and-expression>

For more tips on Cyberwellness, do visit <https://ictconnection.moe.edu.sg/cyber-wellness/cyber-wellness-101>

