



St Gabriel's Primary School

Parents' Connect – **OCTOBER 2026**

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A Note from the Principal

Dear Parents,

We are proud to share that Aidan Lim-Aswira, our Head Prefect for 2025, has recently received the Lee Kuan Yew Award for All-Round Excellence. Currently in Sec One at SJI, Aidan is a great example of the Leader, Sportsman and Achiever. As Head Prefect, he led and guided fellow student leaders to serve the school and community. He set up the online feedback system that allows students to communicate their Concerns, Positives and Suggestions (CPS). He represented the school in four sports, football, floorball, basketball and athletics, at the NSG and excelled at PSLE with an AL score of eight. Aidan embodied the virtues of respect and perseverance, worked well with all staff and students and thrived on the all-round opportunities provided for him. We are confident he will be an inspiration to present and future Gabrielites.

Children's Day will be celebrated this week and it's a special occasion to remind ourselves of the importance of this phase of growing up. Our boys are fortunate to have strong supportive families who work closely with caring and committed teachers to provide a great educational experience. At the same time, we must guide and nurture in our boys a strong spirit of community and service. We need them to learn that life is more than just about themselves but the importance of caring for others. In school, through classroom lessons and CCAs, the boys learn about the different friends with diverse strengths and appreciate those who are the last, lost and least. Beyond head knowledge, if they also have a heart for others and are able to stand up as active citizens then we would have prepared them well for the future.

We wish all our boys a very Happy Children's Day. The timing is perfect as it coincides with the end of PSLE. Our P6 boys have given their best and they deserve to have a memorable time. Together with the rest of the school, they can look forward to a fun-filled celebration on 1 Oct. Big thank you to all the parent volunteers who will be helping out. We are always grateful for the partnership.

One Gabrielite Family
Labor omnia vincit

Mr Martin Tan
Principal

Children's Day Celebration cum Annual Sports & Games Day 2026

The school will be celebrating Children's Day on **Thursday, 1st October 2026**, which will also be our Annual Sports and Games Day. Activities will be fun-filled for our Gabrielites as they celebrate their childhood with their peers, teachers and parent volunteers within the school community.

Students are expected to be in school at the usual reporting time and they will be **dismissed at 10.30 a.m.** They are encouraged to wear their PE attire and they may come in their sports shoes. They are advised to bring a small bag containing the following items:

- Water bottle
- A storybook for silent reading
- Snacks

As there is no recess on that day, please ensure that your child has breakfast before coming to school. Note that the following day, Friday, 2nd October 2026, is a school holiday.

Thank you, Parents, for your unwavering support. We wish everyone a meaningful and enjoyable Children's Day cum Annual Sports & Games Day celebration. Happy School Holidays ahead!

[By LH EL, Mrs Tan Siew Mei & HOD PHE & CCA, Mr Jimmy Tong]

Post PSLE Programmes

A wide repertoire of post-PSLE programmes has been planned for our P6 students as they complete their PSLE. These include Pop Band Lessons, AI for Fun Lessons, Learning Journeys and the Green Carnival. This year, we have also introduced Touch Football as a new programme, providing our boys with another avenue to develop teamwork, communication and sportsmanship.

These programmes are designed to enrich our students' learning experiences and strengthen their 21st Century Competencies (21CC).

Through these programmes, our students will have opportunities to communicate, collaborate and learn beyond the classroom. More importantly, these shared experiences provide a platform for our boys to forge new friendships, strengthen existing bonds and create lasting memories with their peers.

The programmes have also been thoughtfully curated to nurture the spirit of lifelong learning, encouraging our students to become self-directed, confident and curious learners who are willing to embrace new experiences and challenges.

As our P6 Gabrielites prepare to embark on the next chapter of their educational journey, we hope they will continue to embrace our school motto, "Labor Omnia Vincit" — Work Conquers All. May they carry with them the values, friendships and experiences they have gained during their primary school years as they strive for excellence in the years ahead and pursue their aspirations with confidence and perseverance.

[By Year Head (Upper Primary), Mr Xie Zhengyang]

General Administration Matters

General Admin Matters: School Holidays / Public Holidays

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Week	Dates	Description	Remarks
Week 1	15 Sep 2026 (Tues)	PSLE Listening Comprehension	No school for P1 to P5 students
Week 2	21 Sep 2026 (Mon) to 23 Sep 2026 (Wed)	P6 Study Break	No school for P6 students
Week 2	24 Sep 2026 (Thurs) & 25 Sep 2026 (Fri)	PSLE Written Paper	P4 & P5 students on HBL
Week 3	28 Sep 2026 (Mon)	PSLE Written Paper	P1 & P3 students on HBL
	29 Sep 2026 (Tues)	PSLE Written Paper	P2 & P3 students on HBL
	1 Oct 2026 (Thur)	Annual Games Day & Children's Day Celebrations	Dismissal at 10.30 am
	2 Oct 2026 (Fri)	School Holiday (Children's Day)	
Week 5	12 Oct 2026 (Mon) to 14 Oct 2026 (Wed)	PSLE Marking Exercise	No school for all students
Week 9	9 Nov 2026 (Mon)	Public Holiday (Deepavali)	
	10 Nov 2026 (Tues)	Admin Day	No school for all students
Week 10	21 Nov 2026 (Sat) to 31 Dec 2026 (Thurs)	School Holidays (Year End)	School will resume on Mon, 4 Jan 2027 for 2027 P1 Students & Tues, 5 Jan 2027 for 2027 P2 to P6 Students.

[By: Admin Manager, Ms Chua Bee Peng]