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NGEE ANN PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

P5 Updates (1/2023)

We welcome all our students back to school and hope that parents have had an enjoyable year end term break with your children. We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support thus far and provide you with an overview of the various key programmes for Term 1 2023.

1. Form Teachers

Please refer to the table below for the names and emails of the P5 Form Teachers.

Upper Primary Year Head : Mr Goh Tai Peng Kenneth (kenneth_goh_tai_peng@moe.edu.sg)		
Level Manager: Mr Adam Quek Joe Luck (adam_quek_joe_luck@moe.edu.sg)		
Class	Form Teachers	
5 Unity	Ms Sherlyn Seah sherlyn_seah_xiao_yun@moe.edu.sg	Ms Revathy revathy_pachamuthu@moe.edu.sg
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5 Love	Mr Adam Quek Joe Luck adam_quek_joe_luck@moe.edu.sg	Mdm Larene Lim lim_mei_xia_larene@moe.edu.sg
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5 Tenacity	Mr Tong Kwang Boo Edward tong_kwang_boo@moe.edu.sg	Mr Low Boon Siang low_boon_siang@moe.edu.sg
5 Care	Mdm Jasmeet Kaur jasmeet_kaur@moe.edu.sg	Mr Rohan Nizam rohan_nizam_basheer@moe.edu.sg

2. Mathematics

All P5 students will be given a subscription to Koobits online resources for Mathematics. More details will be given at a later date.

3. Subject-based Banding

At the end of P4 last year, the school recommended subject combinations for students based on the examination results. Parents/guardians were given the option to select their preferred subject combination for their child/ward. In accordance to MOE guidelines, the school will decide on the subject combinations for the students based on their examination results at the end of P5.

You may refer to the attached Subject-based Banding Information Sheet from Ministry of Education for more information. You may also find this Information Sheet in other languages on our school website via the link below:

<https://ngeeannpri.moe.edu.sg/partners/communication-to-parents>

4. 2023 P5 Assessment Matters

In our effort 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 P5 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 two weighted assessments (WA) for the various subjects in Term 2 and 3. More details on the WA will be given at a later date.

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
English Language	Non-weighted Assessment (WA)	15% Weighted Assessment (WA)	15% Weighted Assessment (WA)	70% End-of-Year Examination (EYE)
Mathematics				
Mother Tongue Language				
Science				
Higher Mother Tongue Language				

5. P5 Camp 2023

A 3 Day 2 Night camp for all P5 students will take place on 23 to 25 February. More details will be given at a later 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 (naps@moe.edu.sg) 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 school 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.

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, 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Adam". The letters are cursive and slightly slanted to the right.

Mr Adam Quek
Level Manager (Primary 5)