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Dear Parents,

Be the Change: Shine & Excel!



Enchanted Tales, an in-house Kheng Cheng School production, was staged at the Singapore Conference Hall on 30 Jun 2018. With 670 enthusiastic performers, 831 seats filled and 4320 hours in the making, it was an honour to host this musically themed extravaganza. For two hours, our zesty P1 and P2 performers kept the audience glued to their seats with their suave moves and delightful sparks of humour. Our performing arts groups also put up a show of the best they had to offer. It was a journey to hold close to our hearts for students and teachers alike. The brilliance of the show stemmed from the consistent hard work and team spirit of our students illuminated by the encouragement they received from their parents, teachers and peers. Let's continue to give our children our words of encouragement which will motivate them to shine and excel!

Cyber Wellness Day: I'm a STARR¹!

It is increasingly important to teach our young ones to be safe and responsible users in today's digital age. For this year's Cyber Wellness week, we planned a host of activities on 30 Jul and 1 Aug for students to learn to be respectful for self and others online. Parents can also explore more on Cyber Wellness with their child here: <https://ictconnection.moe.edu.sg/cyber-wellness>

Health Week 2018: Healthy Minds, Healthy Bodies

From 1 to 3 Aug, the school will organise Health Week 2018 to enhance students' health literacy and create a culture of healthy living. School wide activities will be organised to educate, engage and excite students on the importance of healthy eating.

National Day Celebrations 2018

We will celebrate our nation's 53rd birthday **#WeAreSingapore** on **Wed, 8 Aug** with an observance ceremony, class activities and a concert. Students will be in school from **7.30am to 10.30am** with **no recess**. Parents are advised to make the necessary transport arrangements for your child to go home. The school bus drivers will be informed of the school hours. Students can come to school dressed in **red** top, school skirt/shorts and school shoes. Students are reminded to return to school on **Mon, 13 Aug**.

¹ STARR - Sense, Think, Act, Respect & Responsible!

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PSLE Oral Examinations (16-17 Aug)

The PSLE English and Mother Tongue Oral Examinations will be held on **16 and 17 Aug**. P1 to P5 students **need not** report to school on these two days. Home-based learning assignments (for P1 to P5 students) have been planned and a separate notification will be given out to your child nearer to date.

Teachers' Day Celebrations

On **Thu, 30 Aug**, we will celebrate Teachers' Day. Teaching is a giving profession, and teachers often go beyond the call of duty in their daily and yearly vocation. This year, we encourage parents to join in the celebration with a parent-child bonding activity, in making a simple card with a few lines of encouragement and appreciation for your child's teachers. A simple act like this will go a long way in inculcating in our children, the values of gratitude and giving. Administratively, school hours will be from **7.30am to 10.30am** with **no recess**. Parents are advised to make their own transport arrangements for their child. We will also inform the school bus drivers. School will be closed from **12pm** for Teachers' Day Celebration Luncheon at an external venue.

School Upgrading Works and Students' Well-Being

With dry and warm weather conditions persisting from the prevailing Southwest Monsoon, we encourage students to stay hydrated and healthy. If your child is unwell, do consult a doctor and let him/her rest at home. To safeguard our students from dust and noise from the construction, we have put up window screens, noise barriers and air conditioning in selected classrooms. We will continue to ensure that the school remains a safe place for students with regular checks and vector control. Parents can also prepare students with mosquito repellent/patches and face masks if required. Get the latest update on School Upgrading Works at <http://khengcheng.moe.edu.sg/connect-with-us/school-upgrading-works>

Implementation of Season Parking

As announced by MOE earlier, we will be implementing a season parking scheme from 1 Aug. As there are limited parking spaces in school, only staff and service providers who are season parking holders will be allowed to park in school. Parents who need to visit the school during school hours can park at nearby public carparks. After 5 pm, subject to the availability of car park lots, we do allow parents to drive into school to pick their child.

Significant Events in August

Wed, 1 Aug:	Cyber Wellness Day
Wed, 8 Aug:	National Day Celebrations
Thu, 9 Aug:	National Day Public Holiday
Fri, 10 Aug:	National Day School Holiday
16-17 Aug:	PSLE EL & MT Oral (Home-based Learning - No School for P1-P5 students)
Wed, 22 Aug:	Hari Raya Haji Public Holiday
Thu, 30 Aug:	Teachers' Day Celebrations / Last Day of Term 3
Fri, 31 Aug:	Teachers' Day School Holiday

We encourage parents to use the information that we share monthly as talking points to connect with your child, and help them reinforce what they learn in school. A short conversation about school every day helps foster the school values of diligence and sincerity.

With gratitude,



Mdm Sarah Leong
Principal



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