



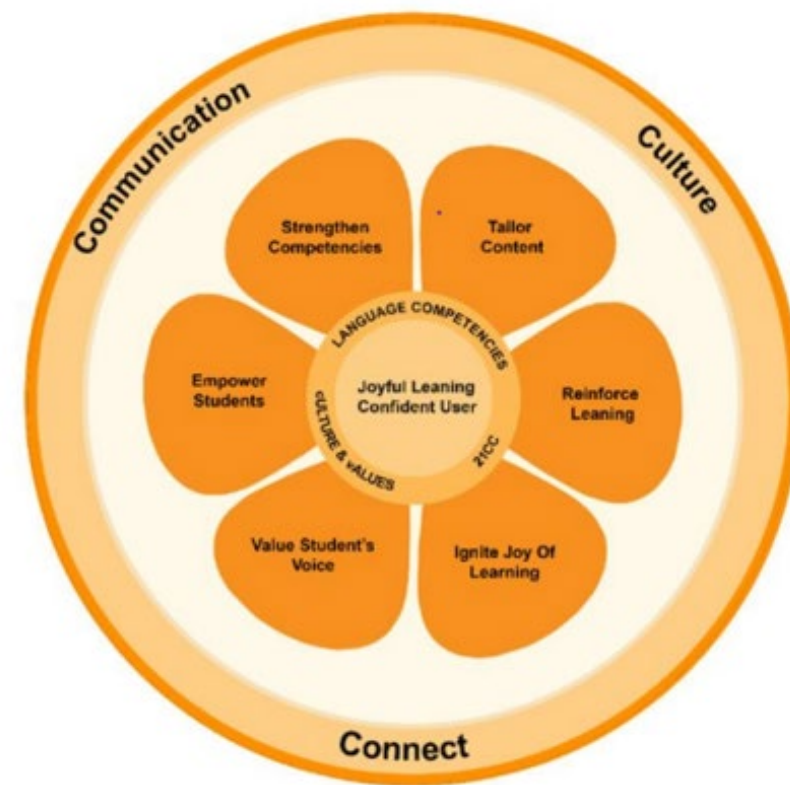
# Primary 1 Curriculum Briefing Mother Tongue Languages



## Primary MTL Curriculum Framework

The new Primary MTL Curriculum was implemented last year at Primary 1.

The new curriculum places greater focus on helping students to experience the joy of learning MTL, so as to motivate them to like and learn MTL for life.



**Joyful Learner, Confident User**

*2024 New Primary MTL Curriculum Framework*



## Key Feature #1 Greater emphasis on 21st century competencies



### Textbook

#### Cross-Cultural Literacy

- Learning about the making of lumpia (Philippines' version of popiah)



### Big Book

#### Civic and Cross-Cultural Literacy

- Comparing spinning tops in Singapore and other countries (Malaysia, China and India)





## Key Feature #2

Support students through visual, auditory and kinesthetic learning methods



### TL Digital Resource: Reading Pen

- Reinforce learning of TL letters
- Learn correct pronunciation of letters
- Promote self-directed learning
- Create more joyful learning experiences



### Printed Resource: Spot the Difference Game

- To learn by playing
- To improve word recognition by associating with pictures/visuals





## Key Feature #3

### Authentic contexts and materials

- Settings and contexts that students can relate to and to encourage them to use what they have learnt in their daily lives.



Textbook



- Students to describe and share their daily routines and good habits with their friends.

- Students to learn about canteen food and vocabulary they can use in conversations.





## Key Feature #3

Support students through visual, auditory and kinesthetic learning methods

Available in SLS



Digital Resource: e-Big Books with interactive features to develop Oracy Skills,  
and to promote reading at home



## Key Feature #4

Use of technology to sustain interest and encourage self-directed learning



CL Digital Resource: Hanyu Pinyin Animation



TL Digital Resource: Tongue Placement Videos



CL Digital Resource: Hanyu Pinyin Games



TL Digital Resource: AR Experience

ML Digital Resource:  
Bridging Videos







## Resources for Primary One



### Printed Resources

**Textbooks,  
Activity Books,  
Writing  
Exercise Books,  
Big Books,  
Small Readers**



### ICT Resources

**Animations, Videos,  
Audios, Songs and  
Rhymes,  
Animated Reading  
Texts, Interactive  
Games, etc**



### Toolkit

**Picture cards, Board  
Games, Letter/Word  
Cards, Character  
Cards, Grammar  
Cards, Letter  
Manipulatives,  
Reading Pen, etc**





# **JYPS MTL Department Key Programmes**

## **Applied Learning Programme**

### **Confident Communicators**

#### **Focus: Oracy Skills**

### **Objectives:**

- Find joy in learning MTL
- Build confidence to use MTL to express oneself
- Build curiosity and nurture imagination

Official (Open) / Non-sensitive



# Mother Tongue Fortnight Activities

- Students participates in cultural programme such as learning about cultural art forms
- The programme provide opportunities for students to learn and appreciate their culture





# Learning Outcomes for Primary 1 MTL



## Learning Outcomes (LOs)

- To reflect students' learning progress in the Holistic Development Profile (HDP)
- From 2019, schools use subject specific LOs and qualitative descriptors to report P1 and P2 students' learning progress for all subjects
- Progression descriptors are given for each learning outcome identified for the semester

Progression Descriptors			
4	3	2	1
Beginning	Developing	Competent	Exceeding





## Learning Outcomes for Mother Tongue Languages

Skills	Learning Outcomes
Listening	1. Listen attentively to short, simple spoken content related to daily life.
Speaking and spoken interaction	2. Speak with correct pronunciation using vocabulary and sentence structures from Primary 1 texts.
	3. Ask and/or respond to simple questions related to daily life.
Reading	4. Recognize characters taught in Primary 1.
	5. Read aloud Primary 1 texts with accuracy.
	6. Understand Primary 1 texts and are able to identify some details with guidance.
Writing	7. Write words, phrases and simple sentence(s) about daily life with guidance.



## Supporting your child in MTL Learning

- Tips for Parents *(video launching in Jan 2024)*



- Parents will receive more information on the new curriculum via MOE website and other platforms (e.g. schoolbag, Parent Gateway, schools' parent engagement sessions)

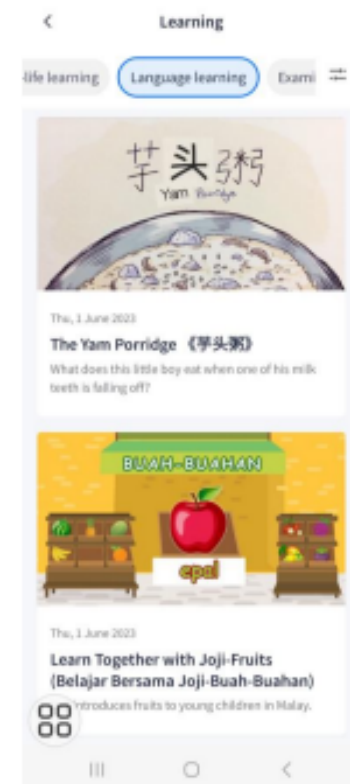
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## Supporting your child in MTL Learning



**Cultivate the love of reading MTL books, e.g. visit the library or borrow e-books**



**Encourage them to take small steps in learning MTL, e.g. read signs, listen to music**



**Do fun activities in MTL together, e.g. watch a film or performance**



**Provide a conducive environment for learning MTL, e.g. access to MTL music and books**