



# FERN GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

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School Vision: Reflective Inquirers, Aspiring Advocates, Steadfast Leader

School Core Values: Respect, Responsibility, Resilience, Integrity, Care, Harmony

**T2W9  
Parents  
Notification**

17 May 2023

Dear Parents,

## **Our Strategic Thrusts**

ST1: Nurturing Future-Ready Learners

ST2: Growing Competent & Happy Staff

ST3: Fostering Effective Partnerships

No.	Item
1.	<b><u>Calendar of Events (T2W9 &amp; T2W10)</u></b>  <b>T2W9</b> <b>Monday, 15 May</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Mother Tongue Language Fortnight</li><li>P4&amp;6: NAPFA Test - Static 5 Stations (During Curriculum Time)</li><li>7:30am Assembly: Hari Raya Puasa Celebration</li><li>8:30am P3 CL Students: Comic Workshop</li><li>2:00pm P1&amp;2 TL Students: Speech and Drama Enrichment</li><li>3:00pm P4 [Selected Students]: E2K Science</li></ul> <b>Tuesday, 16 May</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Mother Tongue Language Fortnight</li><li>P4&amp;6: NAPFA Test - Static 5 Stations (During Curriculum Time)</li><li>P1: Student Leadership Cohort Training (During PAL)</li><li>9:30am P3 CL Students: Comic Workshop</li><li>2:30pm P4-6: CCA</li></ul> <b>Wednesday, 17 May</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Mother Tongue Language Fortnight</li><li>P4&amp;6: NAPFA Test - Static 5 Stations (During Curriculum Time)</li><li>2:00pm P3&amp;4 [Registered Students]: Conversational Chinese &amp; Malay (CCM) [Session 5]</li></ul> <b>Thursday, 18 May</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Mother Tongue Language Fortnight</li><li>P4&amp;6: NAPFA Test - Static 5 Stations (During Curriculum Time)</li><li>7:30am Form Teacher Guidance Period (FTGP)</li><li>9:30am Fun Science @Recess</li><li>12:30pm P3 ML &amp; TL Students: Comic Workshop</li><li>2:00pm P5 [Selected Students]: E2K Science</li><li>2:00pm P1&amp;2 TL Students: Speech and Drama Enrichment</li><li>2:00pm P3-6 HMTL (Except P3&amp;6 HML) Students: e-Learning [Online]</li></ul> <b>Friday, 19 May</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Mother Tongue Language Fortnight</li><li>P4&amp;6: NAPFA Test - Static 5 Stations (During Curriculum Time)</li><li>9:30am</li></ul>

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	<p>P3 ML &amp; TL Students: Comic Workshop</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2:00pm</li></ul> <p>P3&amp;4 TL Students: MTL Fortnight [Cultural Programme]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2:00pm</li></ul> <p>P6 HML Students: e-Learning [Online]</p>
	<p><b>Saturday, 20 May</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 8:00am</li></ul> <p>P3-6 Parents Workshop: SCI [Via Zoom]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 9:30am</li></ul> <p>P3-6 Parents Workshop: CL [Via Zoom]</p>
	<p><b>T2W10</b></p>
	<p><b>Monday, 22 May</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• English Language Week</li><li>• Mother Tongue Language Fortnight</li><li>• Assembly: Sharing on English Language Week</li><li>• 8:30am</li></ul> <p>P3 ML &amp; TL Students: Comic Workshop</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2:30pm</li></ul> <p>P1 &amp; P2 TL Students: Little Stars of Broadway</p>
	<p><b>Tuesday, 23 May</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• English Language Week</li><li>• Mother Tongue Language Fortnight</li><li>• P1: Maker Education [Session 1]</li><li>• 2:30pm</li></ul> <p>P4-6: CCA</p>
	<p><b>Wednesday, 24 May</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• English Language Week</li><li>• Mother Tongue Language Fortnight</li><li>• 8:00am</li></ul> <p>P1&amp;2: MTL Speech and Drama Showcase</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 11:00am</li></ul> <p>P2 CL &amp; ML Students: Little Stars of Broadway</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2:00pm</li></ul> <p>P3&amp;4 [Registered Students]: Conversational Chinese &amp; Malay (CCM) [Session 6]</p>
	<p><b>Thursday, 25 May</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• English Language Week</li><li>• Mother Tongue Language Fortnight</li><li>• 7:30am</li></ul> <p>Form Teacher Guidance Period (FTGP)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2:00pm</li></ul> <p>P1-6: PCTC</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2:00pm</li></ul> <p>P3-6 HMTL (Except P3&amp;6 HML) Students: e-Learning [Online]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2:15pm</li></ul> <p>4R1: Social Studies Learning Journey</p>
	<p><b>Friday, 26 May</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Eat With Your Family Day [School Closes at 5.00pm]</li><li>• 8:00am</li></ul> <p>P1-6: PCTC</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2:00pm</li></ul> <p>P6 HML Students: e-Learning [Online]</p>

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	<p><b>NB:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• School Vacation: <u>Saturday, 27 May to Sunday, 25 June</u></li><li>• School reopens on <u>Monday, 26 June</u></li></ul> <p>(Information correct as on 17 May 2023. For updates or to subscribe to our calendars, please visit the school website at <a href="https://www.ferngreenpri.moe.edu.sg/general-information/School-Calendar/">https://www.ferngreenpri.moe.edu.sg/general-information/School-Calendar/</a> )</p>
2.	<p><b><u>Values Inculcation: Values in Action (VIA) at Home</u></b></p> <p>Good values are best taught and reinforced in school and at home. Thus, the school implements VIA (Values in Action) at Home as part of school's efforts to develop positive values and important life skills in our children.</p> <p>Please encourage your child to attempt the tasks listed under the various School Core Values on page 17 of the Student Handbook (VIA at Home). Kindly tick the box(es) next to the task(s) which your child has performed and sign at the bottom of the page. Our teachers will be checking the Student Handbook and encouraging the students to try out the various tasks at home.</p> <p>There is no need to tick every box, just the ones which your child has carried out the corresponding tasks. This will give us an idea on the extent our children are able to put these values into practice at home. We hope our children will continue to practise these good values and habits in school and at home with our continued support and encouragement.</p>
3.	<p><b><u>Updated Canteen Menu: Choices of Packet/Bottled Drinks</u></b></p> <p>The Healthy Meals in Schools Programme (HMSP) encourages healthier food and beverage choices in schools. It aims to help students cultivate healthy eating habits right from their youth.</p> <p>To better align with the HMSP's efforts, please note that, with effect from Term 3 (from <b>Monday, 26 June 2023</b>), choices of <u>packet/bottled drinks</u> in the school canteen will be <b>limited to</b> the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Milk</li><li>• Milo</li><li>• Ovaltine</li><li>• Mineral Water</li></ul> <p>Parents may refer to the school website for the updated canteen menu.</p>
4.	<p><b><u>English Language (EL) Fiesta 2023: Characters Alive Day</u></b></p> <p>With reference to <a href="#">T2W6's Parents Notification</a> [No. 4: <i>EL (English Language) Fiesta 2023</i>], kindly be reminded that the activities lined up for EL Fiesta 2023 will be carried out in <b>T2W10, from 22 to 25 May</b>.</p> <p>Students and parents are reminded that on <b>Characters Alive Day (24 May 2023)</b>, where students will be <b>encouraged to come dressed up as characters of the books they have read</b>, students are to abide by the following dress code:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1) The outfit:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ covers shoulders</li><li>○ is minimally knee-length</li><li>○ does not contain any offensive wordings/images</li></ul></li><li>2) Only school shoes are allowed for footwear.</li></ol>

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3) Simple and school-appropriate props/accessories are allowed.

Students are to **bring along their PE attire for PE lessons** and will be allowed to change out of the costumes/outfits when they feel uncomfortable and/or warm.

**5. Fern Green STEM Challenge 2023**

The Science Department is excited to announce that the school is participating in the STEM Playground 2023 Challenge, “SEA-RIOUS” CHALLENGER, organised by:



Through this STEM challenge, we hope to provide an opportunity for students to

- showcase their knowledge, skills and talents in a fun and engaging way;
- develop a deeper appreciation for the sciences and technology.

**So, what is the STEM Challenge?**

Build a boat that could hold a mass of 100g and stay afloat for at least 20 seconds!

**Challenge period:**

- 22 May to 14 July (T2W10 to T3W2)
- Last submission date: 14 July 2023 @1700

More details on the STEM challenge and submission will be disseminated to all students via SLS from 22 May 2023.

**Target participants:**

P1 to P6 students

*Why P1 & P2?*

We hope to give our P1 & P2 students a head start through this challenge and develop their interest and curiosity in Science!

**For clarification:**

For clarification, parents can email our teacher-in-charge, Ms Yeo Hwee Hwee at [yeo\\_hwee\\_hwee@moe.edu.sg](mailto:yeo_hwee_hwee@moe.edu.sg).

We look forward to receiving your child’s participation through the SLS. And we certainly hope parents will have fun bonding with your child through this STEM challenge activity!

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6.	<p><b><u>P6: 2023 Primary Six Leaving Examination (PSLE) – Examination Rules and Regulations for Candidates</u></b></p> <p>All Primary 6 students will receive the <i>2023 PSLE Examination Rules and Regulations for Candidates</i> booklets on <b>Thursday, 18 May 2023</b>.</p> <p>Candidates and parents can also access the softcopy booklet via the SEAB (Singapore Examinations and Assessment Board) website ( <a href="http://www.seab.gov.sg">http://www.seab.gov.sg</a> ) from <b>Friday, 19 May 2023</b> onwards.</p> <p>All Primary 6 students will be briefed by their Form Teachers on the examination rules and regulations stated in the booklet before PSLE to ensure that they are clear about the expectations.</p>

Thank you.

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