



# TAMPINES PRIMARY SCHOOL

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11 Jan 2016

Dear Parents/Guardians,

## **Strategic Thrust 1-Achieving Academic Excellence**

### **Supplementary/Remedial lessons**

Supplementary and remedial lessons for English, Mathematics, Science and Mother Tongue will begin in Term 1, Week 4. All pupils are strongly encouraged to attend supplementary classes. Pupils involved in supplementary and remedial will receive a letter and consent form from their respective subject teachers.

Subject	Level	Day	Time
Mother Tongue Supplementary	P5 & 6	Tuesday	3.00pm – 4.30pm
English, Maths and Science Supplementary	P5 & 6	Friday	2.00pm – 4.00pm
English, Maths, Science and Mother Tongue Remedial	P3 & 4	Friday	2.00pm – 4.00pm

## **Strategic Thrust 3- Achieving Aesthetics and Physical Excellence**

### **Co-Curricular Activities (CCA) 2016**

CCA for P3 to P6 has commenced on **Fri 08 Jan 2016** during curriculum hours. P3 pupils have been allocated their CCA based on their choices made at the end of 2015. We encourage our pupils to remain in their current CCA especially for P5 and P6 pupils so that they can progressively pick up skills for sustained development.

### **Strategic Focus: Partnership**

#### **Meet-The-Parents Session**

The first Meet-The-Parents session will be held on **Fri 22 Jan 2016 at 7 p.m. for all levels.**

Level/Time	7.00 – 7.40 pm	7.45 – 8.25 pm	8.30 – 9.10 pm
P1 – P2	Classroom	MT	
P3 – P4	Hall	Classroom	MT
P5 – P6	MT	Hall	Classroom

Parents will be informed about the curriculum outline and programmes for each level and meet the respective form teachers. Subject Based Banding (SBB) matters for P4 & P5 as well as P6 PSLE matters will be addressed at this meeting. **We strongly encourage all P4 to P6 parents to attend.**

Parking in the school on that evening will be on a first-come, first-serve basis. For your convenience, there are ample parking lots in the HDB car parks in the vicinity of the school. We seek your cooperation to complete and return the attached reply slip promptly to your child's/ward's form teacher **by Wed 13 Jan 2016** so that the school can make the necessary logistics arrangements.

If your child is required to attend the Learning Support Programmes (LSP) for English or Mathematics, there will be a separate letter issued to invite you to attend an additional briefing accordingly.

We remind all parents/guardians to make alternative arrangements to meet your child's teachers **on another day** if you require an in-depth conversation about your child's development.

## Others

### **Donation of used EL storybooks and magazines**

The school would like to appeal to you for your donation of used EL storybooks and magazines which are in good condition and suitable for your child's classmates. These donated storybooks and magazines will contribute to a class library collection for the pupils to borrow. Our aim is to instill the love of reading in our charges as well as to expose them to a variety of genres.

If your child is unable to carry the storybooks/magazines to school by himself/herself, you could label the bag(s) with the EL teacher's name and the class and kindly leave the bag(s) in the school's General Office. Alternatively, you may allow him/her to bring a few books/magazines each day to be given to the EL teacher.

Please note that the storybooks and magazines are accessible to all the pupils in the classroom and the teachers will not be keeping track of the loan/return. However, they will reinforce in their pupils the importance of being responsible in returning the storybooks/magazines in order to benefit their classmates. We look forward to your donations by Friday, 22 January 2016.



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## Appointments

Prior appointments to meet our staff should be made either by telephone or email to the staff concerned to avoid disappointment.

We appeal to our parents/guardians to contact our staff during office hours from Mondays to Fridays between 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. We seek your understanding that our staff are unable to return your call or meet you personally during their scheduled teaching time. This is to ensure valuable curriculum time is not disrupted nor the safety of the pupils compromised. For email correspondence, the staff will respond within 3 working days.

We will be updating other events via our school calendar at a later date. You may forward any further query or give us feedback via our email address at [tps@moe.edu.sg](mailto:tps@moe.edu.sg).

Thank you and have a good week ahead!

With warmest regards

Miss Veronica Tay  
Principal



**Reply Slip for Meet-The-Parents Session  
Fri 22 Jan 2016 (7 p.m.)**



**\*to be returned to the Form Teacher by Wed 13 Jan 2016**

Name of Pupil : \_\_\_\_\_

Register number : \_\_\_\_\_

Class : \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent : \_\_\_\_\_  
/Guardian

Contact No. : \_\_\_\_\_



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Please tick where applicable:

I will be attending the Meet-The-Parents Session.

No of person/s attending: \*\*01 / 02

I will not be attending the Meet-The-Parents Session.

***\*\*Please delete accordingly.***

***Owing to space constraints, we are only able to cater to 2 adults to attend the Meet-The-Parents Session.*** To ensure you are able to focus on the issues communicated, we request that you do not bring children to attend the session.