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Dear Parents / Guardian,

School-Wide Learning Journey: IJ OLN Community Trail (Primary Two)

- 1. We are glad to inform you that we will be able to conduct our second School-Wide Learning Journey (SWLJ) this semester with the easing of Safe Management Measures (SMMs).
- 2. The intent of the School-Wide Learning Journey (SWLJs) is to extend and enrich our students' learning experiences by integrating field-based learning into the teaching and learning programme. It also provides all students with opportunities to explore their Singaporean identity and heritage beyond their classrooms.
- 3. This semester, the Primary Two students will be going on our IJ OLN Community Trail. During the trail, students learn about the history of the Nativity Church, discover that a neighbourhood consists of amenities and common spaces, and work with one another to plan and budget for a healthy meal. As such, students would also learn about our heritage, healthy living and Mathematics concepts while participating in the trail.
- 4. We seek your help to give your child/ward \$5 as pocket money to facilitate her learning at one of the stations. She will be taught to buy healthy snacks with this budget. Through her purchase, she will be able to see the transaction and reinforce the concept of receiving a change. The school will provide the stated amount for students under the Financial Assistance scheme (FAS).
- 5. The learning journey will take place during school hours on Thursday, 6 October 2022. Students will report to school as usual by 7.30 a.m. Dismissal time remains unchanged.
- 6. As the students will be spending the day out of school, we seek your help to pack a snack for your child to be consumed at about 10.30 a.m. All students would need to bring along their water bottles. Upon their return to school, students will be given a snack break and will also be provided a snack pack each. Please ensure that your child has a substantial breakfast as canteen stalls will not be operating that day.
- 7. While contingency plans have been made in case of inclement weather, please also pack an umbrella or raincoat for your child as a precaution. She will also need to have her stationery, e.g. a pencil and eraser, with her as some activities will require writing. She is strongly encouraged to bring along a cap and apply a mosquito patch.
- 8. No payment is required for this learning journey.
- 9. Please submit your consent for this programme via Parents Gateway by <u>26 September 2022 (Monday)</u>. If you have any queries, please contact the Form Teacher via email. The 2022 list of form teachers and their email addresses can be found on our website http://chijourladyofthenativity.moe.edu.sg. Alternatively, you could leave him/her a message at 6385 2455.

Thank you and God bless,

Ms Christina Teo Principal