



SI LING PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Vision: Every Si Ling Pupil a Scholar who Leads and Serves

Mission: To nurture our students to be their best

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome to start of the new academic year. We sincerely appreciate your support in 2022 and look forward to your continuous partnership in 2023. To our new students and families who joined us this year, welcome to the Si Ling family!

1. Welcome our Vice-Principal (Academic) Miss Chee Yeung Wai

Ms Chee Yeung Wai has been posted to our school on 15 December 2022 to be our Vice-Principal. We look forward to working with her to bring the school to greater heights.

2. Farewell

Our Vice-Principal (Admin), Ms Jasmine Tan has been posted to Anderson Primary School with effect from 15 December 2022. We wish her all the best in her future endeavours.

3. School Hours for 2023

Reporting Time	All students to be in their respective classrooms for flag-raising ceremony by 7.30a.m.	
Recess Time (30 min)	P1: 8.30 a.m. P2: 9.00 a.m. P3: 9.30 a.m.	P4: 10.00 a.m. P5: 10.30 a.m. P6: 11.00 a.m.
Snack Time (10 min)	P1 to P4: 12.00 p.m. P5 & P6: 9.00 a.m. (Please bring healthy snacks such as biscuits, sandwiches, whole fruits, etc)	
Dismissal Time	P1 and P2: 1.20 p.m. P3 and P4: 1.25 p.m. P5 and P6: 1.30 p.m.	

A Garden Where Scholars Bloom

4. Gate Opening Hours

To ensure smooth dismissal of students, please adhere to the following:

Main Gate: 6.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.	Strictly for vehicles
Gate A: 6.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m. (Press Intercom for assistance)	Strictly for Students taking public bus
Gate B and C: 6.00 a.m. – 7.30 a.m. 1.20 p.m. – 1.45 p.m.	Students not taking public bus
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Students taking school bus will board the buses at the foyer• Students attending Student Care Centre will gather near the bookshop.• Students with siblings to meet outside the office before leaving for home	

5. After-School Activities for P3 to P6 students

The After-school Activities for 2023 are as shown below. Separate letters with details will be provided in 2023.

Remedial/Supplementary lessons	Tuesday and Thursday 2.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. 3.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• For selected students only
SDR	Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 2.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m.	
Enrichment Programme	Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.	
Higher Mother Tongue	Friday 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.	
ACE Kids Programme	Friday 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.	
CCA	Monday 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.	
Additional Support for P6 students (Mathematics)	Wednesday 2.00p.m. to 3.00 p.m.	

6. Punctuality

It is important for children to attend school every day and be punctual for school. It is essential that pupils establish good routines and habits as it will influence their approach to work and life in later years. Punctuality is a life skill that our children need to develop. We recognise that parents play a vital role in ensuring that pupils report to school punctually. We would like to thank all parents and guardians for partnering us to inculcate the value of punctuality in our pupils.

7. Weighted Assessment and Revision Exercise

Please be informed that the dates for the Weighted Assessment and Revision Exercise will not be reflected in the Calendar of Events. Students will be notified by their teachers.

8. Health Matters

For the well-being of your child, do continue to ensure that your child practises good personal hygiene and social responsibility while at home and in public places. Students who are unwell should see a doctor.

The school will conduct temperature-taking exercise on **Wednesday, 11 January 2023** as part of the Standard Operating Procedures in keeping the school safe for all. All students **MUST** bring their digital thermometer to school. Students may purchase the digital thermometer from the bookstore.

9. School Gate Policy

School security is crucial to the provision of a safe environment for the education of our students. The school gates will be locked unless otherwise stated. If you need to see a staff, please make an appointment in advance. All these are put in place to ensure that the school is a safe place for all our children. We seek your understanding and cooperation in complying with the School Gate Policy

10. School Smart Card (SSC) Photo-taking for Primary 1 and 6 students

The Ministry of Education (MOE) will be conducting the yearly photo-taking exercise for all Primary 1 and 6 students for the issue of SSC / CEPAS card. Primary 1 students will receive their CEPAS Cards by the end of March 2023, while the photo images captured for Primary 6 students will be used for the printing of Secondary CEPAS Cards when they are promoted to Secondary One in 2023. This exercise will be held on **Friday, 3 February 2023**.

11. Gifted Education Programme (GEP) Identification Exercise 2023

The tentative schedule for the two stages of the GEP Identification Exercise 2023 for Primary 3 students is as follows:

Stage	Date	Participants	Papers
GEP Screening Exercise	16 August 2023 (Wednesday)	Primary 3 pupils enrolled in government and government-aided schools	- English Language - Mathematics
GEP Selection Exercise	17 October 2023 (Tuesday) & 18 October 2023 (Wednesday)	Primary 3 pupils shortlisted after the GEP Screening Exercise	- English Language - Mathematics - General Ability

12. Photography and Videography

As an institution that continually seeks to improve the learning experience of our students. As such, our staff may film or take photographs of your child or ward. Such materials may also be used for publicity and/or presentations. Please approach your child/ward's form teacher if you have any concerns.

13. Calendar of Events

The calendar of events for Term 1 is enclosed for your reference.

My staff and I look forward to another fulfilling year with our pupils.

On behalf of the school, we would like to wish you and your family a **Happy and Prosperous New Year!**

Do remember to follow us at Facebook and Instagram (@silingprimaryschool).



Mr Koe Ee Tiong
Principal

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