



# PEIYING PRIMARY SCHOOL

*School Vision: Lifelong Learners, Leaders of Character*

*School Mission: Building Character, Enriching Lives, Stretching Potential*

## Keeping in Touch

Letter to Parents 49/2025

20 November 2025

Dear Parents/Guardians,

As we approach the closure of another academic year, we reflect on the incredible journey our school community has shared together. From the first tentative steps of our new P1 students in January to the confident strides of our P6 graduating cohort, this year has been filled with moments of growth, discovery, and achievement that have truly embodied the spirit of learning we cherish so deeply. It has been our privilege to witness your children flourish not only academically but also as compassionate, curious, and resilient learners whom we nurture to contribute meaningfully to society as caring citizens.

The successes we celebrate today are attributed to the strong partnership between home and school that forms the foundation of our educational approach. Your dedication to your children's learning journey, whether through supporting their studies at home, participating in school activities, or reinforcing the values we share as a community, has been instrumental in creating an environment where every child can excel. As we look ahead to 2026, we remain committed to working closely with you as partners in education, knowing that together we are nurturing the next generation of confident and capable individuals.

We invite you to view our year's progress in our Parent Support Group (PSG) newsletter at this link <https://www.peiyingpri.moe.edu.sg/partners/psg/newsletter/> and our school updates on the school website. A big thank you to members of PSG for their wondrous and unwavering support for all these years.

We would like to extend our appreciation to parents who have responded to our Parents' Survey 2025. Your kind affirmations and valuable suggestions will help us improve the quality of the school experiences for our students.

Our students have also participated and performed well in various competitions. We would like to commend and congratulate the students. We would also like to commend our staff for their achievement. Their achievements can be found in Annex A.

Here are further updates for your information:

## HOME-SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP

### 1. Read for Life

As the school holidays are approaching, we would like to encourage our students to cultivate the good habit of reading during the holidays. As part of our efforts to support this, we would like our students to read at least two books from both English and Mother Tongue Languages during this December holidays.

### 2. Sale of School Textbooks and Uniforms during the School Holidays

Your child has received the booklist and details on book purchase this week. Online sales of the school uniform has commenced from 1 November 2025 and on-site uniform sales at the school will begin on 5 December 2025.

You may refer to the PG letter *"Updates on 2025 End of Year Sales of School Uniform, School Textbooks and Registration for School Bus Service"* dated 30 October 2025 for details on the end of year uniform sales and the online ordering guide. We encourage you to make your purchases early.

### 3. Dental Clinic Services

The school dental clinic is open on certain days during the year-end school holidays. If your child/ward requires urgent dental treatment, please call and make an appointment with the dental clinic at 87641706.

### 4. Joint Advisories for Students

For the upcoming year-end school holidays, Singapore Police Force (SPF), Central Narcotics Bureau (CNB), National Crime Prevention Council (NCPC) and National Council Against Drug Abuse (NCADA) have jointly provided an advisory to remind students to stay away from crime and drug/inhalant abuse. The advisory alerts students to the dangers of online scams and advises them on how to protect themselves from becoming victims of crime.

The Police would like to alert members of the public to be vigilant against scams perpetuated via emails that impersonate educational institutions. Since 14 October 2025, there were at least 15 cases reported, with total losses amounting to at least \$44,000. In this scam variant, the victims would receive emails requesting urgent payment of outstanding school or tuition fees. These emails were sent from email accounts belonging to fellow students which have been taken over by the scammers or email domains that are very similar to the official email accounts of education institutions. To make payment, the victims were asked to transfer money to a bank account. The victims were warned that the failure to do so quickly would subject them to actions by the school's litigation department. The victims would realise that they had been scammed after seeking verifications from their school, or after receiving relevant alerts and anti-scam advisories.

MOE would like to advise members of the public to exercise caution when receiving emails requesting for school fees through direct payment, immediate bank transfers, or payment links outside official student portals. Please check with the relevant institutions via official channels before transferring any fees, especially for unscheduled payment requests.

Health Promotion Board (HPB) and Health Sciences Authority (HSA) have also jointly provided an advisory to remind parents and students that vaping is illegal, regardless of age, and that vaping is harmful and can be a gateway to cigarette smoking. The advisory also provides information on the Tobacco Act and the penalties imposed on the offences. We encourage you to share with your child/ward the information in Annex B.

## **5. Students' Use of Mobile Phones and Smart Watches in School**

Students are **not allowed** to bring their mobile phones and smart watches to school to minimise distractions during school hours.

Should there be a need for students to bring mobile phones/smart watches to school, parents must apply and request permission through our HOD Student Management and permission will be granted based on the merit of each application. Information on this application procedure will be shared in the 1st Keeping in Touch Letter at the start of 2026 Term 1.

We would like to highlight that should permission be granted, students are not to use mobile phones/smart watches during school hours, including recess, CCA and after-school programmes (e.g. supplementary/enrichment/remedial lessons).

Students are required to put mobile phones/smart watches in their classroom lockers only. Students are expected to buy a lock to keep their locker secure. After school ends, students can retrieve their mobile phones/smart watches from their lockers and are allowed to contact their parents/guardians at the waiting area beside Gate 1 or Gate 3 just before they leave the school premises. Students should bear full responsibility for safekeeping of their mobile phones/smart watches. The school will not be responsible for the loss or damage of their devices.

We would like to assure parents/guardians that there is no need for students to have access to mobile phones/smart watches while in school. If students need to reach their parents/guardians for urgent matters, and vice versa, they should contact the staff at the General Office for help.

## **6. Important Dates for P6 Students**

If your child/ward is a P6 student, please refer to Annex C for details relating to the release of PSLE results and Secondary One (S1) Posting Exercise.

We would like to wish our P6 students all the best for their PSLE results and encourage them to continue to pursue their interest and passion in their secondary school pathway.

### **2026 SCHOOL OPERATING MATTERS**

## **7. School Curriculum Hours 2026**

Please refer to the school curriculum hours schedule below for details.

- All CCAs will take place on Tuesdays. Only some Performing Arts and Sport CCAs will have their sessions on Fridays as well.
- Academic support / remedial / enrichment lessons / Foundation Mathematics / Higher Mother Tongue lessons will take place on either Monday, Wednesday or Thursday afternoons.

More details will be shared in the 1st Keeping in Touch Letter at the start of 2026 Term 1.

Area	Target Group	Day(s)	Time
<b>Curriculum Time (2026)</b>	Primary 1 to 6	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday	7.30 am to 1.30 pm
		Wednesday	7.30 am to 1.00 pm
<b>Recess Period</b>	Primary 1 & 4	Monday to Friday	9.00 am to 9.30 am
	Primary 2 & 5		9.30 am to 10.00 am
	Primary 3 & 6		10.00 am to 10.30 am
<b>Snack Time</b>	Primary 1 to 6	Monday to Friday (No snack break for P3, P4 & P5 on Tue)	11.45 am to 12.00 pm
<b>Lunch Time on Tuesday (2026)</b>	Primary 3, 4 & 5	Tuesday	12.00 pm to 12.30 pm
	Primary 6		1.00pm to 1.30 pm

## 8. First Day of School in 2026

The first day of school for the following levels are:

- Friday, 2 January 2026 for P1 students only
- Monday, 5 January 2026 for P1 – P6 students

## 9. Appreciation and Farewell to our staff

As the year ends, we would also like to bid farewell to some colleagues who will be joining another MOE organization. We thank them for their contributions to the school and wish them all the best in their future endeavours. They are:

1. Ms Ng Pei Sun, Vice Principal
2. Ms Poh Mei Cheng, Year Head, Middle Primary
3. Ms Nurhafa, Assistant Year Head, Lower Primary
4. Ms Athena Wee, Subject Head, Character & Citizenship Education
5. Ms Chen Ying, Teacher
6. Ms Shih Xiu Rong, Teacher
7. Mdm Toh Ling Juan, Teacher
8. Mdm Hidayah Binte Abdul Rahman, Teacher
9. Mr Jonathan Fong, Student Welfare Officer


We would like to thank Vice Principal, Ms Ng Pei Sun for her invaluable contributions to Peiying Primary School. She will serve as the Deputy Director (Learning Partnership in Ed Tech) Educational Technology Division in MOE from 2026. We look forward to her in planning policies to benefit the wider school community.

We are happy to welcome Mrs Andrea Ki as the new Vice Principal of Peiying Primary School.

## 10. Happy Holidays

We wish all parents a good December holiday, bonding with your children. If you intend to travel during the school holidays, do make a travel declaration through the link in PG which was sent earlier. Happy holidays and stay safe! Thank you.

Your Partner-In-Education,

  
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 Mrs Peh-Wong Wei Yong  
 Principal

## ANNEX A1: Students' Achievements

Competition	Achievement	Name	Class
<b>National Malay Language Essay Writing Competition - Karya Minda</b>	Gold	Huwaida Faiha Binte Mohamad Hazely Muhammad Daniyal Bin Muhammad Suhail Aishah Humairaa Binte Mohammad Shaddieq Muhammad Shakir Bin Muhammad Hazre	3P 4E 5P 6D
	Silver	Nuha Maisarah Binte Muhammad Andi Ho Raimi Iman Bin Ho Muhammad Hasrul Dino	3I 4I
<b>11<sup>th</sup> National Primary School "Picture Book Creation" Competition</b>	Certificate of Participation	Ju Shen Jia Jazreel Chua Ting Ting Kuang Chenwei Lim Lian Qi Juliette Tan Xin Xuan Celeste Tong Wenxin Chloe Lim Fang Yi Xiao Zhitong Wu Qingyu	4W 4P 4D 4E 6D 6D 6D 6D 6D

## ANNEX A2: Staff's Achievements

Type of Award	Name of Staff	Achievement
<b>2025 National Day Awards</b>	Mrs Peh-Wong Wei Yong	The Public Administration Medal (Bronze), 2025 & The Long Service Medal, 2025
	Mr Lee Khoon Peng	The Commendation Medal, 2025
	Mdm Ng Gek Yin Theresa	The Commendation Medal, 2025
	Mdm Vasanthi d/o Tanabalan	The Long Service Medal, 2025
<b>MOE Service Excellence Award (MSEA) 2025</b>	Mr Cyril Matthew Philix	Gold
	Mrs Gayathri D/O Ghandi	Gold
	Mdm John Abraham Linda Gratia N	Gold
	Mdm Ng Gek Yin Theresa	Gold
	Mdm Sim Ya En Avery Rhoda	Gold
	Ms Ten Lihui Jacqueline	Gold
	Mdm Joice Chan Shu Wan	Silver
	Ms Lee Pei Yu	Silver
	Mr Mohammed Faizal Bin Isa	Silver
	Mdm Nurul Natasha Bte Muhd Farhan	Silver
	Mr Tan Khiam Kng	Silver

## Annex C: Administrative Details for P6 Students for Post PSLE Matters

Date	Event	Remarks
25 Nov 2025	Release of PSLE Results	<p>P6 students will report to the school hall at 10.30 am.</p> <p>We encourage at least one parent/guardian to accompany their child/ward to school to collect their PSLE results.</p> <p>Candidates should return to the school to collect their results and for those who are unable to, they may appoint a proxy to collect on their behalf from the school by Thursday, 27 November 2025. The candidate's parent/guardian can nominate the proxy by completing the Proxy Form at <a href="https://go.gov.sg/proxy-form">https://go.gov.sg/proxy-form</a></p>
By 4.30 pm on 1 Dec 2025	Submission of S1 Option Form	<p>Parents can submit their S1 school choices and options through the online S1 Portal accessible through MOE's S1 Posting website <a href="http://www.moe.gov.sg/s1-posting">www.moe.gov.sg/s1-posting</a> (Please refer to the information booklet on admission to S1 2025 for more details.)</p>
Between 18 and 19 Dec 2025	Release of S1 Posting Results	<p>The posting results can be accessed through any of the following channels:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Short Message Service (SMS) via a local mobile number (if provided by the applicant during the application process);</li> <li>- S1 Portal (<a href="https://www.moe.gov.sg/secondary/s1-posting">https://www.moe.gov.sg/secondary/s1-posting</a>) using the parent's Singpass.;</li> <li>- At the student's primary school.</li> </ul> <p>Students can check their posted schools' websites after receiving their posting results for more information such as instructions on online purchase of books and uniforms, booklist, and the reporting details after receiving their S1 Posting Results.</p> <p>Parents on PG will also receive instructions from the posted schools from the afternoon of the day the S1 Posting results are released.</p>

\*All students must be in their school uniform when they report to school to collect their PSLE Result Slips and S1 Option Form and likewise when they report to their secondary schools in person.

### Useful Links for Parents of P6 Students

<b>Secondary School Open House Details</b>	<a href="https://www.schoolbag.edu.sg/story/open-house-for-secondary-schools/">https://www.schoolbag.edu.sg/story/open-house-for-secondary-schools/</a>
<b>Full Subject Based Banding (SBB)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Full SBB will provide greater flexibility to the general secondary education system, with students studying different subjects at different levels.</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.moe.gov.sg/microsites/psle-fsbb/index.html">https://www.moe.gov.sg/microsites/psle-fsbb/index.html</a>
<b>Choosing Secondary Schools &amp; How Posting Process Work</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Consider your child's strengths and interests.</li> <li>- Discuss with your child and shortlist 6 schools in order of preference.</li> </ul> <p>Students will be posted based on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PSLE results in line with their eligible posting group</li> <li>• Order of school choices</li> <li>• Available vacancies at the selected schools</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.moe.gov.sg/secondary/s1-posting">https://www.moe.gov.sg/secondary/s1-posting</a>
<b>MOE SchoolFinder</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Explore secondary schools based on their distance from your home, locations, CCAs, subjects and programmes offered.</li> </ul>	<a href="https://go.gov.sg/secschoolfinder">https://go.gov.sg/secschoolfinder</a>