

# HENRY PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

# **Primary 2 Term 1 Level Matters**

Happy New Year! On behalf of all Primary 2 teachers, I would like to extend a very warm welcome to you and your child to the new academic year of 2025.

## **Primary 2 Form Teachers**

The form teachers of the Primary 2 classes are as listed in the table below. Our teachers can be contacted via email should you have any queries about your child or school-related matters.

Class	Form Teachers	Email Address
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# Programme for Active Learning (PAL)

Programme for Active Learning (PAL) was introduced by the Ministry of Education (MOE) in 2011 and will be conducted for all Primary 1 and Primary 2 students. PAL aims to facilitate the well-rounded development of students in the five learning domains (cognitive, moral, social, aesthetics and physical) and help students to develop social and emotional competencies. The modules are experiential in nature and incorporate learning in a creative, fun, and enjoyable way. The following modules will be offered to Primary 2 students during curriculum time:

Semester 1		Semester 2	
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Visual Arts	Outdoor Education	Performing Arts (PA) – Dance	-

## Physical Education, Art, Music (PAM)

The Primary 2 students will continue their Physical Education (PE) program from last year, focusing on Fundamental Movement Skills (FMS). In Term 1, they will engage in Gymnastics and the Games and Sports modules. In Gymnastics, students will acquire skills in both locomotor and non-locomotor movements. During Games and Sports, they will participate in enjoyable activities and games, enhancing skills such as dribbling with hands, throwing and catching.

The Art Education programme in Primary 2 will centre on two artworks: "The Snail" by Henri Matisse and "Rawa-Rawa" by Sarkasi Said. By delving into the narratives behind these artworks and comparing the use of lines, shapes, and colors to depict intriguing aspects of animals, students will gain insights into different artistic techniques and styles. This exposure will inspire them in creating their own paper animal collages.

In the realm of Music, students will explore performing a steady beat on both body percussion and percussion instruments while singing. They will also delve into solfege hand signs, adapt lyrics to a short song, and appreciate music from Chinese culture, aligning with the Chinese New Year celebrations.

#### **Silent Reading**

Every morning, the students will report either to the school hall or directly to their respective class and read their storybooks silently. We strongly encourage our students to bring English or Mother Tongue storybooks from Monday to Friday.

#### **Morning Story-Telling Sessions**

The schedule for the story-telling sessions for this term is outlined below:

Week	Chinese Story Telling (Mondays)	English Story Telling (Thursdays)
7	17 February 2025	20 February 2025
8	24 February 2025	27 February 2025
9	3 March 2025	6 March 2025
10	10 March 2025	13 March 2025

Details for the respective story-telling sessions are as follows:

Time: 7:00 am – 7:15 am Venue: School Library

Students interested in attending the storytelling sessions should report to the designated venue by 7 am. They are required to leave their school bags in the classroom before heading to the venue with their student diaries.

We hope that these storytelling sessions will inspire a love of reading in our students.

#### **Communication with Parents**

Announcements on school matters will be posted on our school's website at <a href="https://henryparkpri.moe.edu.sg">https://henryparkpri.moe.edu.sg</a>. Please visit the website regularly for updates.

In our efforts to go green, term letters will be sent directly to parents via Parents Gateway (PG). Teachers will also use PG to send consent forms and announcements. Please ensure that the notification for the app is turned on so that you could receive information in a timely manner.

In the event there are changes to your email address, please inform your child's Form Teacher as we need to update our emailing system. We look forward to fostering a strong partnership with you.

## **Student Diary**

The student diary will be used as a means of communication between teachers and parents. Students should use the diary to take note of their daily homework and reminders from their teachers. We hope that you will check your child's student diary regularly.

Warmest regards, Ms Iris See Year Head, Primary 1 & Primary 2

# VISION Lead with Character, Serve with Talents

#### **MISSION**

Nurturing concerned citizens with integrity and a spirit of excellence through holistic education

SCHOOL VALUES Respect, Integrity, Care, Excellence











