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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome back to school! I would also like to take the opportunity to thank you for your support at the Child-Teacher-Parent (CTP) Conference held on the 26 and 27 May. It was heartening to see that more than 90% of parents have taken time amidst your busy schedules to attend the Conference.

In line with the national easing of community Safe Management Measures (SMM), Clementi Primary School has correspondingly eased the SMMs in the school. We are guided by MOE guidelines and strive to ensure that we continue to develop Clementians holistically. The updated SMMs had been progressively implemented from Term 2 Week 7. We trust that you have read the message on Parents' Gateway dated 14 April 2022.

1. Re-opening of Term 3

All Clementians are to report to school on 27 June (Mon). Morning flag raising will continue to be held in the respective form classes. For safety reasons, Clementians who reach school before 7.00 am are to report to the school canteen, and will only be allowed to proceed to their classes after 7.00 am.

2. Updates on Dengue Prevention

- 2.1. In recent weeks, there has been a surge in dengue cases in Singapore. With the warmer months ahead, we can expect the number of cases to rise further.
- 2.2. We would like to update you that the school has intensified mosquito surveillance and control measures. Our school cleaners, in addition to their daily cleaning routines, have been briefed to keep an active lookout for potential breeding grounds and to remove receptacles that may contain stagnant water. Our pest control contractors have also been tasked to intensify inspections. We would also encourage you to take extra precautions by getting your child to apply mosquito repellent before coming to school and when in school.

3. Safe Management Measures (SMM) and Personal Responsibility

3.1. <u>Visual Screening and Temperature-Taking</u>

Daily visual screening and temperature-taking has ceased from 4 April 2022. In line with revised guidelines from MOE, temperature-taking will be conducted during the first week of every term. Notwithstanding this, we would like to seek your assistance in ensuring that your child brings a working Oral Digital Thermometer every day. We would also like to urge all parents and Clementians to continue exercising social responsibility. If your child/ward is unwell, he/she should seek medical attention or rest at home.

3.2. Mask Wearing

Clementians are reminded to wear their masks in school at all times except:

- (a) When eating and drinking during recess. Clementians are required to wear their masks immediately after eating and drinking.
- (b) During Physical Education lessons, Co-Curricular Activities and unstructured play during recess which are conducted outdoors.

3.3. School Dismissal

Please note that with effect from 4 May 2022, all Clementians will be dismissed at 1.30 pm, at the following dismissal points:

Level	Dismissal Point	Remarks	
Primary 1 and 2	School Foyer	Older Clementians will be dismissed together with their youngest sibling's class. *For Clementians' dismissal at Gate 1, parents will be allowed into the Quad to await the dismissal of their child / ward in the event of	
Primary 3 and 4	Gate 1		
Primary 5 and 6	Gate 9	inclement weather.	

4. Important Dates in Term 3

Date (Day)	Activity	Remarks
4 Jul (Mon)	Day after Youth Day	School Holiday
11 Jul (Mon)	Day after Hari Raya Haji	Public Holiday
16 Jul (Sat)	National Education Show	P5 Clementians will attend the NE show
		(National Day Parade)
21 Jul (Thurs)	Racial Harmony Celebrations	Clementians are encouraged to wear
		ethnic costumes to school.
8 Aug (Mon)	National Day School	Early Dismissal at 10am
	Celebrations	
9 Aug (Tue)	National Day	Public Holiday
10 Aug (Wed)	Day after National Day	School Holiday
15 & 16 Aug	PSLE Oral Examination*	Only P6 Clementians are required to be in
(Mon & Tue)		school.
2 Sep (Fri)	Teachers' Day	School Holiday

^{*}During school closure for the PSLE Oral Examination, P1 to P5 Clementians will be engaged in asynchronous HBL. We would appreciate it if you could make the necessary childcare / transport arrangements in view of the mentioned dates.

5. Assessment Schedule for Primary 6

Please refer to the table below for the period of assessment for the Primary 6 Preliminary Examination. The Primary 6 Preliminary assessment schedule will be disseminated to P6 parents by July 2022.

Level	Period of Assessment	Paper
	25 and 26 July	Oral Examination
Primary 6	18 to 24 August	Written Examination
	25 August	Listening Comprehension Examination

As the school aims to optimise curriculum time and encourage a culture of continuous learning rather than learning just for examinations, lessons will resume after the Year-End Assessment. This year's Year-End Assessment (YEA) will start from Term 4 Week 2. The detailed Year-End Assessment schedule will be sent out via the Parent's Gateway App by the end of Term 3.

6. Update on School Renovation and Upgrading Work

6.1. Reconstruction of Security Guard House

The school will commence the reconstruction of the security guard house on 21 June. The existing guard house will be torn down and a new guard house will be erected at the same site. Clementians and visitors will still be able to access school via Gate 4. A temporary security post will be set up at the end of the Gate 4 sheltered walkway, next to the bookshop. Please refer to the details at Annex A.

6.2. <u>Upgrading of Computer Laboratory 2</u>

To provide our Clementians with a conducive learning environment, the school will be upgrading our Computer Laboratory 2 in July. Arrangements had been made to reschedule affected lessons to alternative venues.

Our school will continue to improve and upgrade our existing infrastructure to provide our Clementians with a conducive learning environment.

Thank you and stay safe!

Yours sincerely,

Mr Vimalenthiran Vijayasingam Principal

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RECONSTRUCTION OF SECURITY GUARD HOUSE

