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Dear Parents / Guardians of P1 to P5 Students

Application for The Straits Times School Pocket Money Fund (STSPMF) 2024

We are pleased to inform you that application for The Straits Times School Pocket Money Fund (STSPMF) is now open till 11 September 2023. The STSPMF is a community project initiated by The Straits Times, to provide pocket money to school-going children from low-income families. This is for students who are continuing with their studies in Cantonment Primary School for next year (2024).

Eligibility Criteria

- Student is a Singapore Citizen (SC) or Singapore Permanent Resident (SPR);
- Family is living in a 4-room HDB flat or smaller;
- Family has a Gross per capita income (PCI) of **\$750/** month or less;
- Student is receiving full-time formal education at a mainstream primary school;
- Student is not concurrently receiving school pocket money or other similar monthly school pocket money schemes. Students under the MOE/SB FAS schemes are eligible; and
- Student has not received the maximum 24 months of STSPMF assistance.

Benefits

Students supported by the STSPMF will receive \$65 for a maximum of 24 months. The payout is through the school by GIRO. This money may be used for school-related expenses such as a recess meal or bus fares.

Application Procedures and Submission

Application forms are available from the school's General Office. Please submit completed application forms, together with the relevant supporting documents, **to the General Office by 11 September 2023.** Successful applicants will be notified through the school by December 2023.

Yours sincerely
Cantonment Primary School