



#### School Mission

A CHIJ School is a Christ-centered school community where all work together for the promotion of truth, justice, freedom and love, with special reference to the needs of students who are disadvantaged in any way.

#### School Vision

Girls of Today for Tomorrow



## Thanksgiving Mass & P6 Farewell Programme

The Thanksgiving Mass and P6 Farewell Programme will be held on Tuesday, 18 November 2025. The intent is to give our P6 graduates the chance to say goodbye to their teachers and younger school mates. All students are expected to be in school as this is a school day. School hours are as per normal i.e. 7.30am to 1.30pm.

## GRACIA! Celebrations: Prize Presentation

The GRACIA! Celebrations will be held on Wednesday, 19 November 2025 in the school hall. The prize winners will be notified by Wednesday, 12 November 2025.

Due to the large number of students receiving awards and limited seating capacity, we will only be inviting one parent/guardian per award recipient/prize-winner to attend this event.

The school bus service will be operating for students registered with them. Please register with KW Bus if you require the service. The pick-up time in the morning will be as per normal, and the buses will send the students home at the end of the event at 10.30am. For students not taking the school bus, parents/guardians are requested to make the necessary transport arrangements for them.

**P1 to P6 students who are not prize-winners or not performing at the GRACIA! Celebrations are not required to report to school on Wednesday, 19 November 2025.**

# General Information

## IJ Bazaar A project by P6

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It's time for the IJ Bazaar once again! This annual fund-raising activity organised by our graduating girls raises funds for CHIJ Sanctuary for Children Limited (CHIJC) formerly known as Infant Jesus Homes and Children's Centres (IJHCC). Last year, the P6s raised \$8,575.00. As a result of this and other IJOLN projects throughout 2024, i.e. Project G.O.O.D and sale of hot cross buns, IJOLN donated a total of \$10,831.00 to CHIJC. This year, we hope to bless CHIJC with the same spirit of generosity and giving.

This year's IJ Bazaar will be held on Monday, 10 November 2025 during recess. The P6 students will be making handicrafts and games and the price ranges from \$0.50 to \$3.00. All proceeds will be donated to CHIJC. We appeal to your support by providing exact change to your child/ward. Information on the IJ Bazaar will be shared with all our students on Monday, 3 November 2025 and we look forward to their support on 10 November 2025.

## Class Allocation

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All P1, P3 and P5 students will be promoted enbloc to the P2, P4 and P6 levels respectively. They will stay in the same class with their classmates in 2026.

P2 and P4 students will be informed of their P3 and P5 classes for 2026 on **Tuesday, 18 November 2025**. Do note that the allocation to P3 and P5 classes is NOT based on academic results. This change in class will be a good opportunity for the students to mix with other students in the level, have a wider circle of friends, and to grow their social skills.

## General Office Closure on Wednesday, 19 November 2025 (GRACIA! Celebrations)

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The General Office will be closed for a staff event from 11.30am to 3.00pm on Wednesday, 19 November 2025. In the event of an emergency, please send a WhatsApp message to 90605967 if you need to contact us.

## Meet-the-Parents Session on Thursday and Friday, 20 and 21 November 2025

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With reference to our letter [reference no. 2025OLN\_0401], we invite all P1 to P5 parents to make an appointment via Parents Gateway to meet their child's/ward's Form Teacher(s) via Microsoft Teams. The objective of this meeting is to discuss your child's/ward's learning progress. We hope you will find the session fruitful. **These 2 days will be non-school days for our students.**

## MOE / School-Based Financial Assistance Scheme

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Application for the MOE FAS 2026 is now open. Singaporean students from households with a gross monthly income of \$4,000 and below (or with a per capita income of \$1,000 and below) can apply for the MOE FAS via <https://go.gov.sg/moe-efasggas>.

Successful applicants under the MOE FAS will be eligible for full subsidy of miscellaneous fees, free textbooks, school attire, meals, and subsidised transport. MOE has onboard Household Means Eligibility System (HOMES) to streamline the application. If your child/ward requires financial assistance but is ineligible for the MOE Financial Assistance Scheme, you can apply for the School-based FAS status if your Gross Household Income is between \$4,001 and \$5,500 or Per Capita Income is between \$1,001 and \$1,375 via <https://go.gov.sg/moe-efasggas>.

Should you need any clarification on either scheme (MOE FAS or school-based FAS), please contact the General Office at 63852455. We would be glad to assist.

## Purchase of School Books and Uniform

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### *Purchase of Schoolbooks*

- **Vendor: BL Marketing Pte Ltd**

The sale of school textbooks, workbooks, school worksheets and stationery will be **strictly** via online ordering through the school bookshop's website <http://blmarketing.com.sg>. **The school bookshop will not entertain walk-in sales.**

The booklist will be given to P1 - P5 students along with their report books on **Tuesday, 18 November 2025**. Please note the following dates for the sale of books:

- **18 November 2025** to **15 December 2025**: You can access the online portal during this period. Please allow 5 working days for orders to be processed. The website will officially close at 10.00pm on 15 December 2025.
- **25 November 2025** to **22 December 2025**: You can opt to collect your orders or to arrange for home delivery during this period. Home delivery is chargeable at a flat fee of \$12.90. Parents who intend to collect their orders from the bookshop must choose an available time slot via the bookshop's website. Orders can be collected between 9.00am to 3.00pm.

More information can be found on the vendor's website <http://blmarketing.com.sg> from **Tuesday, 18 November 2025** onwards.

If you have any queries, please call 62848785 or email sales@blmarketing.com.sg.

*Parents who intend to sign up for MOE FAS 2026 and the School-based FAS 2026 should not purchase school books via this mode. The school will inform all successful FAS applicants as to the collection mode.*

### **Purchase of School Uniform and PE Attire**

- **Vendor: Magdalene Sewing Centre**

You can purchase the school uniform and PE attire through any of the following modes:

- Online ordering through the supplier's website at <https://www.magdalene.com.sg/>

- Home delivery fee:

\$6.00	For orders less than \$50
\$8.00	For orders between \$50 and \$80
\$10.00	For orders between \$80 and \$120
\$12.00	For orders between \$120 and \$150
\$15.00	For orders above \$150

- E-appointment to visit the physical shop (5000 Ang Mo Kio Ave 5 #05-09, Techplace II S569870) through <https://www.magdalene.com.sg/e-appointment> between 20 November 2025 and 9 January 2026.

- Walk-in purchase in the school on the following dates (9am - 3pm):

Month	Dates
November	26, 27, 28
December	2, 3, 4, 8, 10, 16, 18, 19, 22, 23

For more information, please contact Magdalene Sewing Centre Pte Ltd at 62935840. You can also contact them via 8683 6993 (WhatsApp) or info@magdalene.com.sg (email).

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## **Travel Declaration for November/December School Holidays and Long Weekends during Term Time**

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If your child/ward is travelling during the November/December school holidays, please make the necessary declaration for her via Parents' Gateway (PG) under Services -> Declare Travels. If there is a need to amend the travel plan, you can do so via the same module in PG. If your child/ward is not travelling during the school holidays or the long weekends during term time, no action is required.

## **Primary School Transfer Service (Monday, 3 November 2025, 9.00am to Thursday, 27 November 2025, 4.00pm)**

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The aim of the Primary School Transfer Service is to centrally facilitate the transfer of primary school students who are Singapore Citizens (SC) or Permanent Residents (SPR) and have relocated to another address, to schools nearer to their new residences. If you are seeking a school transfer due to a change of address, you can submit your application using Singpass via the MOE website here .

## Home News

We are happy to announce that the following officers have received the MOE Excellence Service Award:

### MOE Excellence Service Award - Platinum & Gold

- Ms Cassie Yung

### MOE Excellence Service Award - Silver

- Mr Ang Toh Whatt
- Mrs Joycelyn Trevor
- Mdm Wong Lai Chan
- Ms Yeo Chun Hui

## Upcoming School Events

Date	Activity/Programme	Remarks
4 - 5 Nov (Tue - Wed)	Health Challenge 2	
11 Nov (Tue)	Administration Day for Teachers	<b>There is no school for all students. All students are to report on Wednesday, 12 November 2025.</b>
18 Nov (Tue)	P6 Graduation Ceremony Promotion Day Thanksgiving Mass	Please refer to this issue of OLN Connect.
19 Nov (Wed)	GRACIA! Celebrations	
20 - 21 Nov (Thu - Fri)	Meet-the-Parents Session (Online via MS Teams)	
22 Nov - 31 Dec (Sat - Wed)	Term 4 School Holidays	<b>There is no school for all students.</b>

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Date	Activity/Programme	Remarks
26 - 28 Nov (Wed - Fri)	Release of PSLE Results (Tentative)	
18 - 19 Dec (Thu - Fri)	Release of S1 Posting Results (Tentative)	
24 Dec (Wed)	Christmas Eve	General Office will be operating till 1.00pm only.
25 Dec (Thu)	Christmas Day Public Holiday	School will be closed.
31 Dec (Wed)	New Year's Eve	General Office will be operating till 1.00pm only.
1 Jan 2025 (Thu)	New Year Day Public Holiday	School will be closed.
2 Jan 2025 (Fri)	School reopens for 2026 P1 students only	
5 Jan 2025 (Mon)	School reopens for 2026 P2 - P6 students	
<p><b>To access the school calendar, you can log into Parents Gateway -&gt; Services -&gt; School Calendar. Alternatively, you can assess our school calendar via our school website at <a href="https://www.chijourladyofthenativity.moe.edu.sg/parents-and-students/school-calendar/">https://www.chijourladyofthenativity.moe.edu.sg/parents-and-students/school-calendar/</a></b></p> <p><b>We seek your understanding that there may be changes to the schedule of activities shared in this newsletter due to unforeseen circumstances.</b></p>		