



WEST GROVE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Through the Principal,
Mrs Chandler Jay Siva

15 September 2022

Dear P6 Parents/Guardians,

Welcome to term 4!

We hope you have had a short yet enriching break with your child. With the option of mask off in school, we will continue to provide more opportunities for our students - fostering a sense of **Purpose** and enhancing **Engagement**. (PROSPER Framework)

Students have a sense of '**purpose**' when they perceive that their goals are worthwhile. Having a sense of purpose is closely related to a sense of meaning in life and frequently involves a pro-social or altruistic intent such as a commitment to helping others or improving the world.

Our students had participated activities like adopting an area in the school to take care, making appreciating cards for our Non-Teaching Staff and donating food for the needy in our community. Another example of empowering students by giving them a 'voice', autonomy and sense of purpose is through their participation in Focus Group Discussions. Through these discussions, students voiced out their perspectives on teachers, student leaders and learning experiences in the school.

All these **Engagement** have allowed our students to be more actively engaged and involved in each step and task in the learning process and their critical and creative thinking.

As our students move on to the next level of their education pathways, they may struggle to make sense of their existence, parents can also play a pivotal role by engaging them in thought-provoking discussions, asking relevant questions, and helping them in self-directed learning, thus, finding a meaningful and helpful purpose in this modern world.

Study Break

Similar to arrangements for the 2021 year-end national examinations, schools will be implementing a study break for the P6 cohort. For this year, it is from **26 September** to **28 September**. During the study break, students are encouraged to remain at home to reduce the risk of contracting COVID-19. Students should also make use of the study break to revise for their upcoming examinations and clarify any questions they have with their teachers. Your child's subject teachers are available for consultation. They will update you on their availability via the Parent Gateway.

Post-PSLE Programmes

After PSLE, do ensure that your child still reports for school as interesting programmes have been planned for your child. They include talks by our neighbouring secondary



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schools, a learning journey for marine conservation, Learn to Code, Art and Music Enrichments, Learning for Life – Gracious Leaders programme, Blood Pressure Initiative Programme and the P6 Graduation Day. More information will be shared after PSLE.

PSLE Results Release

The tentative dates for the release of the 2022 PSLE results are between **21 November 2022 and 25 November**. Do refer to the press releases for more updates.

Alumni Recruitment

West Grove has a dynamic Alumni community. Do encourage your child to sign up so that he/she can give back to their juniors upon graduation. More information will be provided during the talk for the Student Alumni.

With PSLE just weeks away, I would like to wish each and every one of our P6 students all the best.

Regards,

Mr Chong
Year Head P5 & P6



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Schedule of Key Events for Term 4 2022

Date	Activity	Remarks
16 Sep	PSLE Listening Comprehension	P1 – 5 students do not come to school
26 – 28 Sep	P6 Study Break	P6 students do not come to school
29 Sep	PSLE Written (English)	
30 Sep	PSLE Written (Maths)	
3 Oct	PSLE Written (Mother-Tongue)	
4 Oct	PSLE Written (Science)	
5 Oct	PSLE Written (Higher Mother-Tongue)	
6 Oct	Children’s Day Celebrations	All P1 – P6 students come to school as per normal
7 Oct	Children’s Day Holiday	School Holiday
17 Oct – 20 Oct	PSLE Marking	All students do not come to school
24 Oct	Deepavali	Public Holiday
14 Nov	Admin Day	All students do not come to school
18 Nov	Celebration of Success	All P1 – P6 students come to school as per normal
18 Nov	P6 Graduation Day	More details will be provided later
December School Holidays: 19 Nov 2022 – 2 Jan 2023		
School reopens on: <u>3 Jan 2023</u>		