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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Updates on Covid-19 Measures in BRPS from 21 Sep to 6 Oct 2021

- 1. With the recent rise in Covid-19 community cases, the Ministry of Education (MOE) will be implementing additional precautionary measures for primary schools in the lead up to the start of written papers for the Primary School Leaving Examination.
- 2. P3 to P5 APEX and Remedial Lessons on 21, 23 Sep and 7, 14 Oct:

In view of the new announcement regarding HBL, face-to-face P3 to P5 remedial lessons and APEX (Math & Science) lessons will be suspended on 21, 23 Sep and 7, 14 Oct. These lessons will be replaced by SLS lessons for <u>all students</u>.

To provide continued support for our graduating cohort, P6 supplementary lessons and Road to Excellence (RTE) sessions will continue to take place as per normal from 21 to 24 Sep.

- 3. P3 to P5 End-Of-Year Oral Examinations:
- 3.1 Please note that there will be <u>no P3 End-Of-Year Oral Examination</u>. However, EL and MTL teachers will provide opportunities for oral practice during the HBL period, although this will not be weighted for examination purposes.
- 3.2 P4 and P5 End-Of-Year Oral Examinations will continue to take place in school during the HBL period. Students will need to report to school according to the schedule below:

Date	Class	Subject	Reporting Time	
	4 Sapphire	EL and MTL Oral	7.30 am	Students will be dismissed immediately after
27 Sep (Mon)	4 Topaz	EL and MTL Oral	10.00 am	they have completed their Oral
	5 Sapphire	MTL e-Oral	7.30 am	Examination.
28 Sep (Tue)	5 Topaz	MTL e-Oral	10.00 am	Please ensure that your child/ward has
	5 Sapphire	EL Oral	7.30 am	their breakfast before reporting to school.
29 Sep (Wed)	5 Topaz	EL Oral	10.00am	

- 4 Home-Based learning from 27 Sep to 6 Oct:
- 4.1 From 27 Sep, all MOE schools will shift to full Home-Based Learning (HBL) till 6 Oct.
- 4.2. During the period of full HBL, we will provide instructions and support for your child to access a range of both online (asynchronous or synchronous) and hardcopy HBL resources so that learning can continue. Please see <u>Annex A</u> for the HBL schedule for the different levels. The schedule will also be posted on the school website and Student Learning Space (SLS). Your child will be provided with instructions on how to access their HBL materials by his/her teachers. The full HBL will cover all subjects, including Character and Citizenship Education (CCE) and Social Studies (SS), so that our students will continue to benefit holistically from a broad range of learning activities. They will be designed to allow students to complete them independently.
- 4.3. We encourage you to support your child by providing a conducive environment at home. You could do this by:
 - Working out a daily schedule/routine with your child and guiding your child in setting goals and scheduling tasks. For further tips on guiding your child in setting goals, refer to the Resilience Boosters at https://go.gov.sg/selresforparents.
 - Establishing an agreement with your child on managing screen time. We will assign a maximum of 2 hours of online learning every day.
 - Encouraging your child to maintain an optimistic and positive outlook while accepting the changes and emotions that he/she has had to face as part of going through HBL.
- 4.4. If your child requires additional support for HBL such as access to digital devices or internet connection, please alert his/her form teacher, who will be able to advise on alternative arrangements.
- 4.5. If your child needs learning or emotional support, he/she can approach our teachers and other school personnel such as our allied educators and school counsellor, who will continue to work from home or from school. Our teachers will also be in regular contact with you and your child.
- 4.6. The Student Care Centre (SCC) will remain open during this period. Please contact SCC at 94596376 for any enquiries.
- 4.7. Please ensure that your child stays at home and continues to observe good hygiene practices such as washing their hands frequently with soap. If he/she feels unwell, please seek medical attention promptly and inform his/her form teacher if he/she displays any fever or flu-like symptoms.
- 4.8. We will resume classes on <u>7 October</u>. <u>P1-P5 students are strongly encouraged to do an Antigen Rapid Test (ART) swab test at home either on 4 or 5 Oct, before they return to school. For P6 students, they should do an ART swab test on either 27 or 28 Sep before the start of their PSLE Written Paper. MOE will continue to closely monitor the Covid-19 situation and we will keep you updated if there are any changes. We urge you to rely on official sources of information and not to circulate any unconfirmed information. If you have any further queries, please contact the General Office at 62717387.</u>
- 4.9. Thank you and do keep safe!

Yours sincerely,

Francis Foo Principal

Primary 1 and Primary 2 Home-based Learning (HBL) 27 September to 6 October 2021

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Date					
0930	English	Mathematics	PE	English	Mathematics
to	Language	e-Learning	e-Learning	Language/	e-Learning
1000	e-Learning			Social	
				Studies	
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1000	English	Mathematics	PE Assignment	English	Mathematics
to 1030	Language	Assignment	Assignment	Language/ Social	Assignment
1030	Assignment			Studies	
				Assignment	
1030	Mother	Mother	Mother Tongue	Mother	Mother
to	Tongue	Tongue	Language/CCE	Tongue	Tongue
1100	Language e-	Language e-	e-Learning	Language e-	Language e-
	Learning	Learning	_	Learning	Learning
1100	Mother	Mother	Mother Tongue	Mother	Mother
to	Tongue	Tongue	Language	Tongue	Tongue
1130	Language	Language	Assignment	Language	Language
	Assignment	Assignment		Assignment	Assignment
1130			LUNCH		
to 1215					
1215	Mathematics	Art	English	Mathematics	Music
to	Assignment	Assignment	Language	Assignment	e-Learning
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1245	Mathematics	Art	English	Mathematics	Music
to	e-Learning	Assignment	Language	e-Learning	Assignment
1315			e-Learning		
1315	PE	English	Mathematics	Art	English
to	e-Learning	Language	e-Learning	e-Learning	Language
1345 1345	PE	e-Learning	Mathematics	Λ4	e-Learning
1345 to	· —	English	Assignment	Art	English
1415	Assignment	Language Assignment	Assignment	Assignment	Language Assignment
1400	*Question and Answer Session for Primary 1				
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to 1600		*Question an	d Answer Session	101 Phillary 2	

^{*} Teacher may call, annotate or write notes in the specific activity in the SLS during this time.

Primary 3 and Primary 4 Home-based Learning (HBL) 27 September to 6 October 2021

27 September: English Language and Mother Tongue Language oral examination for Primary 4: Please support your child in completing the HBL tasks at home after the oral examination.

Time / Date	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
0900 to 0930	English Language Assignment	Mathematics Assignment	Science Assignment	English Language/ Social Studies Assignment	Mathematics Assignment
0930 to 1000	English Language e-Learning	Mathematics e-Learning	Science e-Learning	English Language/ Social Studies e-Learning	Mathematics e-Learning
1000 to 1030	Mother Tongue Language Assignment	Mother Tongue Language Assignment	Mother Tongue Language Assignment	Mother Tongue Language Assignment	Mother Tongue Language Assignment
1030 to 1100	Mother Tongue Language e- Learning	Mother Tongue Language e- Learning	Mother Tongue Language/CCE e-Learning	Mother Tongue Language e- Learning	Mother Tongue Language e- Learning
1100 to 1130	Mathematics Assignment	Science Assignment	English Language Assignment	Mathematics Assignment	PE Assignment
1130 to 1200	Mathematics e-Learning	Science e-Learning	English Language e-Learning	Mathematics e-Learning	Music e-Learning
1200 to 1245			LUNCH		
1245 to 1315	Science Assignment	English Language Assignment	Mathematics Assignment	PE Assignment	English Language Assignment
1315 to 1345	Science e-Learning	English Language e-Learning	Mathematics e-Learning	Art e-Learning	English Language e-Learning
1400 to 1500			d Answer Session	-	
1500 to 1600		*Question an	d Answer Session	for Primary 4	

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Primary 5 and Primary 6 Home-based Learning (HBL) 27 September to 6 October 2021

28 September: e-Oral (Mother Tongue Language) for Primary 5 29 September: English Language oral examination for Primary 5

Please support your child in completing the HBL tasks at home after the oral examinations.

PSLE Written Examinations for Primary 6 from 30 September to 6 October: Primary 6 students to report to school accordingly for their examinations.

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Date					
0800	English	Mathematics	Science	English/	Mathematics
to	Language	e-Learning	e-Learning	Social	e-Learning
0830	e-Learning			Studies	
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0830	English	Mathematics	Science	English/	Mathematics
to 0900	Language Assignment	Assignment	Assignment	Social Studies	Assignment
0900	Assignment			Assignment	
0900	Mathematics	Science	English	Mathematics	PE
to	e-Learning	e-Learning	Language	e-Learning	Assignment
0930			e-Learning		
0930	Mathematics	Science	English	Mathematics	Music
to	Assignment	Assignment	Language	Assignment	Assignment
1000	Mother Tengue	Mother	Assignment	Mother	Mother
to	Mother Tongue Language/Higher	Tongue	Mother Tongue Language/CCE	Tongue	Tongue
1030	Mother Tongue	Language e-	e-Learning	Language e-	Language e-
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	Learning				3
1030	Mother Tongue	Mother	Mother Tongue	Mother	Mother
to	Language/	Tongue	Language	Tongue	Tongue
1100	Higher Mother	Language	Assignment	Language	Language
	Tongue	Assignment		Assignment	Assignment
	Language				
1100	Assignment LUNCH				
to	LUNCH				
1145					
1145	Science	English	Mathematics	PE	English
to	e-Learning	Language	e-Learning	Assignment	Language
1215		e-Learning		_	e-Learning
1215	Science	English	Mathematics	Art	English
to	Assignment	Language	Assignment	Assignment	Language
1245 1400		Assignment *Ouestion and A	L Answer Session fo	r Primary 6	Assignment
to	*Question and Answer Session for Primary 6				
1500					
1500	*Question and Answer Session for Primary 5				
to				•	
1600					

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