



TRANSITION TO A NEW PRIMARY SCHOOL



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**Supporting children's transitions to
a new Primary School**



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WHAT DO WE MEAN BY “TRANSITIONS”?

It is a process of adapting to changes.



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The move from one primary school
to another can have an impact on
your child.



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Strong connections between home and school can help ease children's transition into a new school.



WHAT DO TRANSITIONS MEAN TO PARENTS?

It means :

- making sure that accurate information about the child is given to the school
- meeting and communicating with new teachers
- attending school programs
- adapting to school policies

TEAM UP

Team up with teachers to understand the school's strategies for your child and see how you can work with them.



WHAT DO TRANSITIONS MEAN TO THE CHILD?

For young children, the transition to school is much more than simply changing buildings or settings

WHAT DO TRANSITIONS MEAN TO THE CHILD?

It means:

- adapting to new sets of rules, regulations and behaviours
- adjusting to a new peer group, and getting to know new teachers
- learning to play and cooperate with new buddies

TRANSITIONS



Helping children understand these differences, and move smoothly through the process, will help children to adapt and enjoy school.

BENEFITS OF FACILITATING TRANSITIONS

- Children will like school and look forward to school.
- Children will show steady growth in academic skills.
- Parents will become actively involved in their children's education.



COMMON DIFFICULTY FACED DURING TRANSITIONS

School Anxiety

Separation Anxiety



DURING TRANSITIONS, CHILDREN MAY FEEL

- Sad
- Confused
- Anxious



- Uncertain
- Overwhelmed
- Insecure

WHAT CAN PARENTS DO?

- Talk about the new school, timing, routine and transition
- Teach them what to do in case of emergency
 - missing the school bus, forgetting to bring pocket money
- Teach them to handle money and make friends

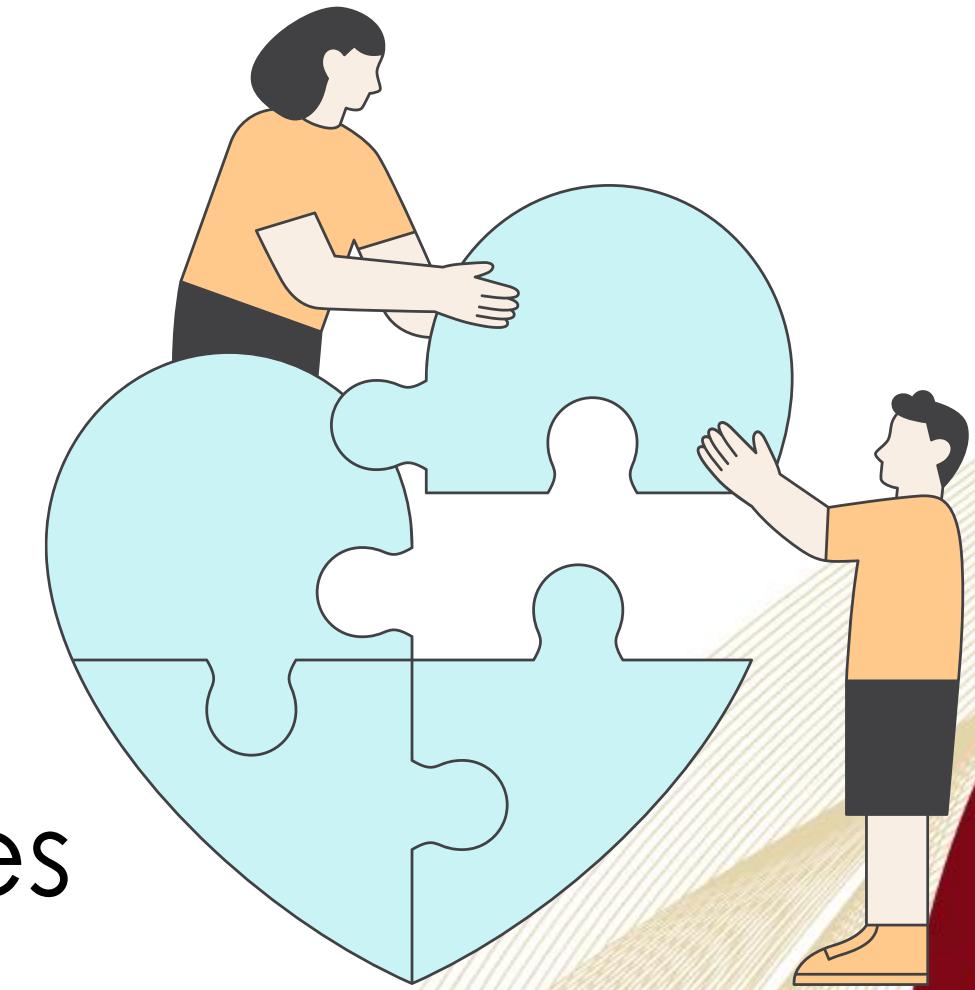


MANAGING YOUR EXPECTATIONS

- Know and manage your own wants and expectations
- Support regular school attendance & attend school events
- Discuss the link between success in school and success in life
 - relate to movies, news articles

ENCOURAGE YOUR CHILD

- Plan together with your child
- Remember his needs and habits
- Discuss and agree on consequences
- Reward your child



CONTINUITY OCCURS WHEN...

School and home help create connections that support children during the transition.



GREAT BONDING TOOLS

- Social stories
- Open discussions
- Helps to impart values-scenario cards
- Board games
- Sets the stage for their social and emotional learning



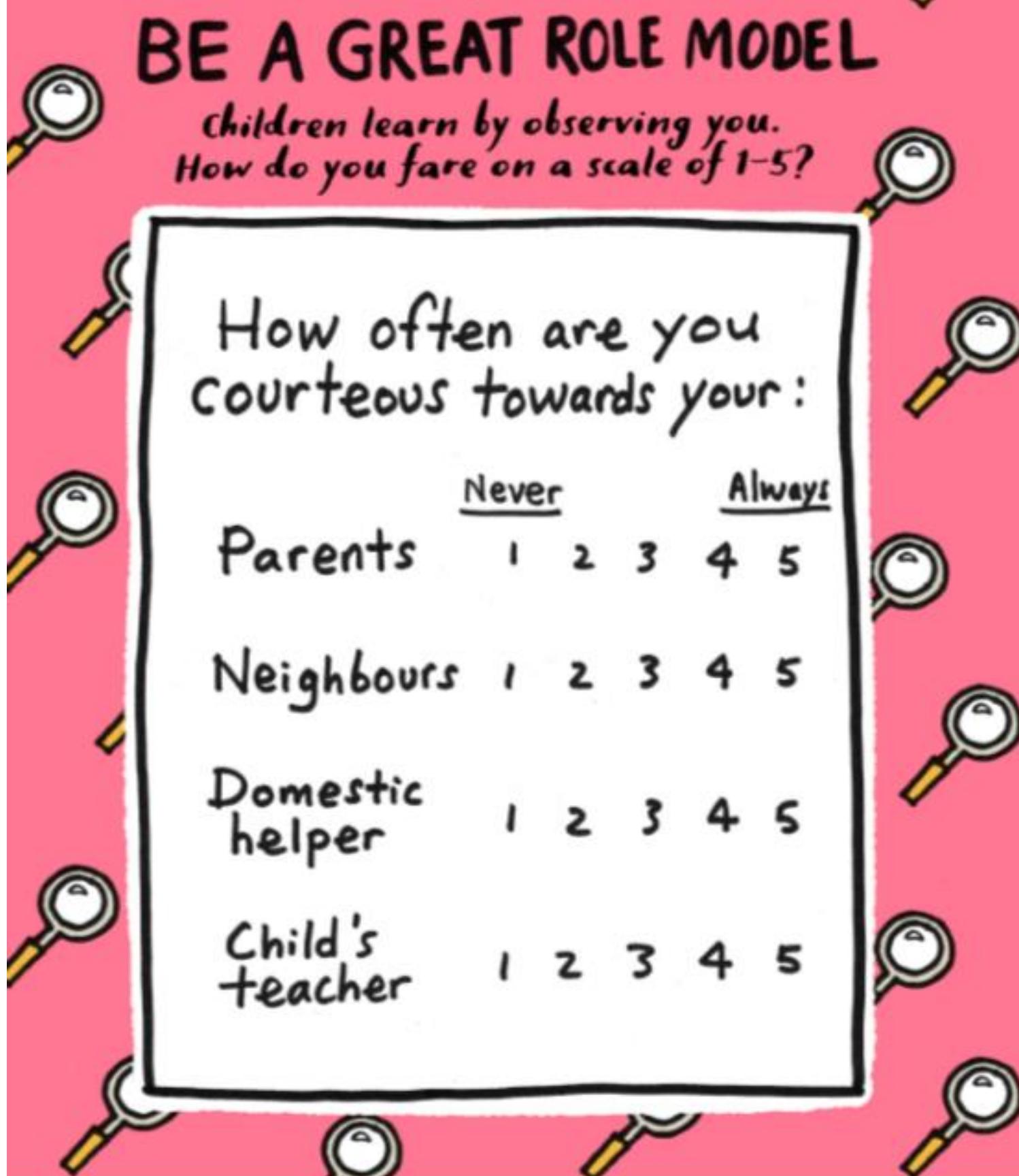
VALUES DEFINE US

BE A GREAT ROLE MODEL

*Children learn by observing you.
How do you fare on a scale of 1-5?*

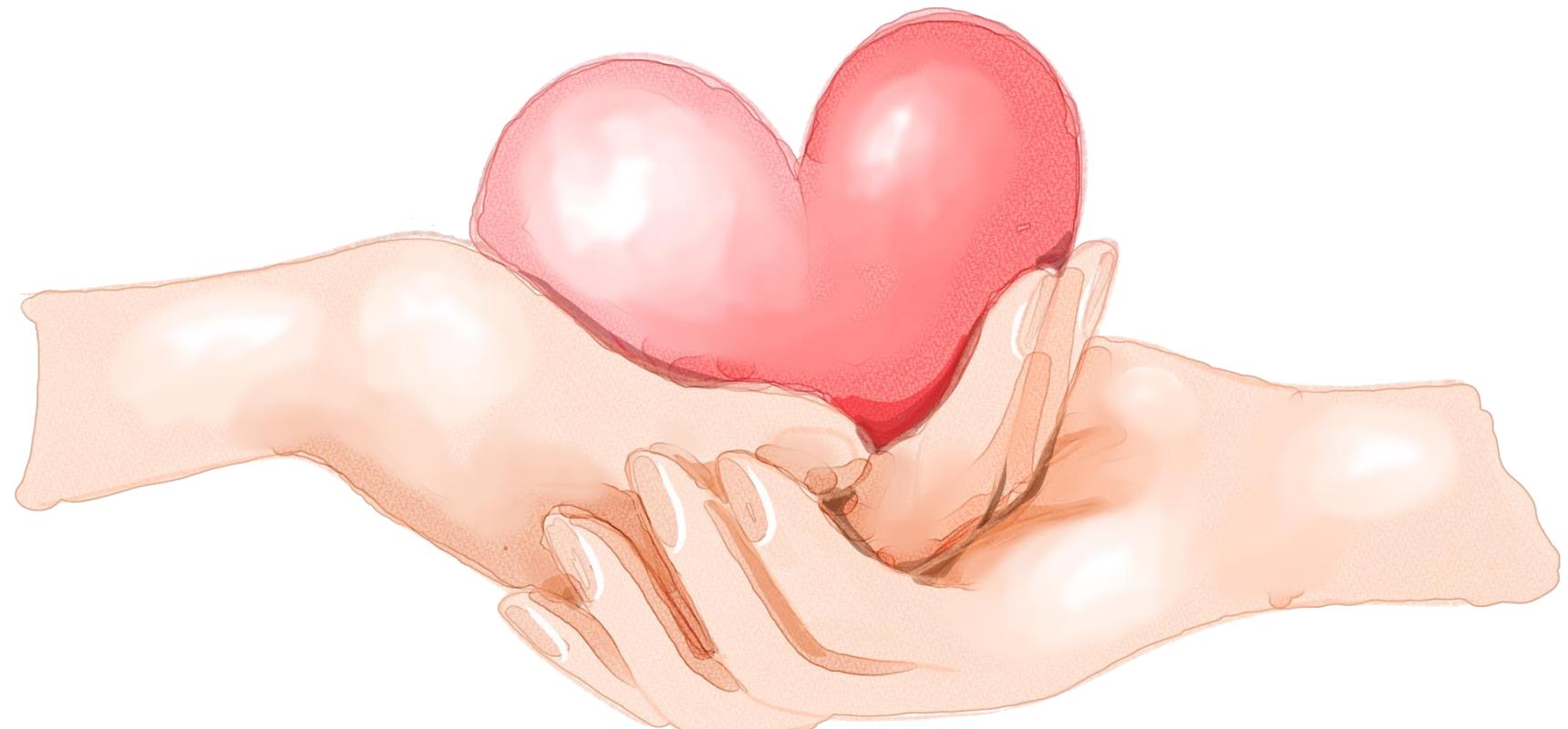
How often are you courteous towards your:

	<u>Never</u>	<u>Always</u>
Parents	1 2 3 4 5	
Neighbours	1 2 3 4 5	
Domestic helper	1 2 3 4 5	
Child's teacher	1 2 3 4 5	



SUPPORTIVE PARTNER

- Every parent a supportive partner
- To support the holistic learning experiences that aim to bring out the best in every child



thank
you



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YEAR HEAD'S BRIEFING



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ATTIRE



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- PE attire on days **with** PAL, PE and/or PASSION lessons
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- Plain white/ school socks
 - Ankle socks are not allowed
- Black shoes
 - No patterns, stripes brand logo

SAMPLE TIMETABLE

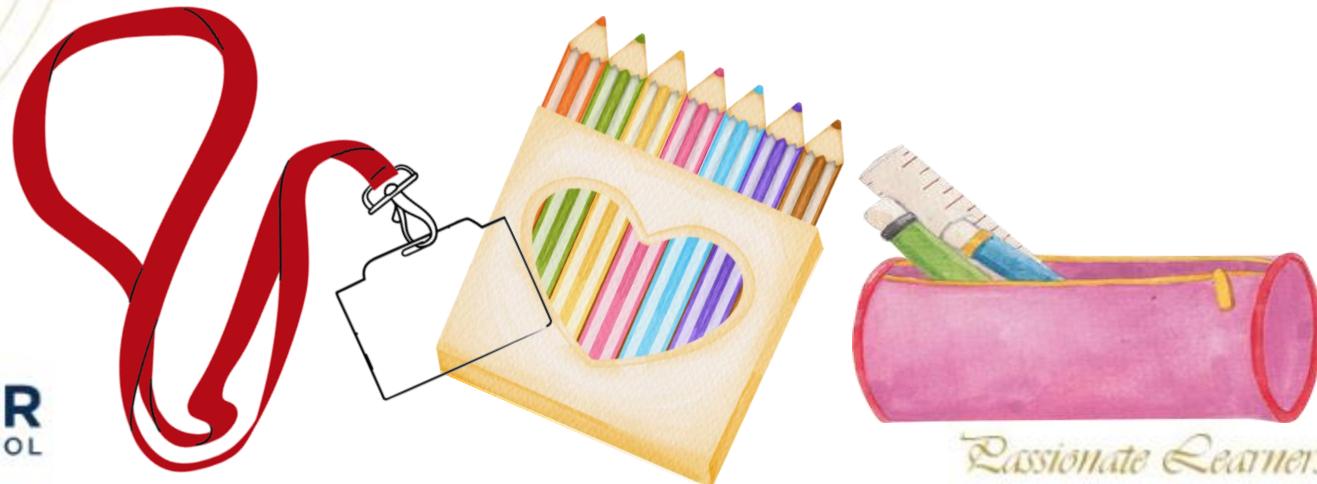
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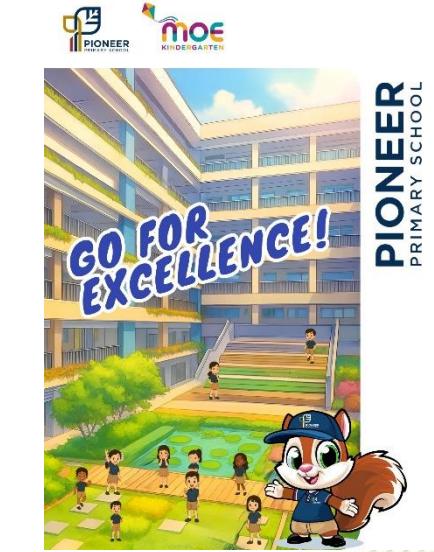
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THINGS TO BRING DAILY

- Lanyard
- Ami card
- Student Handbook
- Pencil case
- Coloured pencils



- File
- Plastic water bottle
- Healthy snacks
- Storybook for silent reading



WHAT CAN I DO WITH MY CHILD?

Read with your child

- Nurture your child's love for reading
 - It's never too late to start.
- Visit the library together and explore a variety of picture books.
- **Encourage your child's efforts** in learning to read.
- Most importantly, make reading a **fun and meaningful** process.



Available online!

Parent-Child Activity Book



10 TIPS FOR PARENTS

to help you navigate your child's first year in primary school.



Chat with your child

Boost their confidence

Practise various scenarios

Create something interesting

Thank others for their help

Pledge to do things together

STUDENT DATA FORM (SDF)

- We need to collect necessary information about you and your child/ward to provide educational services for your child/ward in our school.
- Please submit the information through the online Student Details Form portal **from 1 December 2025, 10.00am**.
- The portal can be accessed via the URL: <https://pg.moe.edu.sg/forms/sdf>, the Services page on Parents Gateway (PG) mobile app.
- Either parent can login to submit the required particulars. We seek your help to complete the submission **by 31 December 2025**.
- If there are any updates to the custody information, please notify the school latest **by 21 November 2025** via email.

GIRO AND EDUSAVE

- Parents are strongly encouraged to sign up for GIRO and Edusave online **by 1 December 2025**.
- Edusave will be used for miscellaneous fees and deductions of (local & overseas) school programmes.
- Parents must consent Edusave deductions for school bill programmes.

MOE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SCHEME

- The MOE Financial Assistance Scheme (FAS) is available for Singapore Citizen students from low-income families. MOE is currently reviewing the scheme to provide support to more students. More information on the process and eligibility criteria will be shared later via email.
- Note that as there will be no reimbursement on the amount paid for textbook or uniform before the approval of the financial assistance, therefore please **do not purchase your child's textbook and uniform before receiving the MOE FAS outcome letter** from the school.



CHECKLIST FOR ADMIN MATTERS

SN	Description	Deadline	Remarks
1	Registration of interest for Sch-based SCC	Deadline over	If required
2	Request for School Bus Services	By 15 Nov	If required
3	Online order of uniform	By 16 Nov	
4	Sales of textbooks	From 21 Nov	More info will be available on the booklist
5	Onboarding of Parents Gateway	By 1 Dec	Compulsory
6	Submission of GIRO Application	By 1 Dec	Strongly encouraged
7	Submission of Edusave Standing Order Form	By 1 Dec	Strongly encouraged for SC
8	Onboarding of Amibox	By 1 Dec	Strongly encouraged
9	MOE FAS	TBC	SC only

BE A PARENT VOLUNTEER

- Support school events and activities.
- Connect with other parents and build friendships.
- Be a role model for your child through active involvement.



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