



BENDEMEER PRIMARY SCHOOL

24 Mar 2026

Dear Parent / Guardian,

Welcome back to Term 2! We are delighted to have all our students return to school and look forward to another productive term ahead. This letter provides a brief recap of key Term 1 activities, and important updates on school matters and key information you'll need for Term 2.

1. Recap of Term 1 Activities.

Student Development	<p>As part of the CNY Festive Outreach on 6 Feb, our School Leaders and Student Leaders distributed mandarin oranges and horse-shaped craftwork to the community in the school neighbourhood.</p> <p>Back in school, our School Leaders extended their greetings to all staff to show gratitude and recognize their contributions to the school.</p>
	<p>At the end of Term 1, students bonded with their classmates and teachers during the Class Picnic, strengthening relationships and deepening their sense of belonging. The picnic provided meaningful moments to celebrate their learning, reflect on shared experiences, and show appreciation for one another. Through the "Use Our Hands" campaign, students demonstrated responsibility and ownership by cleaning and caring for their shared learning spaces, contributing to a positive learning environment.</p>
Community Involvement	<p>This year's Total Defence Day Commemoration involved simulated power and digital disruptions, helping students understand the importance of preparedness in an increasingly connected world. With guidance from their teachers, students reflected on the disruption and learnt not to take the resources they have for granted. Students also participated in engaging activities to learn more about the six pillars of Total Defence and benefited from a sharing by the Republic of Singapore Air Force (RSAF). These learning opportunities helped students develop a stronger awareness of their role in safeguarding Singapore's future.</p>
Innovation Day	<p>On 6 Mar, our Primary 5 students showcased their achievements at Innovation Day, celebrating 2.5 months of work on sustainable home projects through their Applied Learning Programme (ALP).</p> <p>Throughout Term 1, students collaborated twice weekly, tackling real-world challenges through design thinking and micro:bit programming. They created prototype sustainable homes built from recycled materials, demonstrating creativity and environmental consciousness by transforming waste into functional, eco-friendly housing models.</p> <p>Innovation Day allowed parents and peers to witness the fruit of our students' hard work. The event celebrated their ability to combine technology, creativity, and environmental awareness.</p> <p>We are incredibly proud of our Primary 5 students' dedication, teamwork, and innovative thinking. Their projects exemplify creativity, environmental responsibility, and collaborative problem-solving.</p>

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2. Parents Gateway and Updating of Student Information.

We would like to thank all parents who have come on board Parents Gateway (PG), the digital platform for the school to post announcements and online consent forms. If you have any queries on PG, please contact our General Office. If there are **any changes in the student information (e.g. correspondence email, medical information, and/or contact numbers etc)**, please update via Student Details Form Portal (<https://pg.moe.edu.sg/forms/sdf>), or inform the General Office as soon as possible.

3. School Activities.

The after-school activities and no-school days can be found in **Annex A**. Please see **Annex B** for the tentative assessment dates (including PSLE Time-Table).

Level	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
P1, P2	No Weighted Assessment and Examination			
P3, P4, P5	-	Weighted Assessment 1	Weighted Assessment 2	End-of-Year Exam
P6	Weighted Assessment 1	Weighted Assessment 2	P6 Prelim Exam PSLE Oral	PSLE LC & Written Exam

4. Term 2 Parent-Teacher Meeting (PTM) / Parent Child Teacher Conference (PCTC).

We value building positive partnership with our parents in supporting the development of their children. The PTM and PCTC will be conducted over 2 days, from 28 May to 29 May. Instructions on how to submit your booking slots will be disseminated to you at a later date.

Level	28 May	29 May
P1, P3 to P5	PTM (2.00pm – 4.00pm)	PTM (7.30am – 2.00pm)
P2	PCTC (2.00pm – 4.00pm)	PCTC (7.30am – 2.00pm)

5. School Safety is fundamental to the well-being of students and staff, and requires a whole-school approach where school collaborates with our stakeholders.

On **Road Safety**, we would like to thank parents who drive their children to school for your attention to pedestrian safety in the school vicinity.

At the same time, we wish to remind parents that Gate H (along Serangoon Road) is **strictly for pedestrian access only**. Vehicles stopping outside Gate H create serious safety hazards. The Land Transport Authority is actively monitoring this area and will increase enforcement patrols when necessary. For safe drop-off and pick-up, please use nearby public carparks at Beng Wan Road and Blk 45 Bendemeer Road, which leads to the school Gate A.



Left: Gate H area (along Serangoon Road)

Please **DO NOT** alight or pickup the children here, as it poses safety hazard to the children and other road users.

6. Emergency Exercises in Term 2

Temperature-Taking Exercise: Wednesday, 1 April 2026

Action Required: Please ensure your child brings a working thermometer to school on this day.

Evacuation Exercise: Monday, 18 May 2026

This exercise will involve SCDF and SPF. Students will receive a full briefing beforehand. No action required from parents.

7. Parent Support Group (PSG)

Our school's Parent Support Group (PSG) is a dedicated community of parents who actively enrich the learning experiences of our students. More than volunteers, our PSG members are trusted partners in building a vibrant and supportive school environment.

The PSG is led by the following PSG Executive Committee (Exco), a team of passionate PSG members who leads, plans and coordinates the efforts of PSG.

S/N	Name	Appointment
1	Mdm Chua Shuqi Lydia	Chairperson
2	Mdm Anahita Kersi Aspar	Vice-Chairperson
3	Mdm Karen Ng Kim Ee	Secretary
4	Mdm Ng Heng Boon Alina	Member
5	Mr Teo Beng Ngo	Member
6	Mdm Yong Wai Lee	Member
7	Mdm Binaifer Kersi Aspar	Member
8	Mdm Diane Kwok	Member

The school would like to express our sincere appreciation to the strong and ongoing partnership with PSG, and PSG Exco.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs Tan-Lim Kim Gek
Principal

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No-School days and After-School Activities in Term 2, 2026

Week	Date	Activities	Remarks
1	Mon, 23 Mar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hari Raya Puasa (Public Holiday-in-lieu) 	No school for all students
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> P4 IGNITE and P3, P5 & P6 after-school lessons to commence from 26 Mar (pm) 	Details will be available separately
2	Fri, 3 Apr	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Holiday – Good Friday 	No school for all students
6	Fri, 1 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Holiday – Labour Day 	No school for all students
10	Wed, 27 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Holiday – Hari Raya Haji 	No school for all students
	Thu, 28 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PCTC for P2 (2.00pm – 4.00pm) PTM for P1, P3-P5 (2.00pm – 4.00pm) 	Details will be available separately
	Fri, 29 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PCTC for P2 (7.30am – 2.00pm) PTM for P1, P3-P5, selected P6 (7.30am – 2.00pm) 	No school for all students (PCTC/PTM) Details will be available separately
30 May to 28 Jun		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Term 2 School Holidays 	
Mon, 2 Jun Tue, 3 Jun		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> P6 Masterclass (7.30am – 12.00nn) 	Primary 6 students only
- Mon, 2 Jun to Tue, 3 Jun - Wed, 24 Jun to Thu, 25 Jun		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Selected CCA sessions 	Selected CCA students Consent forms will be issued later



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No-School days and After-School Activities in Term 3, 2026 (tentative)

Week	Date	Activities	Remarks
2	Mon, 6 Jul	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Holiday – Youth Day 	No school for all students
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> P3 - P6 after-school lessons to commence from 9 Jul (pm) 	
6	Sat, 8 Aug	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Holiday – National Day 	Early dismissal for all students on 7 Aug (Fri) at 10.30am
7	Mon, 10 Aug	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Holiday – National Day 	No school for all students
	Wed, 12 Aug & Thu, 13 Aug	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PSLE Oral 	No school for P1-P5 students (PSLE Oral Examinations)
10	Fri, 4 Sep	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Holiday – Teachers' Day 	No school for all students Early dismissal for all students on 3 Sep (Thu) at 10.30am
5 Sep to 13 Sep		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Term 3 School Holidays 	
Thu, 10 Sep to Fri, 11 Sep		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> P6 Supplementary Classes (7.30am – 12.00nn) 	Primary 6 students only
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Selected CCA sessions 	Selected CCA students (Consent forms will be issued later)



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No-School days and After-School Activities in Term 4, 2026 (tentative)

Week	Date	Activities	Remarks
1	Mon, 14 Sep	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> P3-P6 after-school lessons to commence from 14 Sep (pm) 	Details will be available at a later date
1	Tue, 15 Sep	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PSLE Listening Comprehension 	No School for P1 to P5 levels (PSLE Listening Comprehension)
2	Wed, 24 Sep	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Study Break for P6 Students 	No School for P6 (Study Break for PSLE)
	Thu, 24 Sep & Fri, 25 Sep	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Home-Based Learning for P3 & P4 Students 	PSLE Exams
3	Mon, 28 Sep	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Home-Based Learning for P5 Students 	PSLE Exams
	Tue, 29 Sep	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Home-Based Learning for P5 Students 	PSLE Exams
	Fri, 2 Oct	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Holiday – Children’s Day 	No school for all students Early dismissal for all students on 1 Oct (Thu) at 10.30am
5	Mon, 12 Oct to Wed, 14 Oct	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PSLE Marking 	No school for all students (PSLE Marking Exercise)
8	Fri, 6 Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Admin Day 	No school for all students (Admin Day)
9	Mon, 9 Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Holiday (Deepavali) 	No school for all students
	Fri, 13 Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> P1 and K1 Orientation 	No school for all students (Orientation)
10	Wed, 18 Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pupil-Child-Teacher Conference for P1 (2.00pm – 4.00pm) 	
	Thu, 19 Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Honours Day (selected students to attend school) Pupil-Child-Teacher Conference for P1 (2.00pm – 4.00pm) 	No school for all students (Honours Day / PCTC)
	Fri, 20 Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parent-Teacher Mtg for P2 to P5 (7.30am – 2.00pm) Pupil-Child-Teacher Conference for P1 (7.30am – 2.00pm) 	No school for all students (PTM / PCTC)
21 Nov to 1 Jan 2027		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Term 4 School Holidays 	
- Mon, 23 Nov & Tue, 24 Nov - Mon, 28 Dec & Tue, 29 Dec		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Selected CCA sessions 	Selected CCA students Consent forms will be issued later

2026 Bendemeer Primary School Assessment Dates

Week	Date	Paper	Remarks
T2 / Wk 5-6	24 Apr to 30 Apr	P3 and P4 Science Performance-Based Assessment	
T2 / Wk 5	22 Apr & 23 Apr (Wed & Thu)	P6 EL/MTL Oral Test	- After-school
T2 / Wk 7-8	4 May – 15 May	P3 to P4 EL, MTL Maths WA P5 to P6 EL, MTL, Maths, Science WA	
T3 / Wk 4	22 – 23 Jul (Wed & Thu)	P6 Prelim Oral (EL/MTL)	- After-school
T3 / Wk 6	4 Aug (Tue)	P6 Prelim LC (EL/MTL)	
T3 / Wk 8	17 Aug – 28 Aug	P3 to P5 WA2	
	20 Aug (Thu)	P6 Prelim EL Paper 1 & 2	
	21 Aug (Fri)	P6 Prelim Maths	
T3 / Wk 9	24 Aug (Mon)	P6 Prelim MTL Paper 1 & 2	
	25 Aug (Tue)	P6 Prelim Science	
	26 Aug (Wed)	P6 Prelim HMTL Paper 1 & 2	
T4 / Wk 2	21 Sep, 22 Sep (Mon & Tue)	P4 End-of-Year Exam EL/MTL Oral	- After-school
T4 / Wk 4	5 Oct – 6 Oct (Mon & Tue)	P5 End-of-Year Exam EL/MTL Oral	- After-school
	7 Oct – 8 Oct (Wed & Thu)	P3 End-of-Year Exam EL/MTL Oral	
	9 Oct (Fri)	P3 to P5 End-of-Year Exam EL Paper 1	
T4 / Wk 5	16 Oct (Fri)	P3 to P5 End-of-Year Exam MTL Paper 1	- More details on topics tested and duration of paper will be given at a later date
T4 / Wk 6	19 Oct (Mon)	P5 End-of-Year Exam HMTL Paper 1	
	22 Oct (Thu)	P3 to P5 End-of-Year Exam EL Paper 2 & LC	
	23 Oct (Fri)	P3 to P5 End-of-Year Exam Maths	
T4 / Wk 7	26 Oct (Mon)	P3 to P5 End-of-Year Exam MTL Paper 2 & LC	
	27 Oct (Tue)	P3 to P5 End-of-Year Exam SC	
	28 Oct (Wed)	P5 End-of-Year Exam HTML Paper 2	

2026 PSLE Time-Table (Tentative)

Week	Date	Paper
T3 / Wk 7	12 - 13 Aug (Wed & Thu)	PSLE Oral (EL/MTL)
T4 / Wk 1	15 Sep (Tue)	PSLE Listening Comprehension (EL/MT)
T4 / Wk 2 & Wk 3	24 Sep (Thu)	EL Paper 1 & Paper 2 Foundation EL Paper 1 & Paper 2
	25 Sep (Fri)	Mathematics Paper 1 & Paper 2 Foundation Mathematics Paper 1 & Paper 2
	28 Sep (Mon)	Mother Tongue Language Paper 1 & Paper 2 Foundation Mother Tongue Language Paper 1
	29 Sep (Tue)	Science Foundation Science
	30 Sep (Wed)	Higher Mother Tongue Language Paper 1 & Paper 2



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