

9 January 2025

Dear Parents/Guardians,

# P3 Updates (1/2025)

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support in 2024 and we look forward to working closely with you this year. Here is an overview of the matters pertaining to the P3 level for Term 1 2025.

#### 1. Primary 3 Form Teachers

Please refer to the table below for the names and emails of the P3 Form Teachers.

Year Head: Mdm Maisarah (maisarah\_supani@moe.edu.sg)

Assistant Year Head (Middle Primary): Mr Chu Boon Hong Caleb

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Class	Form Teachers		
3 Unity	Ms Sim Amanda	Mr Shahrudin Bin Salleh	
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3 Respect	Mr Chan Boon Keat Andrew	Mdm Ting Soo Wee Karen	
	chan_boon_keat@moe.edu.sg	ting_soo_wee@moe.edu.sg	
3 Honesty	Mdm Neo Poh Tin Justina	Mdm Megalai d/o Thangavelu	
	neo_poh_tin_justina@moe.edu.sg	megalai_thangavelu@moe.edu.sg	
3 Love	Ms Yang An Qi Angel	Mr Chu Boon Hong Caleb	
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3 Joy	Mr Chia Tet Soon Anthony	Mdm Nurazah Bte Abdul Aziz	
	chia_tet_soon_anthony@moe.edu.sg	nurazah_abdul_aziz@moe.edu.sg	
3 Tenacity	Mr A A Hussain Mohamed Farook	Mdm Hazel Lian Siao Yean	
	a_a_hussain_mohamed@moe.edu.sg	hazel_lian_siao_yean@moe.edu.sg	

#### 2. Assessment Plan

In our efforts to nurture lifelong learners, we focus on helping our students discover more joy and develop stronger intrinsic motivation in learning. There are adjustments made to reduce school-based assessment load and perceived examination stakes. The P3 students will **not** be taking Mid-Year Examination. This is to allow more time and space for greater engagement and deepening of learning.

There will be End-of-Year Examination in Term 4 and three weighted assessments (WA) for the various subjects in Term 1, 2 and 3. More details on the WA for Term 2 and 3 and End-of-Year Examinations in Term 4 will be given at a later date.

P3	Term1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
English				
Math	15%	15% Weighted	15%	55%
Mother Tongue	Weighted Assessment	Weighted Assessment	Weighted Assessment	End-of-Year Examination
Science				

# 3. 2025 P3 Weighted Assessment (WA) 1

Please take note of the details of the P3 WA 1. The class subject teachers will inform the students the exact date and time one week before the WA will be conducted.

Subject	Week/ Duration	Topics/Components	Marks
English	T1W7 (17 Feb – 21 Feb) (30 min)	Listening Comprehension MCQ: 9 marks Note-taking: 5 marks	14
Math	T1W9 (3 Mar – 7 Mar) (45 min)	<ul> <li>Topics</li> <li>Numbers To 10 000</li> <li>Addition and Subtraction Within 10 000</li> <li>Multiplication Tables of 6, 7, 8 And 9</li> <li>Multiplication &amp; Division</li> <li>Money</li> <li>Section A: 10 marks</li> <li>Section B:15 marks</li> </ul>	25
Science	T1W8 (24 Feb – 28 Feb) (45 min)	Primary 3 Theme Diversity - Living and Non-Living Things  Booklet A: 10 MCQs (20 marks) Booklet B: 2 Open-ended questions (5 marks)	25
Chinese 华文	T1W8 (24 Feb – 28 Feb) (20 min)	Listening Comprehension MCQ: 10 marks (include 2-3 questions on Hanyu Pinyin)	10

Subject	Week/ Duration	Topics/Components	Marks
Malay	T1W8 (24 Feb – 28 Feb) (20 min)	Listening Comprehension MCQ: 10 marks	10
Tamil	T1W8 (24 Feb – 28 Feb) (20 min)	Listening Comprehension MCQ: 10 marks	10

#### 4. Co-Curricular Activities (CCA)

P3 students are strongly encouraged to have a CCA. It provides essential balance for a well-rounded education. Please ensure that your child/ward is present for all CCA sessions. Do submit a photocopy of the Medical Certificate (MC) or a letter if your child/ward is absent from CCA.

### 5. P3 Learning Journey to the Geylang Serai Heritage Gallery

This year, our P3 students will be going on a learning journey to the Geylang Serai Heritage Gallery to better understand the contributions made by the Malay and Muslim communities in the development of Singapore. During the tour, they will be taking part in a precinct walk as well as a tour of the gallery. The activities and demonstrations in the tour will engage the students in applying their field work skills, such as asking questions and gathering data through observations and stories.

The details for the LJ are as follows:

Date:	7 February (Friday)	22 October (Wednesday)	23 October 2024 (Thursday)
Class:	3 Unity	3 Tenacity	3 Honesty
	3 Respect	3 Joy	3 Love
Time:	8.30 am to 11.30 am		
	Please note that the LJ will be conducted within curriculum hours. The school reporting		
	time and dismissal time on these days will be as usual. Lessons will resume after the		
	students return from the LJ.		

Further details will be communicated via Parents Gateway to the respective class closer to the date.

#### 6. School-Home Partnership

# a) Dissemination of Announcements and Consent Forms via Parents Gateway (PG)

Developed by the Ministry of Education and GovTech, PG is a one-stop portal that strengthens school-home partnership to support our children in their education journey. All school announcements and consent forms are disseminated via the PG. We strongly encourage all parents/guardians to read and respond to the notifications in PG.

#### b) Communication with Teachers

We encourage parents/guardians to communicate with your child's/ward's teachers via the Student Handbook. The handbook is a means of checking your child's/ward's daily assignments and instructions given by teachers.

Parents/guardians can communicate with teachers' via email, school's email (<a href="mailto:naps@moe.edu.sg">naps@moe.edu.sg</a>) or through the school General Office (Mondays to Fridays, 8.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m.) at 6441 8677.

Our teachers are not obliged to share their personal mobile numbers for communication with parents. Please use the school's main mode of communication stated above. We seek your understanding to respect our teacher's time by contacting them only during working hours (7.30 a.m. to 5.00 p.m.) and that they may not be able to respond to you immediately as they might be in class. Please also allow the teachers at least 3 working days to respond to your feedback via email or phone.

# c) Establishing a Positive School-Home Partnership

Please visit our school website and official Ngee Ann Primary Facebook for updates on school life in Ngee Ann. We will be uploading photos of school activities/events and share our children's precious moments with you.

Mutual respect and trust form the strong foundation for positive engagement between schools and parents.

In adherence to PDPA guidelines, class Whatsapp chat groups will not be created by the school. In the use of social media platforms such as Whatsapp, Facebook or Instagram, please be mindful of comments made that might incite unnecessary anxiety and/or unfounded speculations towards others.

If an incident occurs, allow the teacher/school time to verify the facts before engaging you, so that the incident involving your child can be resolved in a fair and objective manner. When disagreements occur, stay open and find out more from the school. Allow the teacher the opportunity to establish the facts and work with you to resolve disagreements amicably.

Our children succeed when schools and parents work hand in hand to support them in learning self-management skills, taking responsibility and building resilience. We look forward to building a strong and positive School-Home Partnership with you.

Thank you.

Yours faithfully,

Mr Chu Boon Hong Caleb

Assistant Year Head (Middle Primary)