Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for e-open House 2022

• Primary One Registration Info:

What are the COVID-19 Management measure taken by schools?

Answer:

The information on COVID-19 management measures taken by schools can be found here

For Frequently Asked Questions on the COVID-19, please click here

For Health Advisories on the COVID-19, you may refer to the MOH's website here

In view of the COVID-19 situation, are there Precautionary measures in school to prepare for the P1 registration exercise? Will parents still be able to register in person at school?

Answer:

In view of the COVID-19 situation, there will not be any in-person registration at schools for the upcoming 2021 exercise. Changes will therefore be made to the mode of registration for Phases 2A(1), 2A(2) and 2B, while Phases 1, 2C and 2C Supplementary will largely remain the same.

Parents registering their younger child under Phase 1 will receive and be required to submit the application form and relevant documents to the school via email. The primary school where the older sibling is currently studying will continue to provide parents with details on how to register their younger child under Phase 1.

Instead of in-person registration for Phases 2A and 2B, eligible parents will be required to complete an online application form to register their child, using their SingPass. The link to the online form and user guide will be available on the MOE P1 Registration website during the registration periods of the respective phases.

Parents who are registering their child under Phases 2C and 2C Supplementary, under which all Singapore Citizen (SC) or Permanent Resident (PR) children are eligible, should use the existing Primary One Internet System (P1-IS) to register for their choice of school. For this online registration via the P1-IS, parents only need to use their SingPass.

Parents who are unable to use the P1-IS can register through the online form. Examples of parents who are unable to use the P1-IS include the following (please note that the list is not exhaustive):

Your child was not born in Singapore.

• Either one of the parent is not a Singapore Citizen or Permanent Resident at the time of the child's birth.

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I would still like to register in-person at the school. Can I do so as long as I take the necessary precautions?

Answer:

MOE will only accept online registrations stipulated for the phases. If you are unable to register online, please contact your school of choice via telephone or email for assistance.

To ensure the safety and well-being of our students and school personnel amid the COVID-19 situation, there will not be any in-person registration at primary schools this year. MOE will only accept online registrations stipulated for the respective phases.

Parents who require assistance during registration may contact the school of their choice via email or telephone on the respective registration days between 9.00am and 4.30pm. Links to the online forms, user guides, declaration process and eligibility criteria can be found at the <u>Go</u> to <u>Primary One Registration webpage</u>

What address can be used for registering my child in the P1 Registration Exercise?

Answer:

The address to be used is the official residential address on the parents' NRIC. If the addresses on both parents' NRICs are different, parents should decide on the address to be used for registration. This address will be used to determine the home-school distance category. If the child gains priority admission under the home-school distance category, you will have to reside at the address used for registration for at least 30 months from the commencement of the P1 Registration Exercise on 29 June 2022. If this condition is subsequently not met, MOE reserves the right to transfer the child out of the school to another school.

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How do I go about making the alternative child-care arrangement declaration?

Answer:

In view of the COVID-19 situation, parents who wish to register their child using the address of the child's grandparent or the parent's sibling (i.e. a caregiver), should declare the alternative child-care arrangement by completing an online form, instead of submitting their declaration physically at MOE's Customer Service Centre.

One parent is required to submit the online declaration form, and upload relevant supporting documents. The form will be available from **9.00 am on Monday, 27 June 2022 to 4.00pm on Friday, 29 July 2022.** Parents, who require making the declaration, are encouraged to do so early.

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What is the Primary One Internet System (P1-IS)? Who can register for Primary 1 using the P1-IS?

Answer:

The Primary One Internet System (P1-IS) is an online system for parents to register their children [Singapore Citizen (SC)/ Singapore Permanent Resident (SPR)] in primary schools during Phases 2C and 2C Supplementary.

You should use P1-IS if you meet all the following requirements:

- Your child is eligible for registration in Phase 2C or Phase 2C Supplementary.
- Your child's birth is registered in Singapore and the child holds a Singapore-issued Birth Certificate.
- Both parents have valid SingPass with 2-Step Verification (2FA) setup.
- Both parents are SCs or SPRs at the time of your child's birth.

In addition, single parents should register online via the P1-IS if:

i.) only that parent's particulars are reflected in the child's Birth Certificate (BC); or ii.) one parent is deceased.

Do you meet all the above requirements?

<u>Yes</u>

You can login to the Primary One Internet System (P1-IS) from:

Phase 2C

From 9am on Wednesday, 27 July 2022 to 4.30pm on Friday, 29 July 2022.

Phase 2C Supplementary

From 9am on Monday, 15 August 2022 to 4.30pm on Tuesday, 16 August 2022.

No

Parents who are unable to use the P1-IS can register through the online form.

Click here for the list of Required Documents For Registration.

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What are the registration procedures for Primary 1 (P1)?

Is your child a Singapore Citizen (SC) or Singapore Permanent Resident (SPR)?

Yes

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All parents will be informed of their registration outcome on the date of result announcement, through Short Messaging System (SMS).

The eligibility criteria for phase 2C and phase 2C Supplementary

Phase 2C / Phase 2C Supplementary

Phase 2C and 2C Supplementary is for any Singapore Citizen (SC) or Singapore Permanent Resident (PR) child that has not been registered in a primary school.

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- Both parents are SCs or SPRs at the time of your child's birth.

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Singaporeans who are working overseas and wish to register their children for Primary One (P1)

<u>Click here to refer to the information for Overseas Singaporeans for the registration</u> procedures.

What are the dates and phases of registration and the dates of result announcement?

Answer:

The dates and phases of registration as well as the dates of announcement of results are listed here.

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What are the Current School and Miscellaneous Fees payable?

Answer:

Is your child a Singapore Citizen?

<u>Yes</u>

The current School and Miscellaneous Fees payable by Singapore Citizens are shown in the table below.

Level	Monthly School Fee	Monthly Standard Miscellaneous Fee	Monthly 2nd-tier Miscellaneous Fee* (Maximum)	Monthly Total Fee (Maximum)
	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)
Primary	Free	6.50	6.50	13.00
Secondary	5.00	10.00	10.00	25.00
Pre-University	6.00	13.50	13.50	33.00

Note:

- 2nd-Tier Miscellaneous Fee is decided by the schools and is capped at 100% of the Standard Miscellaneous Fee. Students can use their Edusave Accounts to pay the 2nd-Tier Miscellaneous Fee.
- 2. Students studying in Autonomous Schools are also required to pay Autonomous School (AS) Fee. Please check directly with the schools on the rate of AS Fee payable.

The rates of School and Miscellaneous Fees payable are reviewed by the Ministry of Education and individual schools from time to time.

Different ways to pay school fees (Please contact school admin office for further details). GIRO scheme
SingPost SAM
SGQR (NETS/PayNow)
Child's school (cash and cheque)

My Child is not a Singapore Citizen or Singapore PR and is born between 2 Jan 2016 and 1 Jan 2017. How can my child seek admission to Primary One (P1) in 2023?

Answer:

Non-Singapore Citizen (SC) / non-Permanent Resident (PR) children who wish to seek admission to P1 in 2023 are required to undergo a two-step process:

Step 1: Submit an online 'indication of interest' form via the MOE P1 website, **from 31 May to 6 June 2022.** Those who do not do so **by 6 June 2022** will not be able to register during Phase 3 of the P1 Registration Exercise.

Step 2: In Oct 2022, MOE HQ will notify parents who have indicated their interest via email on whether their non-SC / non-PR child can be offered a P1 place. For non-SC / non-PR children offered a place, the parent will be informed of how to register with the designated school.

Parents of non-SC / non-PR children should note that the 'indication of interest' is not considered as registration. Parents of non-SC / non-PR children should also note that admission is not guaranteed as there are limited vacancies remaining for non-SC / non-PR children after places are allocated to SC/PR children.

As admission is not guaranteed, parents are advised to consider alternative educational options well ahead of time.

For more information, please click <u>here</u>.

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• School Operating Matters Info

School Facilities and Programmes

- What are the school facilities?
- What are the programmes offered at the school?
- What activities can the school offer the pupils after school hours?
- What are the CCAs offered?
- Will the school be starting classes for the other levels from P2 to P6?
- What Mother Tongue languages will be offered?

Punggol View Primary is one of the seven new primary schools that took in students from 2013. As recommended by the Primary Education Review and Implementation (PERI) Committee, the school has new design norms such as redesigned classrooms, dance and performing arts studios, as well as an outdoor jogging path. These facilities support the delivery of holistic education, and facilitate engaged learning in both academic and co-curriculum education.

Students can look forward to new facilities that will support educational approaches, which encourage more interaction and self-discovery, and facilitate experiential and hands-on learning. The new facilities also better support differentiated learning, to meet the learning needs of different groups of students.

Educational Approaches	Facilities	
1	Collaborative and Independent Learning	Redesigned classrooms, ICT Labs, Maths Room, Discovery Loft and Science Labs
2	Differentiated Teaching Approaches	Learning Support Rooms, Learning and Behavioural Support Intervention Room
3	Programme for Active Learning for Life Skills and Character Development	Dance Studio, Performing Arts Stage in Media Resource Library, Indoor Sports Hall, PAL (Programme for Active Learning) Rooms, Art Rooms and Music Rooms
4	Outdoor Experiential Learning	Outdoor Learning Classroom, Eco- pond, Science Garden and Outdoor Playground

'Home in a School' Experience for Socio- Emotional Development	Care Centre
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What should I do if I have a change of Home and Mailing Address?

Please inform the staff at General Office who will advise you on the form(s) and supporting document(s) to submit.

How do I contact the school?

Please refer to the following link: https://punggolviewpri.moe.edu.sg/our-school/contact-us
You can send your feedback/enquiries to punggolview ps@moe.edu.sg

What are the School Rules?

Please access the following https://punggolviewpri.moe.edu.sg/our-school/school-rules

What are the operating hours of the General Office (GO)? 7am – 5.30pm (School Terms) / 8am – 5pm (School Holidays) Monday – Friday

My child is currently studying in the school and I wish to contribute my service as a Parents Support Group (PSG) member. How can I join?

The PSG scheme is open to parents with children in our school. You can check out our PSG website for more information: https://punggolviewpri.moe.edu.sg/our-partners/parents-support-group

What are the available CCAs?

Please refer the following link: https://punggolviewpri.moe.edu.sg/our-curriculum/co-curricular-activities-ccas

What do I need to do to transfer my child to your school?

Please refer to MOE website (https://beta.moe.gov.sg/primary/transfers/) for details.

How do I apply for financial assistance?

Please refer to MOE website

(https://www.moe.gov.sg/education/financial-assistance/moe-financial-assistance/moe-financial-assistance-scheme-(fas)) for details.

Student Care Centre

- When will the Student Care Centre start operation?
- What are the operating hours of the Student Care Centre?
- What is the total number of available places for Student Care Centre?
- Can I reserve a place to enrol my child in the Student Care Centre?
- How big is the Student Care Centre?
- What kind of programmes will the Student Care Centre offer?
- Can I use the Child Development Account (CDA) to pay for Student Care fees?
- When can I start to register for Student Care services?

The Student Care started operation in Jan 2016. The centre is operated by **Raffles Student Care Centre LLP** selected by the school after careful consideration of staff competency, the type of programmes they offer as well as the fees they intend to charge. Parents can apply to the centre directly for admission during the P1 Orientation.

According to MSFD guidelines, the Student Care Centre runs from after school dismissal to 7 pm. In accordance to MSFD guidelines, the basic Student Care Centre programme should comprise the following:

- Meals (lunch and tea)
- Supervised study time
- Bath time
- Group activities
- Parent involvement activities

For enquiries, is there a contact number or e-mail address that I can write to?

For any enquiries on Punggol View Primary School, you can write to punggolview ps@moe.edu.sg. Alternatively, you can reach us at the following telephone number: 6570 1588.

How do the school communicate with parents?

The school will communicate official matters with parents via the Parents Gateway (PG). Parents will need singpass to access PG.

I would like to know more about acad and non acad information, where can I get these info? Please access the school website via this link for more information: https://punggolviewpri.moe.edu.sg/