



13 March 2023

Dear Parents / Guardians,

Welcome to Term 2 of 2023!

Thank you for partnering the school in developing our Clementians to be concerned citizens and self-directed learners. I want to thank you for your strong support during the Primary 1 Back to School Day held on 27 January, the Networking Session with Form Teachers for Primary 2 to 5 Clementians conducted over two sessions on 27 January and 3 February and the P6 Parents' Briefing held on 3 February. Thank you for taking time to get to know our teachers and partner the school in the holistic development of your child/ward.

From the feedback received, I am heartened to know that you have found the Networking Session to be useful in providing insights into how you can partner the school in better supporting your child/ward in their learning and development in school.

1. Responsible Use of Social Media

- 1.1. In a world where "children are raised in a digital world", it is important for strong home-school partnership in educating our Clementians on the responsible use of social media. All Clementians are expected to adhere to netiquettes and respect other users.
- 1.2. I would like to seek your cooperation to supervise your child's/ward's interactions and participation on social media platforms, such as Facebook, Instagram, TikTok and WhatsApp. The registration policy of these platforms specifies that these platforms are meant for those aged 13 and above. Students under the age of 13 are not allowed to set up their own social media account. If you have set up a Facebook, Instagram, TikTok or WhatsApp account for your family, I seek your assistance to supervise your children's use of these social media platforms.
- 1.3. Many students are watching TV and using computers, gaming consoles, tablets and smartphones. I seek your cooperation in supporting your child's/ward's mental well-being as well as managing their recreational screen time.

2. Safe Management Measures

- 2.1. We would like to urge all parents and Clementians to continue exercising social responsibility. **You are reminded not to send your child/ward to school if he/she is unwell or has flu-like symptoms.**
- 2.2. Temperature-taking will be conducted in Term 2 Week 2. **We would like to seek your assistance to ensure that your child/ward brings a working Oral Digital Thermometer (ODT) to school every day.** Please replace the batteries in the ODT or buy a new one if it is not working.

3. Important dates for Term 2, 2023

Date (Day)	Activity	Remarks
22 Mar 2023 (Wed)	World Water Day	School hours as usual
6 April 2023 (Thu)	International Friendship Day	School hours as usual, Clementians to come in international, ethnic, or going-out clothes.
7 April 2023 (Fri)	Good Friday	Public Holiday
20 April 2023 (Thu)	Books Alive!	All Clementians are encouraged to come to school dressed up as a character from a book which he/she has read. More details will be disseminated via Parents' Gateway.
21 April 2023 (Fri)	Hari Raya Puasa Eve	Muslim Clementians will be dismissed at 9.30am
24 April 2023 (Mon)	Hari Raya Puasa	Public Holiday in lieu
28 April 2023 (Fri)	Sports Carnival	P1-P3 Clementians do not report to school
1 May 2023 (Mon)	Labour Day	Public Holiday
4 May 2023 (Thu)	Hari Raya Puasa Celebration	All Clementians are encouraged to come in their traditional costume/ethnic costume/going-out attire and white school shoes.
5 May 2023 (Fri)	NAPFA (5 Stations)	After school - 6 Perseverance, 6 Confidence, 6 Empathy
12 May 2023 (Fri)	NAPFA (5 Stations)	After school - 6 Initiative, 6 Teamwork, 6 Responsibility
24 May 2023 (Wed)	Admin Day	Clementians do not report to school
25 May 2023 (Thur)	Child-Teacher-Parent (CTP)	Clementians do not report to school
26 May 2023 (Fri)	Conference	

4. Child-Teacher-Parent (CTP) Conference 2023

- 4.1 Our school will be holding the CTP Conference on **25 May 2023 (Thursday) and 26 May 2023 (Friday) from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.** Our teachers will discuss your child's/ward's learning progress with you and your child/ward.
- 4.2 **Lessons will be suspended on 25 May 2023 and 26 May 2023.** Do note that your child/ward is to be present for the CTP Conference. More information on the CTP Conference and instructions on making appointments will be shared at a later date.

5. Sports Carnival

- 5.1 Our school will be having our annual Sports Carnival on 28 April (Friday) for students of Primary 4, 5 and 6. The theme this year is ***"Persevere, higher, stronger – Together"***.
- 5.2 Students will apply fundamental movement and game skills learned in PE lessons through modified team games and skills stations during the carnival.
- 5.3 With the ease of safe management measures, you are invited to witness your children in action this year at the Sports Carnival. Besides that, we would also be having a game of Captain's ball between teachers/parents and our Sports leaders. More information as well as the link to indicate your interest in participating in the Captain's ball game will be given in the first week of April.

6. National Physical Fitness Award (NAPFA)

- 6.1 The conduct of the NAPFA Test for Primary 4 and 6 students resumes in 2023. Students will learn about the various test items in the NAPFA test and how these can be used to measure and evaluate the different components of health and skills related fitness during PE lessons.
- 6.2 Our Primary 6 students will take their NAPFA 5 stations on Friday afternoons in Term 2 Week 7 and 8. For the 1.6km run/walk, it will be conducted during PE lessons between Term 2 Week 7 and 10.
- 6.3 For our students from Primary 4, they will take their NAPFA test in Term 3.
- 6.4 More details for on the NAPFA test for both levels will be sent out via Parents Gateway nearer the respective test period.

7. Administrative Matters

- 7.1. We would like to remind Clementians coming to school via Gate 1 in the morning, to proceed to the Quad on rainy days for change of shoes, removal of raincoats, keeping of umbrellas etc. Parents may proceed to the Quad with their children to help them with these tasks.

We look forward to a fulfilling Term 2 of learning for your child/ward and your continued cooperation as partners in education.

Yours sincerely,



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Principal