



CHAMPS

East Coast Primary School

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P4 STUDENTS ONLY

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Submission of Travel Declaration Form (by 18 May)

Students who are planning to travel out of Singapore during the June school holidays are required to submit a travel declaration form to their Form Teachers.

The travel declaration form can be found on page B15 of the Student Handbook.

Temperature-Taking Exercise

The temperature-taking exercise will be conducted on Thurs, 28 June (Term 3, Week 1). To imbue a sense of responsibility and ownership in our students, the thermometers have been returned for the students' safe-keeping after the last exercise in Term 1. Please ensure that your child/ward has a working thermometer on the day of the exercise.

Students on MOE FAS (Financial Assistance Scheme) may approach their Form Teachers or the General Office for assistance, strictly between 25 to 27 June (Mon to Wed), for a one-to-one exchange of thermometer if their thermometers are not working.

For the well-being of students, the school strongly encourages students to bring their thermometers to school every day.

Parent-Child-Teacher Conference and Talk on P 4 Subject - Based Banding (SBB)

The school will be organising a Parent-Child Teacher Conference (PCTC) on **Friday, 25th May**. PCTC provides a 3-way communication channel for you, your child and the teacher to interact. During PCTC, your child/ward will also be sharing with you his/her strengths and area for growth and his/her plans for improvement. You will also be receiving the report book from the teacher on that day.

The PCTC will be held at the P4 classrooms (For Form Teachers @ Blk E Level 3) and the School Hall (For Mother Tongue Teachers).

The talk on Subject-Based Banding will be conducted from 10.00am–10.45am at the AVA Room on Level 4.

There will be no lessons for all students on 25th May. However, your child/ward needs to come to school in uniform and school shoes for the PCTC.

We would appreciate if you could complete the reply slip and return it to your child's/ward's form teacher by 18th May (Friday). Parents/guardians who will be attending the session may park their vehicles at the nearby HDB carpark.

Subject-based Banding

Subject-based Banding (SBB) allows each student to learn subjects at the level that best meets his/her abilities. Students have the option of taking a combination of standard and foundation subjects, depending on their strengths. This allows for focus on, and stretching of subject(s) your child/ward is stronger in, and building of fundamentals in subject(s) that require more support.

We would like to take the opportunity to share the following 5 options offered by Damai Primary to the 2019 P5 Cohort:

Option	Subject Combination	Subject Level
1	4 Standard, and Higher MT	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Standard English• Standard Mother Tongue• Standard Mathematics• Standard Science• Higher Mother Tongue
2	4 Standard	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Standard English• Standard Mathematics• Standard Mother Tongue• Standard Science
3	3 Standard, and Foundation MT	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Standard English• Standard Mathematics• Standard Science• Foundation Mother Tongue
4	3 Foundation, and Standard MT	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Foundation English• Foundation Mathematics• Foundation Science• Standard Mother Tongue
5	4 Foundation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Foundation English• Foundation Mathematics• Foundation Science• Foundation Mother Tongue

Open House at Damai Primary School

Damai Primary School will be holding its Open House on Saturday, 30 June, and all parents and students of ECPS are cordially invited to attend.

The highlights of the Open House include:

- Guided School Tour
- Showcase of Instructional and Co-Curricular programmes
- Performances by DPS and ECPS CCA groups
- CCA Fiesta/Art Exhibition/Fun Booths

The details of the Damai Primary Open House are as follows:

Date: 30 June 2018 (Saturday)

Time: 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

Address: 52 Bedok Reservoir Crescent, Singapore 479226

Attire for students: ECPS School Uniform

Please note that transport will not be provided. For parents who drive, please park at the public carparks near to Damai Primary School.

Do let us know if you will be joining us at the Open House by returning the reply slip that is attached to this letter by 18th May .

Learning Carnival

Our ECPS Learning Carnival will be held on Friday, 6 July. It will be a day of joyful learning at the game booths set up by the English, Math, Science and Mother Tongue departments. The Learning Carnival will take place from 7.30 am to **12.40 pm** (please note the change in dismissal time on the carnival day). Students will report to school at the usual timing.

We would also like to invite our parents to join us at the Learning Carnival. Parents who are able to join us will be paired with your children to explore the learning stations together. The reporting time for parents will be 10.15 am, and pre-registration is required for entry into the school.

Please indicate your availability for the learning carnival, as well as the dismissal mode for your child, in the reply slip attached to this letter. Kindly return the reply slip to your child's form teacher by 18 May.

Yours truly,



Ms Jessie Lim
Principal

Note:

Attached with this issue of CHAMPS are the reply slips for PCTC, Learning Carnival, and Open House.

