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A vibrant connected community that aspires, learns and leads

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FROM THE DESK OF THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents / Guardians,

We are approaching the end of the 2025 academic year, and what an extraordinary and memorable year it has been! Thank you for your unwavering support in making our YN90 anniversary celebrations truly meaningful for our entire school community. The milestone events commemorating our school's 90th anniversary have been the highlight of the year, uniting our students, families, and staff in joyous celebration of Yu Neng's rich heritage. From the anniversary concert to the record-breaking activities, these moments have created treasured memories and marked 2025 as a year of great significance for all of us. Beyond honouring our past achievements, the celebrations have strengthened our sense of community and deepened the bonds that connect us.

As we look ahead to 2026, we do so with optimism and confidence, building on the strong foundation laid during this special anniversary year. Together, we will continue the good work and spirit of excellence that defines Yu Neng.

Before we conclude this remarkable year, please take note of the key administrative matters and upcoming events outlined below.

1. ACHIEVEMENTS & ACCOLADES

1.1 MOE Service Excellence Awards and Caring Teacher Awards

A total of 26 of our staff have been presented with the MOE Service Excellence Awards (MSEA) this year (see Annex A). This award recognises MOE staff who demonstrate exceptional and consistent service delivery to both internal and external stakeholders. Congratulations to all our teaching and non-teaching staff who have received this well-deserved recognition!

We would also like to take this opportunity to encourage all parents and students to nominate deserving teachers for the Caring Teacher Award (CTA) 2026. This national award seeks to honour teachers who go beyond the call of duty to nurture the holistic development of their students, helping them grow into confident, independent, and resilient learners who will contribute meaningfully to our nation. To submit your nomination, please visit <https://www.cta.nie.edu.sg/nominate>. You may nominate more than one teacher. The closing date for nominations is 31 December 2025.

1.2 Singapore Primary School Sports Council Sportsmanship Awards

Singapore Primary Schools Sports Council (SPSSC) Sportsmanship Awards recognise students' sporting achievements and display of good sporting character and values. We are delighted that the following junior student-athletes have been awarded the Sportsmanship Awards. Congratulations to the awardees!

Graciousness ♦ Respect ♦ Responsibility ♦ Resilience ♦ Integrity ♦ Teamwork

| Sports | Division | Name | Class |
|---------------|-----------------|------------------------------|--------------|
| Badminton | JG | SEOW PEI EN | 4GR |
| Badminton | JB | JIN MOXUN JOSEPH | 5RP |
| Badminton | JB | EDRICK OH TING RUI | 5RP |
| Badminton | JB | CHOO YONG HUI NOLAN JEREMIAH | 5RP |
| Floorball | JB | YAM YU HORNG DARRYL | 4TM |
| Floorball | JB | TOK KAI HNG JONAS | 4TM |
| Floorball | JB | CHAN HUAN KAI ETHAN | 5GR |
| Table Tennis | JG | CHEN XINTONG ALESSIE | 4GR |
| Table Tennis | JB | LEE ZEKAI ANDREW | 4GR |
| Table Tennis | JB | MUHAMMAD ALIF BIN AZMAN | 4RY |
| Track n Field | JG2 | YEONG ZEE SHAN | 5GR |
| Track n Field | JB1 | TAN YAN RUN KYLER | 4RY |
| Track n Field | JB1 | TANG YAN JUN JUSTIN | 2RP |
| Volleyball | JB | CHOO JIN AN, ADEN | 4RY |
| Volleyball | JB | DECLAN CHANINT RAE | 4TM |

2. UPCOMING EVENTS & UPDATES

2.1 P4 Trip to Neighbourhood Park

With the implementation of the new 2024 PE syllabus, our Primary 4 students are required to complete a neighbourhood route activity as part of their preparation for the Primary 5 camp in 2026. In line with this, the PE Department has planned for students to explore Bedok Town Park during their PE lessons in Term 4, Week 8. During the activity, students will identify potential hazards along the route and propose ways to mitigate these risks. They are also expected to demonstrate respectful and responsible behaviour while exploring the neighbourhood environment.

2.2 P1/P5 Big Buddies Programme 2026 cum P4 Lifeskill Workshop

We are excited to share that in 2026, our current Primary 4 students will take on a special role as buddies to the incoming Primary 1 students. This initiative aims to help our young P1s feel welcomed and supported as they transition into their new school environment. At the same time, it provides our students with meaningful opportunities to develop social skills and demonstrate care and responsibility towards their juniors.

As part of this programme, our older students can look forward to accompanying their P1 buddies during recess to buy food, guiding them around the school, and engaging in bonding games. On Wednesday, 12 November, with the support of our Parent Support Group (PSG), our P4 students will also work in groups to create beaded GR³IT keychains, which they will present as a welcome gift to their juniors. We extend our heartfelt appreciation to our PSG members for their time, effort, and partnership in making this meaningful experience possible for our students.

2.3 P6 Celebration Day

To celebrate and mark the completion of the primary school journey for our Class of 2025 students, we will be holding the Primary 6 Celebration Day on Monday, 10 November, from 3.00p.m. to 4.30p.m.

The event will feature a photo booth, light refreshments, and fun games for our graduating students to enjoy in a relaxed and joyful setting. Through this celebration, we hope to create meaningful memories for our students as they reflect on their shared experiences and look forward to the next chapter of their educational journey. As they prepare to move on, we encourage them to continue living out our school motto, “Light up and Shine!”

Our heartiest congratulations to the Primary 6 Class of 2025, and we wish them every success in their future endeavours. Please refer to the letter on Parents Gateway for more information about the event.

2.4 Meet-Parents-Session 3

Our third Meet-Parents-Session (MPS3) has been scheduled for Wednesday, 19 November, from 8.00a.m. to 3.00p.m. for Primary 1 to Primary 5 levels. This session provides a valuable opportunity for Form Teachers and Mother Tongue Teachers to meet with the parents/guardians of **selected students** to discuss their child's progress and development.

Please note that students are not required to report to school on that day. A separate letter with further details on MPS3 will be posted on Parents Gateway. We remain committed to fostering strong home-school partnerships to bring out the best in every student. We encourage parents of the selected students to make time for this session.

2.5 I Love YNPS

“I Love YNPS” is a Values-In-Action (VIA) programme in Yu Neng Primary School that aims to instil values such as responsibility by encouraging students to care for their school environment. On Thursday, 20 November, all students will take part in a mass clean-up of their personal spaces, including their tables and lockers. Students are required to bring wet wipes or a rag on that day to do their part in keeping their learning environment clean and tidy. In addition, students are encouraged to bring a reusable bag to school throughout the last week of the term so that they can bring home their personal belongings stored in their lockers.

2.6 90th Speech and Prize-Giving Day

This year, our 90th Speech and Prize-Giving Day will be held on Friday, 21 November. **Students who are receiving prizes or involved in the event are required to be present while all other students need not report to school on that day.** The theme for this year's event, “A Legacy of Growth, A Future of Promise,” highlights the Yu Neng community's strength and unity in nurturing our students and preparing them for the future. Students participating in the ceremony will receive further details through separate letters, while parents of prize recipients will be notified via Letter of Invitation and invited to attend the ceremony.

3. IMPORTANT THINGS TO NOTE

3.1 Class Allocation 2026

At Yu Neng Primary School, our class allocation policy is guided by our commitment to catering to students' diverse learning needs, fostering strong teacher-student and peer relationships, and nurturing an inclusive school culture to support each child's growth and development. For class allocation 2025 to 2026, students progressing from Primary 1 to Primary 2, Primary 3 to Primary 4, and Primary 5 to Primary 6 will promote together as a class with their current classmates, enabling continuity and fostering stronger connections. Current Primary 5 students

who change their subject combinations in Primary 6 as part of subject-based banding (SBB) will stay with the same form class.

For students transiting from Primary 2 to Primary 3, an equal number of students from each of the six Primary 2 classes will be placed in the five Primary 3 classes, with a maximum of 40 students per class. This arrangement encourages social mixing as well as helps support the emotional well-being of our students as they adjust to the new environment. Each Primary 3 class comprises students of different gender, race, learning proficiency and demonstration of learning dispositions.

Current Primary 4 students will be placed into five Primary 5 classes based on their overall academic results, SBB options, gender, race, strengths and learning dispositions. Students in the first 60th percentile will be grouped across three mixed classes while those in the next 40th percentile will be grouped into the next two mixed classes. The SBB approach ensures that students learn at an appropriate level and pace, stretching their potential in subjects of strength while building understanding in areas where more support is needed. Beyond academics, Primary 5 students will also share common cohort experiences, such as the National Education Show, Camp GR³IT, and learning journeys, to foster collaboration across classes.

As a school, we remain committed to creating a supportive and enabling learning environment that encourages students to be joyful, motivated learners who embrace learning for life.

3.2 Release of PSLE Results

The tentative release date for the PSLE 2025 results is scheduled between Monday, 24 November and Wednesday, 26 November. Parents of Primary 6 students are advised to check newspapers and/or tune in to television or radio stations for announcements and confirmation of the official release date. All Primary 6 students are required to report to school in full school uniform when collecting their PSLE results.

3.3 Backing up of P6 Student iCON data

Primary 6 students proceeding to private or overseas educational institutions will be required to back up their iCON data by **31 December 2025**. Do also inform your child/ward to update their email addresses with any relevant educational institutions or organisations which they may have provided with their student iCON email address (ending with @students.edu.sg) previously. You may download the step-by-step guide to perform the backup from go.gov.sg/gradstudgoogle. For further information or clarification, please contact our ICT Manager, Ms Sri at sri_rathi_priya@moe.edu.sg.

3.4 Important Announcement on SLS

The Singapore Student Learning Space (SLS) will be temporarily unavailable for a system upgrade from 12.00a.m. on Tuesday, 2 December until 11.00p.m. on Thursday, 4 December. This update is part of the SLS December 2025 Release (Release 3). Should your child/ward experience any difficulties logging in after the upgrade, please contact the school for assistance. Thank you for your understanding as we work to enhance the SLS system.

3.5 2026 Book, Uniform and Name Tag Sale Schedule

Students will receive the 2026 Booklists on Tuesday, 18 November. The Primary 1 to Primary 6 booklists will also be available for download on our school website from the same date. Walk-in sales for books, uniforms, and name tags are scheduled as per the table below. Parents are kindly reminded to adhere to the allocated dates for their child's level and to **bring along the 2026 booklist when making purchases.**

To avoid queues, we strongly encourage pre-ordering textbooks via Pacific Bookstore's online ordering service at <http://www.pacificbookstores.com> from Tuesday, 18 November 2025 to Saturday, 13 December 2025. The on-site bookstore operating hours are **9.00a.m. to 12.00p.m. and 1.00p.m. to 3.00p.m.**

| Date | Levels |
|------------------------------|------------|
| 27 & 28 Nov 2025 (Thu & Fri) | P1 & P2 |
| 3 & 4 Dec 2025 (Wed & Thu) | P3 & P4 |
| 9 & 10 Dec 2025 (Tue & Wed) | P5 & P6 |
| 11 & 12 Dec 2025 (Thu & Fri) | All Levels |
| 22 & 23 Dec 2025 (Mon & Tue) | All Levels |
| 26 & 29 Dec 2025 (Fri & Mon) | All Levels |

3.6 Advisory for the Coming School Holidays

The Singapore Police Force (SPF), Central Narcotics Bureau (CNB), National Crime Prevention Council (NCPC), and National Council Against Drug Abuse (NCADA) have jointly issued an advisory for schools to remind students to stay away from crime, drug use, and inhalant abuse. The advisory highlights the dangers of common crimes, including online scams, and encourages students to take steps to protect themselves from becoming victims of crime. In addition, the Health Sciences Authority (HSA) and Health Promotion Board (HPB) have provided guidance on the laws and harms of vaping.

We encourage all parents to share this information with your child to complement the school's efforts in educating students about staying safe, making responsible choices, and avoiding criminal or harmful activities.

3.7 Key Dates to Note

Please take note of the following key dates.

| School Events / New Academic Term | Dates |
|---|------------------|
| Admin Day All students need not attend school as teachers will be processing results on that day. | Tue, 11 Nov 2025 |
| Meet-Parents-Session 3 All students need not report to school on that day. Form Teachers and Mother Tongue Teachers will speak to parents/guardians of selected students . | Wed, 19 Nov 2025 |
| 90th Speech Day and Prize-Giving Ceremony Only award recipients, selected student leaders and performing arts CCA students are required to report to school. | Fri, 21 Nov 2025 |
| First day of school for 2026 Primary 1 Students are to report to school by 7.30a.m. | Fri, 2 Jan 2026 |
| First day of school for 2026 Primary 2 to 6 students Students are to report to school by 7.30a.m. | Mon, 5 Jan 2026 |

4. GOING FORWARD

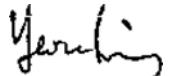
I would like to take this opportunity to thank all parents and stakeholders for your strong partnership and steadfast support throughout this year. I look forward to another year of productive and enriching collaboration with you in 2026.

May you enjoy a peaceful and rejuvenating year-end holiday with your family and friends. To our parents and students celebrating Christmas, I extend warm wishes for a truly meaningful and joyous celebration with your loved ones.

The new school term will begin on Friday, 2 January 2026 for our incoming Primary 1 students, and on Monday, 5 January 2026 for Primary 2 to Primary 6 students. All students should arrive at school by 7.30a.m.

My staff and I are excited to welcome your child back for what promises to be a wonderful and engaging 2026 academic year!

Yours-in-Education



Mr Ng Yeow Ling
Principal

MOE Service Excellence Awards (MSEA) Awardees 2025

| Name | Award |
|--|----------|
| Mr Neo Li Ren Royston | Platinum |
| Mr Cai Hanfeng | Gold |
| Ms Claire Yeo | Gold |
| Ms Leanna Lyn Gaffar | Gold |
| Mdm Marlina Mohamed Noor | Gold |
| Ms Peh Pei Ying | Gold |
| Mdm Sharifah Maryam Shahab | Gold |
| Mdm Syarifah Fatimah Binte Isa Binsmit | Gold |
| Ms Teo Yan Yan Jasmine | Gold |
| Mdm Alawiah Bte Hosni | Silver |
| Ms Alicia Tan Ee Kia | Silver |
| Mdm Ang Pei Ying Janice | Silver |
| Mr Chew Lye Hock Roonie | Silver |
| Ms Choo Min Elizabeth | Silver |
| Ms Choy Yuan Lin Amanda | Silver |
| Mr Eugene Tan Ronghui | Silver |
| Ms Koh Sze Theng Hazel | Silver |
| Mr Low Kok Chiah | Silver |
| Mdm Mahendran Shamala | Silver |
| Mr Mohamad Haniffa Bin Mohd Yassin | Silver |
| Mr Muhammad Firdaus Bin Bahrin | Silver |
| Mr Ng Siong Boon | Silver |
| Mdm Rajeswarie Sundram | Silver |
| Mdm Ruzana Abdul Rahim | Silver |
| Mdm Siti Nuraishah Bte Rosli | Silver |
| Mdm Zulaika Binte Ismail | Silver |