



# BEDOK GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

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*Empowered Learners, Persons of Strength & Character*

*BGPS/121/23*

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Dear Parent/Guardian

## 1. Term 4 Message from Principal

I would like to welcome your child back to school for the final term of the year and trust that your child has had a restful September holiday break. Term 3 was a busy term where our co-curricular activities, supplementary and enrichment programmes provided broad experiences that enabled all BGPIans to become well-rounded learners. In the midst of the wide array of school activities, significant emphasis on students' safety and security has continued to be reinforced. As part of our National Education efforts to remind students to be prepared during emergencies, a Lock Down and Evacuation Exercise was conducted in August to maintain our vigilance, and to send the message that no one should ever take safety and security for granted. I hope that students will continue to bear this in mind even as we continue to organise many activities and learning experiences in the coming term.

Guided by our school vision of Empowered Learners, Persons of Strength and Character, our Student Leadership Framework has been further developed to nurture BGPIans to lead, serve and aspire. In BGPS, our belief is that there is a leader in every BGPIan, and every student can lead. Term 3 culminated with a Teachers' Day celebration conceptualised and executed entirely by our student councillors, with the theme of an enchanted garden, laced with splendid performances. With minimal guidance by teachers, I would like to affirm our student councillors for rising to the occasion in organising a memorable Teachers' Day concert that depicted the magical role teachers play in their life, influencing and transforming them to be better versions of themselves.

I take this opportunity to thank our stakeholders – School Advisory Committee (SAC) members, parents and partners who play significant roles in the learning experiences of our students. SAC members play an advisory role for the school, parents take care of the well-being and development of the child at home while partners provide opportunities for our students especially in reading and sports enrichment, financial assistance, and students' character development. To our dedicated parents, you are the unsung heroes whose unwavering support and partnership are the cornerstone of our school's success. We look forward to working together to provide the best educational experience for your children in the coming term. Together, I am confident BGPS will continue to grow from strength to strength and scale new heights.

As we embark on Term 4, let us all remember that together, we can create an environment where every BGPIan thrives, every parent is engaged, and every teacher inspires. Do guide your child to embrace learning, celebrate the moments they have in peer interaction, and savour the time they have with teachers and peers together. Your child could also make a list of what he has learned during the entire school year and reflect on his best learning experiences nearer the end of Term 4, and more importantly, to remember to be grateful to the teachers and non-teaching staff who have contributed to his 2023 experience. Here's to a wonderful Term 4 filled with growth, achievement, and lasting memories.

## 2. Staff Movement

We are delighted to welcome new faces to our school family: Mr Liang Yude Lawrence (School Counsellor), Mdm Koh Poh Lin Jane (Corporate Support Officer), Mdm Song Guek Hwa (Dental Nurse), Mr Wong Wenhao (Art Therapy Intern) and Mr Muhammad Faris Luthfi B J (Physical Education Intern). We look forward to their expertise and fresh perspectives to enrich our learning community.

We bid farewell to the following staff who will be embarking on new journeys: Ms Damia Binte Zolkifli (Untrained Teacher), Ms Loh Moh Khiaw (Untrained SEN Officer), Mr Faiz Nazirul Bin Azman (ICT

Associate), Mdm Neo Chye Ling (Corporate Support Officer) and Mdm Wang Siew Cheng (Dental Nurse).

### **3. Term 3 2023 Achievements**

Our heartiest congratulations to our staff for receiving the National Day awards. The National Day Awards are a means of recognizing various forms of merit and service to Singapore. BGPS would like to congratulate the following individuals who received the following National Day Honours this year:

Principal, Mr Benjamin Yong Yik Yen, for receiving Public Administration Medal (Bronze) (Pingat Pentakbiran Awam) (Gangsa) and the Long Service Medal (Pingat Bakti Setia)

SAC member, Mr Royston Low Hee Tang, for receiving the Public Service Star (Bintang Bakti Masyarakat)

SAC Member, LTC (NS) (Dr) Darren Seah Ee-Jin, for receiving the Commendation Medal (Military) (Pingat Kepujian)

Senior Teacher, Mr Mazlan Bin Muhammad, for receiving the Long Service Medal (Pingat Bakti Setia)

Teacher, Mdm Jacinta Mary De Almeida, for receiving the Long Service Medal (Pingat Bakti Setia)

We also congratulate the following BGPIans and thank our teachers, administrative staff and parents for guiding and supporting them to attain the following recent achievements:

#### Raffles Science Olympiad (RSO)– Participation Award

Sun Mankai, Xu Qingru, Zheng Yatong, Cai Jiatao (P5 Integrity)

#### Singapore Primary Science Olympiad (SPSO) – Silver Award

Sun Xinyu (P5 Respect)

#### Singapore Primary Science Olympiad (SPSO) – Bronze Award

Lim Hui Ting, Tan Yan Xin (P5 Respect)

#### Singapore Primary Science Olympiad (SPSO) – Merit Award

Meredith Pek Jia En, Sze Ley Hong Cayden (P5 Respect), Zheng Yatong (P5 Integrity)

#### Singapore Primary Science Olympiad (SPSO) – Participation Award

Cai Jiatao, Mun Liang Xun (P5 Integrity), Ng Jing Qi Quenise, Noel Pui Xue Yi (P5 Respect)

#### Abbott Young Scientist Award – Participation Award

Cai Chang Si Ting Nicole, Jayson Toh Yue Sheng (P5 Responsibility)

#### 2023 Physical Escape Room Experiential Competition at Qi Fa Primary School – Participation Award

Chong Xin Yu Krystal, Tan Yong Hui (P5 Bravery)

#### 6th National Text Recital Competition – Bronze Award

Lin Haoze Lucas (P3 Bravery), Cindy Wang Qianyu (P3 Integrity)

#### 6th National Text Recital Competition – Participation Award

Liang Xintong (P1 Perseverance), Leryn Lin Xingya (P2 Bravery)

#### Cepat Tepat 2023– Team Fourth Place

Muhammad Syakir Bin Saad, Zafer Kilic (P5 Resilience)

Zahrunnissa' Binte Kamil Maricar, Mohamad Azim Bin Mohd Adlil Wafi (P6 Resilience)

#### Fiesta Bahasa 2023 – Participation Award

Nurul Fathiyah Binte Muhammad Fhaizal (P3 Respect) Muhammad Abdul Mateen Mahmud (P4 Respect), Nur Kelisha Binte Muhamad, Achmad Saiful Rijal Bin Muhammad Fhaizal, Muhammad Ariq Matiin Bin Muhammad Fairuz (P4 Resilience)

16th Annual Mathlympics 2023 – Gold Award

Toh Beng Yang Zachary, Lee Yu Ze (P5 Integrity)

16th Annual Mathlympics 2023 – Bronze Award

Daksh Biyani (P5 Integrity), Jacob Ng Yu Bin (P5 Respect)

16th Annual Mathlympics 2023 – Merit Award

Cai Jiatao, Sun Mankai (P5 Integrity)

Singapore & Asian Schools Math Olympiad – Gold Award

Toh Beng Yang Zachary, Daksh Biyani (P5 Integrity); Lee Yuan De, Guo Ruihan, Li Zhaoze (P6 Integrity)

Singapore & Asian Schools Math Olympiad – Silver Award

Sun Mankai, Feng Zhuo (P5 Integrity), Guo Yilin (P5 Respect), Praneel Abrol (P6 Integrity)

Singapore & Asian Schools Math Olympiad – Bronze Award

Ang Chen En Jordan (P4 Responsibility), Ansh Kejriwal (P4 Respect), Archit Rath (P4 Resilience), Sun Yinuo (P4 Bravery), Macale Rafael Lorenzo Verzola (P4 Compassion), Guo Ruihan, Rosalind, Anjanette Yat Wen Xuan, Xu Qingru, Lee Yu Ze (P5 Integrity); Carrie Zhu Jiahui, Prajwal Shastry, Arpan Rath, Tan Zhi Yi (P6 Integrity); Kee Yik Liang, Lim Zhi Xuan Chloe, Ng Ming Le (P6 Respect)

Singapore & Asian Schools Math Olympiad – Honorable Mention

Achyuth Anjankumar, Jylan Ling Tang Ming, Puah Hanyang Finian (P4 Responsibility), Leong Zhun Lok (P4 Resilience), Marcus Liew Wern Hui (P4 Respect); Jershal Jayvaan Jerald, Ryan Ling Khai Ren (P5 Integrity); Balakrishnan Panchakshari, Benjamin Ong Jia Wei (P6 Integrity), Kieran Tan Keat Han, Koner Debdan (P6 Respect)

National Mathematical Olympiad of Singapore (NMOS) – Bronze Award

Daksh Biyani, Toh Beng Yang Zachary, Cai Jiatao, Xu Qingru, Lee Yu Ze, Sun Mankai (P5 Integrity), Guo Yilin, Tan Yan Xin, Zafer Kilic, Sun Xinyu, Jacob Ng Yu Bin (P5 Respect)

National Mathematical Olympiad of Singapore (NMOS) – Honorable Mention

Ryan Ling Khai Ren (P5 Integrity), Vivianne Florencia Halim (P5 Respect)

National School Games Basketball Championship 2023 (Junior Girls) – Team First Place in classifying round

Gan Nian Ci Xandra (P4 Bravery), Elizabeth Yeoh Kia Ee, Liang Zhuoying, Jagger Milla Kamal Haywood (P4 Responsibility)

Nur Aura Insyirah Binte Mohamed Kabirshan, Siti Nur Insyiraah Binte Zulkiflie (P5 Bravery), Siew Cai En (P5 Compassion), Jamie New Xin Ying, Ooi Wan Jing (P5 Integrity), Soo Ka Kei (P5 Respect), Zheng Xinjie Eunice, Ng Shi Qi (P5 Responsibility), Ang Leffel, Lee Yan Qing, Nur Ai'syah Zafira Binte Mohamed Azmi (P5 Resilience)

National School Games Basketball Championship 2023 (Junior Boys) – Team First Place in Tier 3

Tokunosuke Russell Wood (3 Respect), Teh Mai Thanh Long, Syed Haydar Bin Syed Mohamed Tahir, Gonzaga Dwyane Francis Bautista (P4 Bravery), Soo Zuqin (P4 Responsibility); Aidan Tan Rui Tiat, Daksh Biyani, Ryan Ling Khai Ren (P5 Integrity), Sun Xinyu, Vijiyakumar Surendar (P5 Respect), Kenneth Lim Jun Hoong, Lim Jia Hong, Ace (P5 Responsibility), Chia Jia Le, Jayden Ng Jun Kai, Tan Le Wei Oliver (P5 Resilience)

National School Games Football Championship 2023 (Junior Boys) – Team Third Place in Tier 2

Ryan Tan Wei Zher (P4 Bravery), Mohammad Hamzah Bin Mohammad Hanafi, Dayyan Satria Bin Abdullah, Shashwat Prakash (P4 Integrity), Achmad Saiful Rijal Bin Muhammad Fhaizal (P4 Resilience), Muhammad Hairiq Danie Bin Muhammad Ramdhan, Muhammad Imran Shah Bin Muhammad Firdausi (P5 Bravery), Izz Qaiser Colorado Bin Mohammad Zulkarnain, Mohammad Danish Anshahrin Bin Bohari, Muhammad Hadriyan Bin Abdullah, Ariq Daiyan (P5 Compassion), Ho Zi Yang (P5 Resilience), Zafer

Kilic (P5 Respect), Daniel Loh Tian Le, Mohammad Izaz Rayyan Bin Mohammad Hazmi (P5 Responsibility)

National School Games Rugby Championship 2023 (Junior Boys) – Team Second Place in Tier 2

Muhammad Izzue Adam Bin Herman (P4 Bravery), Ilyas Elfie, Muhd Aish (P4 Compassion), Azaan Khan Bin Mohamed Rafi Khan, Sim Hin Wai Jayden (P4 Respect), Agha Saiyed Uzayr Zaheer Shah (P4 Resilience)

Muhammad Danish Asyraaf Bin Suherwan Alfian (P5 Bravery), Muhammad Aariz Bin Azman (P5 Compassion), Aaditya Narayana S/O Maheswaran, Chua Jing Yuan, Jayden, Lucas Tan (P5 Integrity), Ian Ong Shi Jie, Paolo Gagliardi La Gala, Pratik Pokala (P5 Respect), Goh Bo Xuan, Arthur (P5 Responsibility), Hendhra Hijazi Bin Haizil, Khidir Irie, Noor Adzin (P5 Resilience)

Akela Award – Cub Scouts

Varun Sathis, Andre Myagkov Tan, Matthew Loi Hao Zhe (P6 Respect), Lim Keng Soon Christopher (P6 Bravery), Raffles Tee Yan Kin (P6 Responsibility), Rafky Haidar Abqory (P6 Resilience), Tan Zhi Yi (P6 Integrity)

SYF Youth Station Project 2023 (Composition) – Top 10 Award

Rayhan Faris Bin Mohammad Suhaimi (P5 Integrity), Raffan Faris Bin Mohammad Suhaimi (P5 Respect)

Nikki Ariko Binte Mohammad Suhaimi (P6 Responsibility)

Singapore Traffic Games – Participation Award

Grant Teo Khuan Hu, Ashley Ong Jing Wen (P4 Compassion), Muhammad Irsyad Bin Irwan, Yvonne Chen Yan Xi, Ong Zee Xuan (P4 Integrity), Lim Yee Jie, Gan Nian Xi Xandra, Zerina Shasmeen Binte Mohammed Shahfiee, Liam Wong Teng Xiang (P4 Bravery), Dishka Bansal, Ansh Kejriwal (P4 Respect)

Nittala Sasha Nathania, Noel Pui Xue Yi, Carlross Rivera Florence, Raffan Faris Bin Mohammad Suhaimi (P5 Respect) Rayhan Faris Bin Mohammad Suhaimi, Koh Zhao Xiang (P5 Integrity), Aretha Vevilla Lim (P5 Resilience), Wan Jun Han Brenduff, Song Jinhua (P5 Responsibility)

#### 4. Upcoming Events/ Activities

Date	Event	Level	Details
11 September	Teachers' Day School Holiday (changed from 1 September due to Presidential Elections)	All	Students do not come to school
12,19 September	P4 Swimsafer	P4 INT, P4 RES, P4 RSL	Curriculum Time
12 September	CCA Infocomm & Media Club - LJ to Sentosa (Headrock VR)	Selected P4 to P5 Infocomm students	2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.
14, 21 September	P4 Swimsafer	P4 RPS, P4 COM, P4 BRV	Curriculum Time
15 September	PSLE Listening Comprehension	P6	P1 to P5 students do not come to school
18 to 22 September	Gratitude Week	All	Curriculum Time
22 September	P5 HCL LJ	Selected P5 HCL students	2.30 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.
22 September	E2@BGPS Makers' Friday	Interested students	2.30 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.

25 to 26 September	P5 End-Year Examination EL/ FEL & MT/ FMT Oral	P5	2.00 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. Make-up: 10 October
25 to 27 September	Touch Typing Recess Activity	Interested P1 students	During Recess
25 to 27 September	P6 Study Days	P6	All P6 students do not need to come to school
28 to 29 September	Home-Based Learning (HBL)	P1, P3 & P5	HBL
28 to 29 September	Interview of Potential Student Council Candidates	Potential Student Council Candidates	2.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.
28 September	PSLE Written (EL/FEL Paper 1 & 2)	P6	
29 September	PSLE Written (MA/FMA Paper 1 & 2)	P6	
2 October	PSLE Written (MT/FMT Paper 1 & 2)	P6	
2 to 3 October	Home-Based Learning (HBL)	P2, P4	HBL
3 October	PSLE Written (SC/FSC)	P6	
3 October	Home-Based Learning (HBL)	P3	HBL
4 October	PSLE Written (HMT Paper 1 & 2)	Selected P6	
5 October	Children's Day Celebrations (Middle and Upper Primary) P3 to P6 Movies Day-Out	P3, P4, P5 & P6	7.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. More details will be given nearer the date.
5 October	Children's Day Celebrations (Lower Primary) Lower Primary Games Day	P1 & P2	7.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. More details will be given nearer the date.
6 October	<b>Children's Day</b>	All	School Holiday
9 to 13 October	P6 Sports and Aesthetics (Post PSLE)	P6	Curriculum Time
10 October	P3, P4 & P5 End-Year Examination EL/ FEL LC and Paper 1	P3, P4 & P5	Suspension of timetable
10 to 13 October	P1 Neighbourhood Walk	P1	Curriculum Time. Classes will be scheduled each day.
11 October	P3, P4 & P5 End-Year Examination MT & FMT LC and MT Paper 1	P3, P4 & P5	Suspension of timetable
12 to 13 October	P3 & P4 End-Year Examination EL/ FEL & MT/ FMT Oral	P3 & P4	2.00 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. Make-up: 20 October
13 October	P5 End-Year Examination HMT Paper 1	P5	2.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m.
16 to 18 October	PSLE Marking Exercise	All	Students do not come to school unless they have school programme.
16 to 18 October	School Programme for P4s during PSLE Marking Exercise	P4	More details on timing and schedule will be provided separately.

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16 to 18 October	School Programme for P5s during PSLE Marking Exercise  Pictoblox Sessions	P5	More details on timing and schedule will be provided separately.
16 to 20 October	Student Survey on SLS	P4 & P6	SLS
19 to 20 October	P6 Virtual Travel (Post PSLE)	P6	Curriculum Time
20 October	P5 End-Year Examination HMT Paper 2	P5	2.00 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.
20 October	P1 Cultural Awareness Workshop	P1	Online (at home) 2.00 p.m. to 4.15 p.m.
20 October	Brownies East Division Pow Wow Event	Brownies	2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.
23 to 24 October	P6 Education and Career Guidance LJs / Talks P6 (Post PSLE)	P6	Curriculum Time
23 October	P3, P4 & P5 End-Year Examination EL/ FEL LC and Paper 2	P3, P4 & P5	Suspension of timetable
24 October	P3, P4 & P5 End-Year Examination SC/ FSC Paper 2	P3, P4 & P5	Suspension of timetable
25 October	P3, P4 & P5 End-Year Examination MT& FMT LC and MT Paper 2	P3, P4 & P5	Suspension of timetable
25 to 27 October	P6 SS Heritage Trail (Post PSLE)	P6	Curriculum Time
26 October	P3, P4 & P5 End-Year Examination MA / FMA Paper 1 & 2	P3, P4 & P5	Suspension of timetable
27 October	P2 Cultural Awareness Workshop	P2	2.00 p.m. to 4.15 p.m.
30 October to 3 November	P6 Adventure Week (Post PSLE)	P6	Curriculum Time
30 October to 3 November	STRIVE @Recess	All	Recess Activities
30 October, 6 November	Public Speaking Workshop	Selected P5	2.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.
31 October	Sports CCA LJ to Sports Hub	Selected P4/P5 students from Sports CCA	2.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.
31 October	Visual Performing Arts CCA LJ to Esplanade	Selected P4/P5 students from Visual and Performing Arts CCA	3.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.
31 October	Deepavali Celebrations Rehearsal	Selected students	2:15 p.m. 5.00 p.m.
3, 6, 8 November	Council Presidency Campaigning Days	Council President Candidates	Curriculum Time

6 November	E2@BGPS Tier 1 In class Activity	All	Curriculum Time
7 November	<b>Admin Day</b>	All	Students do not come to school
8 November	Deepavali Celebrations	All	Curriculum Time
9 November	Inter-class games	P3	Curriculum Time
9 to 10 November	Council President Voting	P3, P4, P5 & P6	Curriculum Time
9 to 10 November	P3 & P4 Conversational Chinese and Malay (CCM) Programme – <i>Makeup for term 3</i>	P3 – P4	2 sessions
13 November	<b>Deepavali</b>	All	<b>Public Holiday</b>
14 November	Clean My School Day	All	Curriculum Time
14 November	P1 to P5 Promotion Day	P1, P2, P3, P4 & P5	10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. Dismissal: 12.30 p.m.
14 November	P6 Graduation Day	P6	1.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. (P6 students report at 1.00 p.m.)
14 November	Last Day of School	All	
16 November	Awards Presentation Day	Student Awardees	10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.
17 November to 31 December	<b>Term 4 School Holidays</b>	All	

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Thank you!



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