

# JUNYUAN PRIMARY SCHOOL

#### **Our School Vision**

Future-Ready Learners, Leaders of Character

#### **Our School Mission**

Nurturing Every Child in a Vibrant and Caring Environment where Talents Blossom

# JYPS BULLETIN FOR PARENTS

# **MARCH 2025**

Dear Parents / Guardians,

### 1. For Students, By Students - JYPS News 91

We are heartened to share exciting news about a new student-led initiative at our school: "For Students, By Students – JYPS News 91".

This project, initiated by our talented students, reflects our mission of nurturing every child in a vibrant and caring environment where talents blossom. A group of students has come forward to write about student life in JYPS and create a school newspaper. This initiative aims to foster empathy and confidence enhance communication skills and build a sense of community



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We are immensely proud of our students' creativity and courage in bringing their ideas to life. Their work demonstrates the power of student voice and agency in our school community. We encourage you to visit the school website with your child to read this inaugural article. We hope this initiative will inspire more students to share their ideas, experiences, and perspectives through this platform. Together, we can nurture a school environment where every student's voice is valued and heard.

Thank you for your continued support in our students' growth and development.

## 2. Travel Declaration for Term 1 School Holiday

To ensure that schools continue to be a healthy and safe environment for all, we require parents/guardians to make a travel declaration for your child/ward if he/she will be travelling for the holidays.

To make a travel declaration for your child/ward via Parents' Gateway (PG), go to [SERVICE -> DECLARE TRAVELS].

• Please declare your child/ward's travel plan(s), indicating both the country and city of travel, and any city of transit, by 14 March (Friday). Only one parent is required to make the declaration.

If your child/ward is not travelling during the holidays, no action is required.

When planning your travel, please refer to <a href="https://www.ica.gov.sg/enter-transit-depart">https://www.ica.gov.sg/enter-transit-depart</a> for more information and updates. If there is a change in travel plan(s) after declaration, please submit a new travel declaration via PG if there is a change in travel destination or inform the school if the travel plan(s) are cancelled.

### 3. Primary School Transfer Service

Parents who wish to seek a transfer due to a change in residential address (Transfer Category 1) for your child / children at the P1 to P5 level of the current academic year are to visit <a href="https://www.moe.gov.sg/primary/transfers">www.moe.gov.sg/primary/transfers</a> to apply online during the stipulated application periods.

Application periods have been planned to facilitate students' reporting to the allocated primary school offered at the start of the school term. Parents will receive the application outcome via SMS to the parent's local mobile number.

### 4. ActiveSG School Holiday Activities

The school holidays are here again! Join ActiveSG yet again to keep active, be happy and sporty! A definite fun way to relax before school bell starts ringing again!

If you are a Singapore Citizen or a Permanent Resident, sign up as ActiveSG members and use your ActiveSG dollars to offset the premium (up to 30%) for the programmes. Click on this link (<a href="https://activeparents.myactivesg.com/activities/ap/get-active-this-march-holidays-and-beyond">https://activeparents.myactivesg.com/activities/ap/get-active-this-march-holidays-and-beyond</a>) for more details.

### 5. World Water Day

World Water Day 2025, observed on March 22, will focus on the theme "Glacier Preservation", highlighting the critical role of glaciers in sustaining life and the water cycle. Glaciers are essential sources of freshwater for billions of people - providing water for drinking, agriculture, and industry.

However, they are melting at unprecedented rates due to climate change, leading to unpredictable water flows, floods, droughts, and rising sea levels. Preserving glaciers is vital for maintaining these water resources and protecting ecosystems.

In Junyuan Primary School, we actively support PUB's call for water conservation and have come up with an array of activities to engage our students in learning the various ways of conserving water. By adopting simple yet impactful ways, our students can play a significant role in conserving water and protecting vital resources like glaciers.

# **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Date	Events	Remarks
24 Feb –	P6 Non-Weighted Assessment 1 (NWA1)	P6 students only
7 Mar		The schedule and topics to be tested have been
		sent to parents and guardians via Parents
		Gateway on 24 Jan.
		P3 to P5 students will not be sitting for WA in
		Term 1. They will be assessed holistically
		through bite-sized assessments.
11	P3 Learn For Life Programme	For ALL P3 students only
	(Timing 2.00pm to 3.30pm)	PG will be sent out when nearer.
11 – 12	P4 – P6 Executive Functioning Skills Programme	For ALL P4 – P6 students
	(Timing 2.00pm to 3.30pm)	PG will be sent out when nearer.
14	Eat with Your Family Day (EWYFD)	Family for Life Initiative
		General Office will close at 5pm.
15 - 23	Term 1 School Holidays	For P1 – P6 students
	,	ALL students to report back on 24 Mar.
	Cyber Wellness e-Learning via SLS (P2-P6)	For P2 – P6 students only
25 - 28	P6 Parent-Teacher Meet	For P6 students
	(Timing 2.30pm to 4.30pm)	Teams details will be sent out by FTs when
		nearer via PG.
		(ONLY for parents who have opted for Teams)
31	Hari Raya Puasa	Public Holiday