



Dear Parents/Guardians,

24 Jan 2018

School Vision: Learners with Passion, Citizens of Honour

1. Event Calendar (Term 1 Week 4: 24 – 31 Jan 2018)

Dates	Day	Levels	Subject
26 Jan	Fri	P3 to P6	Student Leaders' Training
27 Jan	Sat	All	Parents' Workshop 2018 [EL & CL]
29 Jan	Mon	P5 and P6	Prefects' Investiture

2. First Meet-Parents Session on Friday 19 Jan 2018

On behalf of my teachers, I would like to thank Parents and Guardians for setting aside time to attend the session last week. All briefing slides can be accessed from the school website from Wednesday, 24 Jan to 21 Feb 2018.

3. Group Personal Accident (GPA) Insurance

We would like to inform that a Group Personal Accident (GPA) Insurance for Students ("Master Contract") has been established by MOEHQ. You may contact the insurance agent, NTUC Income Insurance Co-operative Limited at 6332 1133 or email them at yixi.su@income.com.sg if you have any queries on the policy coverage and claims. A summary of the Product Fact Sheet is enclosed for your reference and retention.

4. Collection of Monies for Key Learning Programmes and Teaching Learning Resources (First Collection)

Since 2012, the school has been consolidating the collection of payments for key programmes and learning journeys that students from P1 – P6 will be participating in, as well as additional learning resources required by Students during classroom instruction. The objective of this effort is to cut down on the frequency of monetary collections.

The first collection of payment will be for additional learning resources. Singaporean students can tap on their Pupils' Edusave Fund for payment of the following magazine / newspaper subscriptions.

Primary 1 - 6		
S/N	Learning Resources	Amount (\$)
1	'Hao Peng You' / 'Zhi Shi Hua Bao' / 'Zhi Shi Bao' Magazine [For CL pupils only]	24.00

Primary 4 - 6		
S/N	Learning Resources	Amount (\$)
1	What's Up (EL) [For ALL pupils]	15.00
2	Mari Membaca Magazine [For ML pupils only]	11.00

Primary 6		
S/N	Learning Resources	Amount (\$)
1	Tamil Murasu [For TL pupils only]	12.60



For students making payment using their Pupils' Edusave Fund, please fill up the payment form and indicate the amount to be deducted from your child's Edusave Fund.

Primary 6

For the PSLE Booklets listed in **Table A**, all P6 pupils will need to make CASH payment. For P6 pupils under FAS, no cash payment is required.

We would appreciate if you could have your child/ward submit the completed form and any cash/cheque payment to the Form Teacher by **Wed, 31 Jan 2018**. **Please submit all cash payment within a sealed envelope** and write your child/ward's name, class and the total amount on the envelope.

5. From the Counsellor's Desk

Helping Your Child Learn Positive Friendship Skills

Friendships are very important when it comes to emotional health. Learning how to form successful peer relationships is a critical skill for your child, and one that they will be using and refining all their lives. Almost every parent worry about some aspect of his or her child's social life. While parents can't make friends for their kids, they can help them practice key social skills.

Share with your child that adults use social skills in their workplaces and community too. Do talk about experiences that you or your child may have had or observed when social skills were necessary. One activity that you and your child can do is to brainstorm and come up with a list of social skills that both of you can work on throughout the year. Below is a list of suggested social skills to work on at home with your child.

List of Suggested Social Skills:

- Taking turns
- Celebrating success
- Helping others
- Sharing ideas / Sharing materials
- Praising
- Asking for help
- Resolving Conflicts
- Accepting differences
- Participating
- Paraphrasing

6. Better Internet Campaign

The Media Literacy Council (MLC) will be launching the Better Internet Campaign on 6 Feb 2018: Better Internet Campaign launch event on **6 Feb, 1.30 – 5.00 pm @ Twitter Asia**

All who participate in the workshop on 6 February 2018 will receive a copy of the DQ parenting handbook and a fun family-bonding game. Please refer to the attached flyer for more details.



7. Parents' Workshop 2018

We would like to thank parents/guardians who have signed up for the Parents' Workshops. Due to low sign-up rate, Mother Tongue Language Workshops for Malay and Tamil as well as the Mathematics workshops on Teaching and Understanding of Whole Numbers & Fractions and Ratio & Percentage will not be conducted. The Form Teachers will be refunding the money to your child/ward by the end of this week.

The following workshops have been confirmed.

Date: 27 January 2018 (Saturday)				
S/N	Topic	Level	Subject	Time
1	Tackling Comprehension, Composition and Oral	P1&2	EL	8.30-10.00am
2	Stories Come Alive!	P3&4	EL	8.30-10.00am
3	An Introduction to Situational Writing	P5&6	EL	8.30-10.00am
4	Importance of E Oral - How parents can help?	P5&6	CL	10.15-11.15am

Date: 3 February 2018 (Saturday)				
S/N	Topic	Level	Subject	Time
1	Fun with Science	P3&4	SC	8.30-10.00am
2	Answering Techniques to combat Science Exam Stress	P5&6	SC	8.30-10.00am
3	Use of Heuristics Skills (Model Drawing) in Problem Solving	P3&4	MA	10.15-11.45am
4	Teaching and Understanding of: Visual and Non-Routine Questions	P5&6	MA	10.15-11.45am

8. Safety & Security Procedures

In our T1W1 Notification, under item 8.8, you were informed of the procedures that we have put in place to ensure the safety and security of your children. In this segment, we would like to highlight our observation of students who stay back after school for activities such as CCAs or afternoon remedial/supplementary classes. We have noticed students leaving the school compound after curriculum hours i.e. 2pm, to either purchase food or play at neighbouring public places e.g. East Point Mall, before returning to school for their after-school activities.

We do not allow students to leave the school compound after school hours if they have additional activities. We would like to urge parents/guardians to remind your child/ward to purchase food from the school canteen for lunch. Alternatively, parents/guardians could prepare lunch boxes for them. We seek your strong support in partnering us to ensure the safety and well-being of your child/ward.

Thank you for your support.

With warm regards,

Cheng Huey Teng (Mrs)
Principal



Reply Slip – First Collection of monies for Learning Resources

Name: _____ () Class: P [1 /2 /3 /4 / 5 / 6] _____

B.C No: _____

Parent's/Guardian's Name: _____

Tel No: _____ (H) _____ (O) _____

Tick the magazine / newspaper subscriptions that you would need to purchase:

- 'Hao Peng You' /'Zhi Shi Hua Bao' /'Zhi Shi Bao' Magazine [For P1 – P6 CL pupils only] (\$24.00)
- What's Up [ALL P4 – P6 pupils] (\$15.00)
- Mari Membaca Magazine [For P4 – P6 ML pupils only] (\$11.00)
- Tamil Murasu [For P6 TL pupils only] (\$12.60)

Payment by: (please tick in appropriate box)

I wish to withdraw the amount of \$[] from the above-named child's/ward's* Edusave account for payment of the above-mentioned programme.

I also undertake to make the payment in cash if there are insufficient funds in my child's/ward's* Edusave account to meet the payment.

\$[] *Cash / Cheque (Cheque number: _____)

(*delete whichever is not applicable)

Please make cheque payable to **Changkat Primary School**

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Additional Collection of Monies for PSLE Booklets (ALL P6 pupils)

TABLE A		
ITEMS	TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE PAID	REMARKS
Tick the subjects that you are registered for PSLE. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Standard English <input type="checkbox"/> Standard Maths <input type="checkbox"/> Standard Science <input type="checkbox"/> Standard Chinese <input type="checkbox"/> Standard Malay <input type="checkbox"/> Standard Tamil <input type="checkbox"/> Higher Chinese <input type="checkbox"/> Higher Malay <input type="checkbox"/> Foundation Maths <input type="checkbox"/> Foundation Science <input type="checkbox"/> Foundation Chinese 	\$[] (CASH)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$1 per <u>Standard</u> subject • \$1.50 per <u>Foundation</u> subject <p>*Pupils under FAS are not required to make payment.</p>

