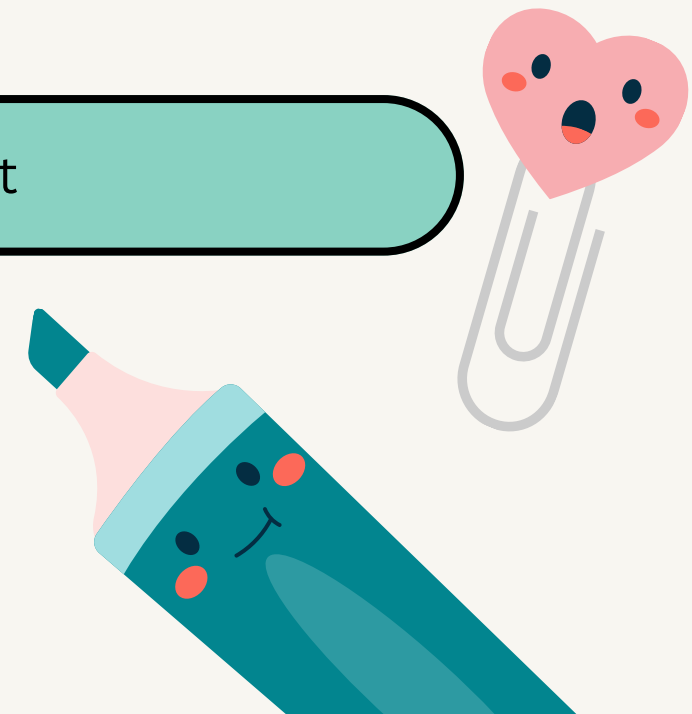




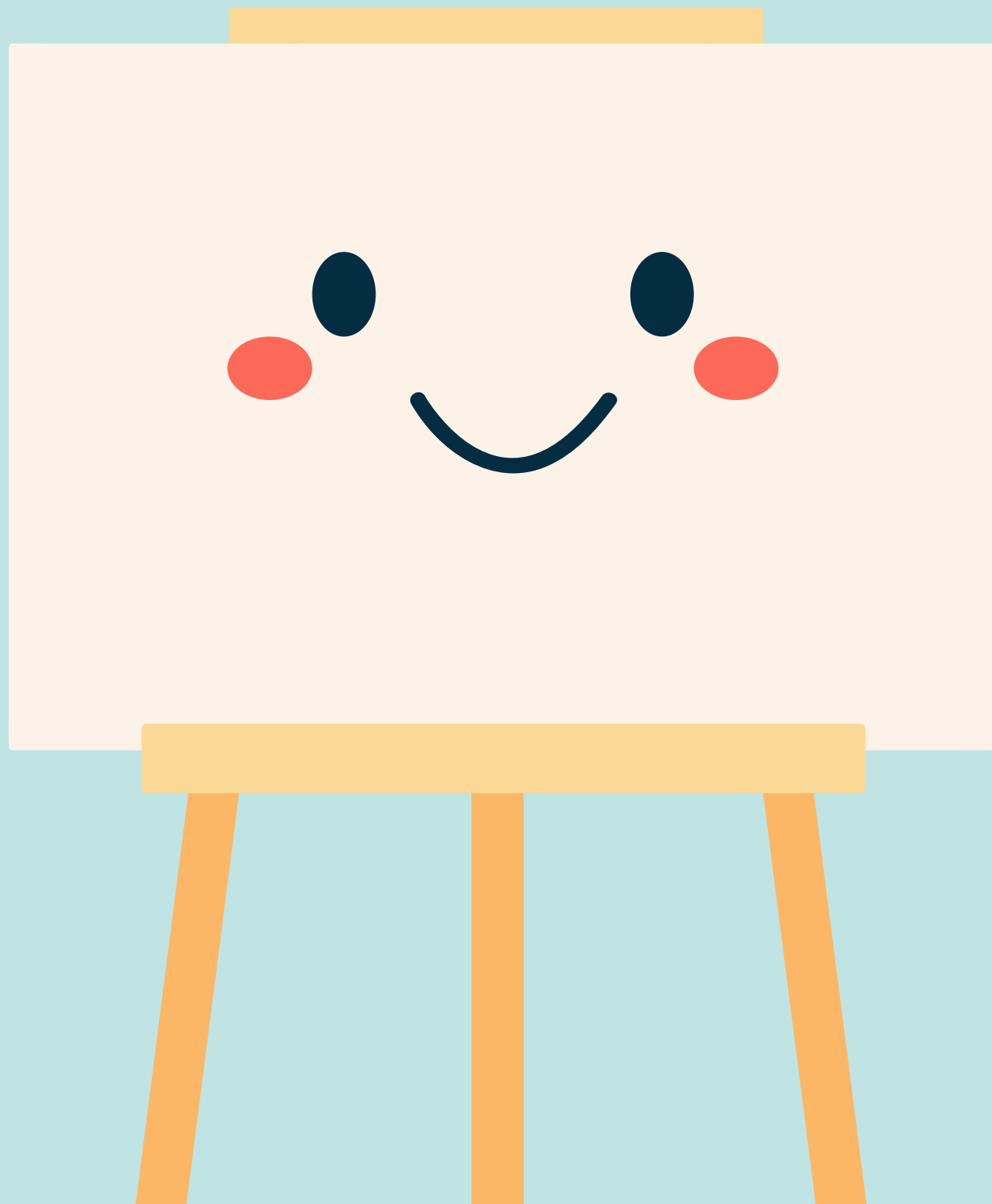
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GUIDE FOR P1 PARENTS

For 2025 P1 Cohort



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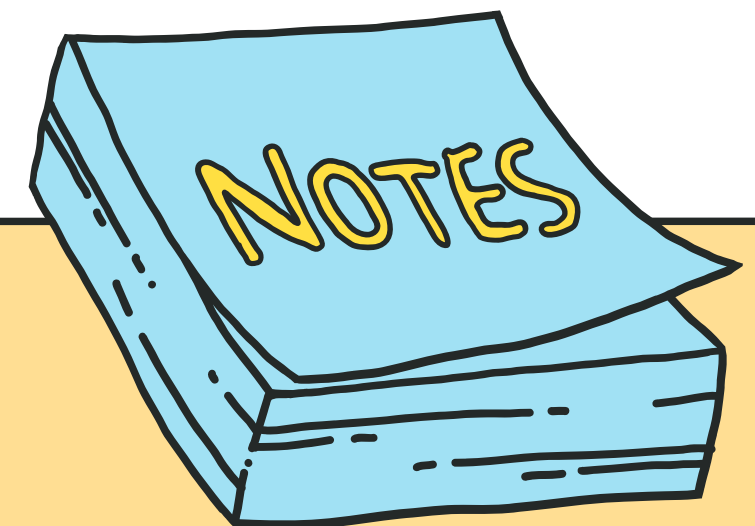
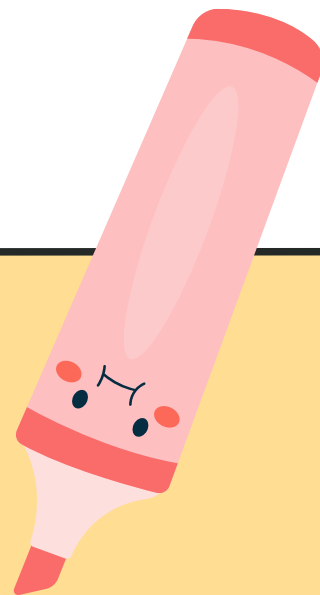
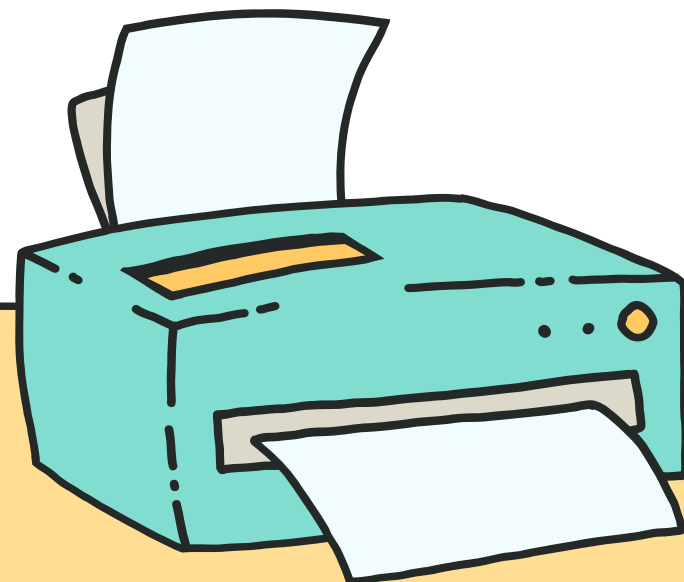
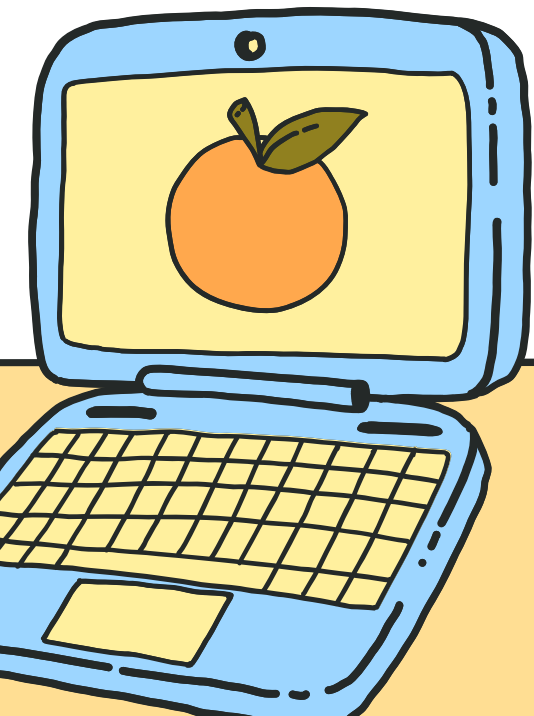
A School Where All
Work Hard, Play Hard
And Make A Mark

MISSION

To develop each child
holistically, equipping
him with competencies
for the future

MOTTO

WORK & PLAY











SCHOOL ETHOS

OUR SCHOOL VALUES

- RESPECT FOR SELF AND OTHERS
- ALWAYS BE GRACIOUS
- DESIRE FOR LEARNING
- IGNITE CREATIVITY AND INNOVATION
- NEVER GIVE UP
- MAXIMISE POTENTIAL
- AIM FOR EXCELLENCE
- STAND UP FOR INTEGRITY

Behavioural Indicators for RMPS School Core Values

SCHOOL CORE VALUES / BEHAVIOURAL INDICATORS	MASCOTS
RESPECT FOR SELF AND OTHERS Maintains a neat and tidy appearance at all times Maintains positive relationships with others around him/her	 Scott
ALWAYS BE GRACIOUS Greets school staff and friends Helps others around him/her	 Dexter
DESIRE FOR LEARNING Prepares the necessary learning materials for lessons Stays focused during lessons, across subjects	 Oli
IGNITE CREATIVITY AND INNOVATION Generates variety of ideas in discussions Explores different ways to do things	 Buzz
NEVER GIVE UP Keeps trying despite facing difficulties/setbacks Shows motivation to move on from difficulties/setbacks	 Harrods
MAXIMISE POTENTIAL Thinks positively of himself/herself Takes steps towards self-improvement	 Beatrice
AIM FOR EXCELLENCE Sets SMART goals for himself/herself Puts in consistent effort to achieve the goals	 Leo
STAND UP FOR INTEGRITY Role models good behaviour at all times Shows courage to be honest in all that he/she does	 Leo

GETTING READY FOR SCHOOL



SCHOOL HOURS

DAYS	MONDAYS -FRIDAYS
Reporting Time	0740 hrs
Recess	1000 hrs
Dismissal Time	1330 hrs (1315hrs for Week 0 and 1 only)

- Attendance in school is compulsory.
- Absence from school must be covered by a medical certificate or a letter from parent/guardian.
- Students should be seated by 7.35am every day for flag-raising in the parade square or classroom.

GATE 1 (BUKIT PURMEI ROAD)



GETTING READY

FOR SCHOOL

GATE 2 (BUKIT PURMEI ROAD) - DRIVING IN



TOP TIPS:

- Do plan for ample time to send your child to school.
- Students who are early have sufficient time to settle down, participate in silent reading or Friyay! Play!

SIDE GATE 3 (LOWER DELTA ROAD)
(DISMISSAL ONLY FROM 20 JAN 2025)

- Do look out for students crossing in front of the gates.
- Ensure that your child is ready to alight when dropping him/her off at the school foyer.
- Do not overtake other cars alighting children at the foyer.
- Safety is of utmost importance.

GETTING READY FOR SCHOOL

SCHOOL ATTIRE



TOP TIPS:

- You may want to purchase 3 sets of PE attire.

- Students must be neat and properly attired in their school uniform at all times.
- Students must wear white shoes and socks. The length of the socks should cover the ankles.
- Students can be in their PE attire the whole day on days when they have PE lessons or CCA/ PAL lessons.
- Name tags should be on the left side of the uniform/ shirt and above the school logo.
- Girls: Hair accessories must be black or dark blue. Only identical stud earrings are allowed.
- Boys: Hair must be short and neat at the back and sides.
- No jewellery of any sort is allowed.



GETTING READY

FOR SCHOOL

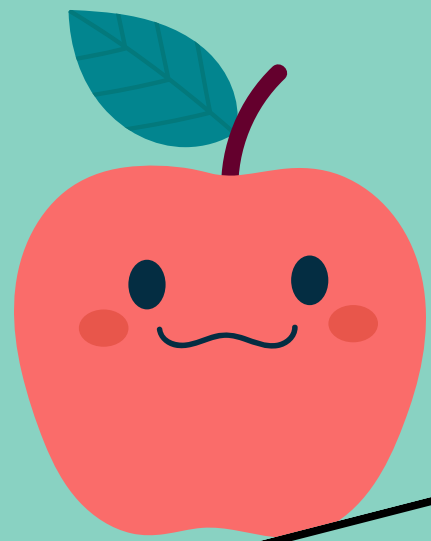
WHAT TO BRING TO SCHOOL DAILY?

- English storybook (Monday & Tuesday) and Mother Tongue storybook (Wednesday & Thursday) for morning silent reading.
- Pencil case with about 3 pencils, 1 eraser and 1 short plastic ruler.
- Colour pencils
- Healthy, dry snack for snack break.
- School Diary
- Please do not bring sharp objects like scissors, metal rulers etc.

TOP TIPS:

- You may want to get your child to pack his/her bag.
- Trolley school bags are strongly discouraged
- To inculcate responsibility, teachers will not call home and request for items that students have forgotten.
- School will only facilitate and pass students critical items like spectacles or medications.





GENERAL INFORMATION



P1 RECESS 1000 - 1030 hrs



- Students are strongly encouraged to have a water bottle filled with plain water daily.
- Prepare a small wallet that can fit into their pockets.
- Suggested pocket money for P1 students is \$2-\$3.
- Some students may prefer packed food from home. Do place the packed food into their school bag.
- Ensure that all belongings like their water bottles, wallets and lunch boxes are labelled with their name and class.

P1 Snack Break at about 1200 hrs



- Students have a snack break in class at about 12.00p.m daily.
- Students should finish their snacks in about 10 minutes.
- Snacks should be dry, easy to consume and healthy. Some examples include wholemeal biscuits, grapes, small bun etc. No sweet drinks are allowed.
- No sharing of snacks are allowed.
- Students are to clean up after snack break.



GENERAL INFORMATION



OUR SERVICE PROVIDERS

School Bus Operator

Operator	: DKJ Transport Service
Contact	: Mr Harrold / Mr Leo
Tel	: HP: +65 8896 3154 (Please WhatsApp for enquiries)
Email	: leotransportcrew@yahoo.com.sg

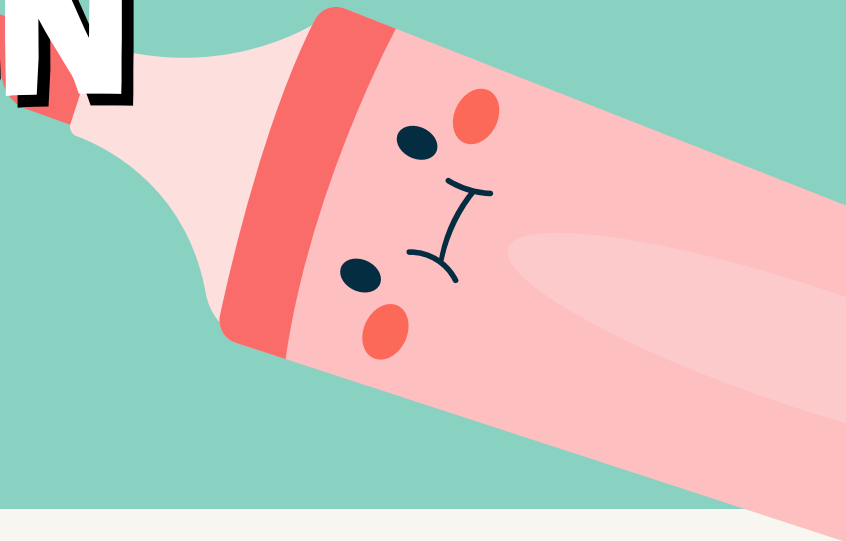
School's Student Care

Operator	: ACE@Work Enrichment Pte Ltd
Contact	: Mr Edmund Ee
Tel	: +65 6278 9611
HP	: +65 9007 4498
Email	: edmundee@aceatwork.com.sg



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OUR SERVICE PROVIDERS



School's Bookshop

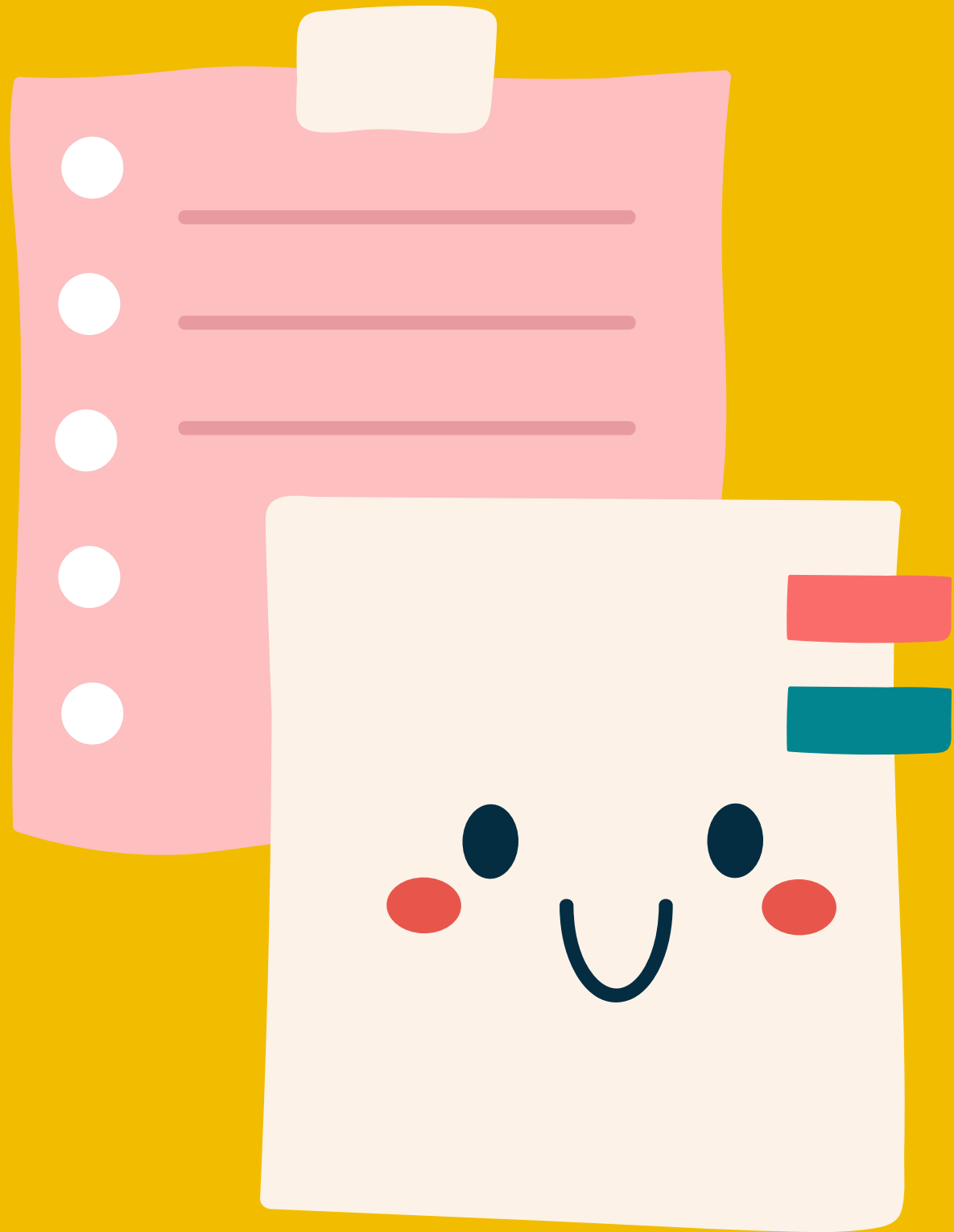
Vendor:	Pacific Bookstores Pte Ltd
Tel:	9435 5938
Website:	www.pacificbookstores.com
Email:	sales@pacificbookstores.com

Uniforms

Vendor:	Beau Voix Uniform
Tel	6743 6645
Website:	https://www.beauvoix.com.sg/products/radin-mas-primary-school
Email:	info@beauvoix.com.sg

Please note that the opening hours for the bookshop during term time is from Monday - Friday, 1.45pm to 3.00 pm. Opening hours will differ during the school holiday.

1ST WEEK OF SCHOOL



First Day of School 2 January 2025	Reporting Time: 0740 hrs Dismissal Time: 1130 hrs
3 January 2025 6 - 10 January 2025	Reporting Time: 0740 hrs Dismissal Time: 1315 hrs
From 13 January 2025 onwards	Reporting Time: 0740 hrs Dismissal Time: 1330 hrs

- Teachers will accompany students to the gate during dismissal.
- P1 students who are going home with their older siblings will wait for their older siblings outside the school hall.
- P1 students can only be dismissed from the Lower Delta Road Side Gate from 20 January 2025 onwards.
- Please inform your child’s form teacher if your would like your child to be dismissed from the Lower Delta Road Side Gate from 20 January 2025.

1ST WEEK OF SCHOOL

Day 1 Programme

Time	1A, 1I, 1D, 1M (Group A)	1R, 1N, 1S (Group B)	Parents (A)	Parents (B)
0730	Welcome to RMPS (School Hall)			
0745	Morning Assembly Back to Class		Morning Assembly	
0800	My New School - Form Teacher & Class - Attire & Basic Class Routines		Principal's Address	
			Triple P Parenting Talk	
0845	Starting Friendships (Class games)	Canteen Orientation	Curriculum Areas (English, Math, Mother Tongue)	
0915	The RMPS Story	Recess	ParentLink Connect	Recess Observation
0930				
0945	Canteen Orientation	Starting Friendships (Class games)	Co-curriculum Areas (PAM)	
1015	Recess	The RMPS Story	Recess Observation	ParentLink Connect
1030				
1045	Form Teacher Engagement			
1130	Dismissal / Home Sweet Home			

- Only P1 students report to school on 2 January 2025.
- Please report to the school hall by 0740 hrs.
- Only 1 parent can accompany your child on the 1st day of school.

TOP TIPS:

- You may want to practise going to bed and waking up early during the December break.
- Have a light breakfast before coming to school.

1ST WEEK OF SCHOOL

Things to bring

DAYS	WHAT TO BRING
<p>6 Jan 2025 Monday</p>	<p>All Subjects plastic files</p> <p>English Language: 2 RMPS A5 Exercise Book</p> <p>Mathematics: Primary Mathematics Practise Book 1A</p> <p>Mother Tongue (Where applicable): Chinese Language For Pri Schools (欢乐伙伴2.0) Activity Book P1A Chinese Language For Pri Schools (欢乐伙伴2.0) Writing Exercise Book Malay Language For Pri Schools (Cita) Activity Book P1A Tamil Language For Pri Schools (Inbathamizh) Activity Book P1A Tamil Language For Pri Schools (Inbathamizh) Penmanship P1A</p>

TOP TIPS:

- Do get your child to write his/her name on all his/her books and belongings.
- Do also get your child to help pack the books in his/her bag.

1ST WEEK OF SCHOOL

Things to bring

DAYS	WHAT TO BRING
7 Jan 2025 Tuesday	Social Studies Primary 1 Activity Book My PE Journal Form Teacher Guidance Period P1 Book Mini Whiteboard Set
8 Jan 2025 Wednesday	A3 Art Bag with Art Materials
9 Jan 2025 Thursday	RMPS A5 Report Book RMPS My Portfolio (Includes file, dividers, filing pockets, pouch, thumb drive)

1ST WEEK OF SCHOOL

Buddy Programme

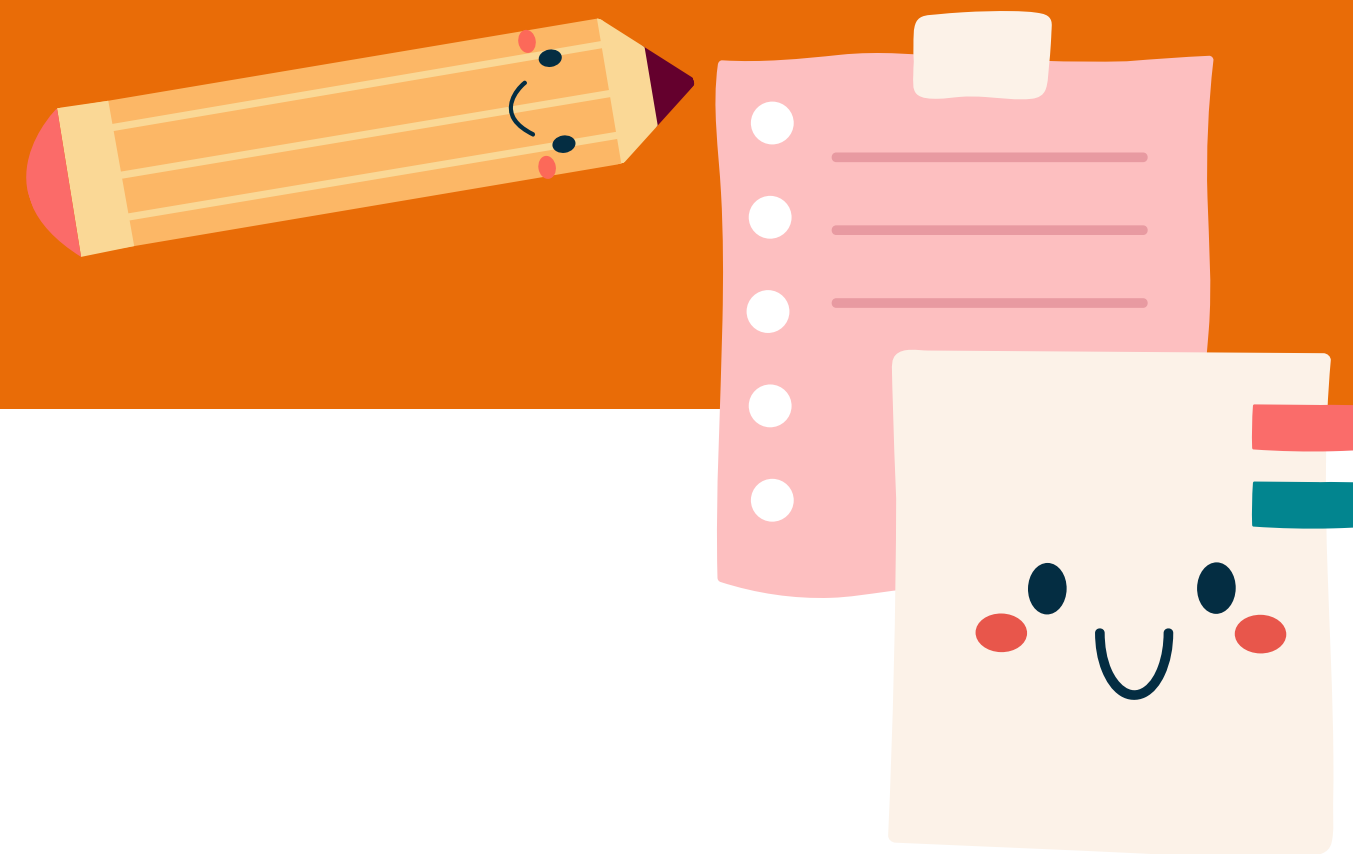


TOP TIPS:

- All P1 students will have a P5 buddy assigned to them during recess from 3 – 10 January 2025.

- You may want to start getting your child to buy snacks or drinks on their own in December.

HOME-SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP



Communication



All notices, information and consent forms will be sent through Parents Gateway.



Monthly notification on school's website
<https://www.radinmaspri.moe.edu.sg/>

Address	: 1 Bukit Purmei Avenue Singapore 099840
Tel	: +65 6273 3937
Fax	: +65 6276 3083
Email	: rmps@moe.edu.sg

TOP TIPS:

- Ensure that you check your Parents Gateway App regularly.

HOME-SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP



Communicating with your child's teachers

- All P1 students will receive an introductory letter from your child's form teachers on the 1st day of school
- You will find the teachers' preferred mode of communication in the letter.
- Have regular conversations with teachers in both academic and non-academic areas.
- Understand that teachers may not be able to respond to your queries immediately.

TOP TIPS:

- Do work with the teachers to help your child respect differences and resolve disagreements (if any) amicably.
- Let the school verify the facts in any incident before taking action to ensure a fair, objective outcome for all parties.

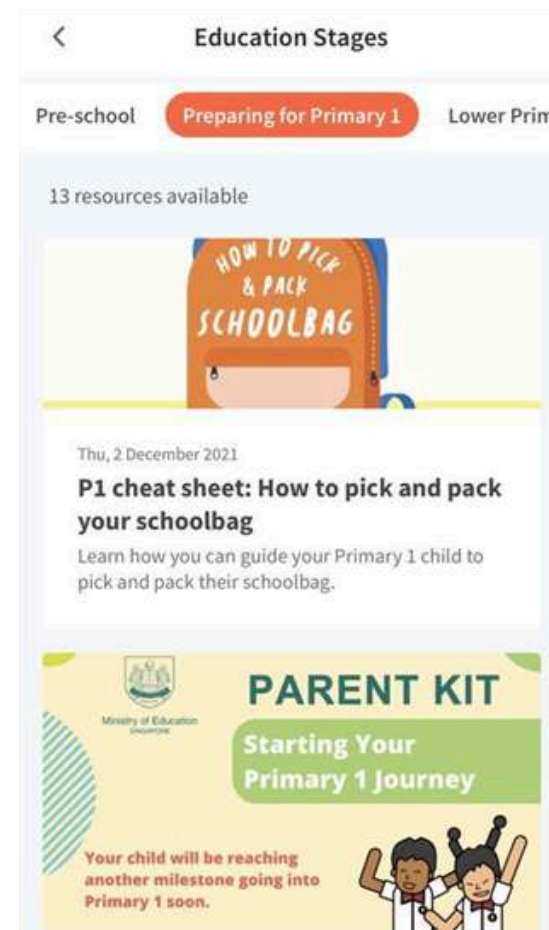
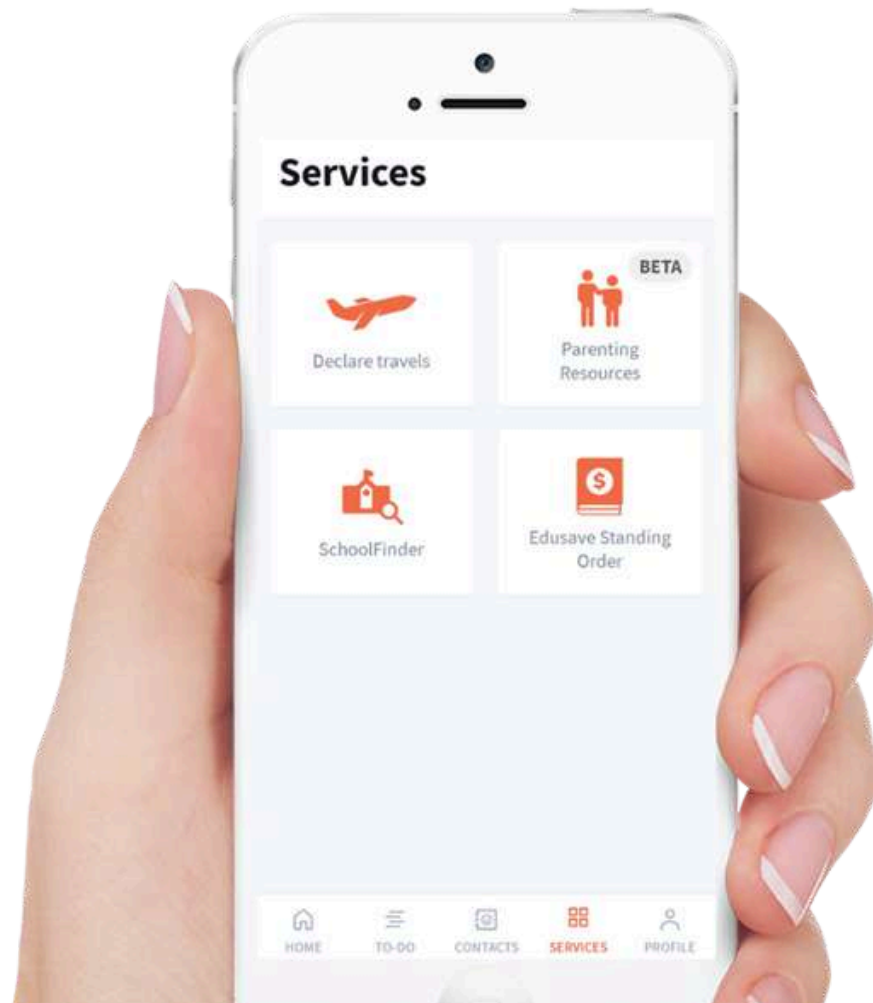
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ONLY ON PARENTS GATEWAY! A ONE-STOP PORTAL OF RESOURCES

Parenting Resources repository

A repository for parents to browse resources on topics such as preparing for Primary 1, forging parent-child relationships and education pathways.



- All notifications and consent forms will be sent through Parents Gateway.

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WE ARE HERE TO SUPPORT YOU!



Parent Kit

Parent Kit

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Each Parent Kit issue contains bite-sized actionable tips with supporting resources for parents to help them support their child in their education journey.

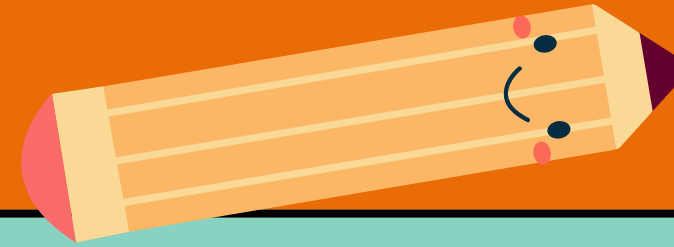
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🌟 PAM Week at Radin Mas Primary School! 🌟

Our school was buzzing with excitement as we celebrated PAM (Physical Education, Arts, and Music) Week between 8th and 12th of July! Our students had a fantastic time engaging in a variety of activities that showcased their creativity, athleticism, and musical talents.

From vibrant art projects and thrilling sports events to captivating musical performances, it was a week full of joy, learning, and discovery. We are so proud of our students for their enthusiasm and participation. Check out the highlights of PAM Week in this video! 🎨🎵🏆

#RadinMasPrimary #PAMWeek2024 #CreativeKids #ActiveLearners #JoyOfLearning

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Last week, our Primary 1 and 2 students were involved in our school's signature programme, the Multi-disciplinary Project Work (MDPW). Using design thinking principles, the students collaborated in groups to solve real world scenarios.

Throughout their MDPW journey, the students were engaged in some of the various activities below:

- 🎤 Talks by expert speakers
- 🚀 Learning Journeys to venues like Marina Bay and the Singapore Science Centre to explore and understand problems
- 📊 Creating PowerPoint Presentations to share their findings and ideas
- 📄 Creating Posters to visually communicate their solutions
- 🧱 Building with LEGO blocks to bring their concepts to life

At the end of the project work week, the students showcased and presented their work to their peers and teachers. This programme not only sparks creativity and innovation but also equips our students with essential 21st-century competencies like critical thinking, collaboration, and communication. We were incredibly proud of their project work!



FAQS



**My child can't read yet!
How will he cope?**

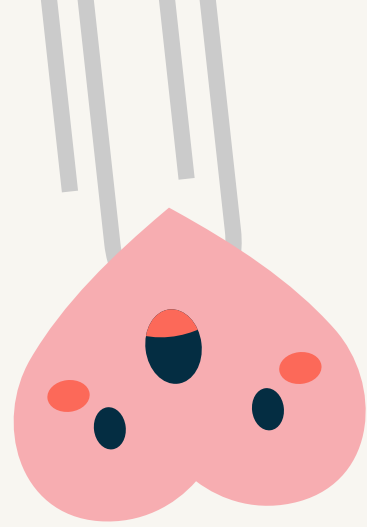


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Reading is a habit that we can build.

- It is never too late to start getting your child interested in books
- Take your child to the library, expose them to various picture books and read together for a start
- Students will be introduced to various genres of books, and be taught how to blend letter sounds through games or craft work.





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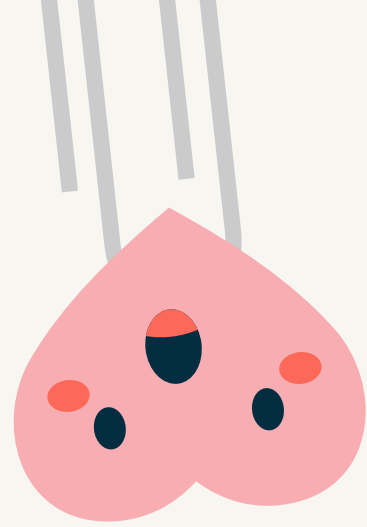
My child takes so long to complete her work. Will she fall behind?



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Children pick up time management at a different pace and can improve with help.

- Parents can model this with your child at home with small tasks and everyday activities
- If you find your child struggling with completing their tasks or homework within a given time, it could also mean that they are not sure how to go about completing them
- If you notice any learning issues, do reach out to the school early



FAQS



Here are some steps you may teach your child:

Step 1: Look for someone who can help

Step 2: Check if that person has the time to help; if not, look for another suitable person

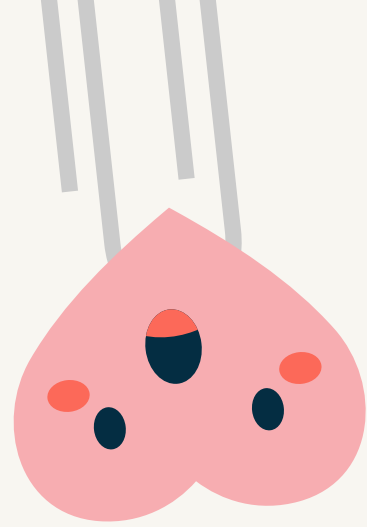
Step 3: Share what the problem is and how they feel

Step 4: Listen carefully to the advice given

Step 5: Thank the person for the help



Practise with your child at home how to ask for help. Remember to praise them for their efforts.



FAQS



Students may enjoy recess so much that they forget to eat. Some students may not be eating because they are shy about ordering food.

I'm worried my child won't eat at recess. He'll go hungry!



- Let your child practise ordering food and making payment when out with the family
- If they need more time to build their confidence or observe how it is done by other students, you may pack a lunch box in the meantime, so they will always have something to eat
- If you worry that your child is not eating at all, discuss with your child's teacher





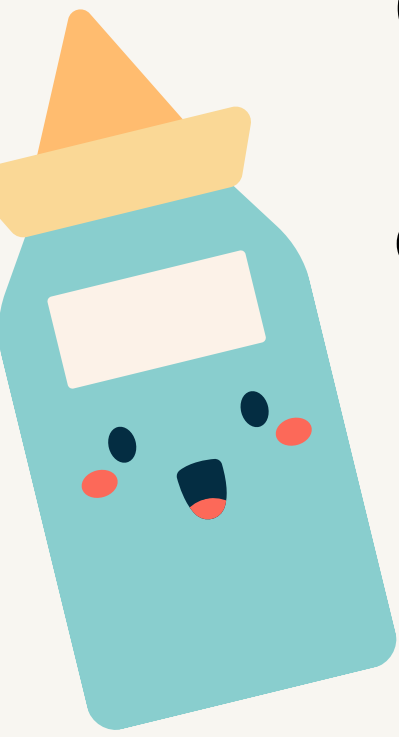
FAQS

Q: What is the best way to prepare my child for Primary 1?

A: Encourage independence by teaching them basic self-help skills like dressing, eating and using the toilet. Students should be able to use the toilet independently. Familiarize them with routines such as packing their own school bag.

Q: How can I help my child adjust to a new school environment?*

A: Talk positively about school and explain what to expect. Help your child build confidence by emphasizing that it is okay to ask teachers or peers for help when needed



FAQS

Q: What if my child struggles academically or socially?

A: If you notice your child having difficulties, communicate with the teacher. We often have programs or support for children who need extra help with academics, or social-emotional development.

Q: Are there any assessments in Primary 1?

A: While there may not be formal exams in Primary 1, we do conduct informal bite-sized assessments to gauge students' progress. These are often low-stakes and designed to help teachers understand your child's learning needs.

Q: Can I give my child a smart watch or a mobile phone?

A: Students are discouraged from bringing smart devices to school. Students are responsible for their own devices and the devices must be turned off during curriculum hours. The camera and call functions of the smart watch should also be turned off during curriculum hours. Students can only use their devices to make personal calls after school at the canteen or foyer.



THANK YOU!

