# FERN GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Parents
Notification

6 August 2025

#### Dear Parents.

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# 1. Calendar of Events (T3W6 & T3W7)

#### **T3W6**

# Monday, 4 August

7:30am

Assembly (P1 to P5): ECG Career Day

- P3 Art Milestone Programme: Mixed Media Assemblage
- P3 Music Milestone Programme: Orff Music
- 2:00pm

P5 & P6 FMA Lessons

- 2:00pm
  - P5 E2K Math: Selected Students
- 2:00pm

P3|P4|P5: Remedial Lessons (1st Slot, for Selected Students)

- 3:00pm
  - P4|P5: Remedial Lessons (2nd Slot, for Selected Students)
- 2:00pm

P6 Supplementary Lessons (All Students)

- 3:00nm
  - P6 Remedial/Supplementary Lessons (Selected Students)

# Tuesday, 5 August

- P3 Art Milestone Programme: Mixed Media Assemblage
- P3 Music Milestone Programme: Orff Music
- P3 Class Test: MTL
- P5 Class Test: MTL/FMTL

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P3 to P5: CCA (National Day Rehearsal)

# Wednesday, 6 August

- P3 Art Milestone Programme: Mixed Media Assemblage
- P3 Music Milestone Programme: Orff Music
- P4 Class Test: MTL
- P5 Class Test: EL/FEL
- 2:00pm

P4 HCL Poem Writing Enrichment Programme (Selected HCL Students)

2:00pm

P5 HCL Translation Enrichment Programme (Selected HCL Students)

• 2:30pm to 4:00pm

P3 LLP: Badminton Sports Clinic

# Thursday, 7 August

- P3 Art Milestone Programme: Mixed Media Assemblage
- P3 Music Milestone Programme: Orff Music
- P3 Class Test: EL
- P4 Class Test: EL
- 7:30am

P5 Sexuality Education: Growing Years Series

• 2:00pm

P3 to P6 HMTL Lessons (Except P3, P4 & P6 HML)

• 2:00pm

P4|P5: Remedial Lessons (1st Slot, for Selected Students)

• 3:00pm

P4|P5: Remedial Lessons (2nd Slot, for Selected Students)

• 2:00pm

P6 Supplementary Lessons (All Students)

• 3:00pm

P6 Remedial/Supplementary Lessons (Selected Students)

# Friday, 8 August

• 7:30am to 10:30am

**National Day Celebrations** 

• Early Dismissal [P1 & P2 at 10:25am; P3 & P4 at 10:30pm; P5 & P6 at 10:35pm]

#### **T3W7**

#### Monday, 11 August

National Day (School Holiday)

#### Tuesday, 12 August

- P3 Art Milestone Programme: Mixed Media Assemblage
- P3 Music Milestone Programme: Orff Music

## Wednesday, 13 August

- P1 to P5: No School
- P6: PSLE Oral Examinations

# **Thursday, 14 August**

- P1 to P5: No School
- P6: PSLE Oral Examinations

#### Friday, 15 August

- P3 Art Milestone Programme: Mixed Media Assemblage
- P5 Class Test: HMTL
- 2:00pm

P4 E2K Math: Selected Students

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2:00pm
 P3 to P4 MTSP (TL) Lessons

• 2:00pm P6 HML Lessons

(Events listed above are for the masses. Information is correct as on 6 August 2025. For updates or to subscribe to our calendars, please visit the school website at https://www.ferngreenpri.moe.edu.sg/general-information/School-Calendar/)

# 2. P1 Get REAL!@FGPS: Confidence on Wheels by Land Transport Authority (LTA)

The school's Learning for Life Programme (LLP) '**Get REAL!@FGPS**' serves to equip all students with the essential life skills, social emotional competencies and 21CC via a suite of programmes that seek to develop Joyful Learners, Caring Leaders and Resilient Innovators.

We are excited to share that our P1 students will be participating in the **Confidence on Wheels (CW)** programme by the Land Transport Authority (LTA) as part of their **Get REAL!@FGPS** experience. It aims to equip our students with better awareness and understanding on using public paths safely and graciously both as cyclist and pedestrian; and complements our ongoing efforts to nurture responsible and mindful users of shared spaces.

# The **programe highlights** are as follows:

- **Show & Tell:** Students will learn to recognise common Active Mobility Infrastructure (e.g., path markings, signboards) and understand how to behave appropriately when encountering them.
- **Pre-Ride Check:** Students will learn how to conduct basic safety checks on bicycles and kick scooters, and how to wear a helmet correctly.
- **Practical Riding Circuit:** Students will ride through mock-ups of public paths and role-play as pedestrians, applying safe riding and walking behaviours.

The **programme details** are shown in the table below:

| Week | Date                       | Classes           |
|------|----------------------------|-------------------|
| 9    | 26 August 2025 (Tuesday)   | 1R1, 1R2, 1R3, 1I |
| 10   | 2 September 2025 (Tuesday) | 1C, 1H, 1M,1I2    |

We gently remind all P1 students to come dressed in **PE attire**, with **water bottles**, and any necessary **personal medication (e.g., inhalers)** on the day of the programme.

We look forward to an enriching and meaningful experience for our young riders.

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# 3. P2 Get REAL!@FGPS: Netball and Tag Rugby Sports Exposure

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As part of this programme, we have engaged professional coaches to conduct a series of sessions designed for our P2 students to:

- introduce them to Netball and Tag Rugby (a non-contact version of Rugby);
- develop their hand-eye coordination and agility; and
- instil important sporting values such as teamwork and perseverance.

All P2 students will participate in one session of Netball and one session of Tag Rugby. These sessions will take place during their Programme for Active Learning (PAL) lessons. The cost of the programme will be borne by the school. Please see table below for an overview of the sessions for the P2 classes:

| Week | Date                         | Tag Rugby         | Netball         |
|------|------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| 9    | 27 August 2025 (Wednesday)   | 2R1, 2R2, 2R3, 2I | 2C,2H,2M,2D     |
| 10   | 3 September 2025 (Wednesday) | 2C,2H,2M,2D       | 2R1,2R2, 2R3,2I |

We gently remind all P2 students to come dressed in **PE attire**, with **water bottles**, and any necessary **personal medication (e.g., inhalers)** on the day of the programme.

We hope this engaging experience will encourage students to stay active and continue participating in team sports with their peers.

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# 4. FGPS SG60 National Day Celebrations

The school will be celebrating National Day on 8 August 2025 (Friday). This year marks Singapore's 60th year of independence. The National Day theme, "Majulah Singapura" - "Onward Singapore", invites us to reflect on the road we have walked as one people, and to look ahead with hope, courage, and unity.

To mark this special occasion, students will participate in a school-wide Observance Ceremony, followed by engaging performances and sing-alongs that celebrate our shared identity as Singaporeans. To join in the spirit of the celebration and add to the festive atmosphere, students are encouraged to bring their own handheld Singapore flag.

Kindly note the following details:

| Date            | Friday, 8 August 2025 (Friday)   |  |  |
|-----------------|--|--|--|
| Time            | 7:30am to 10:30am<br>(Note: There will be no recess. Students will have a snack break between<br>8:15am and 8:45am.)                               |  |  |
| Attire          | Students are strongly encouraged to come dressed in red tops, along with their school shorts/skirts or PE shorts and white socks and school shoes. |  |  |
| Things to Bring | <ul><li>Mother Tongue Language story book</li><li>Water bottle</li><li>Snack</li></ul>   |  |  |

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| Dismissal | • | P1 & P2 at 10:25am |
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| Timings   | • | P3 & P4 at 10:30am |
| Tillings  | • | P5 & P6 at 10:35am |

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# 5. <u>Student Accolades: Commendation of Gracious Behaviour by Our P5 Students: Toh Rui, Jovan (5R1) and Han Yu Chou (5R3)</u>

We are proud to share a heartwarming commendation received from a member of the public regarding two of our P5 students – Toh Rui, Jovan (5R1) and Han Yu Chou (5R3).

On 31 July 2025, at a nearby LRT station, Jovan and Yu Chou noticed an elderly lady approaching the lift just as the doors were closing. Without hesitation, they stepped forward to hold the lift doors open, ensuring she could enter safely and comfortably. Upon reaching their destination, they also took the initiative to politely invite the elderly lady to exit the lift first, setting a respectful and thoughtful example for the other adults present.

These actions were not only instinctive and sincere but also demonstrated empathy, respect, and civic-mindedness—core values we uphold in our school community. We are heartened by their behaviour and are immensely proud of them for exemplifying Caring Leaders.

We hope their actions will inspire their peers to continue showing kindness and taking initiative to care for others in everyday situations. Well done, Jovan and Yu Chou!



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# 6. <u>Student Accolades: Congratulations to Anas Naufal Bin Mohamad Hafiz (6C) and Jermanie Ong Wei Jie (6H) on being awarded the Singapore Olympic Foundation (SOF)-Peter Lim Scholarship 2025</u>

In June 2010, the Singapore Olympic Foundation (SOF) set up the SOF-Peter Lim Scholarship with a S\$10-million donation from philanthropist and sports enthusiast, Mr Peter Lim. The gift remains the single largest donation in Singapore from an individual towards sports development. The driving force behind the Scholarship is the desire to ensure that no promising young athlete who is committed to chasing his or her sporting dreams, should be hampered by financial restraints.

The Scholarship aims to:

- Help young deserving sports talents from financially challenged background to achieve their sporting goals; and
- Support young high performing athletes under 18 years old to pursue sporting excellence in their chosen fields.

We are delighted to share that our FGians, Anas Naufal Bin Mohamad Hafiz (6C) Jermanie Ong Wei Jie (6H) have been awarded the SOF-Peter Lim Scholarship 2025 at the award ceremony held on 1 August 2025 (Friday). Their recognition via this award reflects both students' sporting talent, hard work, perseverance and positive attitude, and the strong love and support they have received from their family and the adults around them.

We hope the award inspires Anas and Jermanie to continue pursuing their passion in sports and leverage its power to develop their resilience, discipline, and character. We look forward to what their future may hold and may they also serve as inspiration and role models to their fellow schoolmates!



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# 7. Student Accolades: Abyan Imtiaz Irkiz (112) – A Young Trailblazer at Just 5 Years Old!

We are excited to shine the spotlight on Abyan Imtiaz Irkiz from 1I2 whose recent achievement has truly inspired our school community.

While most children his age are just starting school life, Abyan has already accomplished something extraordinary — he became the youngest Singaporean to reach Everest Base Camp at only five years old!

Last year, Abyan and his father spent eight challenging days trekking through the Himalayas, braving freezing temperatures (as low as  $-14^{\circ}$ C), high altitude, and rough terrain to reach Everest Base Camp — located 5,364 metres above sea level. This is an incredible feat even for adults, and yet Abyan took every step with courage and determination. With proper training, strong willpower, and unwavering family support, Abyan made it happen. You can find out more about his story via the links below:

- Your S'pore Story: 'We would climb up and down Bukit Timah Hill about six times' | The Straits Times
- <u>'We would climb up and down Bukit... The Straits Times | Facebook</u>

We are so proud of Abyan for showing us what it means to be resilient, adventurous, and goal driven. His story is a powerful reminder that no dream is too big, even for the youngest among us.

Let us all celebrate this incredible milestone and continue to encourage our children to reach for the heights in their own unique ways. Warmest congratulations, Abyan!



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Thank you.