



# **RAFFLES GIRLS' PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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## **Updates on PE, Art & Music P3 (Term 4)**

Dear Parents,

We have come to the end of Term 4 and here are some updates on P3 PE. The pupils have been taught the following components.

### Gymnastics

- Types of balances (points and patches)
- Balance on head and hand in the inverted position (tripod stand)
- Roll in a forward direction
- Rocking on a curved back (backward roll simulation)
- Perform a sequence of four different movements (eg: travelling action, balance, roll) with smooth transition and different starting and ending position.

In term 4, the P3 pupils got to learn the different components within a gymnastics curriculum; from types of balances, to rolls and forming a sequence. Teachers were tremendously impressed by pupils' demonstration of resilience as they do the tripod stand. Pupils were also exposed to the different components of gymnastics through a series of task cards and videos. During gymnastics, pupils were creative as they came up with interesting sequences as well. Overall, despite term 4 being a short term, pupils got to experience many various components of gymnastics.

While carrying out these activities, safe distancing measures were in place between small groups and within the group.

### Outdoor Education

- Navigation skills to locate the position of self in relation to the landmarks in the school

Most of the girls were able to identify and locate their own location in relation to the school.

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## Children's Day Games

In place of the annual Games Carnival, pupils played games in class on Children's Day.

Based on the theme of Empathy, we played games that allowed pupils to:

- Empathise with people with disabilities
- Work on fine motor skills
- Learn and demonstrate teamwork
- Display the school value of Resilience

Each class is challenged to complete various tasks with a particular limitation/disability in class. The winning classes to the P3 levels are;

|     | Class |
|-----|-------|
| 1st | 3D    |
| 2nd | 3F    |
| 3rd | 3B    |

Congratulations to the P3 winning classes.

We hope that the pupils will continue to stay safe, stay healthy and stay strong during this pandemic. We would encourage them to continue to engage in physical activities safely during the December holidays for at least 60 minutes a day to promote a healthy lifestyle.

Best regards,  
Claresta Chee (Mrs)  
SH PE

## Art

In term 4, the pupils continued to work on their Claymation projects. After creating their props and characters, pupils went on to take stop-motion photographs for their videos using the Stop Motion app on the iPad. Pupils then experienced the process of video editing and creating. Using the app, Filmorago, pupils edited and added subtitles and music to their stop-motion video.

The pupils thoroughly enjoyed the process of creating their very own stop-motion videos. They have also learned to appreciate art elements and principles such as form, space and movements in the process.

Best Regards,  
Ms Cassandra Quek  
Primary 3 Art Level Representative

## **Music**

In term 4, students embarked on their elemental musical theatre project, “Anansi & the Moss Covered Rock”. Using the music that they had created in term 3, the story was re-presented in the form of a musical theatre. Students auditioned and volunteered for the different roles available. The class is proud to showcase this project via SLS. This will be available on SLS from 18/11/2020, Wednesday, till the end of the year. We hope you will enjoy the performances, which is a fruit of labour from both the pupils and teachers.

As we are nearing the end of 2020 and moving on to 2021, I would like to extend an early invitation all P3-6 pupils to take part in our upcoming annual Talentime 2021.

All Talentime auditions will be done via online submissions from 2021 onwards.

Pupils who are interested may prepare a video recording of themselves either singing or dancing to a song of their choice. The online submission date and more details will be announced early next year. Do look out for that in our PG notification in 2021. We look forward to seeing your child next year.

Best Regards,  
Ms Serene Chan  
Primary 3 Music Level Representative