



HENRY PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Primary 1 Term 1 Level Matters

Happy New Year! On behalf of all Primary 1 teachers, I would like to extend a very warm welcome to you and your child to the new academic year of 2025.

Primary 1 Assistant Year Head and Class Form Teachers

Firstly, I am Ms Lam Yuen Kay, Primary 1 Assistant Year Head, and I will be assisting Ms Iris See, Primary 1 and 2 Year Head with matters pertaining to the Primary 1 level. We hope that the Primary 1 students will transit smoothly to Primary school and enjoy their Primary school experience. We will also be working together with the teachers to ensure that the school is a safe, respectful and disciplined learning environment for our Primary 1 students where they have opportunities to engage in quality learning experience and acquire values supportive of their lifelong well-being.

The form teachers of the Primary 1 classes are as listed in the table below. Our teachers can be contacted via email if you have any queries about your child or school-related matters.

Class	Form Teachers	Email Address
1 Attentiveness	Ms Iris Koh Ms Fitri Kurniati Binte Sanib	lee_tse_pei@moe.edu.sg fitri_kurniati_sanib@moe.edu.sg
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1 Diligence	Ms Tang Wai Han, Jo Ms Zheng Yiting Sheila	tang_wai_han@moe.edu.sg zheng_yiting_sheila@moe.edu.sg
1 Enthusiasm	Ms Esther Chua Mdm Tan Hwee Tiang	chua_sow_ping_esther_a@moe.edu.sg tan_hwee_tiang_a@moe.edu.sg

Class	Form Teachers	Email Address
1 Flexibility	Mdm Yvonne Lim Mdm Yang Liman	lim_lee_youn@moe.edu.sg yang_liman@moe.edu.sg
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1 Harmony	Mrs Emily Tang Ms Noorashikin Bte Yahya	emily_tang@moe.edu.sg noorashikin_yahya@moe.edu.sg
1 Initiative	Ms Saharah Wong Ms Lam Yuen Kay	saharah_wong@moe.edu.sg lam_yuen_kay@moe.edu.sg
1 Joyfulness	Mrs Julia Wan Ms Tiow Jingmin	julia_wan@moe.edu.sg tiow_jingmin@moe.edu.sg

Physical Education, Art, Music (PAM)

The Primary 1 Physical Education (PE) program is designed to spark a love for movement and fitness by introducing students to fundamental skills through learning areas like Dance, Games, and Sports. Students will have the opportunity to explore gymnastics through PE and enrichment lessons during curriculum time. Safety and health are top priorities, with a focus on fostering good practices and empowering students to embrace an active and healthy lifestyle through the Physical Health and Safety component.

The Art Education programme aims to cultivate a passion for creativity by exposing students to various mediums, artists and artworks throughout the year. In Term 1, students will actively engage in art discussions to understand how unique aspects of a person can be portrayed in a portrait. They will observe and compare the non-conventional techniques used by two artists, Tan Jun Sheng's "My Confident Self" and Giuseppe Arcimboldo's "Vertumnus," to paint and assemble meaningful objects representing individuals in portraits.

In the realm of Music, students will learn to sing the national anthem and our school song. They will also appreciate music from Chinese culture, aligning with Chinese New Year Celebrations. Additionally, students will actively listen and describe sounds in their environment, move and play percussion instruments to the beat, and identify and perform loud and soft sounds.

Programme for Active Learning (PAL)

Programme for Active Learning (PAL) was introduced by the Ministry of Education (MOE) in 2011 and will be conducted for all Primary 1 and Primary 2 students. PAL aims to facilitate the well-rounded development of students in the five learning domains (cognitive, moral, social, aesthetics and physical) and help students to develop social and emotional competencies. The modules are experiential in nature and incorporate learning in a creative, fun, and enjoyable way. The following modules will be offered to Primary 1 students during curriculum time:

Semester 1		Semester 2	
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
-	Sports & Games	Performing Arts (PA) – Music	Performing Arts (PA) – Drama

E-Learning

The school will be using the Singapore Student Learning Space (SLS) platform to conduct e-learning. Students will be given a personal account to access online lesson packages and e-assignments by their subject teachers. The SLS account activation process for Primary 1 students will be carried out in school in Term 1.

Silent Reading

Every morning, the students will report either to the school hall or directly to their respective class and read their storybooks silently. We strongly encourage our students to bring English or Mother Tongue storybooks from Monday to Friday.

Morning Story-Telling Sessions

The schedule for the story-telling sessions for this term is outlined below:

Week	Chinese Story Telling (Mondays)	English Story Telling (Thursdays)
7	17 February 2025	20 February 2025
8	24 February 2025	27 February 2025
9	3 March 2025	6 March 2025
10	10 March 2025	13 March 2025

Details for the respective story-telling sessions are as follows:

Time: 7:00 am – 7:15 am

Venue: School Library

Students interested in attending the storytelling sessions should report to the designated venue by 7 am. They are required to leave their school bags in the classroom before heading to the venue with their student diaries.

We hope that these storytelling sessions will inspire a love of reading in our students.

Student Diary

The student diary will be used as a means of communication between teachers and parents. Students should use the diary to take note of their daily homework and reminders from their teachers. We hope that you will check your child's student diary regularly.

Communication with Parents

Announcements on school matters will be posted on our school's website at <https://henryparkpri.moe.edu.sg/>. Please visit the website regularly for updates.

Term letters will be sent directly to parents via Parents Gateway (PG). Teachers will also use PG to send consent forms and announcements. Please ensure that the notification for the app is turned on so that you receive information in a timely manner.

In the event there are changes to your email address, please inform your child's form teachers as we need to update our emailing system. We look forward to fostering a strong partnership with you.

Warmest regards,
Ms Lam Yuen Kay
Assistant Year Head, Primary 1

VISION

Lead with Character, Serve with Talents

MISSION

Nurturing concerned citizens with integrity and a spirit of excellence through holistic education

SCHOOL VALUES

Respect, Integrity, Care, Excellence



School Distinction Award



Teaching and Learning



Student All-Round Development



Partnership



Character and Citizenship Education

