



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*

**T1W10 Parents
Notification**

Dear Parents,

9 Mar 2022

Our Strategic Thrusts

ST1: *Nurturing Future-Ready Learners*

ST2: *Growing Competent & Happy Staff*

ST3: *Fostering Effective Partnerships*

No	Item	ST
1	<p><u>Calendar of Events (T1W10 to T2W1)</u></p> <p>T1W10</p> <p>Monday, 7 March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7:45am P1 I/C/H: P1 Music Milestone Programme - STOMP (Session 2) 7:45am P1 R1/R3: P1 Get REAL!@FGPS Safe Cycling Programme (Session 2) <p>Tuesday, 8 March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12:15pm Class-Based Programme: Happy Toilets Poster Making & Love Your Food Programme 2:30pm P3-5: eCCA <p>Wednesday, 9 March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7:30am Class Contact Time: Police Pal <p>Thursday, 10 March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7:45am P2 R1/R2/R3/M: P2 Get REAL!@FGPS Safe Cycling Programme (Session 2) 7:45am P2 C/D/G/H/I: Baseline ICT Programme (Session 3) 2:15pm P3&5 HMTL Lessons <p>Friday, 11 March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eat with Your Family Day [School Closes at 5pm] 7:45am P1 D/G: P1 Music Milestone Programme - STOMP (Session 2) 7:45am P1 M/R2: P1 Get REAL!@FGPS Safe Cycling Programme (Session 2) 2:15pm P4: Cohort Student Leadership Training <p>NB: School Vacation starts on Saturday, 12 March 2022 and ends on Sunday, 20 March 2022. School reopens on Monday, 21 March 2022.</p> <p>T2W1</p> <p>Monday, 21 March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2:15pm P5 E2K Science Programme (for Selected Students) 2:15pm P3-5: Remedial Lessons (1st Slot, for Selected Students) 3:15pm P3-5: Remedial Lessons (2nd Slot, for Selected Students) <p>Tuesday, 22 March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> World Water Day 	ST1 ST3

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">12:15pm Class-Based Programme: Briefing on Emergency Evacuation & Lock-Down Drills2:30pm P3-5: CCA (for Group A Only) <p>Wednesday, 23 March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">7:30am Class Contact Time: TTSH Post-Donation Closure <p>Thursday, 24 March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">2:15pm P4 E2K Science Programme (for Selected Students)2:15pm P3&5 HMTL Lessons2:15pm P3-5: Remedial Lessons (1st Slot, for Selected Students)3:15pm P3-5: Remedial Lessons (2nd Slot, for Selected Students) <p>Friday, 25 March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">2:15pm P3-5: Prefects Training <p>Saturday, 26 March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">8:15am Parents Workshops: Concurrent Sessions 19:45am Parents Workshops: Concurrent Sessions 211:15am Parents Workshops: Concurrent Sessions 3 <p>(Information correct as on 9 March. For updates or to subscribe to our calendars, please visit the school website at https://ferngreenpri.moe.edu.sg/general-information/school-calendar)</p>	ST															
2	<p><u>Purchase of MTL dictionary (P5 students)</u></p> <p>Singapore Examinations and Assessment Board (SEAB) allows the use of approved dictionaries for Composition during PSLE. In addition, Chinese Language students are allowed to use e-dictionaries. In alignment with this policy, the school will allow the use of dictionaries from the P5 End-Of-Year Examination onward.</p> <p>The following dictionaries are available for sale in our school bookshop:</p> <table border="1"><thead><tr><th>Dictionary</th><th>Language</th><th>Price</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>Besta All Passed 5 e-dictionary</td><td>Chinese</td><td>\$64.90</td></tr><tr><td>Creative PX2181 e-dictionary</td><td>Chinese</td><td>\$54</td></tr><tr><td>小学使用词典 (新亚教育)</td><td>Chinese</td><td>10.70</td></tr><tr><td>Kamus Dewan</td><td>Malay</td><td>\$25</td></tr></tbody></table> <p>Please note that Students can also purchase other approved dictionaries from external bookshops. The dictionary has to be handed to the MTL teachers for approval and endorsement before it can be used during school examinations.</p> <p>Parents can access the SEAB website to check for other approved dictionaries via the web link https://www.seab.gov.sg/home/examinations/approved-dictionaries</p>	Dictionary	Language	Price	Besta All Passed 5 e-dictionary	Chinese	\$64.90	Creative PX2181 e-dictionary	Chinese	\$54	小学使用词典 (新亚教育)	Chinese	10.70	Kamus Dewan	Malay	\$25	ST1
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3	<p><u>Parents' Workshops 2022</u></p> <p>We are pleased to share details of upcoming parents' workshops. Our teachers will be presenting the workshops via Zoom or Zoom Webinar. There will be opportunities for parents to interact with the teacher presenters.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Day & Date</th> <th>Time</th> <th>Level</th> <th>Subject</th> <th>Topic</th> <th>Synopsis</th> <th>Link to Register</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Sat 26 Mar</td> <td>0815 – 0930</td> <td>P1 & P2</td> <td>EL</td> <td>Reading and Word Recognition Skills</td> <td>Parents will learn about the reading strategies taught in class to help their children recognise words and develop a love for reading.</td> <td>EL</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sat 26 Mar</td> <td>0815 – 0930</td> <td>P3 & P4</td> <td>CL ML TL</td> <td>How to Support Your Child in Developing Writing & Oracy Skills</td> <td>The objectives of the workshops are to provide tips for parents to support their children in the acquisition of oracy skills. They will also learn about the use of the composition checklist as a tool to guide their children in writing. Parents can expect to be engaged in some hands-on activities which will help to provide insights into how the resources are being used in classroom teaching and learning.</td> <td>CL ML TL</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sat 26 Mar</td> <td>0945 – 1100</td> <td>P3 & P4</td> <td>EL</td> <td>Reading Comprehension Skills</td> <td>Parents will learn about the annotation skills taught in class to help their children understand the passages in order to answer comprehension questions. <i>(This workshop was conducted for parents of P3 and P4 children last year.)</i></td> <td>EL</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Day & Date	Time	Level	Subject	Topic	Synopsis	Link to Register	Sat 26 Mar	0815 – 0930	P1 & P2	EL	Reading and Word Recognition Skills	Parents will learn about the reading strategies taught in class to help their children recognise words and develop a love for reading.	EL	Sat 26 Mar	0815 – 0930	P3 & P4	CL ML TL	How to Support Your Child in Developing Writing & Oracy Skills	The objectives of the workshops are to provide tips for parents to support their children in the acquisition of oracy skills. They will also learn about the use of the composition checklist as a tool to guide their children in writing. Parents can expect to be engaged in some hands-on activities which will help to provide insights into how the resources are being used in classroom teaching and learning.	CL ML TL	Sat 26 Mar	0945 – 1100	P3 & P4	EL	Reading Comprehension Skills	Parents will learn about the annotation skills taught in class to help their children understand the passages in order to answer comprehension questions. <i>(This workshop was conducted for parents of P3 and P4 children last year.)</i>	EL	ST1 ST3
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	Sat 26 Mar	1115 – 1230	P5	EL	Writing Skills	Parents will learn about the new writing format and the strategies taught in class to help their children generate ideas and address the themes for their writing.	EL	
	Sat 26 Mar	1115 – 1230	P1 & P2	CL ML TL	Strategies to Support the Learning of Mother Tongue Languages and Reading	The objective of the workshop is to provide tips for parents to support their children in the learning of the Mother Tongue Languages. Tips on guiding reluctant readers will also be shared. For ML and TL, the use of phonics will be emphasised and parents will be provided with tips to cultivate good reading habits.	CL ML TL	
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Sat 2 Apr	0815 – 0930	P1	MA	Connecting Mathematics Concepts and Skills to Real Life	In this workshop, parents will be introduced to some strategies and activities on how to support their children in learning Mathematics and connecting Mathematics to real life.	MA		

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	Sat 2 Apr	0815 – 0930	P3 to P5	SCI	How to Support Your Child in the Learning of Science	In this workshop, parents will understand the use of the school learning resources to support Science learning and also learn about the classroom strategies that our teachers employ, so that they can better support their children in answering multiple-choice and open-ended questions. Parents will gain practical tips on how they can stimulate their children's interest in Science as well as tips on how to support their children in learning Science. <i>(This workshop was conducted for parents of P3 students last year.)</i>	SCI	
	Sat 2 Apr	0945 – 1100	P3 to P5	MA	Math Heuristics	In this workshop, parents will be introduced to various heuristics and learn that these strategies can be used to solve problems effectively. Parents will have opportunities to apply these strategies to solve complex Mathematics problems.	MA	

For a better online/viewing experience for all, there will be a cap of 100 participants for each of the above workshops.

Registration (via the links above) is on a first-come-first-served basis. We seek both parents' (of the same child) cooperation to make only one submission for each of the above workshops that is relevant to you. Please note that recordings of the workshops will *not* be made available. Parents can attend the workshops next year if they are not able to do so this year.

The online registration will close after 18 March, Friday or when the workshop has registered the 100th participant. (No action will be required of parents who have no intention to participate in any of the above workshops.)

The respective Subject Teachers will send the Zoom IDs and passcodes to parents who have successfully registered for the workshops via PG by 23 March, Wednesday.

If you wish to withdraw after the registration, please notify the school at 6834 3100 before 25 March, Friday.

Should you need any clarification, please feel free to contact your child's Subject Teachers. Thank you.

Thank you.

Mrs May Tang
Principal