Letter to Parents 13/2019

15 January 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Enrichment Programmes for 2019 - Primary 4

In line with our school's efforts to provide quality learning for our students, we have planned several programmes to enrich your child/ward's learning experiences this year. The intent is to expose your child/ward to different domains of learning as part of the holistic development of your child/ward. As these programmes are subsidised by the school, we strongly encourage you to support your child's/ward's participation. You may wish to refer to the attached for the list of enrichment programmes for your reference.

For Singapore Citizen students, payment for these programmes will be deducted from your child's Edusave account. If the Edusave fund is insufficient, the balance will have to be paid in cash/by cheque.

For non-Singaporean students, payment for the enrichment programmes will need to be paid in cash/by cheque to the school.

Please do not make any payment yet. The school will generate a school bill (similar to MOE bill) in early February, indicating the amount payable from your child/ward's Edusave account (for Singapore Citizen students) or your designated GIRO account (for non-Singaporean students). The deduction will be made on 15 February 2019.

Should there be insufficient fund, the school will generate another school bill in mid-March for the outstanding balance to be settled in cash/by cheque.

Please note that there will be another letter on reading materials to be purchased by students for use in the class. More details will be given later. (Note: Payment will be made through GIRO.)

Thank you.	
Yours sincerely	
Mrs Theresa Hong	



Primary 4 Enrichment Programmes for 2019:

S/N	Programmes	Cost of Programme (\$)	Co-payment by Students (\$)
	Compulsory Programmes :		
1	"The Leader in Me™" Programme (for all students)	\$11.77	\$10
2	Learning Journey for Heritage Tour (for all students)	\$22	\$11
3	ML Enrichment Programme (for students taking ML only)	\$35	\$20
4	1-Day Experiential Exposure Camp (for all students)	\$58	\$26

Information on Enrichment Programmes

1. <u>"The Leader in Me™" Programme</u>

Based on The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People, our school hopes that The Leader in Me programme will help every Northoaks student to build self-confidence and develop personal management and social skills so that every child can be a leader in his/her own realm.

2. Mother Tongue Enrichment Programmes

ML Enrichment: Dikir Barat (Intermediate)

Dikir Barat is a style of Malay choral singing which is widely practiced and performed in Singapore and Malaysia. Through this programme, we aim to provide students with a holistic learning experience as we combine music, poetry and singing with synchronised body movements. Students will be exposed to the different aspects of dikir barat, including the traditional musical instruments used during a dikir barat performance.

At the end of the programme, students should be equipped with additional knowledge of the Malay culture and the art of dikir barat. The students should also be able to put up a dikir barat performance with poise and confidence.

3. 1-Day Experiential Exposure Camp

This 1-Day Camp aims to provide opportunities for students to:

- develop self-reliance and explore ways to respond to a challenge.
- work with others in a group.
- develop a lively curiosity about the outdoor activities.
- develop leadership and team-building skills
- develop confidence through a series of challenging activities.

Date of P4 Camp: 5th July 2019 (More details will be given nearer to the date).



