



TAMPINES PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,



National
Arts
Education
Blaze Award
2015

Strategic Thrust 1: Achieving Academic Excellence

GEP Screening Exercise 2018

The Gifted Education Programme (GEP) Screening Exercise will be conducted on **Fri 24 Aug 2018**. Parents of P3 pupils will be receiving the option form by this week. Parents are required to return the option form through their child by **Mon 30 July 2018**.



Character and Citizenship Education

Strategic Thrust 2 – Nurturing Leaders of Character

National Day Celebration 2018

Our school will be conducting our National Day Celebration on **Wed 8 Aug 2018**. The theme for this year's celebration is "We are Singapore". The theme defines the Singapore Spirit, invoking the strength and resilience which built Singapore and empowers Singaporeans to overcome future challenges and adversities together. "We" in this year's theme emphasises the collective, where regardless of our origins and wherever we are, Singapore is our way of life and will always be our home (<https://www.ndp.org.sg/aboutus.html>).



Student All-Round Development



Teaching and Learning

In the morning, pupils will participate in the Joint National Day Observance Ceremony with Tampines Secondary School. Pupils will be engaged in classroom activities focusing on National Education and will be involved in the singing of community songs during the school's National Day concert.



Staff Well-Being and Development

Pupils will report to school as usual by 7.40 am and they will be **dismissed at 10.00 am**. We encourage pupils to come in either their PE attire or a red T-shirt (plain T-shirt without any design or logo; jersey is not allowed) and school shorts/skirts on that day. Pupils are to bring their school diary, stationery and a small national flag (if possible). Transport arrangements have been made for pupils taking the school bus. For pupils who travel by other transport means, kindly make the necessary arrangements for your child. **Thurs 9 Aug 2018** is a public holiday while **Fri 10 Aug 2018** is a school holiday. All pupils will **return to school on Mon 13 Aug 2018**.



Partnership



LOTUS AWARD





Others

Implementation of Season Parking with effect from 1 Aug 2018

MOE will implement Season Parking in schools with effect from 1 Aug 2018.

Parents are advised to park your vehicle at the nearby public carparks when you visit the school. We would like to share with you the Car Park policy:

- a. All parking lots marked in red are for season parking vehicles only.
- b. Vehicles are allowed to enter the school car park to pick-up and drop off school visitors, staff or students at the designated pick-up and drop off zone except during school operating days:
 Monday to Friday : 1.45pm to 2.15pm
 Wednesday : 12.15pm to 12.45pm
- c. Please note that parking is not allowed at the designated pick-up and drop off zone.
- d. Vehicles parked without authorization will be barred from entering the school car park.

Do contact the General Office at 67831190 if you need further clarification.

Date	Event	Remarks
31 Jul – 2 Aug	P1 Registration Phase 2C	
30 Aug – 3 Aug	P6 Prelims	
8 Aug	National Day Celebrations	
9 Aug	National Day Holiday	Public Holiday
10 Aug	National Day School Holiday	
16-17 Aug	PSLE Oral Examinations	
22 Aug	Hari Raya Haji	Public Holiday
24 Aug	GEP Screening Ex	P3 students
30 Aug	Teachers' Day Celebration	School as usual
31 Aug	Teachers' Day Holiday	School Holiday

With warmest regards,

Miss Veronica Tay
Principal