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Fun with Mother Tongue Languages!  
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## MOTHER TONGUE LANGUAGES

### CHINESE



# WHY IS THIS SHARING IMPORTANT ?

1. Parents and schools are key partners in the learning journey of the children.
2. With good understanding of the challenges in learning MTL, parents can better support their children's learning.
3. Parents involvement has an impact on the motivation of students' learning in MTL.



# OBJECTIVES

To provide:

1. an understanding of Fern Green MTL teaching approaches
2. developing reading habit for MTL storybooks
3. ideas on how to support learning of MTL

# OUTLINE

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1. Fern Green Primary reading programme, teaching and learning approaches
2. Resources that support learning
3. How parents can support in the learning of MTL



# DOMINANT LANGUAGE USED IN FAMILY

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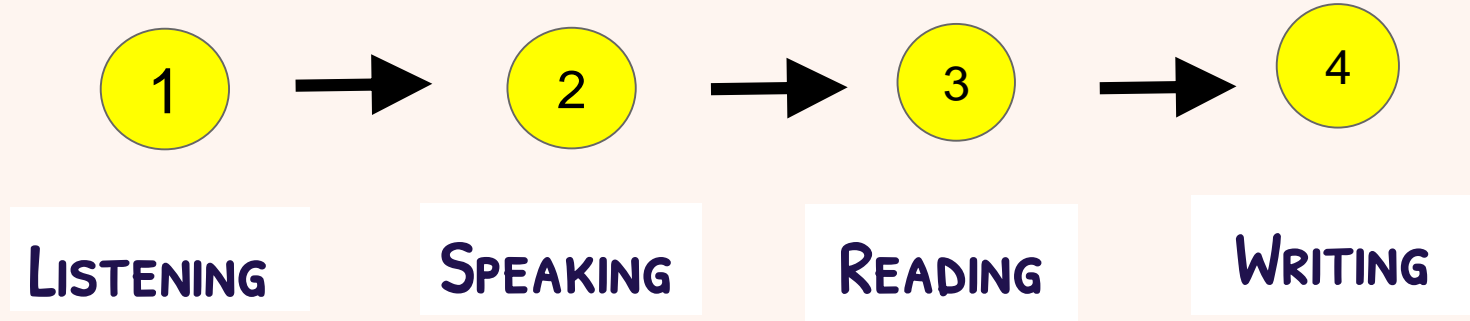
- English becoming a dominant language used in homes across all communities. Home language was found to influence students' attitudes towards and proficiency in MTL.

# MTL DEPARTMENT VISION

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Effective communicators and critical thinkers who are culturally savvy and socially connected globally.

# TEXTBOOK APPROACH





# CURRENT SYLLABUS – FRAMING

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- Student-centred
- Foregrounds the teaching of listening and speaking
- Builds strong foundation in listening and speaking, moves on to reading and writing
- Scaffolds learning in a step-by-step manner

# FGPS TEACHING AND LEARNING APPROACH

## EXPERIENTIAL APPROACH



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## INQUIRY-BASED LEARNING (IBL)



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# MOTHER TONGUE LANGUAGES FORTNIGHT



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## CHARACTER ALIVE

# READING PROGRAMME

## STORY BOOK GALORE



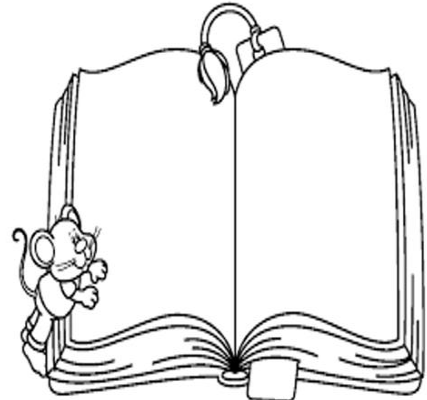
## Fun Reading activities



எனக்குப் பிடித்த  
சொல் /  
சொற்கள்



கதை நடந்த இடம்





# READING PROGRAMME



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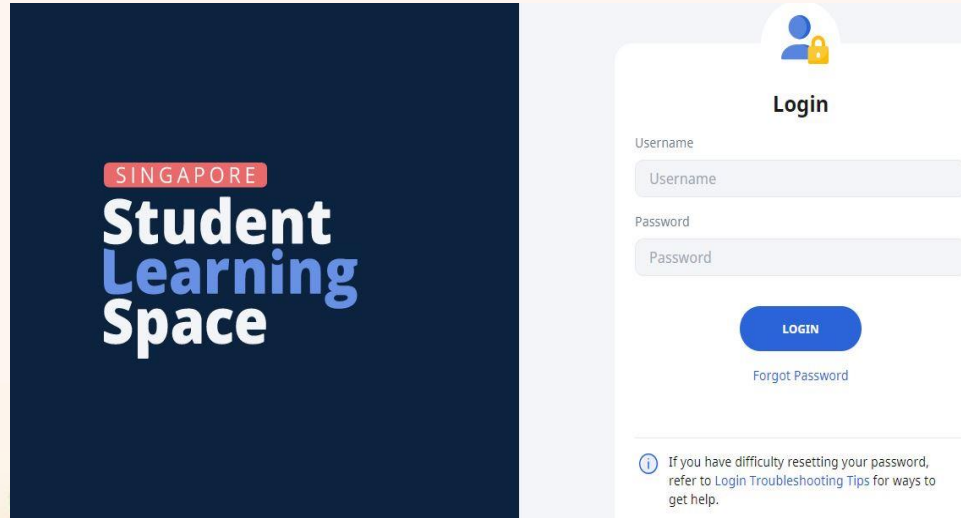


# SUPPORT FROM PARENTS

1. Be involved in child's learning, e.g, learning portfolio Inquiry- Based Learning, spelling, etc
2. Provide an environment that encourages the use of Mother Tongue Languages
3. Provide exposure to Mother Tongue language

# LEARNING RESOURCES

<https://vle.learning.moe.edu.sg/>

The image shows a screenshot of the Singapore Student Learning Space login interface. On the left, a dark blue box contains the text "SINGAPORE Student Learning Space" in white and blue. On the right, a white login form is displayed. At the top of the form is a user icon and the word "Login". Below this are input fields for "Username" and "Password". A blue "LOGIN" button is positioned below the password field, with a "Forgot Password" link underneath it. At the bottom of the form, there is an information icon and a note: "If you have difficulty resetting your password, refer to Login Troubleshooting Tips for ways to get help." The background of the entire page features a light green gradient with faint illustrations of various tropical plants like monstera and ferns at the bottom.

# LEARNING RESOURCES (CHINESE LANGUAGE)

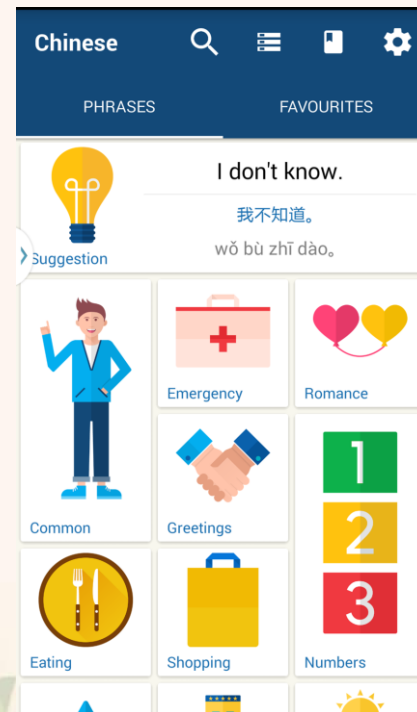
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Bravolol



Online animation



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# E- book from NLB

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<https://go.gov.sg/children-books-we-love>

电子书已借出? 欢迎免费预约!

高年级





# LEARNING RESOURCES (MALAY LANGUAGE)

## APPLICATION FOR LEARNING OF BAHASA MALAYU

- ✓ PINTAR KATA
- ✓ BITARA KATA
- ✓ CERITA RAKYAT NUSANTARA
- ✓ LEGENDA SINGAPURA



- ✓ UPIN & IPIN
- ✓ PADA ZAMAN DAHULU...
- ✓ ALMARI AJAIB
- ✓ SKUAD CILIK
- ✓ DIDI & FRIEND

## SUITABLE VIDEOS / TV PROGRAMMES



# LEARNING RESOURCES (TAMIL LANGUAGE)

✿ Manavar Murasu Puthir



✿ NLB Tamil E-books



✿ Sol Paarpom





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At the end of the day,  
the most overwhelming  
key to child's success is  
the positive involvement  
of the parents.

Jane D. Hull



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