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Letter from the Principal (Term 2, 2019)

Dear Parents/Guardian

We welcome all students back to school for Term 2. Please take note of the key events for Term 2 and other important school matters.

(A) Key Events

School Leaders-Parents Engagement and Parents-Teachers Conference

In line with our core belief to establish strong partnerships with parents, we will be organising the School Leaders-Parents Engagement and Parents-Teachers Conference in Term 2.

More details and instructions will be provided closer to the event date.

Name of Event	Key Focus	Event Date	Remarks
Secondary 2 School Leaders-Parents Engagement and Parents-Teachers Conference	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Principal's Dialogue• Secondary 3 Subject Combinations for 2020• Parents-Teachers Conference	Fri, 5 Apr 2019 Parents and students are to be seated by 6:00 pm in the School Hall	All parents/guardian are strongly encouraged to be present
Secondary 4 & 5 Parents-Teachers Conference	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sharing on Early Admission Exercise by Form Teachers• Sharing of Polytechnic Foundation Programme, Direct-Entry-Scheme to Polytechnic Programme and Secondary 5 educational pathway• Post-Secondary Educational Institutions booths	Fri, 5 Apr 2019 From 4:00 pm at the respective classrooms	All parents/guardian are strongly encouraged to be present
Secondary 3 School Leaders-Parents Engagement and Parents-Teachers Conference	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Principal's Dialogue• Parents-Teachers Conference	Thu, 30 May 2019 School Hall	All parents/guardian are strongly encouraged to be present
Secondary 1, 2, 4, 5 Parents-Teachers Conference	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Update on the students' holistic development for Semester 1	Thu, 30 May 2019 Fri, 31 May 2019 Classroom	Parents/guardian of selected students (by appointment)

Parents are to indicate their attendance via the online booking system which would be made available during Term 2 Week 1 through the school website. Please refer to Annex A for instructions.

National Physical Fitness Award/Assessment (NAPFA) Test

All Sec 2, 4 & 5 students will be taking their NAPFA Test in Term 2 Weeks 2-4. The tests have been scheduled to take place after curriculum hours. Students are to refer to the Student Organiser for details on NAPFA Standards.

Health Screening

All Sec 1 to 4 students will have their Health Screening from 1-12 Apr 2019.

Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) Vaccination

All Sec 1 female students will be offered free HPV vaccination to protect them against cervical cancer. Those who opt-in will receive the vaccination on Mon, 8 Apr 2019 in school.

Commemorating International Friendship Day (IFD)

We will be commemorating International Friendship Day in school on Fri, 12 Apr 2019 to allow our students to explore Singapore's connection with the ASEAN region and the international community. We hope that students will learn to value the good relations we share with our ASEAN neighbours and beyond.

33rd Speech Day

The **33rd Speech Day** will be held on Tue, 30 Apr 2019 from 5:30 pm. This annual event recognises the achievement of students in their academic and co-curricular activities. The event will be graced by the Guest of Honour, Mdm Ng Shok Yan, former Principal of Yishun Secondary School.

Schedule for Mid-Year Examination

The Mid-Year Examination for Sec 2-5 students will be held from 9-16 May 2019. The English Language and Mother Tongue Language Papers will be conducted earlier on Thu, 2 May and Fri, 3 May 2019 respectively. Your child/ward will be issued with the examination timetable by 5 Apr 2019.

All students are to abide by the Examination Policy. Please refer to the Student Organiser for the examination rules and the criteria for promotion to the next level and/or higher institutions.

Please be advised that if your child/ward is taken ill during the examination period, he/she must consult a doctor and submit the Medical Certificate to the form teacher upon his/her return to school. **Please note that there will be no second sitting of examination papers.**

After the examination, classes will resume on Tue, 21 May 2019.

Co-Curricular Activities (CCAs) Stand-down

Please take note that CCAs will stand down from Sat, 30 Mar 2019 for Sec 4 & 5 graduating students and Sat, 27 Apr 2019 for Sec 1-3 students to prepare for their examinations. Students who are involved in the 2019 Singapore Youth Festival (SYF) Arts Presentation will stand-down after their respective scheduled performances as shown in the table below.

Co-Curricular Activities	Date of SYF Performance
Malay Dance	Tue, 2 Apr
Symphonic Band	Mon, 15 Apr
Chinese Dance	Tue, 16 Apr
Choir	Tue, 16 Apr
Guzheng	Tue, 23 Apr
English Drama	Tue, 23 Apr
Indian Dance	Tue, 23 Apr

(B) Safety and Security

To ensure the safety of every student in the school, we will enforce security procedures. Visitors will have to register at the Guard Post before proceeding to the General Office.

If you drive your child/ward to school, you are encouraged to let him/her alight near the side gate (i.e. along the HDB car park connecting Chong Pang to Yishun Street 71).

The main gate is also open for drivers to alight their child/ward at the school foyer area. Do follow the arrow directional signs in the school car park area for the safety of all motorists. To prevent severe congestion, all vehicles leaving the school during the morning are to exit with a left turn only. For the safety of students, please do not alight your child/ward at the front gate or the bus stop.

If your child/ward is in the habit of cycling to school, we strongly encourage you to invest in protective gear (at least a helmet), and encourage your child/ward to use it.

(C) Upcoming Calendar of Events for Term 2

Dates	Programme	Students Involved
26 Mar & 2 Apr	Mother Tongue Language (MTL) Oral Exam (Internal)	Sec 4 & 5 students
28 Mar	GCE O-Level Food & Nutrition Food Science Practical Exam	Sec 4 & 5 students taking F&N
1–3 Apr	NAPFA Test	Sec 4 & 5 students
1 & 9 Apr	Sec 2 History Learning Journey to National Museum	All Sec 2E & 2NA students
1–12 Apr	Health Screening	Sec 1-4 students
5 Apr	School Leaders-Parents Engagement Parents-Teachers Conference	Sec 2 students Sec 4 students
8–10 Apr	NAPFA Test	Sec 2 students
9 & 12 Apr	Mother Tongue Language (MTL) Oral Exam (Internal)	Sec 3 students
11, 12 & 26 Apr	GCE N-Level Food & Nutrition Execution Practical Exam	Sec 4NA students taking F&N
12 Apr	International Friendship Day	All students
16 & 25 Apr	GCE N-Level Food Studies Execution Practical Exam	Sec 4NT students taking FS
16, 25 & 26 Apr	GCE O-Level Food & Nutrition Execution Practical Exam	Sec 4E & 5NA students taking F&N
18 Apr	Mid-Year English Language Listening Comprehension Exam	Sec 4 & 5 students
19 Apr	Public Holiday - Good Friday	All students
22 & 24 Apr	Sec 1 Geographical Inquiry Learning Journey	All Sec 1NA & 1E students
22 Apr	Mid-Year English Language Oral Exam	Sec 4NA students
23 Apr	Mid-Year English Language Oral Exam	Sec 4E students
24 Apr	English Language Oral Exam	Sec 3E & 3NA students
29 Apr	Mid-Year English Language Oral Exam English Language Oral Exam	Sec 4NT & 5NA students Sec 3NT students
30 Apr	33 rd Speech Day	All students
1 May	Public Holidays - Labour Day	All students
9–16 May	Mid-Year Exam written papers	All students
13–15 May	Conversational Chinese & Malay	Sec 1 students
17 May	Marking Day – students need not attend school	All students
20 May	Replacement Public Holiday - Vesak Day	All students
22–23 May	Mother Tongue Language (MTL) Broadcasting	Sec 1 students
27–30 May	Values Weeks Programmes	Sec 1 to Sec 4NA/NT
30 May	School Leaders-Parents Engagement & Parents-Teachers Conference	Sec 3 students
30–31 May	Parents-Teachers Conference	Sec 1,2,4,5 selected students
1 – 30 Jun	School Holidays	All students
3 Jun	GCE O-Level Mother Tongue Languages, Higher Mother Tongue Languages & Mother Tongue B Examination	Sec 4E, 5N & 3E (HMTL)
4 Jun, 6 Jun, 7 Jun	Remedial lessons for Sec 4 & 5	Sec 4 & 5 students

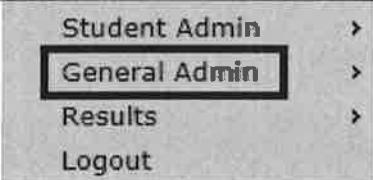
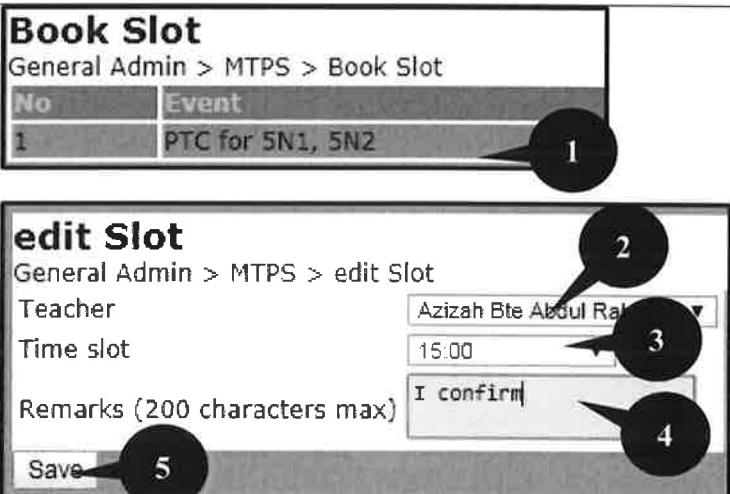
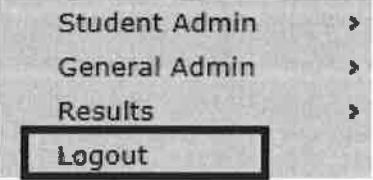
Thank you.

Yours sincerely



Mrs Regina Lee
Principal

Annex A: Booking of Slots through Admin Breeze

<p>Students' and Parents' Login</p> <p>Go to https://yss.adminbreeze.com/</p> <p>Login ID: YSS(NRIC last 5 digits and alphabet) Example: YSS12345A</p> <p>Password: student01</p>	 <p>User Name Password Forget Password Login</p>												
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