PARENTS' BRIEFING

For 2027 Primary One



PARENTS, PLEASE TAKE NOTE

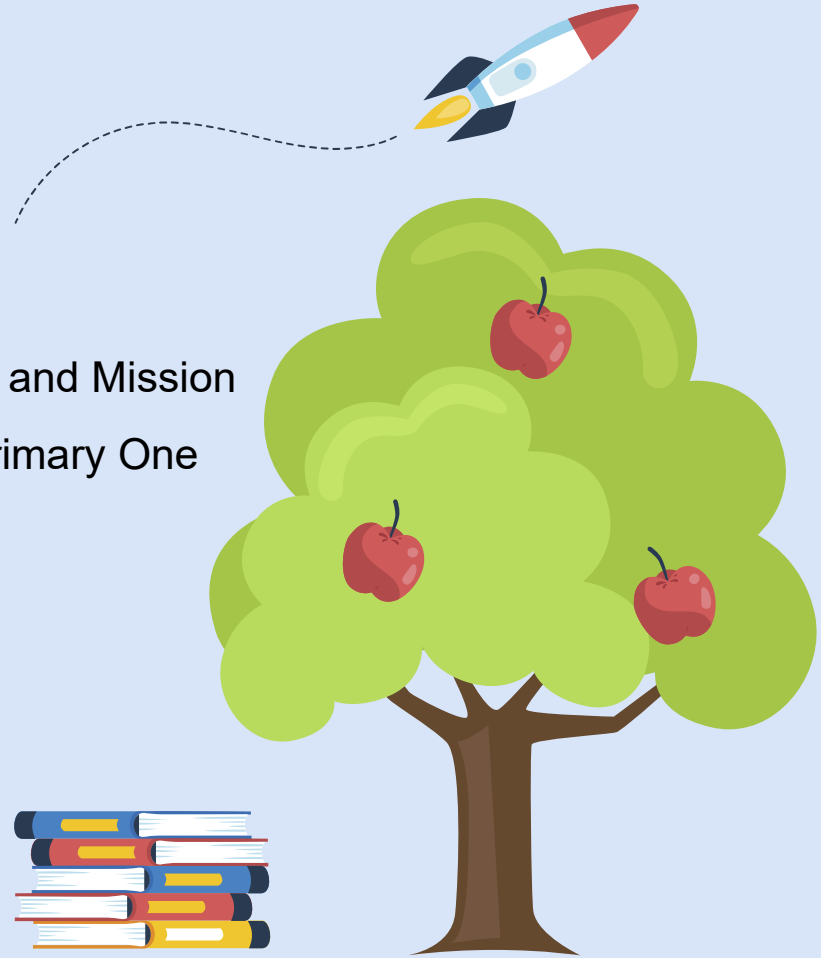
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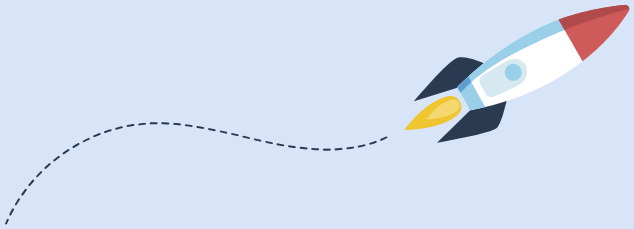


PROGRAMME

- **Welcome**
- **What Do We Believe In?** – School Vision and Mission
- **What's Next?** – Preparing My Child for Primary One
- **Managing Transition**
- **School Rules and Expectations**
- **Administrative Matters**
- **Other Information**



WELCOME



WHAT DO WE BELIEVE IN?

School's Vision, Mission and Values

VISION

The Rivervale –
School of Excellence,
Individuals of Character

MISSION

To inspire and develop Riverlites to be *Caring*, *Adaptable* and *Confident*



OUR CORE VALUES (R³ICHET)

Respect

Responsibility

Resilience

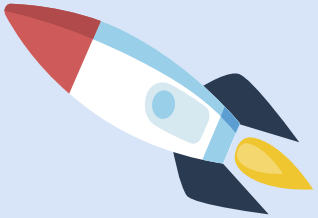
Integrity

Care

Harmony

Excellence

Teamwork



HOLISTIC EDUCATION

CORE SUBJECTS

- Languages – English & Mother Tongue
- Mathematics
- Science (Primary 3 – 6)
- Art
- Music
- PE/ Health Education
- Social Studies
- CCE (Character & Citizenship Education)

LIFE SKILL PROGRAMMES

- PAL (Programme for Active Learning)
- FTGP (Form Teacher Guidance Period)
- ALP (Applied Learning Programme) - MLP (Multi-Literacy Programme)
- LLP (Learning for Life Programme) - Dance & Fitness

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- 5 Sports
- 4 Clubs
- 5 Performing and Visual Arts
- 1 Uniform Group





HOLISTIC EDUCATION

SUPPORT PROGRAMMES FOR STUDENTS

Learning Support Programme (LSP)

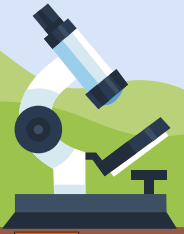
- Focus on building English language skills

Learning Support for Mathematics (LSM) Programme

- Focus on developing numeracy skills

TRANSIT (TRANsition Support for InTegration)

- Focus on developing foundational self-management skills





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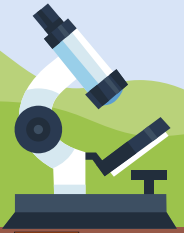
SUPPORT PROGRAMMES FOR STUDENTS

kidsREAD

- Promote the love of reading and cultivate good reading habits

UPLIFT (Uplifting Pupils in Life and Inspiring Families Taskforce)

- Support and strengthen the partnership between schools and community partners to enhance support for disadvantaged students.





WHAT'S NEXT?

Preparing **you** and **your child**
for Primary One

SCHOOL COMMUNICATIONS

How do you know what your child is doing in school?



SCHOOL COMMUNICATIONS

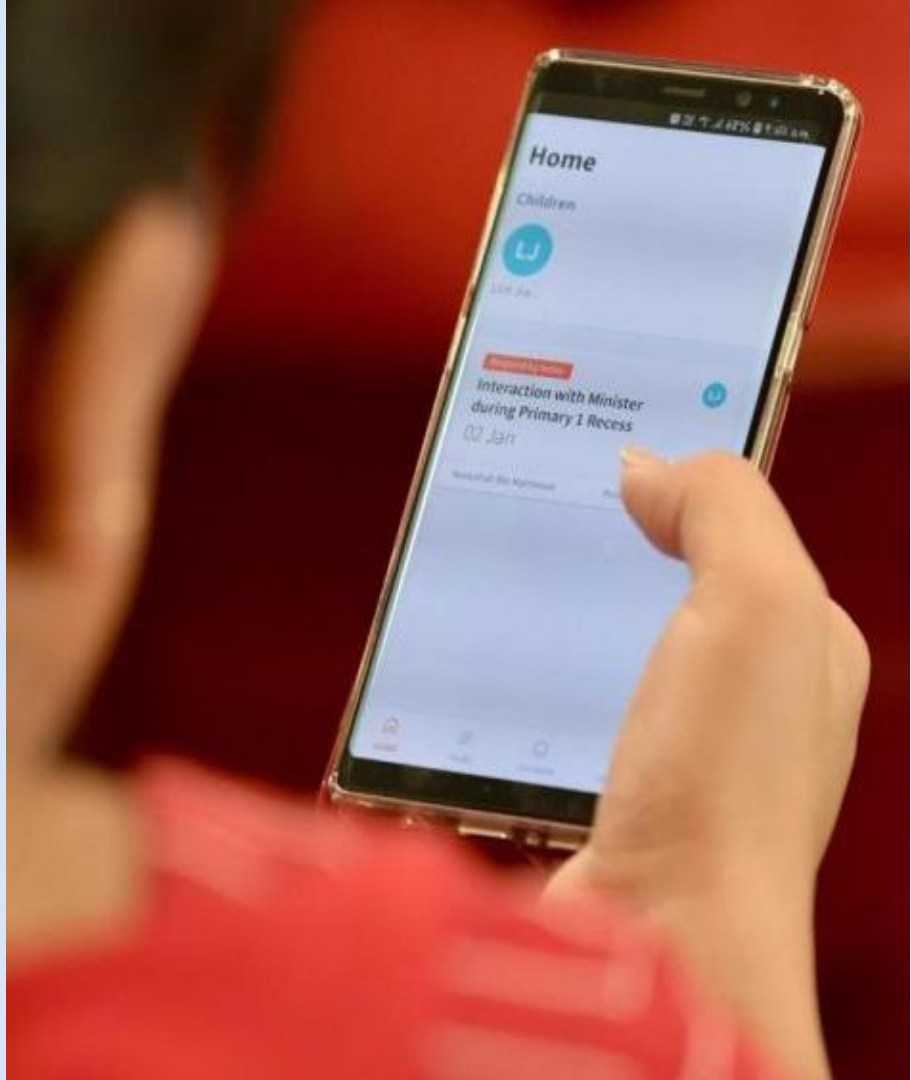
- Parents Gateway (PG)
- Rivervale Connects
- School Website
- Instagram
- Student Handbook
- Emails
- Other Mobile Apps



PARENTS GATEWAY

The Parents Gateway (PG) Mobile App is an initiative by MOE to enable parents to interact with schools more conveniently.

Parents will also be able to use this app to **receive updates on school programmes and events**, and **submit online consent forms for their child's activities.**

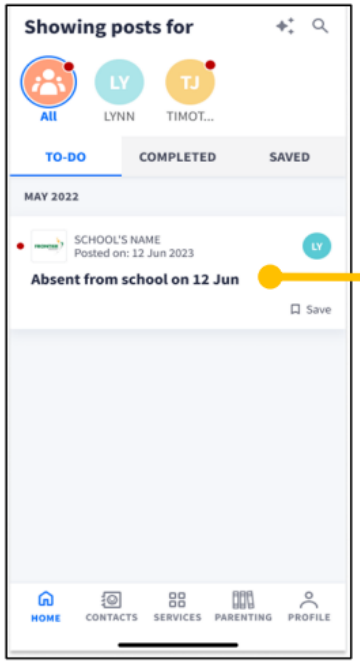


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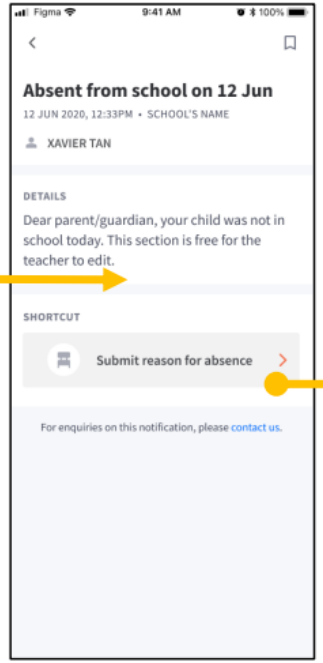
Parents will be able to use this app to **update their child's attendance,** namely by:

1. Parent's Notification Flow
2. Parent's Self Initiated Submission

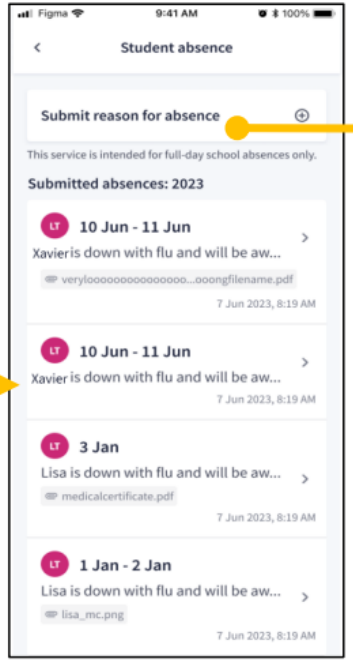
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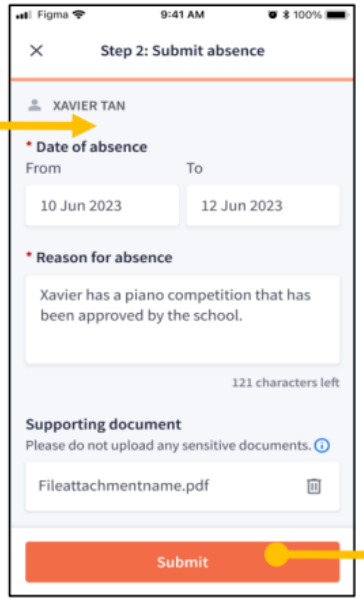
Parent To-Do



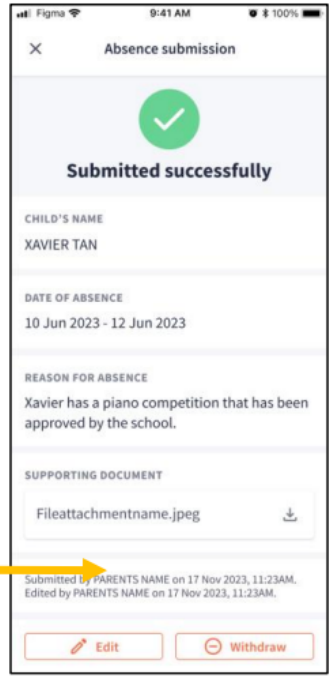
Parent reads the announcement



Parent's submissions

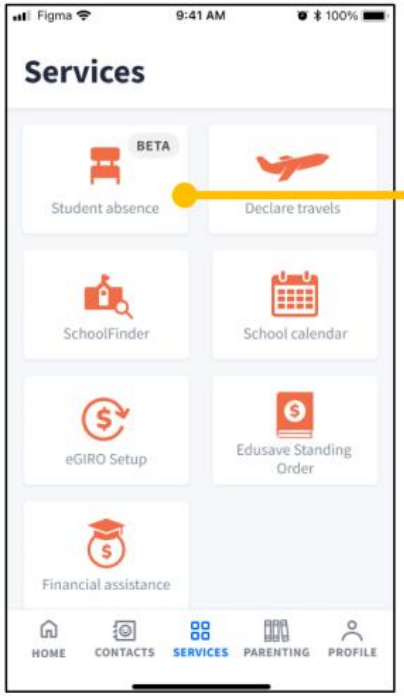


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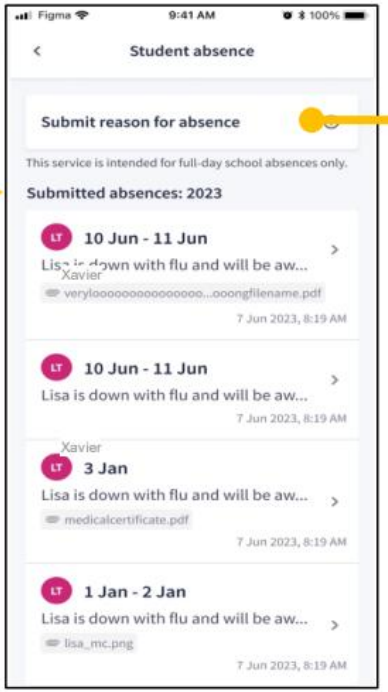


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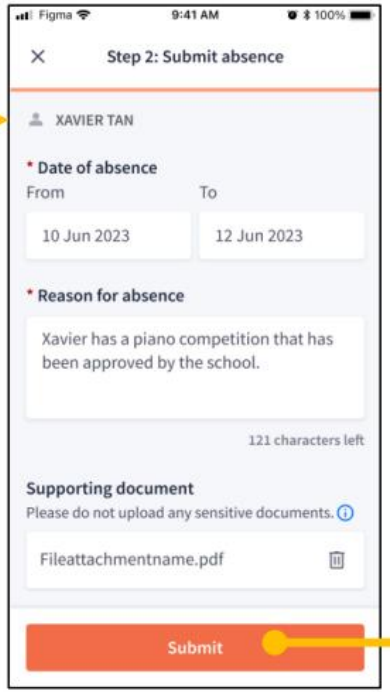
Parent's Self-initiated Submission



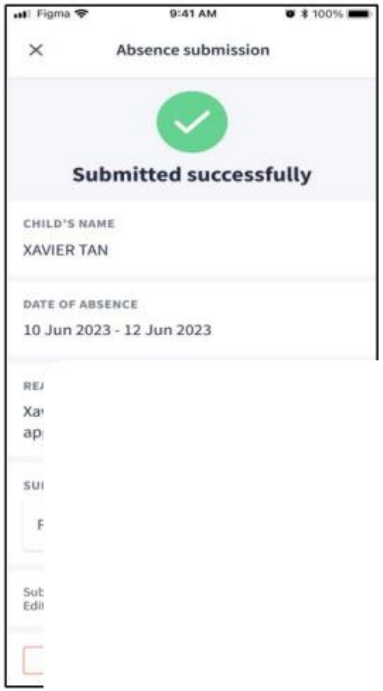
Parent's "Services" page



Parent's submissions



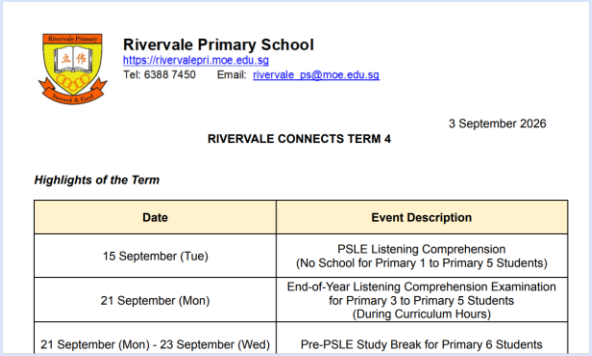
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RIVERVALE CONNECTS

Information on school events and matters sent via PG



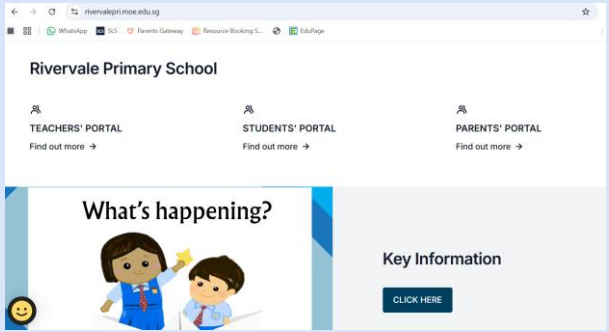
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3 September 2026

RIVERVALE CONNECTS TERM 4

Highlights of the Term

Date	Event Description
15 September (Tue)	PSLE Listening Comprehension (No School for Primary 1 to Primary 5 Students)
21 September (Mon)	End-of-Year Listening Comprehension Examination for Primary 3 to Primary 5 Students (During Curriculum Hours)
21 September (Mon) - 23 September (Wed)	Pre-PSLE Study Break for Primary 6 Students



SCHOOL WEBSITE

Updates, important announcements and e-copies of Rivervale Connects

RIVERVALEPS

INSTAGRAM

Scan and join our IG for updates on school events



PACKING FOR SCHOOL

What should your child pack for school?



CHOICE OF SCHOOL BAG

- Trolley or wheel bags are strongly discouraged as they can be heavy even when empty.
- They may also result in accidents when students lack the physical strength to carry their bags.





Empty trolley bag

=



2 bags of rice!



FILTERED WATER IN CLASSROOMS

Filtered water is available in every P1 classroom

Students only need to bring an empty water bottle daily



COLLECTION OF BOOKS OVER 2 DAYS

School books will be collected and placed in the classroom



PACKING LIST FOR FIRST 2 DAYS

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<tr><td>04. 01. 2027
MONDAY</td><td colspan="3">1. STELLAR Handwriting 1
2. Primary Mathematics Textbook 1A
3. Primary Mathematics Practice Book 1A
4. Social Studies Activity Book
5. FTGP Pupil’s Journal P1
6. Report Book</td></tr>
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TUESDAY</td><td><u>Chinese Language:</u>
1. Textbook 1A
2. Activity Book 1A
3. Writing Ex Book 1A
4. Character & Citizenship Education P1 (Chinese)</td><td><u>Malay Language:</u>
1. Textbook 1A
2. Activity Book 1A
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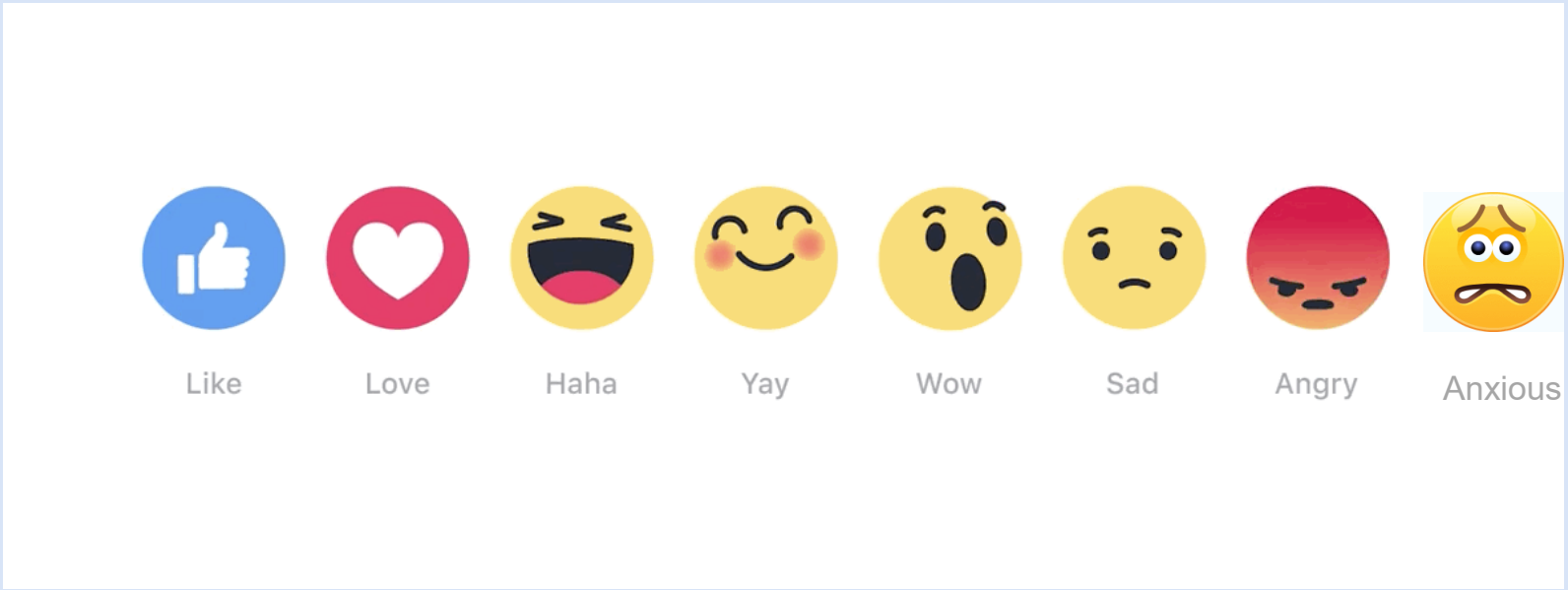
06.01.2027 WEDNESDAY – To pack bag according to class timetable

MANAGING TRANSITION

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- Perspectives of students, parents and teachers
- Preparing for Primary One
- Expectations in Primary One

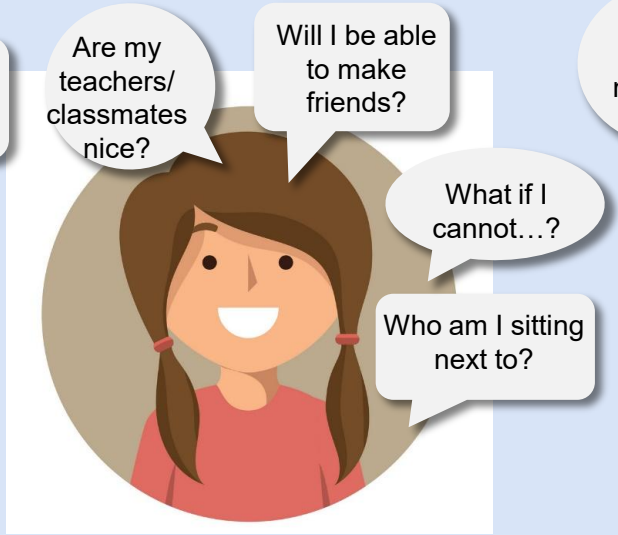



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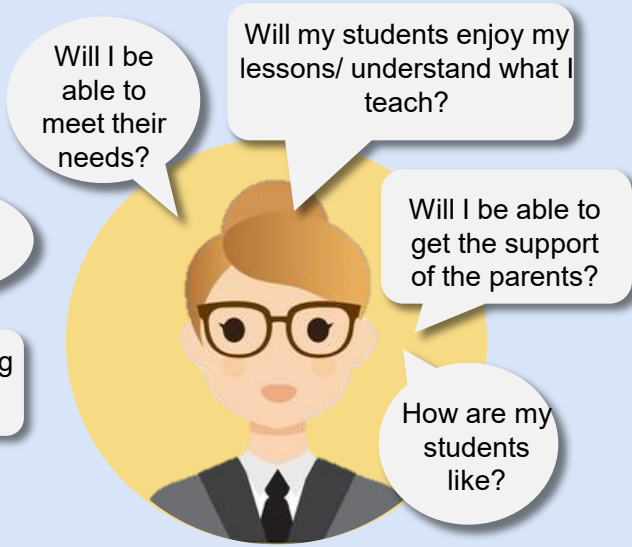
PERSPECTIVES OF STUDENT, PARENTS AND TEACHERS



Parents



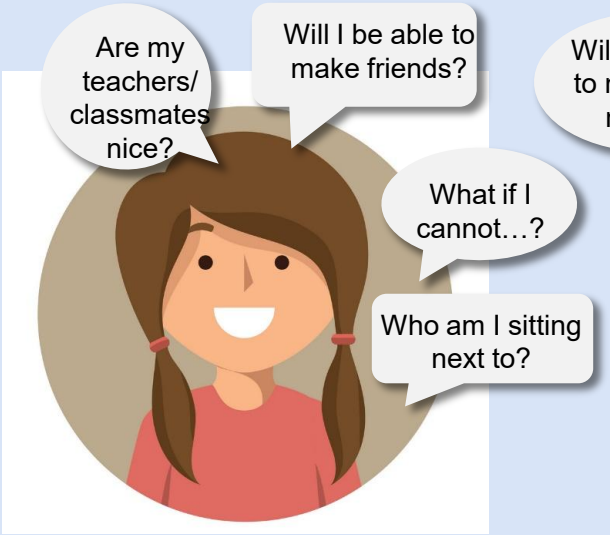
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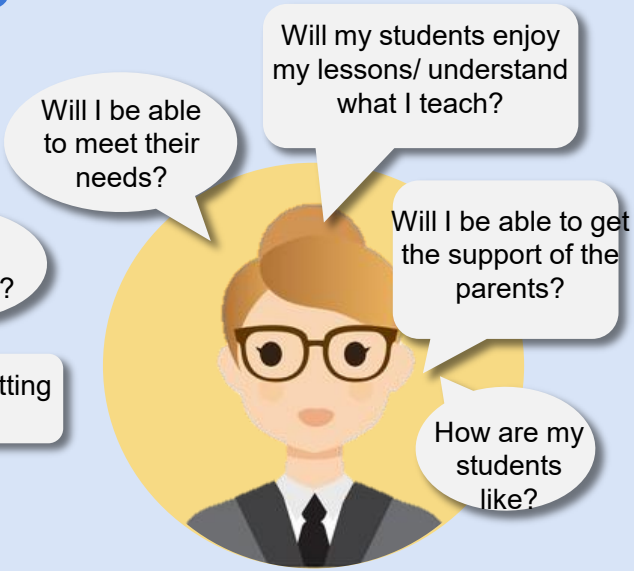


Teachers

PERSPECTIVES OF STUDENT, PARENTS AND TEACHERS







PREPARING FOR PRIMARY ONE

- Help your children to help themselves
  - Manage their emotions
  - Confident about themselves

Support
&
Space



EXPECTATIONS IN PRIMARY ONE

Some Degree of Personal Independence	Basic Knowledge	Social Skills
• Packing and putting things away • Time management (Punctuality) • Using the washroom • Dressing themselves • Buying and eating food	• Reading skills • Writing skills	• Speaking politely • Asking for permission • Listening and turn-taking



PERSONAL INDEPENDENCE

Developing Good Habits

- Sufficient sleep and rest
- Breakfast
- Packing of School Bag
- Label all his/her belongings
- Getting dressed for school





PERSONAL INDEPENDENCE

Developing Good Habits

- Going to the washroom independently
- Managing pocket money
- Seeking help
- Setting Routines at Home





BASIC SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE

Reading and Writing Skills

- Read with Your Child
- Phonics
- Pencil Grip, Sitting and Paper Position







SOCIAL SKILLS

- Regular conversations with your child
- Share with them on how to resolve conflict with their peers in school.



SCHOOL RULES & EXPECTATIONS

Preparing you and your child
for Primary School

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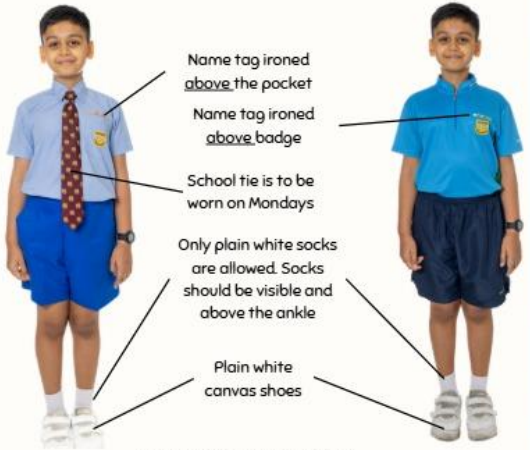
Attendance Matters

- Daily attendance is COMPULSORY.

- Absence from school and school related activities must be supported by a valid medical certificate from a doctor or a letter with valid reason(s) from parents/guardians

BOYS' ATTIRE AND GROOMING

Students are to wear the prescribed school uniform.
Modification of the uniform is not allowed.



ACCEPTABLE HAIR LENGTH

Fringe should not touch the eyebrows.



GIRLS' ATTIRE AND GROOMING

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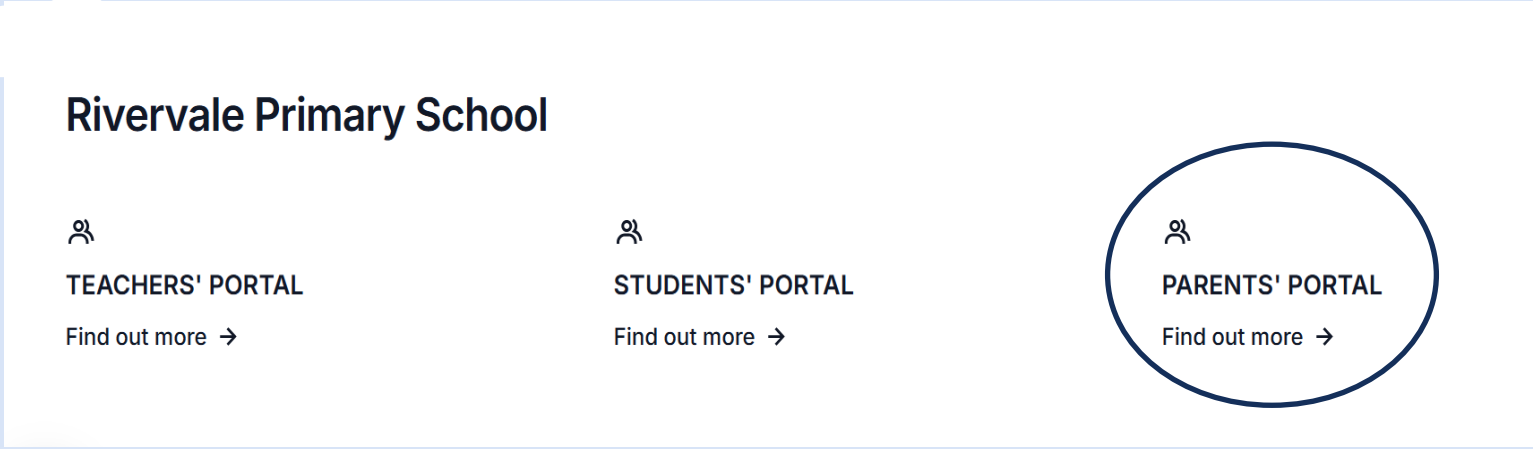
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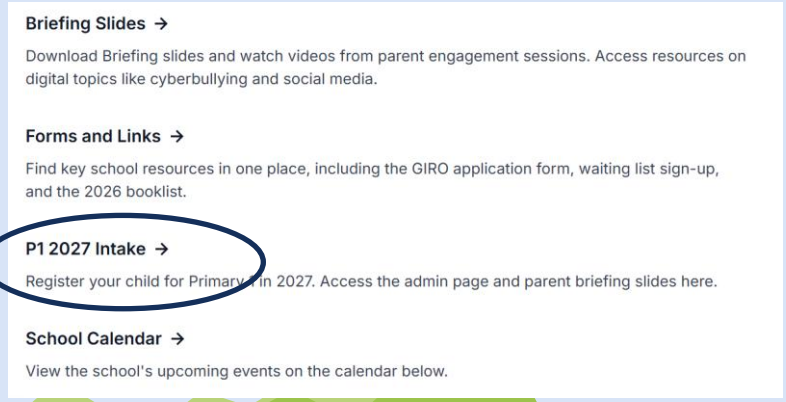
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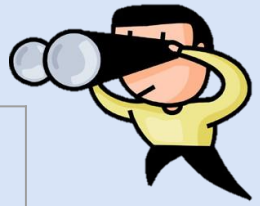


Primary 1 Administration Page

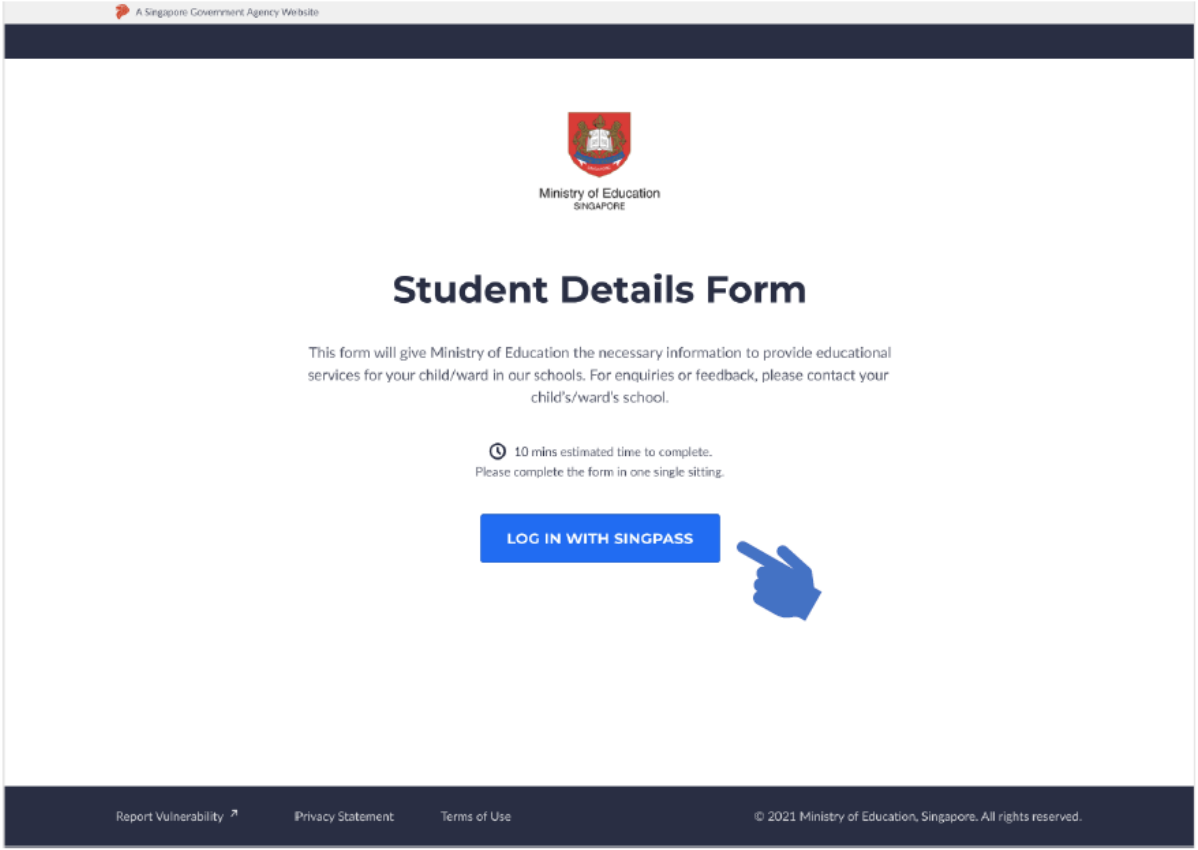
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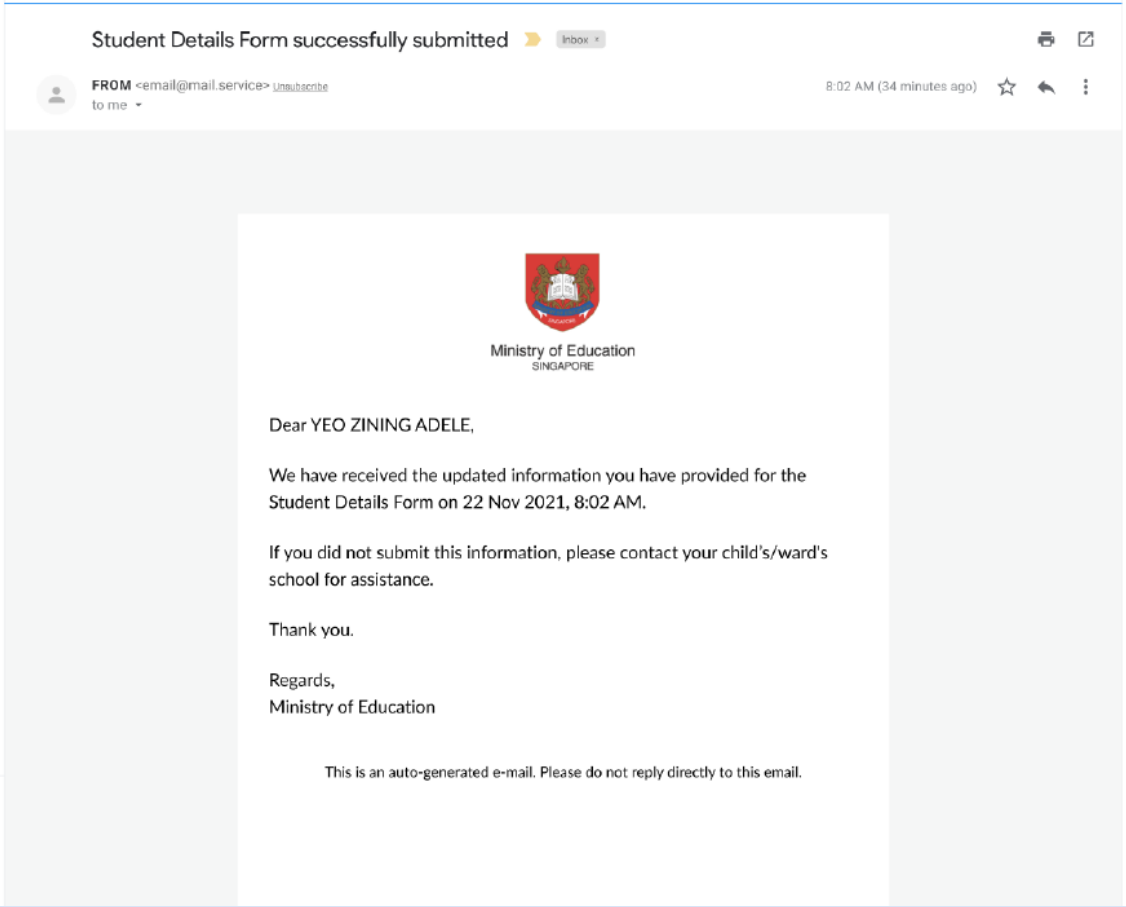
1. Purchase of School Uniform	5. Bus Service Request
2. Purchase of books and name tag	6. Student Details Form
3. Financial Assistance Scheme (FAS)	7. Giro Application Form and Edusave Standing Order
4. Student Care Centre Request	8. School Health Services and School Dental Checks



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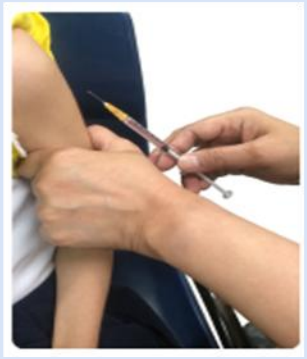
2. User will also receive a confirmation email if he/she has provided a valid email address in the form.

Health Promotion Board

To support your child's wellbeing, the Health Promotion Board provides *free* health services, such as screening, immunisation and dental checks in schools.

GIVE ONLINE CONSENT FOR:

IMMUNISATION



DENTAL SERVICES



ONLINE CONSENT

Parents **MUST** give your consent before your children receive the services.





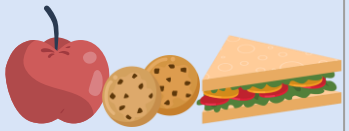




OTHER INFORMATION

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PRIMARY 1 REPORTING AND DISMISSAL TIME

Reporting Time	7.30 a.m.
Recess	9.00 a.m. – 9.30 a.m.
Healthy Bites 	11.30 a.m. – 11.40 a.m. Fruits, buns and/or biscuits that can be easily consumed in the classroom
Dismissal Time	1.30 p.m.

GATE INFORMATION

FRONT GATE

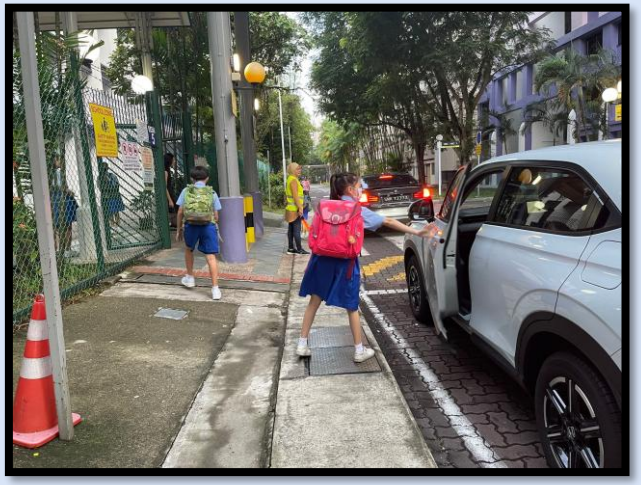


For Front Gate Dismissal, Dismissal Point is at Gate 3.

GATE INFORMATION

BACK GATE





Parents who are driving are to remind your child to alight promptly from the vehicle in the morning to avoid traffic congestion

ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

4 January 2027

Time: 7.30 a.m. to 12.00 p.m. (For Parents); 7.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m. (child)

Venue: School

Objectives:

- To help parents understand our school's curriculum and expectations
- To allow parents to meet teachers and other parents to foster a sense of community.

Things to take note:

- Only one parent per student as there will be a lot of activities and movement.
- Parent will also get to join your child on that day for recess.

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR PRIMARY ONE

4 January 2027

More information will be given via school website or Parents Gateway in December 2026

IF YOU HAVE ANY CONCERNS REGARDING YOUR CHLID, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO DROP AN EMAIL TO THE SCHOOL AT:

RIVERVALE_PS@MOE.EDU.SG



Please scan and give your feedback on today's briefing session. Thank you!



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THANK YOU!

Do look out for more information on our school website and Parent's Gateway (PG)