



# TAMPINES PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Character and Citizenship Education



Student All-Round Development



Teaching and Learning



Staff Well-Being and Development



Partnership



TPS/04/2018

23<sup>rd</sup> January 2018

Dear Parents,

## Strategic Thrust 1: Achieving Academic Excellence

### Drama Enriches Language Learning

Learning for Life Programme (LLP) aims to provide meaningful and authentic contexts where knowledge can be applied and values can be demonstrated and strengthened. At TPS, drama is identified as the school's LLP. It is integrated in the English Language as a pedagogical tool to develop pupils' oral communication, writing skills, creativity and critical thinking. In addition, drama education aims to provide opportunities for the development of character.

The following programmes are planned to support the objectives of the LLP. All programmes, except P4 Playwriting, are conducted during curriculum hours. Parents of selected P4 pupils for the Playwriting programme will be informed through a letter from the teacher-in-charge.

Level	Name of Programme	Term
Primary 1	Choral Speaking	1
Primary 2	Theatre Experience	2
Primary 3	Dramatic Storytelling	1 - 2
Primary 4	Dramatization to Writing	1 - 2
Primary 4 (for selected pupils)	Playwriting	3 - 4
Primary 5	Public Speaking	3 - 4

## Strategic Focus: Partnership

School Dental Service provides free dental services to school children. However, parental consent is required to be in the programme. Kindly log onto <http://childconsent.hpb.gov.sg> or scan the QR code below to access the Child Consent Portal.





## Others

### School General Office Operation Hours

Please note that the school general office operation hours are as follows:

School Term	Time
Monday to Thursday	8.00 to 5.30 pm
Friday	8.00 to 5.00 pm

School Holidays (March, June, September & December)	Time
Monday to Friday	8.00 to 5.00 pm



### Upcoming Events – February 2018

Date	Event	Remarks
3 Feb	Parents' Workshop	Saturday, 9am -12pm
6-7 Feb	School Class Photoshoot	Pupils are reminded to be in full school uniform.
14 Feb	Total Defence Day	School hours as usual.
15 Feb	Chinese New Year Eve (celebration)	Pupils will be dismissed at 10.00am.
16-19 Feb	Chinese New Year Holidays	Pupils do not need to attend school on these dates. They will report to school on 20 Feb 2018.



With warmest regards,

Miss Veronica Tay  
Principal

