## thetagtimes

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A New Year, A New Start

## Welcome to The Tag Times' first issue of 2022!

As you can probably tell already, we have a brand new logo and design. Also, there is a very high chance that you are reading this newspaper on our brand new, very cool website! So yea, have a look around, and enjoy this issue of The Tag Times!



(also btw this issue is quite short cuz secondary school go brrr)

#### The Tag Times stuff for the new year

As you can probably tell, because it's 2022 now, we have a new logo, a new design, and, most importantly, a new website.

It is quite likely that you are currently reading this on our new website (thetagtimes.github.io). If you are, then feel free to have a look around. There's not much stuff here, but yea, hope you enjoy our new website! (be prepared for big announcement soon)

#### **Happy Chinese New Year!**

We wish everyone a happy and prosperous Chinese New Year <a href="#">[ In the year of the tiger, let's continue to embark on our journey tenaciously towards a better year, as well as a better future. Hope you enjoyed your 团圆饭 with your family! After Chinese New Year, it's the Winter Olympics. It's quite exciting as well, so hope you look forward to it too! Wish everyone a happy new year and all the best in your future studies and stay healthy, positive, and happy!! 

Have an optimistic

future(<a href="https://www.melodyloops.com/tracks/your-optimistic-future/">https://www.melodyloops.com/tracks/your-optimistic-future/</a>)!

# Back to school (Randomly interviewing people about their secondary schools)

#### **Tenglong:**

First day of school was very exciting! I didn't expect that the orientation would be held by secondary students instead of Teachers! There were fun

activities for us to enjoy and bond with other classmates. Into the first 3 weeks of school, I mostly enjoyed it — fun learning and bonding with my friends and seniors (buddies). I also made some good friends!:) So yea, I look forward to learning more things in school and enjoying my time in secondary school!:) 愿大家在新的一年身体健康、勇往直前、学业进步、新年快乐 
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#### James:

First few days of school were really fun, the orientation program was led by our year 4 seniors and we had a fun time doing the activities prepared for us and the food was delicious. When lessons started, I was really excited and honestly, the amount of homework isn't a lot, and I did well in the cca trials too. The food there was delicious, especially the bubble tea, and overall it wasn't stressful at all, unlike what some people say.

祝你们新年快乐、学业进步、万事如意、年年有余!

#### Zuwan:

Secondary school is very interesting because I am learning stuff. The End.

#### oh no not again

This article is for those of you who are interested about what happens in NHPS

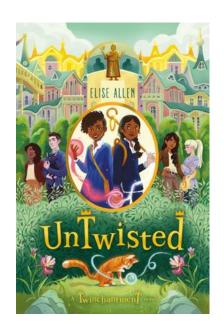
Just months after the TAG class system officially ended, now the TAG class system's successor, the . is officially ending. Now, starting with the P4 people, they will have to go to a different class for EVERY SINGLE SUBJECT. This is getting quite out of hand. Imagine what happens when it's time to switch classes.

For each subject, each person is allocated to a different class, and they are named like this: [level][subject abbreviation][number]. For example, there is an English class called 4E1. (BTW this information is not a primary source it is a secondary source; it is not verified)

#### **Book of the month**

#### **UnTwisted by Elise Allen**

Two sisters, Flissa and Sara, went to Maldevon Academy, where there are both magical and non-magical people. While navigating school life for the first time, the two sisters begin to drift apart as they continue to embrace their individual identities. And when strange happenings suggest someone isn't happy with



the unification the academy represents, Flissa and Sara find themselves at odds over the possible culprits. To preserve the newfound peace in the academy, Flissa and Sara will have to learn to trust each other again and uncover the truth before it's too late. Hope you will enjoy reading this book in a magical world!

### Thanks for reading this issue!

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# This is kinda the end so yea.