# FERN GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Tel: 68343100 Fax: 68343116 Web: www.ferngreenpri.moe.edu.sg School Vision: Reflective Inquirers, Aspiring Advocates, Steadfast Leader School Core Values: Respect, Responsibility, Resilience, Integrity, Care, Harmony

**T4W4 Parents Notification** 

#### Dear Parents,

# **Our Strategic Thrusts**

ST1: Future-Ready Learners

ST2: Accomplished and Engaged Professionals

ST3: Organisational Excellence

#### No. Item

#### 1. Calendar of Events (T4W4 & T4W5)

#### **T4W4**

#### Monday, 30 September

- P1: Home-based Learning (HBL) Day [No School for P1 Level]
- No Assembly
- 8:15am

PSLE Written Examination: MTL Paper 1

PSLE Written Examination: FMTL Paper 1

8:30am

3R3 | 3I: Social Studies Learning Journey

10:15am

PSLE Written Examination: MTL Paper 2

P3, P4 & P5 [Selected Students]: Remedial Lessons (1st Slot)

3:00pm

P3, P4 & P5 [Selected Students]: Remedial Lessons (2nd Slot)

# Tuesday, 1 October

- P1: Home-based Learning (HBL) Day [No School for P1 Level]
- 7:30am

4C | 4D | 4I | 4R1: Road Safety Programme

8:15am

PSLE Written Examination: SCI

8:15am

PSLE Written Examination: FSCI

8:30am

2C | 2D | 2R3 | 2M: Learning Journey to the Zoo

# Wednesday, 2 October

7:30am

4H | 4R2 | 4R3: Road Safety Programme

• 8:15am

PSLE Written Examination: HMTL Paper 1

8:30am

3R1: Social Studies Learning Journey

8:30am

2R1 | 2R2 | 2H | 2I: Learning Journey to the Zoo

10:15am

PSLE Written Examination: HMTL Paper 2

#### Thursday, 3 October

- Children's Day Celebration
- Early Dismissal [P1&3 at 10.25am; P2&4 at 10.30am; P5&6 at 10.35am]
- 7:30am

P1 to P6: FTGP

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ALP Tinkering Thursdays @ FGPS

## Friday, 4 October

Children's Day [School Holiday]

#### **T4W5**

# Monday, 7 October

7:30am

Assembly: MySkillsFuture

• 8:00am

6D | 6C | 6H: Art Programme - Leaving a Legacy (1/3)

• 8:00am

61 | 6M: Entrepreneurship Programme

• 8:00am

6R1 | 6R2 | 6R3: Post-Exam Ride Expedition

• 2:00pm

P3, P4 & P5 [Selected Students]: Remedial Lessons (1st Slot)

• 3:00pm

P3, P4 & P5 [Selected Students]: Remedial Lessons (2nd Slot)

# Tuesday, 8 October

No CCA

• 7:30am

6R1 I 6R3 I 6H: NE Quiz

8:00am

P5 EYE: EL Listening Comprehension

8:00am

P5 EYE: FEL Listening Comprehension

• 8:00am

P3 EYE: EL Listening Comprehension

• 8:00am

P4 EYE: EL Listening Comprehension

8:30am

6C | 6D | 6I | 6M: SwimSafer Programme (1/8)

• 8:30am

2H: Art Enrichment - Exploring My Emotions Through Art

• 10:30am

6R1 | 6R2 | 6R3 | 6H: SwimSafer Programme (1/8)

12:30pm

2R2: Art Enrichment - Exploring My Emotions Through Art

## Wednesday, 9 October

• 7:30am

6D I 6M: NE Quiz

8:00am

6I | 6C | 6H: Post-Exam Ride Expedition

8:00am

P5 EYE: EL Paper 1

• 8:00am

P5 EYE: FEL Paper 1

8:00am

P3 EYE: EL Paper 1

• 8:00am

P4 EYE: EL Paper 1

**Our Strategic Thrusts** ST1: Future-Ready Learners ST2: Accomplished and Engaged Professionals ST3: Organisational Excellence No. Item 8:30am 6R1 | 6R2: Entrepreneurship Programme (1/2) 10:00am 6D: Entrepreneurship Programme (2/2) 10:30am 6R3 | 6M: Art Programme - Leaving a Legacy (2/3) Thursday, 10 October World Mental Health Day 7:30am 6R1: Advocates with Heart (Preparation) 7:30am 6R2 I 6I I 6C: NE Quiz 7:30am P1 to P6: FTGP 8:00am 6D | 6M: Post-Exam Ride Expedition 8:30am 6R3 | 6H: Entrepreneurship Programme (1/2) 8:45am P5 EYE: FMTL Listening Comprehension • 8:45am P5 EYE: MTL Listening Comprehension P3 EYE: MTL Listening Comprehension 10:00am 6C: Entrepreneurship Programme (2/2) 10:00am P4 EYE: MTL Listening Comprehension 10:30am 6R1 | 6R2 | 6I: Art Programme - Leaving a Legacy (3/3) 2:00pm P3 to P5 HMTL Lessons (Except P3 HML, P4 HML & P4 HTL) 2:00pm P4 & P5 [Selected Students]: Remedial Lessons (1st Slot) 3:00pm P4 & P5 [Selected Students]: Remedial Lessons (2nd Slot) Friday, 11 October 7:30am 6R1 I 6R2: Advocates with Heart (Preparation) 7:30am 6R3 I 6H: Entrepreneurship Programme (2/2) 2R3: Art Enrichment - Exploring My Emotions Through Art 8:00am P5 EYE: MTL Paper 1 • 8:00am P3 EYE: MTL Paper 1 8:00am P4 EYE: MTL Paper 1 6C | 6D | 6I | 6M: SwimSafer Programme (2/8) 10:30am

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6R1 | 6R2 | 6R3 | 6H: SwimSafer Programme (2/8)

(Events listed above are for the masses. Information is correct as on 2 October 2024. 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>)

# 2. [Reminder] Children's Day Celebration & Early Dismissal on Thursday, 3 October 2024

The school will be celebrating Children's Day on Thursday, 3 October 2024.

Besides the Children's' Day Concert, there will also be a special segment where students will get to have a snack break with their Form Teachers and their peers in their respective classrooms so they can bond with one another during this special occasion. **Students are encouraged to bring along a light snack** on that day and are reminded not to prepare/purchase food for sharing in class.

Students will also be required to don their PE attire for the class-based activities planned for the day. Kindly note that lessons will be suspended on that day, and that students will be dismissed earlier, according to the timings below:

- P1 & P3 at 10:25am
- P2 & P4 at 10:30am
- P5 & P6 at 10:35am

NB: Staggered dismissal arrangements (at the car porch / by the gates) apply.

# 3. [Reminder] No School on 14, 15 & 16 October: PSLE Marking Exercise | e-Learning Days for P1 to P5 Levels

The PSLE Marking Exercise will commence on <u>Monday</u>, <u>14 October</u> and end on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>16 October</u> (ref: <u>T3W1's Parents Notification</u>, Item 2). **Kindly be reminded that there will be no school on these days.** 

Some activities may be scheduled for selected groups of students on these days. Please refer to the notifications (issued or to be issued) for details should your child be required to come to school to participate in these planned activities.

As part of school's curriculum continuity plan, we have also designated the abovementioned dates (14 to 16 October) as our e-Learning Days for our P1 to P5 students. This would again, help prepare them for any emergency school closures due to unforeseen circumstances.

School will resume on Thursday, 17 October.

# 4. P1 to P5: e-Learning Days on 14, 15 & 16 October (during PSLE Marking Exercise)

With reference to <u>T3W1's Parents Notification</u> (Item 2) and Item 2 above, there will be **no school** for P1 to P6 students on 14, 15 & 16 October (Monday to Wednesday, during PSLE Marking Exercise). P1 to P5 students will be going on e-learning on these days instead.

Please note that, due to teachers' involvement in the PSLE Marking Exercise, Zoom (synchronous) lessons will not be conducted over the e-Learning Days. Instead, students will be guided to access their online assignments and the online learning resources via the Student Learning Space (SLS). Please allow your child access to a computing device and the Internet on these days and ensure that he/she completes the tasks assigned.

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If your child's SLS account requires a password reset, please get in touch with his/her Form Teacher before the e-Learning Days. If your child is unable to log in to his/her SLS account on the e-Learning Days, please email SLS Helpdesk (helpdesk@sls.ufinity.com), indicating the name of our school, full name and form class of your child.

Copies of the lesson guides embedded in the SLS lesson packages can also be retrieved from our Google site on the designated e-Learning Days at <a href="https://sites.google.com/moe.edu.sg/fgps-elearning?usp=sharing">https://sites.google.com/moe.edu.sg/fgps-elearning?usp=sharing</a>

The above link could also be found on our school website: <a href="https://www.ferngreenpri.moe.edu.sg/general-information/e-learning/">https://www.ferngreenpri.moe.edu.sg/general-information/e-learning/</a>

For further queries, please contact:

# 1. SLS Helpdesk

• Tel: (65) 6702 6513

# **Operating Hours:**

Mondays to Fridays	9.00am to 9.00pm
Saturdays	9.00am to 3.00pm
Closed on Sundays & Public Holidays	

- Email: helpdesk@sls.ufinity.com
  - Please indicate the name of our school, full name and form class of your child in the email.

#### NB:

Students can also perform simple troubleshooting by following the instructions below:

- Reset SLS password
  - <a href="https://www.learning.moe.edu.sg/login-troubleshooting/authentication/reset-sls-password-student/">https://www.learning.moe.edu.sg/login-troubleshooting/authentication/reset-sls-password-student/</a>
- Forgot Username
  - <a href="https://www.learning.moe.edu.sg/login-troubleshooting/authentication/forgot-sls-username/">https://www.learning.moe.edu.sg/login-troubleshooting/authentication/forgot-sls-username/</a>

# 2. Ms Mastura, Head of Department for ICT (General Enquiries)

Tel: (65) 6834 3100

Email: mastura\_samsuddin@moe.edu.sg

# 3. Mdm Yang Siying, ICT Manager (Technical Support)

Tel: (65) 6834 3100

Email: yang\_siying@moe.edu.sg

Please also note that the school-based Student Care Centre (SCC) will be in operation on the abovementioned dates from 7.00am to 7.00pm.

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# 5. [Reminder] P6 SwimSafer Programme

The P6 SwimSafer Programme will commence in T4W5. The schedules are as follows:

Dates	Time	Classes	Venues
08 Oct, 11 Oct, 18 Oct, 22 Oct,	1030 to 1300	6R1, 6R2,	Anchorvale Swimming
25 Oct, 29 Oct, 1 Nov, 5 Nov	1030 10 1300	6R3, 6H	Pool
08 Oct, 22 Oct, 29 Oct,1 Nov,	0830 to 1130	6C, 6D,	Yio Chu Kang Swimming
5 Nov	0030 10 1130	6I, 6M	Pool
11 Oct, 18 Oct, 25 Oct	0830 to 1130	6C, 6D, 6I, 6M	Yishun Swimming Pool

# Packing List

P6 participants are to bring along and pack the following items in a small bag:

- Swimming attire (6C, 6D, 6I & 6M participants may come to school with their swimwear under their PE attire.)
- Extra set of PE attire
- Extra set of undergarments
- Goggles
- Small towel
- Water bottle
- Small bottle of sunblock
- Extra plastic bag for wet items after swimming
- Slippers (optional)

# 6. [Reminder] P6 Expedition to Kampong Lorong Buangkok (Cycle/Hike)

As a culminating event for Outdoor Education, the P6 students will embark on an expedition to Kampong Lorong Buangkok. This will include a personalised tour of Singapore's last kampong, where students will have the opportunity to cycle or walk along the shared path of our Park Connectors (PCN). They will also learn to navigate around with the help of Google Maps to reach their destination and designated checkpoints.

The schedules are as follows:

Date	Monday,	Wednesday,	Thursday,
	7 October	9 October	10 October
Classes	6R1, 6R2, 6R3	6I, 6C, 6H	6D, 6M

#### Attire

- PE attire
- Sports shoes (optional)

# Packing List to go with a Small Haversack

(no sling bags allowed)

- Emergency rain poncho & sun protection
- Minimally 1 litre of water
- Light snack
- Insect repellent
- Own helmet & gloves (optional)

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# 7. 2<sup>nd</sup> Emergency Evacuation Exercise for 2024

The school will be conducting our second Emergency Evacuation Exercise in Term 4 to further enhance our preparedness for real emergencies. This exercise is essential in ensuring that both students and staff know how to respond effectively in a crisis situation.

A briefing and a debrief will be conducted for the students prior to and after the commencement of the exercise.

# 8. Applied Learning Programme (ALP): Tinkering Thursdays @FGPS

# Tinkering @Home

The third SLS (Student Learning Space) activity, *Toy Parachute Making*, was a hit and we received a high number of entries from our students! Class winners have been recognised with certificates of achievement, and their names were published and shared with the school via our TV messaging system.

The fourth and final Tinkering @Home SLS activity for this year, *Marble Maze*, will be published on **Thursday**, **3 October**. We encourage students to complete the activity and submit a photo of their prototypes, via the embedded link (to Padlet) in the SLS activity package, **by Thursday**, **17 October**.

Outstanding prototypes will be identified and showcased in class, and students will get to vote for the most creative *Marble Maze*! Winners from each class will also be awarded a Certificate of Achievement.

#### Tinkering @Recess

The fourth *Tinkering @Recess* activity for the year will take place on **Thursday**, **17 October!** 

# **Previous Activities**

- Term 2
  - Primary 1 to 3: Button Badge Making
  - o Primary 4 to 6: Digital Pen Art
- Term 3
  - Primary 1 to 3: Kazoo Making & Paper Craft
  - Primary 4 to 6: Automata Construction & Paper Circuit

#### **Upcoming Activities**

- Term 4 (on Thursday, 17 October)
  - o Primary 1 to 3: Shrink Art
  - Primary 4 to 6: Vibrobot Making

Students are encouraged to visit the SBC (Sheltered Basketball Court) during recess on Thursday, 17 October to participate in the above hands-on activities and create their very own prototypes which they can bring home!

Thank you.

Mr See Kok Kiong Vice-Principal (Academic)