

Important Notes for Primary 1 Parents (2016)

1. Things to Bring

Please see below a list of things that your child will bring to school on **first three days** of school. The teachers will collect and keep them in the classroom. We would be very grateful if you could write down **your child's name and class** and **label all the books and files**.



Day 1 (Monday 4 Jan 2016)

| No. | Title of book | Code in Booklist |
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| 1. | English Language <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • STELLAR Handwriting Book 1 • P1 Cloze Encounters • MLEA Book • Word Bank Book | A1 A2 K2 K3 |
| 2. | Mathematics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maths Pupil's Book 1A (3rd Edition) • Maths Workbook 1A (3rd Edition) • A5 Square Exercise Book • Subject File (Purple) | B1 B3 K5 K6 |
| 3. | Student Handbook (To bring to school every day for parent-teacher communication. Your child will record homework and other information in the Handbook for your information.) | K10 |

Day 2 (Tuesday 5 Jan 2016)

| No. | Title of book | Code in Booklist |
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| 1. | English Language <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A5 Broad Lined Exercise Book • Subject File (Red) | K4 K6 |
| 2. | Malay Language <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Textbook Book 1A • Activity Book 1A • A5 Broad Lined Exercise Book • A5 Mari Menulis Book • Subject File (Green) Tamil Language <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Textbook Book 1A • Activity Book 1A • A5 Broad Lined Exercise Book • Plain Jotter Book • Subject File (Green) Chinese Language <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Textbook 1A • Activity Book 1A • Writing Book 1A • A5 Extra Big Square Exercise book (听写) • A5 Extra Big Square Exercise book (杂写) • Subject File (Green) | G1 G3 K20 K21 K22 H1 H3 K23 K24 K25 F1 F3 F5 K18 K18 K19 |

Day 3 (Wednesday 6 Jan 2016)

| No. | Title of book | Code in Booklist | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1. | Social Studies • Inquiring Into Our World Activity Book 1 | C1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2. | Physical Education • An Active and Healthy Me - Student Journal Primary 1 | D1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. | English Language • P1 Listening Comprehension Booklet 1 • P1 Listening Comprehension Booklet 2 | A3 A3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. | FTGP • My FTGP Journal P1 | E 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. | Report Book * Please slot in a passport size photograph of your child and label the report book as shown below: Name: Alex Tan Wei Jie <table border="1" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Year</th> <th>2016</th> <th>2017</th> <th>2018</th> <th>2019</th> <th>2020</th> <th>2021</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Class</td> <td>1 Am</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | Year | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | Class | 1 Am | | | | | | K7 |
| Year | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Class | 1 Am | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Your child will only need to bring the respective textbooks according to the timetable given from Monday 4 Jan 2016 or when otherwise advised by his / her subject teacher. **Please note that it is fine if your child has yet to acquire the books / materials stipulated in the List. Just alert the Form Teacher will do. We will collect the books / materials when your child brings them to school. Thank you.**

Your child should also bring these items to school **every day**:

- at least 2 sharpened 2B pencils
- an eraser
- a ruler
- a sharpener
- the Communication File (for homework, etc.) [Booklist Code K12]
- a small whiteboard, duster and a marker pen [Booklist Code K8]
- simple pencil case or box (not too big or heavy)

**** Trolley bags are strongly discouraged.**



2. School Hours

The starting time for P1 students will be as per normal but we will end school earlier on Thursday (7 Jan 2016) for a week to allow our students to adjust to a new school year. The schedule will be as follows:

| Day/Date | Reporting Time | Lesson Starts | Recess | School Ends |
|------------------------------|----------------|---------------|---|-------------|
| Monday 4 Jan to Friday 8 Jan | 7.40 am | 8.00 am | 10.00 am to 10.30 am <i>(We will extend the recess time to meet our students' needs)</i> | 1.40 pm |

The school hours for the subsequent weeks till the end of year (from Monday 11 Jan to Friday 18 Nov 2016) will be as follows:

| Day/s | Reporting Time | Lesson Starts | Recess | School Ends |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|---|-------------|
| Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday | 7.40 am | 8.00 am | 10.00 am to 10.30 am | 1.40 pm |
| Thursday | 7.40 am | 8.00 am | 10.00 am to 10.30 am Lunch Break 1.00 pm to 1.30 pm | 3.40 pm |

Note:

- We have set aside a break for 5 minutes starting at 12.00 pm to allow our students to go to the toilet or have an eye break, etc.
- Your child is allowed to bring a snack like biscuits or cut fruit to munch so that he / she will not feel very hungry before he / she reaches home for lunch. However, please avoid preparing a heavy meal for your child like rice, sandwiches or food that will take a while to consume. Such food should be consumed during recess.
- There will be no 5 minutes break on Thursdays (starting from 14 Jan 2016) as the students would have their lunch break at 1.00 pm for P1 students.
- **For the First Two Days of School. Parents can stay in the school on Monday 4 Jan and Tuesday 5 Jan 2016. There will be a parent talk for parents whose children are in P1 Amethyst, Diamond, Emerald and Jade on Monday 4 Jan 2016 from 8.30 am to 9.55 am. The remaining classes, P1 Opal, Pearl, Ruby and Sapphire will be held the following day, Tuesday 5 Jan 2016 from 8.30 am to 9.55 am. We look forward to meeting you.**

3. Timetable and Student Handbook 2016

Your child will receive his / her timetable on the first day.

It will be pasted in the Student Handbook 2016. He / She should pack his / her bag every day and bring only the books required for that day.



Please read and go through the content found in the Student Handbook 2016.

4. Dismissal

The dismissal time for the first week from Monday 4 Jan to Friday 8 Jan 2016 will be at 1.40 pm. However, there may be a slight delay to the dismissal time on the initial few days as we need to orientate our students to the new routine. We will dismiss our students at the following pick up points as per last year:

1) Back Gate

The gate is situated at the back of the school, leading to the public basketball court and children's playground. Preferred dismissal point for all students. Owing to the larger waiting area for parents and care givers with covered walkway leading to Treelodge and Coralinus, it will be safer for the students to be dismissed from the back gate.

2) Punggol Place Gate

The gate near to the Bus Stop. For students going home by bus or MRT / LRT.

3) Foyer

To be picked up by car. Parents are allowed to drive in to pick your child after dismissal. The gate will open immediately after the school buses leave the school premises.

- Estimated time at 1.55 pm from 4 Jan to 8 Jan 2016
- Estimated time at 1.50 pm from 11 Jan 2016 onwards (For Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday)
- Estimated time at 3.50 pm from 14 Jan 2016 onwards (Thursday)

4) School Bus and

5) Student Care Centre

We would be very grateful if you could alert your child as well as the Form Teacher which pick up point you would be picking your child up from.

Should you be late in coming to fetch your child, you may call the General Office at 6570 1588. We will be most happy to look after your child at the Foyer area, near the General Office. Please proceed straight to the General Office to fetch your child home.

5. Q & A

If you have any questions, please feel free to approach your child's Form Teacher.

| Class | Name of Form Teacher | Email Address |
|-----------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1 Amethyst (Am) | Mdm Vinny Tan | tan_bee_ling_vinny@moe.edu.sg |
| 1 Diamond (Di) | Ms Samantha Ong | ong_yen_ting_samantha@moe.edu.sg |
| 1 Emerald (Em) | Mdm Joell Lim | lim_kar_hoon@moe.edu.sg |
| 1 Jade (Ja) | Ms Ng Wei Huah | ng_wei_huah@moe.edu.sg |
| 1 Opal (Op) | Mdm Suriana | suriana_mohamed@moe.edu.sg |
| 1 Pearl (Pe) | Mdm Sarina | sarina_sapari@moe.edu.sg |
| 1 Ruby (Ru) | Ms Kong Yanni | kong_yanni@moe.edu.sg |
| 1 Sapphire (Sa) | Mdm Rosnita | rosnita_abdul_rahim@moe.edu.sg |

We look forward to a meaningful and enjoyable partnership with you in developing your child to his / her full potential.

Thank you!