

Gongshang Bulletin

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Public Holidays

Good Friday: 7 April 2023 (Friday)

Hari Raya Puasa: 22 April 2023 (Saturday)

School Holiday

Hari Raya Puasa off-in-lieu – 24 April 2023 (Monday)

Primary 3 Weighted Assessment (WA) in Semester 1

The schedule for the Primary 3 WA was sent to you via Parents' Gateway on 2 February 2023 (Ref No: 23/E/056). A hard copy was also given to your child/ward on the same day. You may refer to the PG message/letter for more details on the WA.

Term 2 Week 6	Thursday, 27 April 2023	MTL WA (1)	During curriculum hours
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Primary 4 Weighted Assessment (WA) in Semester 1

The schedule for the Primary 4 WA was sent to you via Parents' Gateway on 24 February 2023 (Ref No: 23/E/057). A hard copy was also given to your child/ward on the same day. You may refer to the PG message/letter for more details on the WA.

Term 2 Week 6	Thursday, 27 April 2023	MTL WA (1)	During curriculum hours
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Primary 5 Weighted Assessment (WA) 2023 – Semester 1

Term/Week	Date	Subject	Duration
Term 2 Week 5	Monday, 10 April 2023	Higher MTL WA 1	50 min
	Monday, 17 April 2023	English Language Oral WA 1 5P, 5I, 5H Chinese Language / Malay Language Oral WA 1 5T, 5R, 5C	After school
	Tuesday, 18 April 2023	English Language Oral WA 1 5T, 5R, 5C Chinese Language / Malay Language Oral WA 1 5P, 5I, 5H	After school

Please refer to the letter that was issued to you through your child on 10 February (Ref No: 23/E/073) for more details. A soft copy of the letter is also available on Parents Gateway.

Primary 6 Non-Weighted Assessment (NWA) 2023 – Semester 1

Term/Week	Date	Subject	Duration
Term 2 Week 4	Monday, 10 April 2023	Higher Mother Tongue NWA	1 h 20 min
	Wednesday, 12 April 2023	Science / Foundation Science NWA	1 h 45 min (Standard) 1 h 15 min (Foundation)
Term 2 Week 6	Thursday, 27 April 2023	English Language / Foundation English NWA	1 h 50 min (Standard) 1 h 20 min (Foundation)

Please refer to the letter that was issued to you through your child on 10 February (Ref No: 23/E/074) for more details. A soft copy of the letter is also available on Parents Gateway.

Primary 4 Museum-Based Learning Journey to National Gallery Singapore

The following P4 class will be going on a museum-based learning journey to National Gallery Singapore (NGS) as part of their primary school art learning experience. The museum, being a custodian of culture and heritage, presents an authentic context for the learning of local art as part of students' understanding of Singapore's history and heritage.

Class	Date & Time
4 Harmony	Friday, 14 April 2023 2.00pm to 4.30pm

Pupils will have their lunch in school at 1.30 p.m. before leaving for the learning journey. Pupils are allowed to be in PE attire for this trip.

Earth Day 2023

As part of the school's Earth Day commemoration event, we want to educate pupils about the effects of E-pollution. Each of us play a small part, but together we can make a big difference to restore nature and build a healthy planet for our children and their children. Please refer to the list of Earth Day activities which will run from 3 to 17 April.

- 1) E-Waste Bin (in partnership with ALBA recycling)
- 2) Save the Pen collection (by Scouts CCA)
- 3) Recycled Materials Display (by Art Dept)
- 4) Vertical Farming and Food Sustainability
(by Environmental Science Club)
- 5) Global Warming Display (Science Noticeboard)

International Friendship Day

Date: 3 April 2023 (Monday)

Theme: Singapore in Asia

Teacher-in-charge: Mdm Jennifer Jacob

Do you know that ASEAN stands for Association of Southeast Asian Nations and there are ten member states in ASEAN? They are Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam. Every year ASEAN member countries take turns to chair ASEAN. Indonesia holds the chairmanship in 2023. Let's learn more about Indonesia and its culture!

P1 Learning Journey to Singapore Mandai Zoo

Primary 1 pupils will be going on a Learning Journey to the Singapore Mandai Zoo. The Singapore Mandai Zoo provides the opportunities for our pupils to come face to face with the fragility of wildlife, experiencing all its wonders and stimulates their curiosity about the animals and their habitat.

Date	28 April 2023
Time	During curriculum hours

Please refer to the letter that will be issued through your child on 3 April 2023 (Ref No: 23/E/133) for details of the Learning Journey.

Special call out to all parents of Gongshangers!

Thinking to pick up a new skill? Keen to contribute to the school in a more unique way? Wait no longer! Join the Balloon Interest Group by contacting us at gsps.psg@gmail.com.



Make your parenting journey memorable by joining the GSPS Parent Support Group (PSG)! We are a vibrant and passionate group of parents, actively involved in our children's learning journey to create stronger bonds between the school, parents and teachers. All parents / guardians of current Gongshang Primary School students are welcome to join PSG and/or PSG events. Use the link or scan the QR code to join our GSPS PSG and Facebook!

To sign up as a PSG member, click [here](#) or scan the QR code



To be part of PSG Facebook, click [here](#) or scan the QR code



Exciting activity lined up for April:

Parent & Child Balloon Sculpting Workshop

Led by PSG members, the Balloon Sculpting Workshop aims to create a space for parent and child to bond while unleashing their creative juices. Click [here](#) to sign up! Keep a lookout for your confirmation via email.

Date: 15 April 2023, Saturday

Time: 9:00am to 12pm

Venue: Oracle Room, GSPS

Max capacity: 30 pairs of parent and child (i.e. 60 pax)

End February to March Highlights:

In a flash, we have come to the end of March. Here are some highlights:

Central Fire Station Visit

Supported by Fathers@Gongshang, we had our first PSG outdoor event since the pandemic started at the Central Fire Station on 25 February 2023. The children were thrilled with the experience and parents walked away knowing more about what goes into rescue work and firefighting duties. Check out our [PSG Facebook](#) to have a glimpse of it.



Movie Night – Minions 2: The Rise of Gru

We had our first 2023 signature family bonding event with all decked out in blue and yellow, including snacks! The event registration was met with overwhelming response which we sincerely thank all parents for their interest. Head over to [PSG Facebook](#) to have a glimpse of it.



Cyber Wellness Message – Bringing Up Kids In The Digital Age

Many parents struggle to guide their children in their device use, deciding what is appropriate in terms of both quality and quantity. The Media Literacy Council's BetterInternet.sg website offers cyber-bullying resources for parents as well as a guidebook on bringing up kids in the digital age.

This guidebook gives you useful information and tips to guide your child on their digital journey and help them to be wise and conscientious digital citizens.

You can download the guidebook here: <http://bit.ly/2zkq44E>