



# Radin Mas Primary School

A School Where All Work Hard, Play Hard and Make A Mark

## July 2024 - Notification for Parents and Guardians

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### A. THE WEEKS AHEAD

Date	Event Description
Sun, 30.06.2024	Youth Day
Mon, 01.07.2024	Youth Day School holiday
Wed, 03.07.2024	Temperature Taking Exercise
Thu, 04.07.2024	P4 SS Learning Journey (PM)
Fri, 05.07.2024	P5 Swimsafer #2
Mon, 08.07.2024 – Fri, 12.07.2024	PAM Week
Tue, 09.07.2024	Dialogue with SLs #01 (P5 and P6)
Fri, 12.07.2024	Olympic Festival (P3 – P6 students) Home-based learning ( <i>For P1 to P2 students. Students are not required to report to school</i> )
Mon, 15.07.2024 – Fri, 19.07.2024	P2 MDPW
Tue, 16.07.2024 – Thu, 18.07.2024	P1 MDPW
Tue, 16.07.2024	Dialogue with SLs #02 (P1 and P3)
Wed, 17.07.2024	Racial Harmony Day Commemoration P4 SS Learning Journey (PM)
Fri, 19.07.2024	Racial Harmony Day – Recess Activities ( <i>Students are encouraged to come to school in their traditional/ethnic costume, with school shoes</i> ) P5 Swimsafer #3
Tue, 23.07.2024	Dialogue with SLs #03 (P2 and P4)
Thu, 25.07.2024 – Fri 26.07.2024	P6 Prelim Orals (PM)
Fri, 26.07.2024	P5 Swimsafer #4
Wed, 31.07.2024	P6 Preliminary Examination *EL/EFL Paper 1
Thu, 01.08.2024	P6 Preliminary Examination *MT Paper 1

\*EL – English Language, MT – Mother Tongue, F – Foundation

### B. DIALOGUE WITH SCHOOL LEADERS

(Mrs Doreen Foo, YH LP, Mdm Wong Pauline, YH MP and Mdm Malar Vizhi, YH UP)

RMPS would like to invite parents/ guardians for a dialogue session conducted via Zoom with our School Leaders. The session aims to build stronger partnerships between parents/ guardians and the school and to seek feedback to further enhance the Radin Mas experience for your child/ ward.



If you are interested to attend the session, please indicate your interest via the link:

<https://form.gov.sg/6678e2191927e2b0d7e0e458>

You may also complete the attached response slip and submit the hard copy to the General Office by **Wednesday, 10.07.2024**.

The schedule for the respective levels is shown in the table below:

Level	Primary 1	Primary 2	Primary 3	Primary 4	Primary 5	Primary 6
Date	16.07.2024 (Tuesday)	23.07.2024 (Tuesday)	16.07.2024 (Tuesday)	23.07.2024 (Tuesday)	09.07.2024 (Tuesday)	09.07.2024 (Tuesday)
Time	1000 – 1100	1000 – 1100	1300 – 1400	1300 - 1400	1300 – 1400	1000 – 1100
Zoom Details	It will be sent out through Parents' Gateway 3 days prior to the respective session.					

### C. TEMPERATURE TAKING EXERCISE

*(Ms Mary Goh, Vice-Principal Admin)*

The school will be conducting a temperature taking exercise on **Wed, 03.07.2024**. As part of the exercise, **it is compulsory** for the students to bring their own personal thermometers. Please ensure your child always has a thermometer in his/her school bag.

### D. PAM WEEK 2024

*(Mr Idham Ashiblie, HOD PE/CCA/Aes)*

This schoolwide event is an integral part of our students' holistic development in Physical Education, Art, and Music (PAM). It offers a unique opportunity for students to engage with the arts, cultivate an appreciation for creative expression, and embrace a healthy lifestyle.

During PAM Week, students will have the opportunity to discover and learn a variety of sports and games, know more about healthy habits and experience aesthetics activities during their PAM lesson and recesses. Activities include drama performances in the library, an introduction to table tennis in the school hall, a visit to the Singapore Heart Foundation's Heart Health booth, a musical performance at the canteen, and the annual Radin Mas Got Talent showcase. The week will culminate with Olympic Festival on Friday.

The details are as follows:

Date	Mon, 08.07.2024, to Fri, 12.07.2024
Time	07.30am to 1.30pm (Mon to Thu)
Venue	Radin Mas Primary School 1 Bukit Purmei Ave, Singapore 099840
Remarks	School reporting and dismissal time will be as usual on Monday to Thursday. Olympic Festival will end earlier on Friday.

### E. OLYMPIC FESTIVAL (For P3 to P6 students only)

*(Mr Idham Ashiblie, HOD PE/CCA/Aesthetics)*

The PE Department will be conducting its annual Olympic Festival on **Fri, 12.07.2024** as part of a series of activities taking place during RMPS's PAM (PE, Art and Music) Week 2024. All our P3 to P6 students will be competing in various sporting events at the different PE venues within the school during curriculum time. **The P1 and P2 students will be involved in home-based learning on that day.** Through sport and physical activities, we aim to help our students understand and apply the Olympic values by learning to aim for excellence through respect in the spirit of friendship, unity and fair play and also to apply their GRIT values.

There will be no lessons for the day. Students will participate in inter-class activities throughout the day. There will be no recess and they can choose to eat their own snack or the bun provided by the school in between activities

during their rest time. Students are to be in their PE attire and to bring along a book for silent reading, their water bottle and a healthy snack. They may wear their sports/track shoes (optional) for the event. The students will be dismissed from school **at 12.45pm**. The school will make the necessary arrangement if your child/ward is taking the school bus otherwise kindly make your own transport arrangements.

The details are as follows:

<b>Date</b>	Fri, 12.07.2024
<b>Time</b>	7.40am to 12.45pm
<b>Venue</b>	Assemble in the Radin Mas Primary School Hall
<b>Remarks</b>	<b>Have breakfast before coming to school.</b> Wear PE attire. Sports shoes may be worn but are optional. Must bring a book for silent reading, a water bottle and a healthy snack. One cream bun will be provided for each student.

#### **F. HOME-BASED LEARNING** (For P1 to P2 students on 12.07.2024)

(Mr Saravanan S/O Shanmugam, HOD ICT)

The school will be conducting Home-based Learning for P1 to P2 students during Olympic Festival on **Fri, 12.07.2024**. All P1 to P2 students are not required to report to school on 12.07.2024 and are to complete the home-based learning assignments.

The objectives of the Home-based Learning are:

- To inculcate independent learning habits in our students;
- To empower students with the necessary skills to use technology for self-directed learning; and
- To prepare students in the event of unexpected school closure due to national emergencies.

Assignments may be in the form of digital (e.g. Student Learning Space) and/ or non-digital prints (e.g. Workbooks, Worksheets, etc.) for P1 and P2 students.

All learning tasks will be published on the school's website as well as uploaded onto the Parents Gateway.

The suggested duration for Home-based Learning for students is as follows:

<b>Level</b>	<b>Subjects</b>	<b>Duration</b>
Primary 1	English, Mathematics & Mother Tongue, PE, Art, Music	3hr
Primary 2	English, Mathematics & Mother Tongue, PE, Art, Music	3hr

If your child/ ward encounters technical problems or login issues when accessing the online SLS portal, you may call SLS Helpdesk hotline at 67026513 between 4.00 pm to 9.00 pm on Mondays to Fridays and 9.00 am to 3.00 pm on Saturdays.

All online tasks and non-digital assignments must be submitted by Tue, 16.07.2024. Non-digital assignments must be handed in to the respective subject teachers.

Hard copies of the online assignments will be printed and given to students who do not have computers and Internet access at home on Thu, 11.07.2024.

#### **G. RACIAL HARMONY DAY COMMEMORATION 2024**

(Mdm Marianna Mohamad Hanafi, HOD CCE)

Schools commemorate Racial Harmony Day (RHD) on 21 July each year to mark the anniversary of the 1964 race riots. On this day, students reflect on and celebrate Singapore as a harmonious society built on a rich diversity of cultures and the collaborative effort of all to promote social cohesion.

Racial Harmony Day is a good opportunity for our students to:

- Make friends with people of other races and religions.
- Learn that in Singapore, people are treated equally regardless of their race and religion, and that students should appreciate the different cultures that make up Singapore.

The theme for RHD 2022 – 2024 is Singapore: Our Multicultural Mosaic. This theme reflects how each community, while having the space to express its own identity as part of Singapore society, also intertwines with others to depict the unique cultural diversity that characterizes Singapore life.

RMPS will be commemorating RHD on 17 July, with an assembly programme by the P4 NE Leaders, as well as class-based lesson packages. On 19 July 2024, there will be planned recess activities that will help the students develop respect and appreciation of the different cultures around them.

**Students are also encouraged to come to school in their traditional/ethnic costume, with school shoes, on Friday, 19 July 2024.** We hope that through this event, students will learn the importance of making choices to promote an inclusive society and strengthen the relationships amongst the multicultural population in our country.

## **H. MID-AUTUMN FESTIVAL CELEBRATION 2024 - RMPS CREATIVE LANTERN MAKING COMPETITION**

*(Mr Wan Huaming, MTL HOD)*

Radin Mas Primary School will be organising the Mid-Autumn Festival Celebration. More information on the celebration will be provided at a later date.

In conjunction with this celebration, we are organising the **RMPS Creative Lantern Making Competition** to create awareness on the importance of conservation. This competition aims to create an avenue for students and their parents to showcase creativity in using reused/ recycled materials to create lanterns.

We would like to invite **students and parents of Radin Mas Primary School** to participate in this Creative Lantern Making Competition. Attractive prizes will be awarded to the **TOP 3 Entries and 10 Consolation Entries**.

### **THEME:**

This year, our theme for this Creative Lantern Making Competition is 'Together, As One United People'.

### **GUIDELINES:**

- **Creativity and originality** in the design of the lantern.
- Capture the essence of the theme.
- Lanterns must be fabricated using **reused or recycled plastic materials** (such as plastic bottles, plastic takeaway containers) as the **main material**. Other recyclable materials such as straws, buttons etc. to be used as decoration for the lantern.
- **No restriction** on the number of recycled materials used for making the lantern.
- Lantern **size** should be **at least 40cm on one side** either in length, breadth or height.
- Lantern **should not weigh more than 3kg**.
- Provide a **short description** of the lantern.
- **Label your lantern** with your name, school and class. (Submit **Entry Form** with the lantern)

### **JUDGING CRITERIA:**

- Creativity (40%)
- Use of reused or recycled materials (20%)
- The extent to which the lantern captures the essence of the theme (20%)
- Overall presentation (20%)

### **DUE DATE:**

- **26 August 2024**
- Students to submit their entries to their respective Form Teachers.
- Late entries will not be entertained and judges' decision will be final.

### **WINNING ENTRIES:**

- **TOP 3 Entries and 10 Consolation Entries** will be awarded during the celebration.
- These lanterns will be displayed within the school compound after the celebration.

- Lanterns will be returned to the students after being displayed.

**OTHER INFORMATION:**

- For this competition, our Art Teachers will brief the students during their art lessons.

**I. P1 AND P2 PERSONALISED LEARNING THROUGH MULTI\_DISCIPLINARY PROJECT WORK (PL-MDPW)**

*(Mrs Doreen Foo, YH LP)*

RMPS embarked on PL-MDPW to better engage students and enhance their learning through Self-Directed Learning (SDL) and Collaborative Learning (CoL) activities. Using design thinking and computational thinking principles, the students will be working in teams to solve real-world issues. The P1 students will be involved in an exciting time of personalized learning with the theme of Pet Ownership and the P2 students will be working on various themes selected by the class.

The details are as follows:

P1	
<b>Date</b>	16.07.2024 – 18.07.2024
<b>Venue</b>	Classrooms

P2	
<b>Date</b>	15.07.2024 – 19.07.2024
<b>Venue</b>	Classrooms

**J. PRIMARY 6 PRELIMINARY ORAL EXAMINATIONS**

*(Mr Goh Sheow En, HOD/English Language)*

The Primary 6 Preliminary Oral Examination will be conducted after school from 2.00 pm to 5.00 pm on **25.07.2024 & 26.07.2024**.

Important Notes:

- Please make your own transport arrangement for your child/ ward on the days of the Oral Examination if he/she is taking school bus home.
- Only absentees with valid reasons will be eligible to sit for the make-up Oral Examination on Wednesday, 30.07.2024. Supporting documents or medical certificates must be submitted to the respective Form Teachers upon student's return to school. Parents' letters of excuse will NOT be accepted.

**K. PRIMARY 1 PHASE 1 REGISTRATION 2024**

**Primary 1 Phase 1** registration is for a Singapore Citizen (SC) or Permanent Resident (PR) child born between 2 January 2018 and 1 January 2019 (both dates inclusive) and has a sibling currently studying in our school.

For the 2024 P1 Registration Exercise (**2024 P1 Ex**), parents who are registering their younger child under Phase 1 are to **register during the Phase 1 registration period from Tue, 02.07.2024, 9am to Thu, 04.07.2024, 4.30pm** through the P1 Registration Portal.

You may refer to [MOE P1 website](#) for information on the 2024 P1 Ex.

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**DIAGLOGUE WITH SCHOOL LEADERS**

(Please submit the completed Response Slip to the General Office by **Wednesday, 10.07.2024**)

I have read **Item B** of the Jul 2024 Notification for Parents/ Guardians and is interested to attend the session.

Name of Child:

Class:

Name of Parent:

Contact No:

