Letter to Parents 70/2019

1 Aug 2019

Dear Parents / Guardians

STUDENT WELL-BEING

National Day Celebrations - Thursday, 8 August

The school will commemorate National Day on Thursday, 9 August 2019. The theme this year "OUR SINGAPORE" commemorates our Singapore Bicentennial and allows us to tell Our Singapore story from past to present. 'Our' emphasises the collective ownership of Singapore. We are living the dreams of our pioneers, and we are now the pioneers of our future.

On that day, students can wear a red or school T-shirt with the school shorts / skirt. Students will report to school at the normal time and be **dismissed at 10 a.m**. The bus service provider has been informed of the school hours. Please make alternative childcare arrangements if your child/ward does not take the school bus.

Please note that Friday, 9 August is a public holiday and Monday, 12 August is a public holiday for Hari Raya Haji. Hence, **school will resume on Tuesday, 13 August**.

School Closure for PSLE Oral (for Primary 1 to Primary 5)

The school will be closed on the following dates for PSLE Oral:

| | School closes on | School resumes on |
|-----------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|
| PSLE Oral | Thursday, 15 Aug & Friday, 16 Aug | Monday, 19 Aug |

There is no school for Primary 1 to Primary 5 students on 15 Aug and 16 Aug.

Achievements

The school is proud to share with you the recent achievements of our students:

| Competition | Group/Student Involved | Achievement |
|-----------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Drone Odyssey Challenge 2019 | Josiah Yee (5D) Vernon Loh Jin Feng (5D) | Champion Team |
| | Jeyasekar Raj Joshua Asher (5A) Dhanvanth Rajamohan (5D) | Participation |
| 18th Science Elementz Competition | Issac Jordan Nelson (5A) Josh Lim Yu Han (5A) Lim Jian Rong (5D) Wong Zhi Xuan (5D) | Silver Award |
| | Rathod Dhruv Dilipkumar (4E) Chen Sing Hung (4E) Gramani Chidambaram Divakar (4E) Bryce Chun (4E) Lee Sing Eng (4F) | Certificate of Commendation |

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|---|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| 10th General Order Inter- School Competition 2019 年第十届《将军令》 全国校际比赛 | Brandon Lok Zhi Yang (4F) | First Prize (Individual) |
| | Kong Jingchun (6F) | Third Prize (Individual) |
| | Ryan Lok Zhi Hong (5D) | Fourth Prize (Individual) |
| | Joel Lim Yu Hng (6M) | Tenth Prize (Individual) |
| | Huang Ziqian (5A) | Merit Award (Individual) |
| | Chin Xiao Rou (6E) | |
| | Law Zhuo Heng (6E) | |
| | Andrew Lau Xuan Kang (6J) | |
| | Chong Kay Jet (4E) | Overall Champion |
| | Soon Le Xuan Joey (4E) | (Team / School) |
| | Fang Jun Ze (4E) | |
| | Brandon Lok Zhi Yang (4F) | |
| | Yau Jun Yi (4F) | |
| | Joseph Chong Ze Feng (5A) | |
| | Huang Ziqian (5A) | |
| | Ryan Lok Zhi Hong (5D) | |
| | Rykiel Val Ng Xin Yi (5E) | |
| | Chin Xiao Rou (6E) | |
| | Law Zhuo Heng (6E) | |
| | Kong Jingchun (6F) | |
| | Andrew Lau Xuan Kang (6J) | |
| | Joel Lim Yu Hng (6M) | |

Well done and congratulations to the students and teachers in-charge!

CURRICULUM MATTERS

Assessment for Primary 3, Primary 4 and Primary 5 In Term 4, all Primary 3, 4, and 5 students will sit for the SA2 examination. Please refer to the attachment for details of the assessment plans for Semester 2.

In partnership with you

Mrs Theresa Hong Principal



Northoaks Primary School Primary 4 Holistic Assessment Calendar 2019

| Date(s) | Term 3 (20% of SA2, 14% of Overall) |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 20 Aug (Tue) | EL Mini Test |
| 22 Aug (Thu) | Maths Mini Test |
| 26 Aug (Mon) | MTL Mini Test |
| 27 Aug – 31 Aug* (Tue – Fri) | Science Performance Task |

| Date(s) | Term 4 (80% of SA2, 56% Overall) |
|---------------|--|
| 7 Oct (Mon) | EL Paper 1 (Writing) |
| 8 Oct (Tue) | MTL Paper 1 (Writing) |
| 10 Oct (Thu) | EL & MTL Oral |
| 11 Oct (Fri) | EL Listening Comprehension MTL Listening Comprehension |
| 22 Oct (Tue) | EL Paper 2 |
| 23 Oct (Wed) | Mathematics |
| 24 Oct (Thu) | MTL Paper 2 |
| 25 Oct (Fri) | Science |

Note:

If your child is unwell on the day of the assessment, he/she will be assessed upon his/her return.

^{*} Your child may be tested on any of the days within this period.

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Information for Semestral Assessment 2 (2019)

PRIMARY 4

| Subject / Date / Duration | Unit / Chapter |
|--|--|
| English Language | Semester 1: Units 1 - 6 |
| Date: 22 October 2019, Tuesday | Semester 2: Units 7 - 10 |
| Duration: 1 h 15 min | Spelling List Term 1 to Term 4 (up to Week 5) |
| Mathematics | All Units from 4A and 4B books |
| Date: 23 October 2019, Wednesday | Heuristics |
| Duration: 1 h 45 min | |
| *Mother Tongue Languages | Chinese Language |
| Date: 24 October 2019, Thursday | Chapters 1 - 15 |
| Duration: 1 h | Malay Language |
| | Units 1 - 10 |
| *Only applicable to students taking the CL / ML and TL | Peribahasa no. 1 - 30 |
| CE / IVIE and TE | Tamil Language |
| | Units 1 – 10 |
| | Poetry and Proverbs (P3 and P4) |
| Science | All P3 Topics |
| Date: 25 October 2019, Friday | Topic 1: Diversity of Living and Non-living Things |
| Duration: 1 h 45 min | Topic 2: Diversity of Materials |
| | Topic 3: Interactions of Forces-Magnets |
| | Topic 4: Life Cycles of Plants and Animals |
| | Topic 5: Plant Parts and Their Functions |
| | All P4 Topics |
| | Topic 6: Human System (Digestive System) |
| | Topic 7: Matter and its Properties |
| | Topic 8: Light and Shadow |
| | Topic 9: Heat |