



6 September 2024

INFORMATION AND PROGRAMMES FOR TERM 4 - SECONDARY 1

Dear Parents / Guardians,

Welcome back to Semester 2 Term 4. We hope that your child has taken time to relax and rejuvenate during the term break. Please see some updates on school programmes for Term 4 below.

1. Home-Based Learning (HBL) Days for Term 4

We will be having our HBL day on 20 September and 4 October 2024. Students will not need to report to school on those days and will be expected to do their work independently at home. At the start of the HBL days, students will meet with their form teachers online via Zoom.

2. Health Screening for Secondary 1 and 2

The school health team will be conducting health screening of Secondary 1 and 2 students from 16 to 19 September 2024.

3. End-of-Year (EOY) Examinations

The students will be having their EOY examinations from 23 September to 3 October 2024.

The Sec 1 EOY examination timetable can be downloaded from the school's website at:

<https://www.navalbasesec.moe.edu.sg/for-navalites/timetable-booklist-n-uniform/exam-timetable/>

4. Admin Days (7 and 16 October 2024) and Last Day of School (25 October 2024)

Please note that the school has set aside 7 and 16 October 2024 as admin days following the completion of the EOY exams. On these days, students need not report to school.

In addition, 25 October 2024 is the last day of school for Sec 1 to 3 students. It is also known as Achievement Day where we celebrate the successful closure to the school year and recognize the accomplishments of the students.

5. Sports Carnival on 18 October 2024 (Friday)

As part of the school's post exam activities, the school is organising our annual Sports Carnival on 18 October 2024, Friday, for all Sec 1 to 3 students. The details are as follows:

Time: 7.30am - 12.00pm

Venue: Yio Chu Kang Sports Centre

Students can look forward to a fun morning as they bond with their classmates through engagement in sports activities. Further details will be shared nearer to the date via Parents' Gateway and through your child.



6. **Navalites Learning Explorations Week in Term 4 (15 - 24 October 2024)**

As part of our holistic whole-school experience, Sec 1 to 3 students will be going through various out-of-classroom activities and learning journeys in the last week of the semester during curriculum time. Activities will include opportunities for application of students' learning in real life contexts, as well as experiential learning. Further details will be given closer to the end of the term. CCA will be suspended from 15 - 24 October 2024.

7. **Learning Support Programme (LSP)**

The Sec 1 Learning Support Programme (LSP) will be planned for identified students with the aim to close learning gaps identified from their performance at the End-of-Year Examinations. During the LSP, the students will strengthen their skills and foundations for the identified subjects. After which, they will attempt a test for the respective subjects to monitor their learning progression. The duration of LSP will be from 21 Oct to 8 Nov. More details will be shared via parents' gateway closer to the date.

8. **Schoolbag Article Spotlight: Going beyond the textbook: Encouraging my kids to enjoy learning for learning's sake**

Did you roll your eyes when you last heard someone say, "lifelong learning"? Father of two, Ian Tan, walks the talk by constantly retraining and picking up new skills. This helped him to overcome retrenchment and is now a full-time lecturer at Nanyang Technological University. He shares on how he impressed upon his children the importance of lifelong learning by example. Read it [here](#).

This termly letter can be downloaded from the Parents Gateway (PG) and the school's website:

<https://navalbasesec.moe.edu.sg/parents-at-nbss/termly-letters>

If you need further clarifications, please send an email to:

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