



FAIRFIELD METHODIST SCHOOL (SECONDARY)

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

2026 Term 3 Updates

Together with the teachers, we are heartened to have had meaningful conversations with you end of last term to share about your child/ward's growth thus far. Let's continue to partner each other in support of their continued development here in Fairfield.

This time of year, tends to be a busy one with school- and national-events taking place throughout the term. Nonetheless, we are reminded in Philippians 4:13 that "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me" and therefore encouraged that we do not undertake any task or journey alone.

Our Term 3 focus is on "Stewarding Growth, Strengthening Resilience" which will be reinforced through our daily interactions with students. At home, you may also spend time with your child/ward to talk about their victories or setbacks in school and affirm their efforts when they demonstrate growth and resilience.

Do note the following key updates for Term 3:

Changes to Your Child's PLD Device Management Application (DMA) Hours

We would like to inform you of an upcoming change to the Device Management Application (DMA) hours for your child's Personal Learning Device (PLD). As part of the school's review with feedback from our stakeholders, we are aligning the time for the DMA hours with the school's timetabled hours to help our students develop healthy digital habits and manage their screen time. Please refer to the attached Annex for more details on this change.

Early Dismissal on 7 July due to GCE O-Level MTL Listening Comprehension

The GCE O-Level Mother Tongue Language (MTL/MTLB) Listening Comprehension examination will be held on 7 July 2026 (Tuesday). To ensure a quiet and conducive environment for the candidates sitting for the examination, the school will be dismissing students earlier on that day.

Dismissal Times:

- Secondary 1 – 3 students: 12.30pm
- Secondary 4 – 5 students: 12pm

3-Day Home-Based Learning on 14 – 16 July

As per previous years' practice, the 2026 GCE N- and O-Level Oral Examinations will be conducted over three full days. To support this, all secondary schools will be conducting Home-Based Learning (HBL) from 14 to 16 July (Tuesday to Thursday). Details of the Home-Based Learning can be found in the attached Annex accompanying this letter.

Founder's Day Celebrations on 4 August

In thanksgiving to God for His faithfulness to the school, we will be celebrating our school's 138th Founder's Day on 4 August 2026 (Tuesday). All Sec 1 and 4/5 students will attend the Founder's Day Thanksgiving Service from 10am to 11.30am at the Chen Su Lan Hall, while Sec 2 and 3 students will watch the livestream of the service from home.

National Day Celebrations on 7 August

Fairfield will be celebrating National Day on 7 August 2026 (Friday). As per last year, the students will be celebrating the nation's birthday as a school, followed by students' CCA Values-in-Action projects and activities. The students will report to school as usual and will be dismissed by 10.30am. Do note that 10 August 2026 (Monday) is a public holiday and students should report to school as usual on 11 August 2026 (Tuesday).

Donative Drive for Chen Su Lan Methodist Children's Home

Fairfield will be running a donation drive in support of Chen Su Lan Methodist Children's Home (CSLMCH). The appeal envelopes will be given to your child/ward by the end of Term 3 Week 4. The school will be collecting back the appeal envelopes by end of Term 3 Week 7. Donations above \$50 are 250% tax deductible upon scanning the QR code on the donation envelope and filling out the required information.

You may refer to the attached Annex to understand more about CSLMCH and its mission. If you have any questions regarding the donation, please feel free to email Mr Alester Tan, SH CCA, at tan_aik_hwee@schools.gov.sg.

Teachers' Day Celebrations on 3 September

The term will end with a celebration to honour our teachers on 3 September 2026 (Thursday), organised by our Student Leaders. The students will be dismissed by 11am.

World Drug Day Message

Please refer to the attached Annex for more details on the above. The link below may be a useful resource for parents looking to raise awareness of drug issues and have meaningful conversations with your children.

CNB Guide for Parents: <https://www.cnb.gov.sg/resources/guide-for-parents/>

Joint Advisory on Traffic Safety Around the School

Please refer to the attached Joint Advisory Notice from Fairfield Methodist School (Secondary) and the Land Transport Authority (LTA) regarding the safe and considerate pick-up of students. We seek your support in adhering to the parking and waiting regulations along Dover Road and North Buona Vista Road to ensure the safety of our students, minimise traffic congestion, and be considerate to other road users and the surrounding community. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Fire Drill Exercise

As part of our school's emergency preparedness programme, we will be conducting a Fire Drill Exercise in Term 3. The exercise will involve the participation of emergency response agencies and resources to simulate a realistic emergency scenario. Through this exercise, students and staff will practice the appropriate emergency response and evacuation procedures, enabling them to respond calmly, safely and effectively should a real emergency occur. We appreciate parents' understanding and support as we continue to strengthen our school's safety culture and emergency preparedness.

Thank you for your support and continued partnership with us.

Yours Faithfully,



Mr Wee Tat Chuen
Principal