



WEST GROVE PRIMARY SCHOOL
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Through the Principal, 
Mrs Chandler Jay Siva

6 January 2023

Dear P2 Parents/Guardians,

Welcome back to West Grove Primary School!

We hope you had an enjoyable December holiday with your child.

The Student Development Department (SDD) comprising of the Year Heads and Discipline Subject Head will continue to connect and create opportunities for your child to thrive in and experience Joy of Learning in a **Positive Environment**. The **PROSPER** Framework (T. Noble and H. McGrath) is our organizing tool where we encourage **Positivity**, Build **Relationships**, Facilitate **Outcomes**, Focus on **Strengths**, Foster a sense of **Purpose**, Enhance **Engagement** and Teach **Resilience**.

To encourage **Positivity** and build **Relationships** where students will experience positive emotions and have a sense of belonging to the school, we have designed some customized activities for the assemblies. Platforms will be created for two levels to come and bond together at a common time. Through these activities, we hope that our students will develop social and pro-social values that underpin positive connection to their peers, school and the community.

No significant learning occurs without a significant relationship. (Dr James P. Comer)



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Introduction of 2023 Form and Level Teachers

If you have any questions, do get in touch with them directly.

| Class | Form Teachers | |
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| 2C | Ms Betty Chan Siew Sharn chan_siew_sharn_betty@moe.edu.sg | Mdm Angeline See Sui Chiat see_sui_chiat@moe.edu.sg |
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| 2F | Mdm Wu Xiao Wei wu_xiaowei@moe.edu.sg | Mrs Samatha Chang-Oh Siow Ling oh_siow_ling_samantha@moe.edu.sg |
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School Counsellor

Our School Counsellor is Mrs Rita. She can provide counselling support for the students' mental and emotional wellbeing. If you have any queries, do leave your number at the General Office and she will get back to you.

You may also choose to contact any of our staff via

- General Office hotline: **62679234** (Monday to Friday, from 7 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.)
- Teachers' Email (available on <http://westgrovepri.moe.edu.sg>)
- Student Handbook

Absence from School

The school places a strong emphasis on students' regular attendance in school and it is closely monitored by the Form Teachers and our Student Development Team (SDT). For any absences, please inform the respective Form Teacher and submit relevant documentation (e.g. medical certificate) if applicable.

School Homework

Homework is a valuable part of schooling. We believe that homework cultivates responsibility, self-discipline and lifelong learning habits. Teachers assign relevant, meaningful and even challenging homework to reinforce classroom learning and allow students to apply what they have learnt.

School leaders and teachers will make a conscious effort to monitor the homework load of our students. Subject teachers will also coordinate the homework assigned to ensure that it is manageable. Students who are unable to complete their work in class will need to complete it at home, in addition to the homework that has been assigned. We seek your understanding that the actual time spent on homework will vary between students due to the differences in their study habits and subject proficiency. We encourage you to speak with our teachers if you have any concerns about the assigned homework.

We also urge parents to play a supportive role by spending some time daily with your child/children to supervise them doing homework and to ensure there is a conducive home environment for it.

After-School Programmes

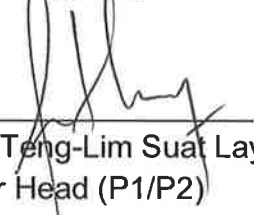
To ensure the safety of students who are staying back for after-school programmes, they are **not allowed** to leave the school premises before the start of the activity. Students are expected to have their lunch in school. We will monitor student movement after school. We seek your understanding and support in reinforcing the message with your child.



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Do leave your name and number at 6267 9234 if you have any queries. I will get back to you as soon as I can.

Warm regards,



Mrs Teng-Lim Suat Lay
Year Head (P1/P2)

Cohort Key Events

Here is the schedule of key events for your child for Term 1.

| Date | Activity | Remarks |
|---|--|-----------------------------|
| 3 Jan – 13 Jan | CCA Option Forms will be issued by Form Teachers | For P2 and P3 students only |
| 20 Jan | Chinese New Year Celebrations | Normal school hours |
| 22 Jan – 24 Jan | Public Holiday: Chinese New Year | No school for all students |
| 11 Mar | Parents' Webinar – "Stay Strong, Get Moving!" | |
| March School Holidays (11 March to 19 March) | | |