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5 September 2024

Dear Parents/Guardians of Sec 1 Students,

1 We warmly welcome our students back from the September holidays. The following are the updates on the final term in the school year.

Accolades

Results of Uniformed Groups – Annual Unit Proficiency Awards

2 Deyi St John Brigade (SJB) Unit has been awarded **GOLD** for their Corps Achievement Award. This is an annual award awarded to St John Cadet Corps in recognition of their training achievements, operations, and administrative efficiency. Kudos for the hard work!

Consolidated Results of C Division Sports Group Performance in the National School Games (NSG)

3 Well done, Deyians, on your effort and perseverance, in representing us well!

Sports Group	National School Games – New League Format
Badminton Boys	Qualified for League 1 (Nationals Top 16)
Basketball Girls	Qualified for League 1 (Nationals Top 16)
Football Girls	League 2 – 2 nd (National Top 6)
Table Tennis Boys	Qualified for League 1 (Nationals Top 16)
Table Tennis Girls	Qualified for League 1 (Nationals Top 16)
Volleyball Boys	Qualified for League 2 (Nationals Top 16)

Singapore Handball Federation Nationals B Division Girls

4 Our sports team comprising of girls from the Basketball Team have done the school proud by achieving **2nd** Placing in the Handball Nationals B Division. Congratulations!

ODAC Taekwondo Poomsae Competition

5 Congratulations to our ODAC students who showcased their skills at the TKD Poomsae Competition! Their synchronized performance was a testament to their hard work and discipline, earning them the following accolades:

White Belt Category: Silver

Yellow Belt Category: Bronze

CCA Stand-down for Sec 1 to Sec 3 from 9 September (Monday)

6 To allow students time to prepare for the End-of-Year Examinations, all students will stand down from CCAs from **Monday, 9 September** onwards. CCA Training for Sec 1 - 3 will resume after the End-of-Year Examinations.

Please also note that CCA sessions on **23 and 24 October** (Wednesday and Thursday) will take place from **7.30 am – 1.30 pm** and there will be no afternoon training sessions for this week.

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Early Dismissal Due to National Examination - 10 & 12 September (Tuesday & Thursday); 16 October (Wednesday)

7 In view of the GCE Listening Comprehensions for N- and O-Levels on 10 Sep (Tues), 12 Sep (Thur), and 16 Oct (Wed), Sec 1-3 students will be dismissed at 1.30 pm. All students who are not taking the examination are to leave the school promptly.

Final Blended Learning Day - Term 4 Week 2, Friday 20 September 2024

8 Please note that Term 4 Week 2, Friday, 20 Sep 2024 will follow the Even Week's Friday Timetable. Students will not be required to be physically present in school for lessons as students will be learning from home, or completing their Student Initiated Learning (SIL) project if they have not already done so, for submission to their form teachers.

End-of-Year Examination

9 The End-of-Year Examination begins in Term 4 Week 3 for Secondary 1 to 3 students. The examination timetable has been given to students and it is also available on the school website.

10 Students should refer to the rules and regulations for the examination in the Student Handbook. Students must inform their Form Teachers if they are absent from the exam and submit a Medical Certificate when they return to school. Students may leave the school after completing their exam for the day.

11 Students are **not required to attend school from 10-11 October** which are the school's Marking Days, as well as **Friday, 18 October** which is the Results Processing Day.

School dismissal time for Week 6, 14 to 17 October (Monday - Thursday) 2024

12 Please be informed that dismissal time for this week will be 1.30pm. Please also be reminded that there is no school on 18 Oct (Friday) due to result processing.

Learning Festival 2024

13 To nurture the Joy of Learning in Deyians, students will participate in a variety of specially planned programmes after their End-of-Year Examination. Through these learning experiences, students will be exposed to knowledge and acquire life skills beyond their textbooks. There will also be 2 days of morning CCA, where students will continue to bond and participate in various activities planned. The programme outline and dismissal times are as follows:

Mon 21 Oct	Tue 22 Oct	Wed 23 Oct	Thu 24 Oct	Fri 25 Oct
Code for Fun (Day 1)	Code for Fun (Day 2)	AM CCA	AM CCA	Journalism Trail
Dismissal 1300h	Dismissal 1300h	Report to School at 0730h Dismissal 1300h	Dismissal 1300h	Dismissal 1230h

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Last Day of School – 25 October (Friday) / Holiday Assignments

14 Please note that Friday 25 October is the last day of school for the year. To help your child/ward revise key topics and prepare for the following year, subject teachers may identify some assignments to be done in November-December. We appreciate your support in ensuring that your child/ward completes the assignments in stages over the holidays so that he/she will have sufficient time to rest before school reopens.

15 A number of activities will continue to take place until 15 November, e.g. Student Leadership training, CCA practice and enrichment activities. The respective teachers-in-charge of these activities will be informing you of the schedule and your child's/ward's commitment through Parents Gateway.

Ultimate Class Challenge Prize Day – 4 November (Monday) 2024

16 The ultimate class challenge is a competition the school conducts to encourage our students to participate actively in school activities as a class, such as through recycling and joining in our inter-class sports competitions. This year, the winning class of each level will be awarded with a lunch buffet treat at Captain Kim's BBQ Korean BBQ & Hotpot (Halal) at Grantral Mall (Clementi) on 4 Nov 2024. Details will be sent to the students of the winning class via Parents Gateway closer to the date.

S2 Level Camp 2025 – 8 to 10 January (Wednesday – Friday) 2025

17 The Sec 2 Camp RESILIENCE 2025 will be a 3-days-2-nights residential camp held from 8-10 January 2025. This school camp is compulsory for all. More details will be furnished in the consent form that will be issued in Term 4 to your child/ward.

Financial Assistance Scheme (FAS) 2024 – by 11 October 2024

18 Application for FAS 2025 is open to all eligible Singaporean students. Please note that students who are currently on MOE FAS or SAC FAS in 2024 are required to re-apply if they want to continue receiving financial assistance in 2024. Eligible applicants can apply by submitting the application form together with the required supporting documents to the General Office or via the eFAS form. The forms are available in the General Office and on the school website. Please submit your application form together with the supporting documents to the General Office by 11 Oct 2024 to prevent unnecessary delay in the issue of textbooks and uniforms.

Travel Declaration

19 For our necessary monitoring, the school will be sending out a message via Parents Gateway for you to indicate your travel plans. Given the emerging global health concerns, do also check the Travel Advisory at the MFA website (<https://www.mfa.gov.sg/Where-Are-You-Travelling-To>) prior to your year-end travels. A declaration is NOT required if your child/ward does not intend to travel overseas.

Student Well-Being

20 As the school exams draw near, please also encourage your child to pay attention to nutrition, and getting enough rest. Exercising good personal hygiene helps everyone stay safe, as does social responsibility. If your child is unwell, e.g. with flu symptoms, please ensure that he/she wears a mask and seeks medical attention. The school thanks all parents for their cooperation in keeping the school a safe place for all.

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21 We look forward to your continued support and partnership through Term 4 and hope that the upcoming November-December holidays will be a great time of bonding for you and your child/ward.

With Warm Regards

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Mr Apollos Induchoodan
Vice- Principal

Mr Chow Weisi
Principal

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