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Dear Parents/ Guardian

Annual School-Based Health (SHS) Screening in Primary Schools – For P1 and P5 only.

This year, the School Health Service will be visiting the school from 28 July - 3 August to conduct the annual health screening exercises for P1 and P5 pupils only. This is due to the redeployment of nurses and doctors to participate in the nationwide COVID-19 Vaccination exercise since January 2021.

In view of this re-deployment, there are adjustments to the school-based health screening and immunization programmes.

The SHS team will continue to conduct the programmes in the following educational levels.

- 1. **P1 catch-up immunisation** (only for students who have missed out on their vaccinations during early childhood)
- 2. **P5 immunisation only** (booster jabs)

Vision screening for P2, 3, and 4 pupils will remain suspended. Primary 1 and 5 Health Screening, Primary 6 Scoliosis screening will also be suspended. Parents can refer to the attached letter from HPB for more information.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely, Claresta Chee (Mrs) SH PE