



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

**T2W5
Parents
Notification**

17 April 2024

Dear Parents,

Our Strategic Thrusts

ST1: Nurturing Future-Ready Learners

ST2: Growing Competent & Happy Staff

ST3: Fostering Effective Partnerships

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1.	Calendar of Events (T2W5 & T2W6)
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T2W5

Monday, 15 April

- 7:30am
Assembly: Hari Raya Puasa Celebration
- 2:00pm
P6 Supplementary Lessons
- 2:00pm
P5 (Selected Students): E2K Math
- 2:00pm
P3, P4 & P5 (Selected Students): Remedial Lessons (1st Slot)
- 2:00pm
P6 FMA Lessons
- 3:00pm
P3, P4 & P5 (Selected Students): Remedial Lessons (2nd Slot)

Tuesday, 16 April

- P3 CL Enrichment Programme
- 10:30am
P1 & P2 ML Little Stars Programme
- 10:30am
P2 CL Enrichment Programme: Speech and Drama
- 2:30pm
P4 to P6: CCA

Wednesday, 17 April

- P3 CL Enrichment Programme
- Recess Art Jam
- 10:30am
P2 CL Enrichment Programme: Speech and Drama
- 2:00pm
P4 HCL Enrichment Programme: Poem Writing

Thursday, 18 April

- P3 CL Enrichment Programme
- Recess Art Jam
- 7:30am
P1 to P5: FTGP
- 7:30am
P6: Performance Character Programme
- 10:30am
P1 & P2 ML Little Stars Programme
- 2:00pm
P6 Supplementary Lessons
- 2:00pm
P3 to P6 HMTL Lessons (Except P3 HML & P4 HML)

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- 2:00pm
P4 & P5 (Selected Students): Remedial Lessons (1st Slot)
- 3:00pm
P5 (Selected Students): E2K Science
- 3:00pm
P4 & P5 (Selected Students): Remedial Lessons (2nd Slot)

Friday, 19 April

- Recess Art Jam
- 2:00pm
Prefects' Investiture Rehearsal
- 2:00pm
P1 & P2 TL Enrichment Programme: Speech and Drama

T2W6**Monday, 22 April**

- 7:30am
Assembly: Earth Day
- 11:30am
5H: Applied Learning Programme - Design Thinking for School Improvement (Pre-Workshop Preparation)
- 2:00pm
P6 Supplementary Lessons
- 2:00pm
P5 (Selected Students): E2K Math
- 2:00pm
P3, P4 & P5 (Selected Students): Remedial Lessons (1st Slot)
- 2:00pm
P6 FMA Lessons
- 3:00pm
P3, P4 & P5 (Selected Students): Remedial Lessons (2nd Slot)

Tuesday, 23 April

- 6I: NAPFA Test - 1.6km Run
- P3 ML & TL Enrichment Programme: Comics
- 10:30am
P1 & P2 ML Little Stars Programme
- 10:30am
P2 CL Enrichment Programme: Speech and Drama
- 11:30am
5C: Applied Learning Programme - Design Thinking for School Improvement (Pre-Workshop Preparation)
- 12:30pm
5R1: Applied Learning Programme - Design Thinking for School Improvement (Pre-Workshop Preparation)
- 2:30pm
P4 to P6: CCA

Wednesday, 24 April

- 6C|6H|6M: NAPFA Test - 1.6km Run
- P3 ML & TL Enrichment Programme: Comics
- 10:30am
P2 CL Enrichment Programme: Speech and Drama
- 2:00pm
P3 & P4 [Registered Students]: Conversational Chinese & Malay (CCM) [Session 1]

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No. Item**Thursday, 25 April**

- 6R2|6R3: NAPFA Test - 1.6km Run
- P3 ML & TL Enrichment Programme: Comics
- 7:30am
FTGP
- 10:30am
P1 & P2 ML Little Stars Programme
- 10:30am
5D: Applied Learning Programme - Design Thinking for School Improvement (Pre-Workshop Preparation)
- 12:30pm
5R2: Applied Learning Programme - Design Thinking for School Improvement (Pre-Workshop Preparation)
- 2:00pm
P6 Supplementary Lessons
- 2:00pm
P3 to P6 HMTL Lessons (Except P3 HML & P4 HML)
- 2:00pm
P4 & P5 (Selected Students): Remedial Lessons (1st Slot)
- 3:00pm
P5 (Selected Students): E2K Science
- 3:00pm
P4 & P5 (Selected Students): Remedial Lessons (2nd Slot)

Friday, 26 April

- 6R1|6D: NAPFA Test - 1.6km Run
- 9:00am
1C|1H: Social Studies Learning Journey
- 12:30pm
5R3: Applied Learning Programme - Design Thinking for School Improvement (Pre-Workshop Preparation)
- 2:00pm
Prefects' Investiture Rehearsal
- 2:00pm
P1 & P2 TL Enrichment Programme: Speech and Drama

(Events listed above are for the masses. Information is correct as on 17 April 2024. For updates or to subscribe to our calendars, please visit the school website at <https://www.ferngreenpri.moe.edu.sg/general-information/School-Calendar/>)

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No. Item**2. [Updates] P1 & P2: Assessment on Attainment of Subject-Specific Learning Outcomes**

With reference to [T2W3's Parents Notification \(Item 2\)](#), P1 & P2 Subject Teachers will be reporting on students' attainment levels of the subject-specific Learning Outcomes in Term 2. As there are some **revisions** to the unpacking of P1 & P2's **Learning Outcomes for Art**, we would like to draw parents and students' attention to the **updated versions** below:

- Unpacking of Subject-Specific Learning Outcomes (LOs) for **Primary 1 [Updated]**:
<https://drive.google.com/file/d/19NXkIEyhsoOljO7hdcBVdcQsRok0haK/view?usp=sharing>
- Unpacking of Subject-Specific Learning Outcomes (LOs) for **Primary 2 [Updated]**:
<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1u6z8hNMSPQyI0M6HQXbTWAw--A4koRcQ/view?usp=sharing>

The above documents also serve to give parents and students a better idea of what will be assessed for the same Learning Outcome (LO) across the different school terms.

Should you need further clarification on the LOs, please feel free to speak with your child's Subject Teachers.

3. English Language (EL) Fiesta 2024

The EL Fiesta 2024 will be held in Term 2, Week 10, from Monday, 20 May to Thursday, 23 May. We have lined up a series of exciting activities to share the joy of reading.

The schedule for our EL Fiesta Week is as follows:

Day & Date	Activity
<i>Throughout EL Fiesta Week</i>	<p><u>Library Display: The Mystery of Books</u> Students are encouraged to explore the books of the mystery genre in the school library during their scheduled class library visits or respective recesses. They will be guided to read the synopsis of the book for them to get a general understanding of the book.</p>
<p>Monday, 20 May</p> <p>*Note:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The outfit should cover shoulders, is minimally knee-length and does not contain any offensive wordings/images. Simple and school-appropriate props/accessories are allowed but only school shoes are allowed for footwear. • Students are to bring their PE attire if they have PE lessons. 	<p><u>Characters Alive! Day</u> Students are encouraged to come to school dressed up as their favourite storybook characters. They should also bring along the corresponding books to share about the characters in class. *Please refer to the dress code stated in the left column.</p> <p><u>Assembly Programme</u> Venue: School Hall</p> <p>1) Launch of EL Fiesta Week Awards and tokens will be presented to students for the Wits and Words Challenge, "Reading Star" Badge Design Competition and "Print-to-Screen" SLS Challenge (for P4 to P6 only). There will also be an acknowledgement of participation for the Class Daily Reading Challenge and Book Review Sharing (for P1 to P3 only).</p> <p>After the presentations, students will view a video performance prepared by the MOE kindergarten teachers.</p>

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	<p>This performance is based on a story adapted from “Fish Ball” by Yung Him Ling. Students will also get a glimpse of the activities lined up for the week.</p> <p>2) Book Buzz by National Library Board (NLB): The Mystery of Books</p> <p>A short excerpt of a mystery story will be shared by invited guests from NLB. They will also share some recommendations of interesting books related to the genre of mystery with the students.</p> <p><u>Recess Activities</u> Venue: Sheltered Basketball Court</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Character Alive! Photobooth With their costumes, students can take photographs at the EL Fiesta Week photobooth to create memories with classmates, schoolmates and even with the teachers. • Stories Alive! Teachers will read stories to the students based on the characters they dressed up as.
	<p>Tuesday, 21 May</p> <p><u>Recess Activities</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Puppetry Act by FGPS Teachers Venue: School Library <p>The storyline of this act is based on the winning script submitted by our P4 to P6 students over the March holidays. The recorded story will be screened in the school library during recess.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Guess the Character” Bot Seat Venue: Sheltered Basketball Court <p>With the use of AI, students will get to ask questions to guess the mystery characters from the books on the library display. After keying in their questions, they will get responses that will help them uncover the mystery main characters of the stories.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Know your Books” Challenge Venue: Sheltered Basketball Court <p>In groups of 10, students will challenge their schoolmates on their knowledge of stories, characters and authors of books in a Kahoot! Challenge.</p>
	<p>Wednesday, 22 May</p> <p>Vesak Day Public Holiday</p> <p><i>No activities will be conducted.</i></p>

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<p>Thursday, 23 May</p>	<p><u>'EL is Fun!' Classroom Activities</u> Venue: Classrooms during English lessons</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <p>P1 and P2 The lower primary students will take part in a Spelling Bee Challenge where they will spell words that are related to the theme of mystery accurately.</p> <p>P3 and P4 The middle primary students will take part in the Tongue Twisters Challenge where they will challenge their classmates in reading the tongue twisters accurately and in the shortest time.</p> <p>P5 and P6 The upper primary students will take part in a Spin-A-Tale Challenge where they will create stories based on the given introduction as a group.</p> <p>Students can refer to the list of words, tongue twisters and introductions of Spin-A-Tale stories displayed on their class noticeboards at the start of the EL Fiesta week.</p>
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4. Preparation for Olympic Day 2024

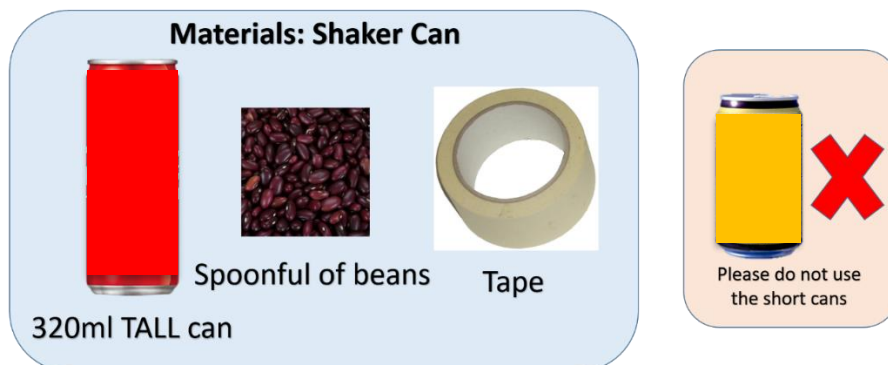
With reference to [T2W3's Parents Notification \(Item 4\)](#), students are strongly encouraged to login to the SLS portal and go through an **online Olympic Education learning experience** in the weeks leading to the Olympic Day event. We are pleased to announce that the online learning module will now be available **from Friday, 19 April to Friday, 17 May**.

Please also note that P1 to P4 students would be encouraged to complete the activities below with their parents at home.

Primary 1

In preparation for the FGPS Olympic Day on Friday, 17 May, Primary 1 students will need to make **one** can shaker at home. The video instructions on making the can shakers will be posted on the SLS platform from Friday, 19 April.

Materials required:



If you do not have any empty tall drink cans at home, your child may request for one from his/her PE teacher.

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Students are required to bring the completed shaker to school and hand it in to their Form Teachers by **Friday, 10 May**.

Primary 2

In preparation for the FGPS Olympic Day on Friday, 17 May, Primary 2 students will need to make a paper baseball bat at home. The video instructions on making the paper baseball bats will be posted on the SLS platform from Friday, 19 April.

The paper baseball bat can be made using recycled newspapers or magazines. Students are required to bring the completed paper baseball bat to school and hand it in to their Form Teachers by **Friday, 10 May**.

Materials required:



- Some old newspaper
- White paper
- Scissors
- Tape
- Glue

If you do not have any old newspapers at home, your child may collect some from his/her classroom.

Primary 3

In preparation for the FGPS Olympic Day on Friday, 17 May, Primary 3 students will need to make a paper floorball stick at home. The video instructions on making the paper floorball stick will be posted on the SLS platform from Friday, 19 April.

The paper floorball stick can be made using recycled newspapers or magazines. Students are required to bring the completed paper floorball stick to school and hand it in to their Form Teachers by **Friday, 10 May**.

Materials required:



- Some old newspaper
- White paper
- Scissors
- Tape
- Glue

If you do not have any old newspapers at home, your child may collect some from his/her classroom.

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Primary 4

In preparation for the FGPS Olympic Day on Friday, 17 May, Primary 4 students will need to make a paper javelin at home. The video instructions on making the paper javelin will be posted on the SLS platform from Friday, 19 April.

The paper javelin can be made using recycled newspapers or magazines and cardboard. Students are required to bring the completed paper javelin to school and hand it in to their Form Teachers by **Friday, 10 May**.

Materials required:



- Some old newspapers
- Cardboard
- Glue
- Scissors

If you do not have any old newspapers at home, your child may collect some from his/her classroom.

5. Achievements at the Raffles Mathematical Olympiad (RMO)

The Raffles Mathematical Olympiad (RMO), previously Raffles Institution Primary Mathematics World Contest (RIPMWC), started in 1996 with the aims to promote interest in Mathematics and develop problem-solving abilities through a friendly competition for MOE Primary School students.

This year, the school is represented by 20 P6 students who have given their best efforts at the RMO conducted on 26 March. We are proud to share that five of them have also achieved the following stellar results:

Name	Class	Certification
Wong Zheng An	6R1	Distinction
Lim Tristan	6R2	Distinction
Li Jingxuan	6I	Distinction
Chew Ru Xin Rosanna	6R2	Merit
Jton Ho Rui Hom	6I	Merit

Congratulations to all our P6 representatives!

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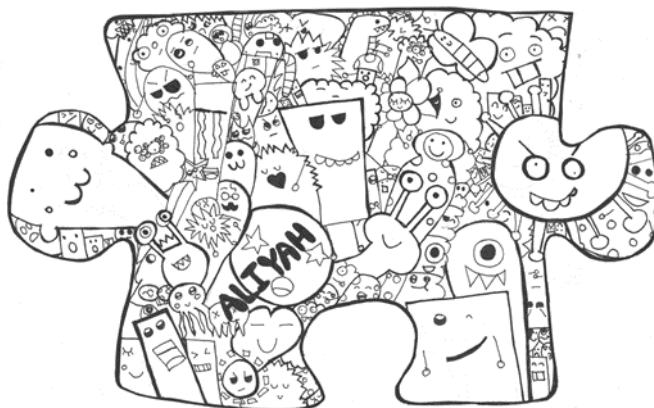
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6. [Reminder] Recess Art Jam: Doodle With Us!

Recess Art Jam is an initiative aimed at creating an artistic platform for our students to express their creativity as they engage in doodling and drawing in a spontaneous environment. Doodling helps students to relieve stress and allows one to indulge in practising mindfulness. Leveraging the theme for this year's Art Jam week, '**What I love about Fern Green Primary School**', students and teachers will be creating a doodle art piece collaboratively.



Doodle art by our Art Club student, Nur Aliyah Binte Nor Adam (4R3)

Recess Art Jam will take place in **Term 2, Week 5, from 17 to 19 April 2024 (Wednesday to Friday)**, during the three recesses (at the sheltered basketball court). All materials will be provided and our parent volunteers, Art Club students and Art Club teachers will be there to assist!

7. Positive Parenting Programme (Triple P): Seminars for Grandparents

Methodist Welfare Services Families For Life Community (MWS FFLC) is organising a series of seminars to support grandparents in enhancing their grandparenting capabilities.

The seminars will be conducted at

Venue: Sengkang Public Library

Address: 1 Sengkang Square, #04-19 Programme Zone, Singapore 545078

Date of Seminars:

- Thursday, 9 May 2024, 11:00am to 1:30pm
- Thursday, 16 May 2024, 11:00am to 1:00pm

More details can be found in the infographics here:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1EED2p2THLGKSjo0aMFiFEn2OqOn1XSch/view?usp=sharing>

Kindly note that registration is on a first-come, first-served basis.
Registration is open till Friday, 3 May 2024, 12:00pm.

Thank you.

Mr See Kok Kiong
Vice-Principal (Academic)