27 September 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian,

2024 Term 4 Updates

'Striving for peaks of Excellence' is what I encouraged your child/ward to do as we started Term 4, as this term's focus is on 'Excellence'. As often quoted, excellence doesn't come from a singular act but from many small steps. Also, it is not always about how you start, but about how you finish.

May we jointly cheer our Fairsians to have this spirit of excellence as they do their End-of-year exams, and as they close the school year with the Thanksgiving Service and the range of Post-exam activities that we have planned for them.

End-of-year Exam Marking Day (10 to 11 October)

The marking days for teachers will be on 10 to 11 October 2024. Therefore, all students do not need to report to school on these two dates.

Fairfield, Make Someone Smile Day (FMSS Day) & School Promotion Day (21 October)

'Fairfield, Make Someone Smile Day' happens on 21 October 2024, Monday. As all teachers will be involved with the promotion meetings on that day, students will not be required to come to school. Instead, we encourage our students to put a smile on the faces of an individual or a group of people within their community through an act of kindness or service on this day. We will be inviting our students to document their acts of kindness through photographs for sharing on the school's Instagram account. We hope that through this simple activity, our students can learn to be thankful and spread some cheer in the community.

Sec 2 National Education visit to the National Museum of Singapore (21 to 23 October)

The Sec 2 classes will be visiting the National Museum of Singapore as part of their National Education learning journey from 21 to 23 October. Due to the limited slots available at the museum, we would like to highlight that two Sec 2 classes, 2F and 2G will go on 21 October (pm). Please see the table below for the schedule and details of the visits.

Schedule in Term 4 Week 7 (21 to 23 October)

Please see the FMSS Day/ School Promotion Day and Post-exam activities schedule below:

Day/Date	Sec 1	Sec 2	Sec 3
21 October	FMSS Day/ School Promotion	FMSS Day/ School Promotion	FMSS Day/ School Promotion
(Mon)	Day	Day	Day
	Students to stay at home	Students to stay at home	Students to stay at home
		NE LJ to National Museum for	
		Sec 2F and 2G only (pm)	
		Report at: 1400 at School	
		Canteen	
		Dismiss at: 1730 at FMSS	

		Attire: Full uniform or Polo T- shirt	
22 October	Principal's Address	Principal's Address	Principal's Address
(Tues)	Sec 1 Inter-Class Games Report at: 0728 Dismiss at: 1230 at FMSS Attire: PE Attire	Sec 3 FLEX 2025 Briefing Sec 3 2025 Subject Combination Briefing Report at: 0728 Dismiss at: 1230 at FMSS Attire: Full uniform or Polo T-shirt NE LJ to National Museum for Sec 2B, 2C & 2H only (pm) Report at: 1400 at School Canteen Dismiss at: 1730 at FMSS Attire: Full uniform or Polo T-shirt	ECG Learning Journey to Ngee Ann Polytechnic Report at: 0728 Dismiss at: 1230 at FMSS Attire: Full uniform or Polo T-shirt
23 October (Wed)	Learning Journey to Changi Naval Base Report at: 0728 Dismiss at: 1300 at FMSS Attire: PE Attire	Sec 2 Inter-Class Games Report at: 0728 Dismiss at: 1200 at FMSS Attire: PE Attire NE LJ to National Museum for Sec 2A, 2D & 2E only (pm) Report at: 1400 at School Canteen Dismiss at: 1730 at FMSS Attire: Full uniform or Polo T-shirt	Learning Journey to Singapore Discovery Centre Report at: 0728 Dismiss at: 1230 at FMSS Attire: Full uniform or Polo T-shirt

Sec 1 to 3 Thanksgiving Service (24 October)

On 24 October 2024, Thursday, there will be a Thanksgiving Service for all Sec 1 to 3s as per our yearly tradition. It is an occasion for our students to recount the year and be thankful. Students are to come in Full uniform with tie, and they will be dismissed around 12pm.

Sec 1 to 3 Meet-the-Parents (25 October)

The year-end Meet-the-Parents for selected students and parents will take place on 25 October 2024, Friday. Only selected Secondary 1 to 3 parents and students will need to meet with the School Leaders and key personnel of the school. A Parents Gateway notification will be sent out to these parents closer to the date for them to book the preferred time slots for the meeting.

Let us finish the year strong together.

Yours Faithfully,

Mr Wee Tat Chuen

Principal