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Dear Parent/Guardian,

Term 1 Parent's Letter - Welcome Back to School!

A warm welcome back to all Bedok Viewans as we start a new academic year on 2 Jan 2026 (Fri). We would also like to welcome new students who have joined the Bedok View family and are embarking on their secondary school journey with us. We look forward to a meaningful year together!

We will start the year with a week of Back-to-School (BTS) programmes, where various activities and briefings have been planned to ease our Bedok Viewans back and familiarize themselves with their teachers, peers and school routines. In particular, the Secondary 1 BTS will certainly help to orientate Secondary 1 students to their new learning environment and enable them to acquire daily routines and cultivate learning dispositions for their growth and development.

Through the learning experiences ahead, we hope that every Bedok Viewan will challenge himself/herself to achieve new heights for themselves and build strong connections with others. Just as what a lighthouse does for ships out at sea, we hope our students will stand strong and tall in the face of challenges to make a positive difference and exemplify our vision 'Learners who learn for life, Leaders who light the way'.

Do encourage your child/ward to continue taking positive steps and responsibility in the days ahead. By forging a strong partnership between parents and school, we assure them that they are not alone as they have the support from the BV community, i.e. their teachers, peers, family and school partners.

1. School Re-Opening Matters

As your child/ward prepares to return to school, we seek your cooperation to ensure the following:

- a. Students are to report to the school hall by 7:20am on 2 Jan 2026 (Fri) with a storybook for BV Reads. Flag-raising begins at 7:35am.
- b. Students should not report to school if they are unwell. Please seek medical attention for your child/ward and inform the General Office or the Form Teachers about your child/ward's condition. Students recovering from respiratory illnesses should practise social responsibility, such as wearing a mask and avoiding large group interactions.
- c. Students are expected to adhere to the attire and grooming standards stated in the Student Handbook (pages 15 to 19). On their first day, they may report in half school uniform (i.e. PE T-shirt with beige shorts/skirt) to participate in the Back-to-School activities.

Secondary 1 students who are unable to purchase their uniforms may report in their Primary School uniforms.

- d. Students are encouraged to bring dry snacks which may be consumed during their snack breaks at 9am and 12noon daily.
- e. To support students' transition back to a new school year, we have planned the following programmes next week:

Sec 1 Orientation Programme

Date: 2 Jan to 6 Jan 2026

Reporting time: 7:20am

Dismissal time: 12:30pm on 2 Jan

1:15pm on 5 Jan

5pm on 6 Jan*

*Meet-the-Parents session for Sec 1 will be held from 3pm to 5pm while PSG Welcome Tea will be held from 5pm to 6pm on 6 Jan.

- f. Your child/ward may access the Student Handbook and their class timetable from 6 Jan 2026 (Tue) at the following links:
- Student Handbook: <https://go.gov.sg/BVstudenthandbook>
 - Class Timetable: <https://www.bedokviewsec.moe.edu.sg/partnerships/info-for-parents-and-students/>
 - A copy of the classroom locations is attached in the Annex for students' reference.

2. Key dates for Term 1, 2026

We would like to highlight key dates in Term 1 for parents/guardians to note.

Date	Event	Levels involved
2 Jan (Fri) to 6 Jan (Tue)	Orientation & Back-to-school Activities	All
6 Jan (Tue)	Meet-the-Parents Sessions (MTPS) & Commencement Ceremony (3pm to 5pm) PSG Welcome Tea (5pm to 6pm)	Sec 1 (In-person)
8 Jan (Thu) to 22 Jan (Thu)	Secondary 1 CCA Experience ⁺ (4 sessions for Sports CCA, 4 sessions for Performing Arts and Clubs, and 2 sessions for Uniformed Groups)	Sec 1
16 Jan (Fri), 30 Jan (Fri), 16 Feb (Mon), 27 Feb (Fri), 13 Mar (Fri)	Home-based Learning (HBL) Days	All
20 Jan (Tue)	NRIC Registration Exercise	Sec 3

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23 Jan (Fri)	Meet-the-Parents Sessions (MTPS) (5pm to 6pm)	Sec 3 (In-Person) Sec 2 (Virtual) Sec 4 & 5 (Virtual)
26 Jan (Mon) to 29 Jan (Thu)	Mid-Term Activities	All levels
27 Jan (Tue) to 29 Jan (Thu)	Residential Level Camps	Sec 1 & 3
13 Feb (Fri)	Special Timetable and Chinese New Year Celebrations	All
17 Feb (Tue) and 18 Feb (Wed)	Chinese New Year (Public Holiday)	All
16 Mar (Mon) to 20 Mar (Fri)	School Holidays	All

*The Secondary 1 CCA Experience is designed to help students make informed decisions about their CCA. These sessions will take place from 3pm to 6pm on designated CCA days. Students are encouraged to select and experience the CCAs they are interested in. It is the student's responsibility to take note of the specific dates, time slots, and venues for their chosen sessions. To assist with the selection process, a CCA Briefing will be conducted during the Orientation Programme to guide students on how to submit their choices.

3. Sec 1 Meet-the-Parents Session (MTPS) & Commencement Ceremony

As a school, we believe that a close home-school partnership will help parents/guardians better support your child's/ward's learning experience in school.

We will start the year with our in-person MTPS & Commencement Ceremony on 6 Jan 2026 (Tue) for Sec 1s, where information specific to the cohort will be shared.

For parents/guardians who will be attending this event, please register through the PG link.

4. Code of Conduct for Bedok Viewians

Our school rules are in line with our School's Vision and Values where we strive for every Bedok Viewian to be an exemplary learner and leader who displays the 2RISE values of **R**espect, **R**esponsibility, **I**ntegrity, **S**ervice and **E**xcellence.

We adopt a pastoral approach to ensure a positive learning environment and to develop students holistically. We will be firm and fair in our approach and seek your partnership as we guide them in being responsible for self and others. We encourage all parents/guardians to refer to the Student Handbook (pgs. 12-27) for more details on the school's Code of Conduct. We seek your support in ensuring our students abide by the school's Code of Conduct. In particular, we would like to highlight the following four areas for your support:

- a. **Attire:** Students are required to be in full school uniform with school tie on Mondays. On other days of the week, they have a choice to be in half-uniform (PE T-shirt, tucked in with school pants or skirt) or full uniform.

- b. **Punctuality to School**: Please encourage your child/ward to plan his/her journey well and be at the flag-raising venue before 7:35am. Students are encouraged to start the day with silent reading 'BV Reads' from 7:20am onwards. Please guide your child/ward in inculcating the habit of punctuality as that will ensure that there is no disruption or loss of curriculum time due to late coming.
- c. **Absenteeism**: The school strongly discourages frequent absenteeism as it will disrupt the child's/ward's learning and affect his/her performance as well as opportunities to learn with peers. Parents/guardians should monitor your child's/ward's attendance closely and ensure he/she does not stay away from school including participation in CCAs and enrichment activities. Absenteeism should be covered with medical certificates only and not more than four parent's/guardian's letter per term will be accepted.

5. Guidelines on Use of Handphone and Digital Devices

As part of Grow Well SG launched in January 2025, MOE has introduced enhanced measures in secondary schools to help students cultivate healthier screen use habits and better support student well-being in the digital age. As part of the enhanced measures starting from January 2026, the use of smartphones/smartwatches will not be allowed during school hours, including recess, co-curricular activities, supplementary/enrichment/remedial lessons, etc unless there is a clear need and permission is granted..

There is no need for students to bring smartphones to school, as teachers will not be using phones for teaching and learning. Students will use their Personal Learning Device (PLD) procured by the school for lessons. Information will be disseminated to students using their MOE email accounts, with Google Chat feature enabled. To minimise distractions and maintain a safe, focused learning environment, students who bring smartphones/smart watches must always keep them in their designated lockers. All lockers must be secured with a personal lock. Students who require assistance may approach their form teachers.

Any inappropriate use of devices may result in confiscation and disciplinary consequences. We seek parents' support and understanding as we work together to cultivate students' self-discipline and responsible use of technology both at home and in school.

6. Application for MEP and AEP

If your child/ward exhibits interest, potential and passion for Art or Music, he/she can apply for MOE's Art/Music Elective Programmes (AEP/MEP) from Sec 1. The online application is open from **2 to 15 Jan 2026** and students who are interested may apply at the link in the PG.

Please refer to the attached documents in the PG and the links below for more details:

AEP: <https://moe.gov.sg/aep>

MEP: <https://moe.gov.sg/mep> ; <https://go.gov.sg/empmepyoutube>

7. Filming and photography of School Activities for School Publication and Outreach Programmes

We would like to inform you that photographs and video images of students and parents/guardians may be taken at school or during school events. The school may also feature students and their work on the school's official website or publications and outreach programmes. These photographs

and/or video images capture the various aspects your child/ward's holistic schooling experience and contain the memorable times he/she has spent in our school long after he/she has graduated from the school.

8. Road Safety and Traffic Management

The safety and security of our students is our top priority. We have put in place measures to ensure that the school is safe and secure for our students. We would like to remind parents/guardians to always drive safely within the school compound. We seek your cooperation to adhere to traffic rules and instructions given by our security guards or staff on duty.

Parents/guardians who drive to drop off your child/ward at the school foyer should do so before the school gates close at 7:30am. We appeal to you to **refrain from** dropping off and picking up your child along the road outside the school (Bedok South Avenue 3). Instead, you may wish to drop off your child/ward at the public carpark next to Block 54 HDB New Upper Changi. Students will be able to access the school via the back gate until 7.35am.

9. Updating of Students' Details Information

To facilitate MOE's purpose of providing educational services to your child/ward, the school requests that you update your child's/ward's information via the Student Details Form (SDF).

Please refer to the attached letter for more details and the URL/QR code to gain access to the form.

10. Purchase of Books and School Uniforms

As the new school term begins, students are encouraged to make their own purchases of the books and uniform as parents/guardians would not be able to enter the school premises during school hours. Below are the relevant details for your reference:

Uniforms & Books are available at the bookshop at the following times:
7.15am to 3.00pm (Mon and Fri)
7.15am to 3.30pm (Tue, Wed and Thu)
Lunch Break: 12.30pm to 1.30pm (Daily)

You may refer to the Student Handbook for more details on the General School Admin Information (from pg. 58 onwards). Should you need to contact our staff for any urgent matters, please call our General Office 6443 0563 or email bedokview_ss@moe.edu.sg for assistance.

Last but not least, we wish you and your family a wonderful 2026 ahead! We look forward to your support and connecting with you as we journey together to support your child/ward.

Light the Way!

Yours sincerely,
Ms Cheng Hwee Yeang
Principal

Annex

2026 Classroom Allocation

Block D									
D4-05	D4-04	D4-03	D4-02	D4-01					
1/5	1/4	1/3	1/2	1/1					
D3-05	D3-04	D3-03	D3-02	D3-01					
2/6	2/4	2/2	1/7	1/6					
D2-05	D2-04	D2-03	D2-02	D2-01					
2/8	2/7	2/5	2/3	2/1					
D1-05	D1-04	D1-03	D1-02	D1-01					
				2/9					
Block C									
C4-04	C4-03	C4-02	C4-01						
4/4	4/3	4/2	4/1						
C3-04	C3-03	C3-02	C3-01						
5/1	4/7	4/5	3/7						
C2-04	C2-03	C2-02	C2-01						
3/6	3/5	3/4	3/3						
C1-04	C1-03	C1-02	C1-01						
	3/2	3/1	4/6						

As of 13 Nov 2025



Our Vision: Learners who Learn For Life, Leaders who Light the Way

Our Values: • Respect • Responsibility • Integrity • Service • Excellence