



# NAVAL BASE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome back to school!

It has been an exciting Term 1 for our students as they progress through the curriculum and the co-curricular programmes. At Naval Base Primary, we continue to strive to nurture our Navalites in their strengths through meaningful and connected learning experiences, which are closely linked to our school values.

## Character Development

Our school recognises the importance of character development and values education as the basis of primary school education. After renaming our classes with values, we aim to strengthen the learning of values which is in alignment with holistic education. As a school, besides implementing the various programmes to inculcate these values, we also encourage our students to work towards improving themselves and developing their character. In our pursuit to attain Holistic Student Development, our school programmes are developed to achieve the following student outcomes:

- An Engaged Learner
- A Morally Upright Individual
- A Concerned Citizen
- A Confident Leader

Hence, we seek your utmost support and co-operation in the **school** programmes that your child participates in.

## Punctuality and Attendance

As part of students' development of the school value of self-discipline, we would like to emphasise on the importance of reporting to school punctually. Students are required to be seated in the hall by 7.50 a.m. from Monday to Friday. The side and back gates will be closed at 7.45 a.m. and we would like to advise all students arriving after 7.45 a.m. to enter the school through the main gate.

We would also like to reiterate the importance of your child's regular attendance and active participation in all school activities. Teaching and learning can only take place effectively if a child is present for school regularly. Students are not allowed to leave the school during their lunch breaks on the day(s) they have after-school programmes. We seek your cooperation as parents to ensure that your child is in school daily so that he/she may achieve his/her learning potential. Any absence from school must be supported by a medical certificate or letter from parents.

**Every Navalite A Leader**

Self-Discipline | Integrity | Respect | Compassion | Learning |

## **Attire and Appearance**

Students are to wear the prescribed school uniform and modification to the uniform is not allowed. Their name tags must be sewn on securely on the pocket above the school crest on their school shirts. P1 to P3 students must have their student's name tags on their PE t-shirts. Students are expected to have acceptable hairstyles which are clearly shown in the Navalite Compass (Page 17). We hope to have your support to ensure that your child/ward observes the school rules and regulations at all times.

## **Communication with Parents – Every Parent a Supportive Partner Parents Gateway (PGW)**

With reference to the letter dated 1 March 2019, NBPS will be using the Parents Gateway (PGW) mobile app to notify dates of events i.e. Parent Teacher Conference and other admin matters. It is important that you download and perform a one time-login as soon as possible to avoid missing out on important information.

As mentioned in the earlier letter, you will need a SingPass account. Below are some useful sites to assist you in applying for a SingPass account:

- Eligibility to apply for a SingPass account. Visit <http://tinyurl.com/yb4n9aau>
- Step by step user guide to download and login PGW. Visit <https://goo.gl/M4qmAq>

You may also visit any SingPass counters to:

- Apply for a new account
- Reset your SingPass password
- Update your mobile number and account details
- Register and activate SMS 2FA instantly

Location of SingPass counters:

- SingPass counters. Visit <http://tinyurl.com/zsz4w6r>
- Nearest SingPass counter is at Chong Pang CC

## **Term 2 - Calendar of Activities and Schedule**

We have attached the Calendar of Activities for Term 2 and Schedule for After School Programme for your information. We will keep you updated if there are any changes.

I would like to thank you for your continued support as we grow as a school and bring out the best in all Navalites.

Thank you.

Warmest regards,

Sita Singh (Mrs)  
Principal