



30 August 2017

Dear Parents / Guardian,

1. Partnering Parents in Harnessing Technology in Home-based Learning (HBL)

I would like to thank you for your partnership for the HBL on 17 and 18 August 2017. With your support, our Clementians had the opportunity to experience an alternative learning experience facilitated through technology.

The school would be engaging Primary 1 to 5 Clementians on HBL again on **15 September 2017, Friday** during PSLE Listening Comprehension. Clementians will be briefed by their teachers on the learning tasks to be completed. As the questions in the quizzes will be marked instantaneously, Clementians are encouraged to attempt the quizzes more than once to strive for mastery.

2. Dismissal Hours for Term 4

As communicated in the parent notification for Term 1 and Term 3, **pupils will be dismissed at 1 p.m. every Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in Term 4** as your child would have fulfilled the requirements for CCA (P3 to P6 levels) and PAL (P1 and P2 levels) by the end of Term 3. For Clementians taking the school bus, the school bus vendor would make the necessary arrangements to pick your child at the new dismissal hours.

With the new dismissal hours, changes have been made to your child's timetable and their teachers would have informed them before Term 3 ends. We would like you to guide your child / ward to pack their bags daily according to the revised timetable when school re-opens.

3. Important Dates for Term 4

(a) Early Dismissal, Public Holidays and Scheduled School Holidays

Date (Day)	Activity	Remarks
15 Sep (Fri)	PSLE Listening Comprehension	Only P6 required to be in school
5 Oct (Thu)	Lower Primary Sports Day (P1 to P3) Children's Day Celebration	Dismissal for all Clementians at 1 p.m.
6 Oct (Fri)	Children's Day	School Holiday
17 Oct (Tue)	Eve of Deepavali	Dismissal for Hindu Clementians at 10 a.m.
18 Oct (Wed)	Deepavali	Public Holiday
19 to 24 Oct (Thu to Tue)	PSLE Marking Exercise	All Clementians are not required to be in sch
30 Oct (Mon)	P3 Home-based Learning (HBL)	P3 Clementians are <u>not required</u> to be in sch
31 Oct (Tue)	P2 Home-based Learning (HBL)	P2 Clementians are <u>not required</u> to be in sch
16 Nov (Thu)	Prize-Giving Day	More details would be given at a later date
17 Nov (Fri)	P1 Orientation for 2018 intake	All Clementians are not required to be in sch

(b) Examination Dates for Semester 2

15 Sep (Fri)	PSLE Listening Comprehension
28 & 29 Sep (Thu & Fri) 2 to 4 Oct (Mon – Wed)	PSLE Written Examinations
9 Oct to 16 Oct (Mon - Mon)	Year-End Written Assessment (please refer to assessment schedule issued on 14 August 2017)
25 Oct (Wed)	Higher Mother Tongue Paper 1 and 2 (for Primary 5 and 6)
30 Oct (Mon)	P2 Oral Examinations (during curriculum time)
31 Oct (Tue)	P3 Oral Examinations (during curriculum time)
2 Nov (Thu)	P4 Oral Examinations (after school)
3 Nov (Fri)	P5 Oral Examinations (after school)

We would appreciate if you could make the necessary childcare / transport arrangements in view of the above-mentioned dates. Do contact the General Office at 6779 7449 if you have further queries.

As the school aims to optimise curriculum time and encourage a culture of continuous learning rather than learning just for examinations, lessons will resume between 17 October and 15 November after the Year-End Assessment. During the said period, the remaining topics for the year will be taught and Clementians will be assessed on their learning before school closes for the year-end holidays. The topics will also be included in next year's assessment to ensure that Clementians continue to revise their work learnt in the previous year.

4. In-Conversation with Principal Session on 1 and 3 November 2017, Wednesday and Friday, 5.15 to 6.30 p.m.

We would like to invite you for a conversation with the Principal. The schedule is as follows:

Levels involved	Date / Day	Time	Venue
Primary 1 and 2	1 Nov 2017 (Wed)	5.15 to 6.30 p.m.	AVA Room / School Hall
Primary 3, 4 and 5	3 Nov 2017 (Fri)		

Please sign up for your respective session using the reply link below.

Level	QR Code	URL
Primary 1 & 2		http://tinyurl.com/ctpicpp12
Primary 3		http://tinyurl.com/ctpicpp3
Primary 4		http://tinyurl.com/ctpicpp4
Primary 5		http://tinyurl.com/ctpicpp5

The topics for conversation include:

- i) Communication of school's vision and mission
- ii) Partnership between Values Education in school and Parenting – Our journey in inculcating a Growth Mindset
- iii) Harnessing technology in teaching and learning in the classroom
- iv) PERI Upgrading Updates
- v) Programme for Active Learning (PAL) [For 2018 Primary One and Two Parents]
- vi) After-School Programmes (For 2018 Primary Three to Six Parents)

5. Driving Within School Compound

We would like to thank the parents who drive their child to school in the morning for adhering to our request to drive to the first drop-off point (as indicated by the directional signage) along the driveway and driving off promptly after your child has alighted safely. This has helped to reduce delays and ensure smooth traffic flow at the drop-off point. We urge all drivers into the school to show care and concern for the safety of our Clementians.

We would greatly appreciate it if you could continue to follow the tips below when dropping off your child:

- Seat your child at the front passenger seat or the left-hand side of the rear passenger seat so that he / she is ready to alight before you arrive at the drop-off point;
- Place the school bag beside your child so that you do not have to come out of your vehicle to help him / her;
- Please drive to the first drop-off point (as indicated by the directional signage) along the driveway; and
- Drive off promptly after your child has alighted safely.

6. Road Safety

Please remind your child that if he / she walks to and from school, he / she should follow road safety procedures within and outside school at all times. This means adhering to all traffic regulations like using overhead bridges or zebra crossings where possible, ensuring there is no oncoming vehicle before crossing any roads, and crossing only when the green man signal is on.

To ensure the safety of all during dismissal time, please do not wait in your vehicle outside the school as this will affect traffic flow. Please park at the nearby HDB car park and pick up your child from school.

7. Thank you for your support in the past year. We look forward to partnering you in making Term 4 a fulfilling school experience for our Clementians! Here's wishing you a good September holidays with your child.

Yours sincerely,
Mr Chia See Chew Albert
Principal