WHITE SANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

1. White Sandians - Our Pupils, Our Pride

We would like to congratulate our former and current pupils for achieving outstanding results in the various domains. We also recognise that these achievements have been made possible because of the strong support from all parents and staff. Thank you for the support.

Non-Academic Domain	Academic Domain
National School Games TaeKwonDo Championships [Category: Poomsae (Individual))	Outstanding Achievement in the 2018 GCE 'O' Level Exams Ho Vinn Outstanding Achievement in the 2018 GCE 'N (T)' Level Exams Ammirul Darwisyi B Abdul Malek Khairul Qusyari B Kamis

2. Schedule for Release of Exam Scripts and Report Books & Pupil-Teacher-Parent Conference

The schedule for the release of the SA1 exam scripts and report books is as follows:

Release of SA1 exam scripts to parents (P3-P6)				
 English, Mathematics, Mother Tongue, 	Friday, 24 May 2019			
Foundation Mother Tongue				
 Science, Higher Mother Tongue 	Wednesday, 29 May 2019			
Return of SA1 exam scripts to teachers (P3-P6)				
English, Mathematics, Mother Tongue,	Monday, 27 May 2019			
Foundation Mother Tongue				
 Science, Higher Mother Tongue 	Thursday, 30 May 2019			
Release of report books to parents	Monday, 1 July 2019			
Return of report books to teachers	Friday, 5 July 2019			

Should there be any changes to the above-mentioned schedule, we seek your understanding in this matter. Parents affected will be informed of the change, if any, through our school's message notification system (SNAC).

The school will be holding the Pupil-Teacher-Parent Conference on Friday, 31 May 2019. This session is a communication platform to help our parents better understand their child's development and progress in addition to building a strong, focused & positive partnership between pupil, teacher & parents. Booking for the Parent-Teacher Conference will be made online. Details will be issued separately.

3. Positive Relationships

Positive relationships are important in every growing child's life because they help develop independence, self-esteem and well-being. Children feel confident, secure, are able to trust their relationship with adults, and in turn, learn to trust their own decisions.

Children who grow up with a secure and healthy attachment to their parents develop happy and content relationships with others in their life. A child who has a secure relationship with parent also learns to regulate emotions under stress and in difficult situations.



So do spend time with your children this coming holiday and build a relationship of love and trust. More information can be found at https://www.schoolbag.sg/story/why-relationships-matter.

4. Update on Travel Plans

As part of the school's proactive and preventive measures to ensure that the school is prepared for health related emergencies that may arise such as pandemic flu, we seek your assistance in updating the school on travel plans involving your children for the upcoming mid-year holidays.

All P1 parents need to declare the travel plans of their P1 children regardless of travel intent. A nil return is required. For P2 to P6, only parents who intend to travel need to declare their children's travel plans. Details on how to update your travel plans are found in Annex A. Please submit the travel plans by Friday, 31 May 2019.

5. Parents Gateway

We are pleased to inform you that our school is going on-board Parents Gateway. Parents Gateway is a mobile app specially designed for parents. Developed by MOE and GovTech, the app allows parents to engage with schools, receive information and perform a range of administrative functions such as giving consent for school trips.

We would like to invite you to download the Parents Gateway mobile app on your mobile phone (available on iOS and Android platforms only) and perform a simple one-time on-boarding process. Please refer to Annex B for a step-by-step guide.

We look forward to your support so that we can make use of Parent Gateway for purposes mentioned above. Parent Gateway will ultimately replace the school's usage of SNAC.

Your partner-in-education,

Ms Audrey Wong

Principal

School Motto – Learn Grow Excel Together School Values – Care, Respect, Responsibility, Resilience, Rallying together, Excellence (C4RE)



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Dear P1 - P6 Parents/Guardians,

Online Mid-Year Holidays Travel Declaration Exercise

Access to the travel declaration module is via the <u>Marshall Cavendish Education</u> online portal at <u>www.mconline.sg</u>. A guide on how to perform the declaration can be found in the following page.

To log in to the portal, please use the details as shown below.

Login ID

: P_(Your child's SLS ID) For example if your child has a SLS ID of ABCDE1234C,

your user id would be P ABCDE1234C

School

: WSPS

Password

: parent01 (the default password, otherwise please use your personal password

which you have changed previously on your first login)

The portal works best with Google Chrome.

For technical assistance, please contact Marshall Cavendish Online at 6777 5198 during operating hours, or refer to the FAQ section on their website.

Please input your child's/ward's travel declaration by **31 May 2019**. For any changes or plans made after the deadline, please continue to update your travel details using the portal.

Please contact Mr Liew at 6922 9124 if you need any further clarifications.

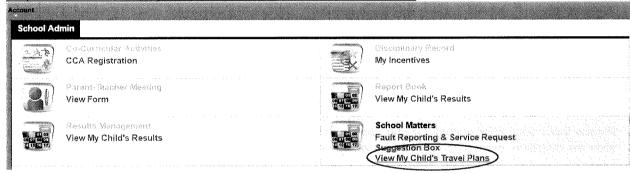
Thank you.

Mr Liew Guan Jie Subject Head – ICT

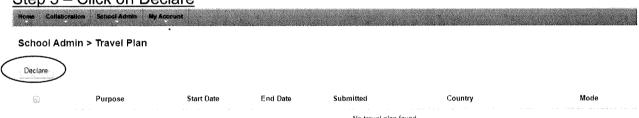
Guide for Travel Plan Declarations

Step 1 - Click on School Admin School Admin My Account Co-Curricular Activities: CCA SSIGNMENTS CHILD LESSONS : TRACK MY CHILD TEST Submitted Upcoming Disciplinary Record: My Incentives Overdue/Clased Current Parent-Teacher Meeting: View Form List All Subjects ▼ Sort by: Date Report Book: View My Child's Results Results Management: View My Child's Results - You have no assignment. -School Matters alt

Step 2 - Click on View My Child's Travel Plans under School Matters



Step 3 - Click on Declare



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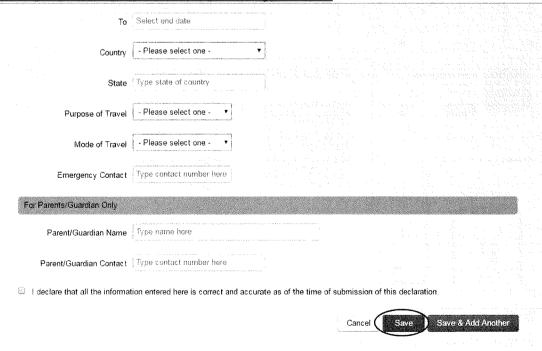
Step 4 - Fill in the travel declaration

ty Child Travel Plan > Create Travel Plan

Travel Declaration

Please Select:	other country during the following h	roliday : Mar	€∷ Jun	∜ Sep	kJ Dec	Others
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From	Select start date					
То	Select and date	en e				
Country	- Please select one -	V				
State	Type state of country					
Purpose of Travel	- Please select one •					
Mode of Travel	- Please select one - ▼					
Emergency Contact	Type contact number here					
For Parents/Guardian Only						

<u>Step 5 – Click on Save to submit the declaration or Save & Add Another to submit travel declaration and add in another country of travel</u>



Guide to set-up Parent Gateway

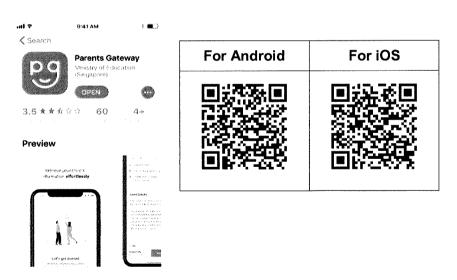
Step 1 - SingPass Registration and 2FA Setup

SingPass 2-Step Verification (2FA) is required for on-boarding. If you have not registered for a SingPass or have not set up the 2FA, please visit the SingPass website (https://www.singpass.gov.sg), or scan the QR codes below to do so. Should you require further assistance on SingPass, please contact SingPass Helpdesk at 6643-0555. For other matters, please contact Mr Liew at 6922 9124 if you need any further clarifications

SingPass Registration	2FA Activation

Step 2 - Download Parents Gateway Mobile App

- a. Open the Apple App Store or Google Play Store app on your mobile phone.
- b. Search for the 'Parents Gateway' mobile app, or scan the QR code below.

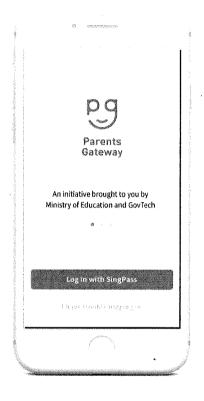


- c. Download and install the app onto your phone.
- d. Enable 'Allow Notifications' to receive push notifications.

Note: Supported OS Versions - Android 5.0 or later & iOS 9.1 or later

Step 3 - One-Time On-boarding

1. Tap on "Log in with SingPass"



2.Log in with your SingPass (2FA)



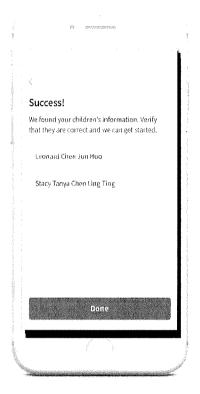
3.Tap on "Retrieve" to retrieve your child(ren)'s information





Annex B

4.Tap on "Done" to complete on-boarding



5. You should see your child(ren)'s school announcements and activities (if any)

