



# HENRY PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents

## 1. Character Value for Term 4 - Excellence

The character value for Term 4 is Excellence. Through the assembly and FTGP periods, we hope to introduce to students the various aspects of Excellence.

Below is a brief outline of the outcomes for the character value for Excellence. We hope that parents will lend their support and partner the school in our efforts to bring out the best in our students by reinforcing at home the following outcomes:

P1/2 – Students will learn to develop self-discipline, exercise self-control as well as demonstrate good sportsmanship.

P3/4 – Students will learn to reach out for their personal best in their undertakings, to behave as a responsible team player and work towards a common goal.

P5/6 – Students must learn to persevere when faced with challenges and find ways to overcome them and carry out appointments and duties to the best of their understanding and abilities.

## 2. PSLE Listening Comprehension Examination (15 September 2017)

The P6 students will sit for the PSLE LC Exam on Friday, 15 Sept 2017. On this day, the P1 to P5 students are not required to attend school.

## 3. PSLE Written Examinations (28 September to 4 October 2017)

The P6 students will sit for the PSLE Written Examination from Thursday, 28 Sept to Wednesday, 4 Oct 2017. They will be allowed to leave school at the end of the examination.

Here are some reminders:

- P6 students who are exempted from Mother Tongue paper are not required to attend school on Monday, 2 Oct 2017.
- P6 students who are not taking Higher Mother Tongue paper are not required to attend school on Wednesday, 4 Oct 2017.
- All P6 students are required to report to school as usual on Thursday, 5 Oct 2017.
- The school will function as usual for all primary 1 to 5 students during the PSLE Written Examination.

My staff and I would like to wish all our P6 students the very best in the coming PSLE!

#### **4. Children's Day Celebration (Thursday, 5 October 2017)**

The school will celebrate Children's Day on Thursday, 5 Oct 2017. There is no change to the school time.

P1 - P6 students will have a joint Children's Day Celebration (10.30 a.m. - 12.00 p.m.). We would also like to thank the Henry Park Primary School Parents' Association (HPPA) for their support.

On this day, all P1 to P3 students will be participating in Lower Primary Games Day. The estimated duration of the event for P1 and P3 students will be from 7.30 a.m. to 10.00 a.m. The P2 students will have their event from 12 p.m. to 1.30 p.m. Students can come in their PE attire and sports shoes.

Parents are cordially invited to the Lower Primary Games Day. Do note that there will only be standing space at the venues. Parking will not be available within the school compound.

Please note that Friday, 6 October 2017 is a school holiday (Children's Day).

#### **5. Early Dismissal for Hindu Students and Staff on the eve of Deepavali**

This year's Deepavali falls on Wednesday, 18 October 2017, which is a public holiday.

All Hindu staff and students celebrating Deepavali will be dismissed earlier at 10.00 a.m. on Tuesday, 17 October 2017 (eve of Deepavali). Please make the necessary transport arrangement for your child/children.

To all our students, parents and teachers celebrating Deepavali, HAPPY DIWALI!

#### **6. PSLE Marking Days (19-24 Oct 2017)**

The PSLE marking exercise will be conducted from Thursday, 19 October to Tuesday, 24 October 2017. As the teachers are all involved in the marking, the students do not come to school during the four days of marking.

All students will report to school on Wednesday, 25 October 2017.

#### **7. Advisory Letter on Traffic Congestion**

Please read LTA's advisory letter on traffic congestion outside HPPS. We seek your co-operation and understanding in complying with the traffic guidelines.

#### **8. Education and Career Guidance (ECG) Fair – Parent Engagement Session**

Parents are invited to join the ECG Fair – Parent Engagement Session, organised by MOE, to find out more about how you can play a key role in guiding your children to make informed decisions for their education and career pathways. Here is further information on the event:

Date: 16 Sept 2017, Saturday

Time: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Venue: Agora Hall 3 & 4, Republic Polytechnic

#### **9. Articles on Parenting**

You may access Schoolbag at <https://www.schoolbag.sg/> for the latest articles on parenting.

## 10. Students' Achievements

ATSAA Table Tennis Nurture Cup 2017	<b>Nurture Category (Girls Under 10)</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Position Pey Kee Yen (P4F)
58th National Inter-School Team Chess Championships 2017	<b>Primary Open U11</b> National 2 <sup>nd</sup> Position, West Zone 1 <sup>st</sup> Position Loh Shao Kai Dylan (P4B) Ho Khai Sheng Samuel (P4B) Lian Kai En Gerard (P3C) Lai Chi Yoong Ethan (P2A)  West Zone 3 <sup>rd</sup> Position Teo Jun Kai Ethan (P5B) Tan Yong Jun Brandon (P5G) Rohan Dash (P4B) Tang Heok Heng Matthias (P4C)  <b>Primary Open U9</b> West Zone 3 <sup>rd</sup> Position Ho Ray Ee (P3C) Ho Ming Sheng Daniel (P2D) Koh Jia Yin Faith (P3D) Lee En Kai Sean (P3D)
COMPRESSPORT TRI- FACTOR RUN & RunSwim Challenge	<b>1 km Competitive – Male Kids Category</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Position Chew En Bryan (P6D)
Get Active Singapore Games (Swimming)	<b>Men 12 &amp; Under 50 m Freestyle Youth</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> Position Chew En Bryan (P6D)
The Hong Kong Challenge Cup Dance Competition 2017	<b>Ballet (Solo, Age 7-9)</b> Bronze Award Lee Yu En, Keira (P3A)

Warmest regards

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### VISION

A Leader in Every Child - with Talents and Strength of Character

### SCHOOL VALUES

Respect, Integrity, Care, Excellence

