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**A warm welcome to  
Parents/Guardians of Primary 3B**

**School-Parents  
Engagement &  
Communication  
Session  
(SPECS)**

**2 February  
2024**





# 2024 First Days Of School



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# **Our teachers & Communication Platforms**

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# Our Year Head and Asst Year Head



**Mr Asraf**

**Mrs Lim**

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# C4RE Teachers of 3 Brilliant



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# **P3**

## **learning experiences**



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# Transition to Middle Primary



Lower Primary (P1 & P2)



Middle Primary (P3 & P4)



## A Caring Achiever

**Caring individuals who have a good sense of self awareness and are able to build positive relationships through care and respect.**

## A Responsible Achiever

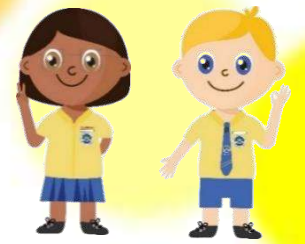
**Self-directed learners who make responsible decisions and are able to collaborate in harmony.**



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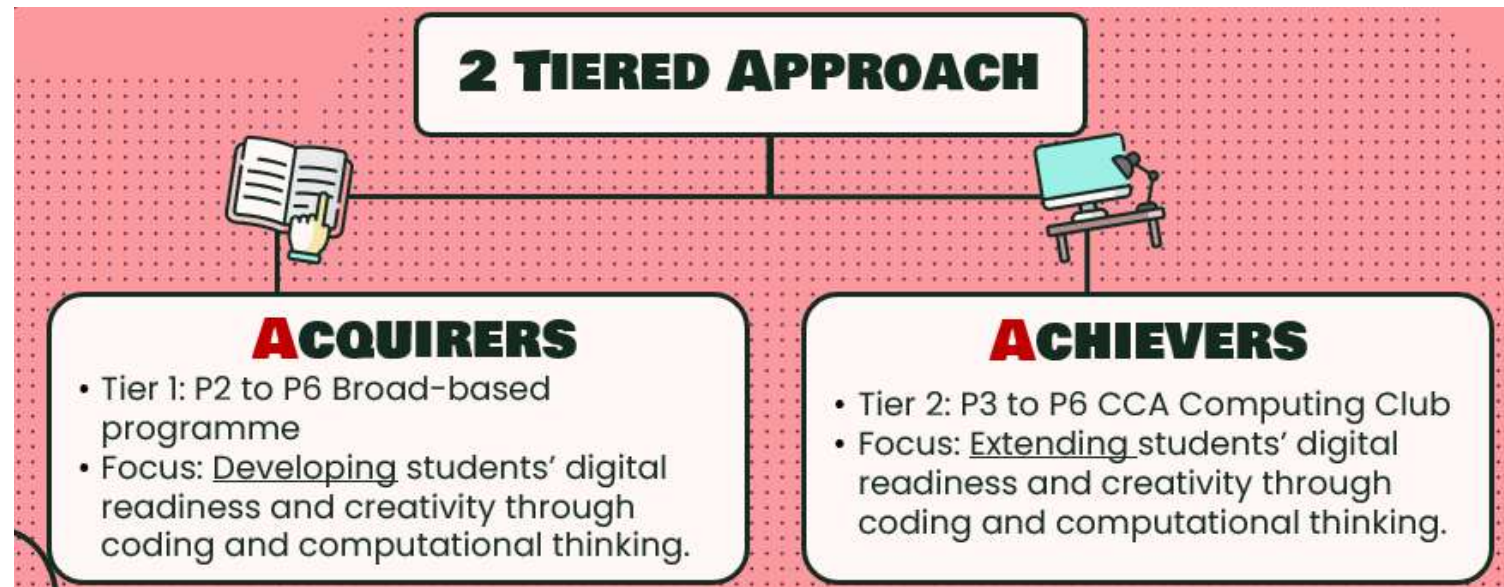
# WSPS alignment to paradigm shift



## Applied Learning Programme

Our Objective:

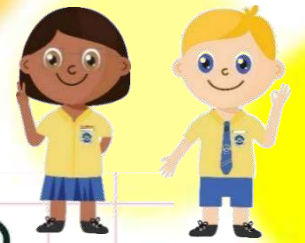
With **ALP**, we aim to nurture White Sandians to be **creative problem solvers with computational thinking skills.**



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## TIER 1 BROAD-BASED PROGRAMME (OVERVIEW)

### P2



- Foundation level: Scratch Junior App.
- Curriculum alignment with EL Stellar 2.0 Big Book
- Creation of digital animation based on the theme "Care"

### P3



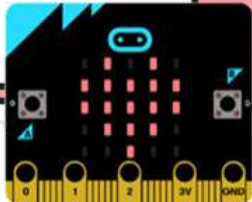
- Basic level: Scratch 3.0
- Curriculum alignment with MA topic on Money
- Creation of digital game about "Financial Literacy"

### P4

- Basic level: Micro:bit & Makecode
- Curriculum alignment with SC topic on Heat and Light
- Creation of prototype for Smart Home Project on saving electricity

### P5

- Basic to Intermediate level: Micro:bit and Makecode
- Curriculum alignment with SC topic on Electricity



### P6

Code for Fun programme by MOE: Sphero

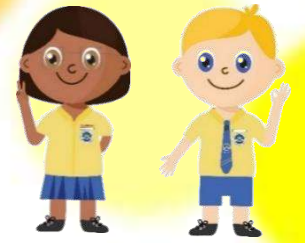


- ✓ Coding & Block programming skills and knowledge
- ✓ 21st CC Skills such as Communication and Information skills & Critical and Inventive Thinking
- ✓ Digital storytelling skills
- ✓ Computational thinking skills

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# Students in action



## PRIMARY 2 APPLIED LEARNING PROGRAMME

CREATING ANIMATIONS

USING SCRATCH JR.



## P3 Applied Learning Programme



Creating games using Scratch 3.0



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# WSPS alignment to paradigm shift



## Learning for Life Programme (LLP)

Primary 3

Chinese Brush Painting

- Focuses on **Heritage Art**
- Students **see the relevance of art in their own lives** and **appreciate its significance** in the societal and cultural aspects of society.
- Students **communicate and express their ideas confidently** using both visuals and appropriate art vocabulary.
- Students **apply their art learning in authentic settings** to make a positive impact on others.



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# P3 Learning Journeys



- ✓ Swimsafer Programme
- ✓ Hort Park Learning Journey
- ✓ Thow Kwang Pottery Jungle Learning Journey

More details will be shared via PG nearer the date of programme



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# Holistic development through CCA



## ABILITIES

| Logical & Analytical Thinking |  
| Critical Thinking | Creative Thinking |



## SKILLS

| Problem Solving | | Leadership | | Social |  
| Emotional | | Communication | | Technology |



## VALUES

| Social | | Ethical | | Recreational |



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# Holistic development through CCA



Discover their interests and talents



Provide opportunities to socialise



Build their character and strength



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# Gifted Education Programme (GEP) Screening Exercise



## Intent:

- To further develop pupils who are intellectually gifted
- These selected pupils will be studying P4 – 6 in another primary school under this programme.

**The Screening Exercise** is a tool for identifying these pupils who are intellectually gifted thus there is *no need for advance preparation.*

Stage	Date	Participants
GEP Screening Exercise	August	All Primary 3 pupils enrolled in government and government-aided schools
GEP Selection Exercise	October	Primary 3 pupils shortlisted after the GEP Screening Exercise



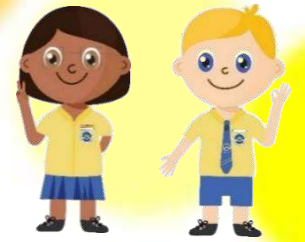
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# Assessment matters

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# Promoting the Joy of Learning



Since 2023, mid-year examination for all levels have been removed and replaced with weighted assessments.

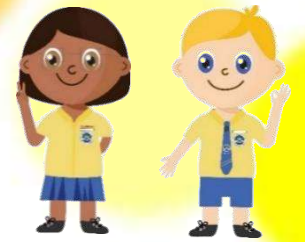
Level	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
P3	Weighted Assessment			Semestral Assessment
	10%	15%	15%	60%



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# Promoting the Joy of Learning



## Modes of assessment for Weighted Assessment

Subject	Modes of assessment
English	Speaking
Mathematics	Math Journal
Science	MCQ and Performance Task
Mother Tongue Languages	Reading and Speaking



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# A learner-oriented classroom environment

## GROW with Me!

Specific	Measurable	Achievable	Realistic	Timely
<b>S</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>T</b>
<b>G</b>	<b>O</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>S</b>
What do you want to do?	How will you know when you've reached it?	Is it in your power to accomplish it?	Can you realistically achieve it?	When exactly do you want to accomplish it?

We can set goals for anything we hope to achieve!

Start setting S.M.A.R.T Goals today!



Using positive language can help to reduce conflict, improve communication among friends. It will also help you to increase self-confidence and curb negative feelings. Practise it often!

The Power of Positive Self-Talk		
Builds Confidence		
Improves Attitude	Promotes Self-Love	Helps Cope with Stress
Allows for Taking Risks	Encourages Motivation	Helps Work Through Challenges

Let us start writing our success stories by practising the Growth Mindset!



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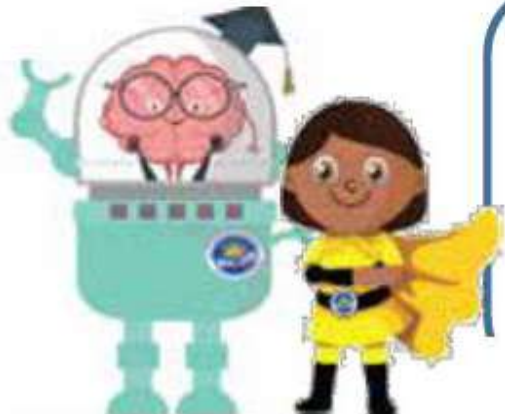
# A learner-oriented classroom environment

## GROW with Me!



A great way to use the power of yet into all that you do is to identify where you're using the word 'can't'.

All you need to do is to add the word 'yet' on the end and you have just change your mindset!



Gratitude is showing appreciation for what we have. People who express gratitude daily are happier than others.

So start saying "Thank You", appreciate the people around you and pay attention to the good things!



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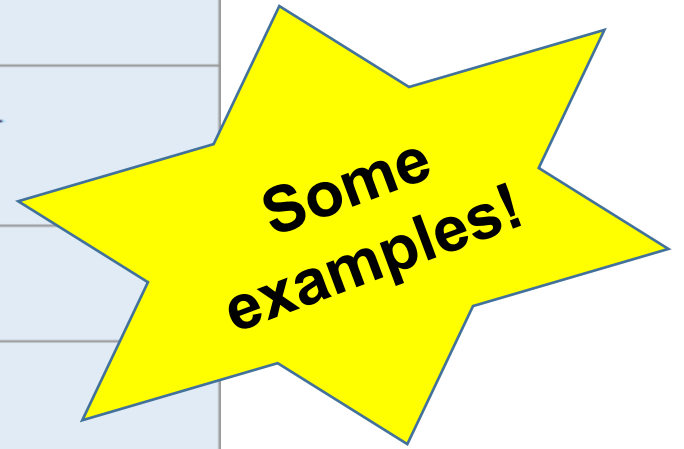


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# Encouragement for your child



Say This	Not That
"I can see you worked so hard on this!"	"You are so smart!"
"It seems like it's time to try a new strategy."	"It's okay. Maybe you're just not cut out for this!"
"I like watching you do that."	"You're a natural at that!"
"It looks like that was too easy for you. Let's find you something challenging so your brain can grow."	"That's right! You did that so quickly and easily; great job!"
"That's not right. You don't understand this yet. What strategies can you try to understand it better?"	"That's not right. Are you paying attention in class? It seems like you're not even trying."
"That was really hard. Your effort has paid off! Next time you'll be ready for this kind of challenge!"	"That was really hard. I'm so glad it's over and you don't have to do that again."



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# A learner-oriented classroom environment

## Class Identity



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# A learner-oriented classroom environment

## Class Expectations

### Class routines:

Punctuality

Greetings

Environment Check

Attire Check

Review, Recap and Reflect

# A learner-oriented classroom environment

## Class Expectations

- Pack the school bag everyday according to the class time-table given.
- A pencil case with 2B pencils, an eraser, a ruler, dark green pen for corrections and a highlighter.
- A working thermometer.
- A story book.
- School Handbook for recording information and daily homework.



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# A learner-oriented classroom environment

## Class Expectations



- Listen attentively when teachers instruct and teach.
- Complete class assignments on time.
- Complete homework on time unless there is a valid reason.
- Ask when in doubt.
- Learn to work in groups cooperatively and take turns.
- Help a friend if you can.
- Learn your multiplication tables!



***Do your best!***

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## First Days of School/ Term 1 learning experiences

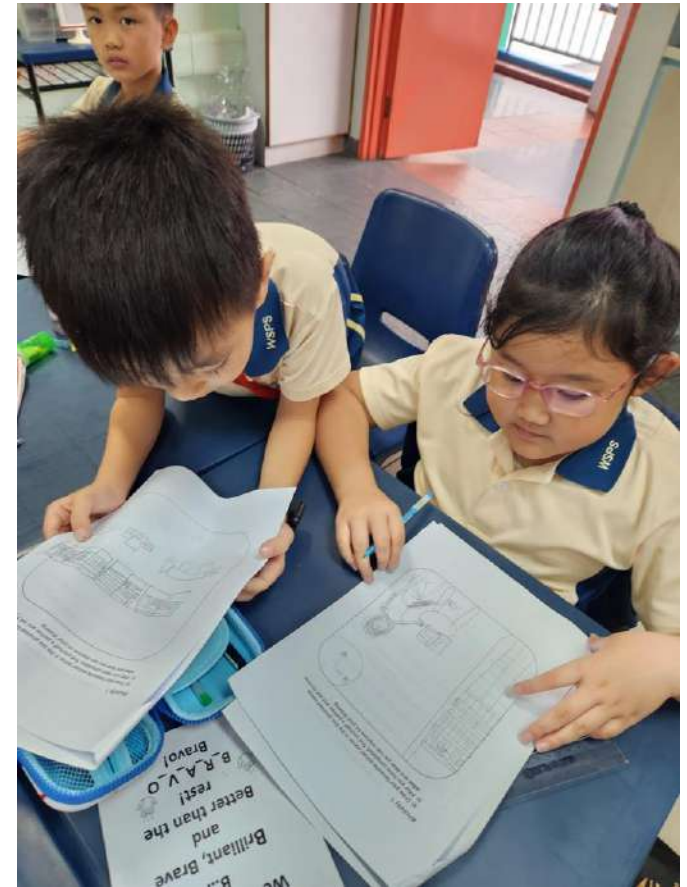
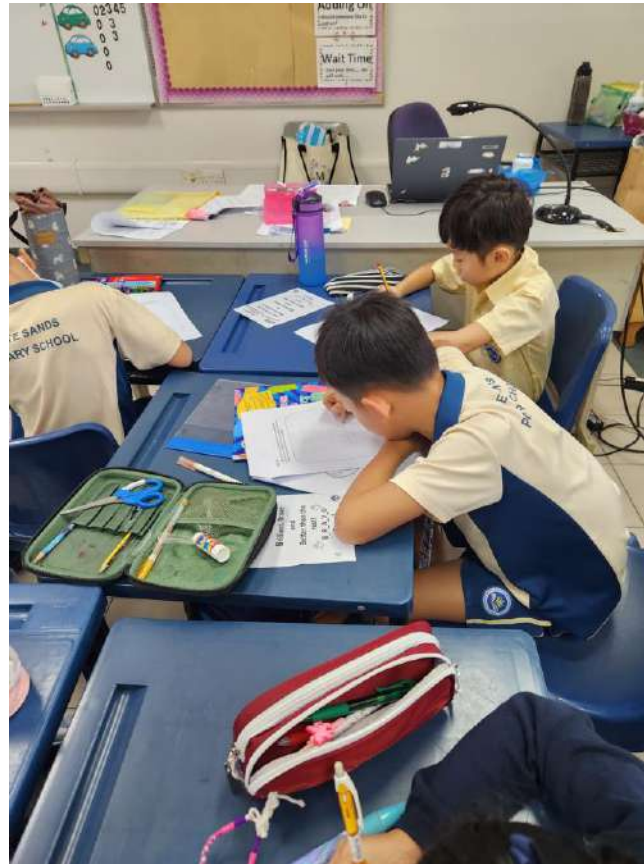
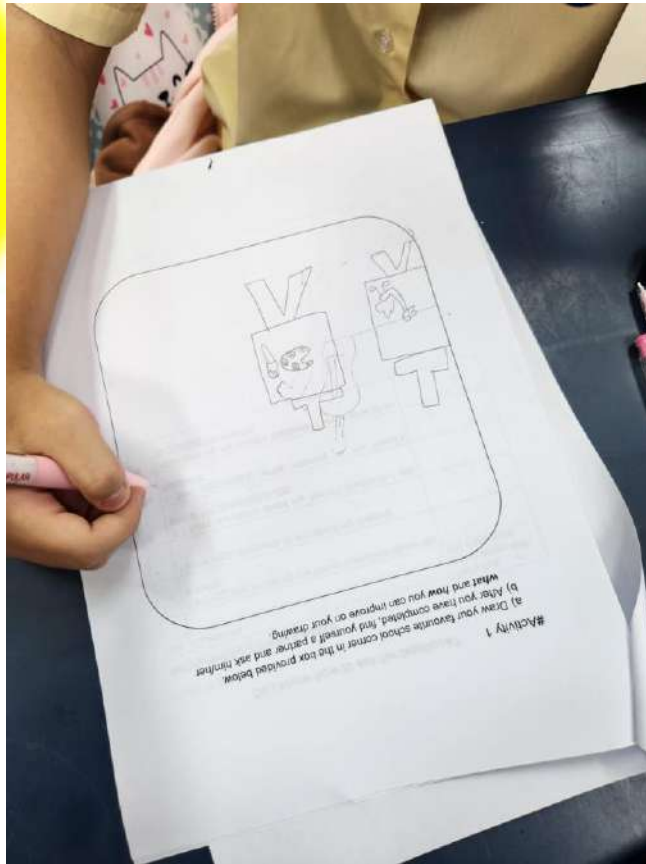


Growing seeds to observe plant growth



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## First Days of School/ Term 1 learning experiences



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## Exemplary students' work

Name: Nicklyar Class: 3B  
 Date: 9 Jun 2024

A. Group the things in the picture below into living and non-living things.

Picture from Freepik

B. Write the words in the table below.

Living Things	Non-Living Things
<u>cow</u>	<u>house</u>
<u>grass and flowers</u>	<u>scarecrow</u>
<u>cat</u>	<u>sun</u>
<u>chicken</u>	<u>cloud</u>
<u>chick</u>	

MINI HAZNAR SAYS Bee-utiful words!

Practice 6 Comparing and Ordering Numbers

1 Compare and order the numbers.

	Thousands	Hundreds	Tens	Ones
4060	4	0	6	0
2030	2	0	3	0
4600	4	6	0	0

(a) Which number is the smallest? 2030

(b) Which number is the greatest? 4600

(c) Arrange the numbers in decreasing order.  
4600 (greatest), 4060, 2030 (smallest)

2 Compare and order the numbers.

	Thousands	Hundreds	Tens	Ones
5337	5	3	3	7
5773	5	7	7	3
5500	5	5	0	0

(a) 5337 is the smallest number.

(b) 5773 is the greatest number.

(c) Arrange the numbers in increasing order.  
5337 (smallest), 5500, 5773 (greatest)

Compare the numbers. 18 January 2024

(a)

Thousands	Hundreds	Tens	Ones
2	5	0	4
2	5	0	7

2507 > 2504  
2507 is greater than 2504

(b)

Thousands	Hundreds	Tens	Ones
6	0	0	5
2	6	9	9

2699 < 6005  
2699 is smaller than 6005

(c)

Thousands	Hundreds	Tens	Ones
5	8	6	1
5	8	3	6

5836 < 5861  
5836 is smaller than 5861

Thousands	Hundreds	Tens	Ones
8	2	5	2
8	5	2	5

8525 > 8252

# Home-school partnership

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# SCHOOL VALUES: RALLYING TOGETHER

## 01 MAKING CHOICES

What we have shared  
with your child...



**STOP** AND **THINK**  
BEFORE YOU **ACT**

**STOP!**

- CALM YOUR BODY.
- COUNT TO 10.
- TAKE SLOW AND DEEP BREATHS.
- TAKE A BREAK IF YOU NEED ONE.

**THINK!**

- WHAT IS THE PROBLEM?
- WHAT ARE THE OPTIONS?
- HOW COULD I HANDLE THIS DIFFERENTLY?

**ACT!**

- DO WHAT IS BEST FOR YOU AND OTHERS.
- BE SAFE AND RESPONSIBLE.

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## 01 MAKING CHOICES

**Hurtful behaviour 1:**

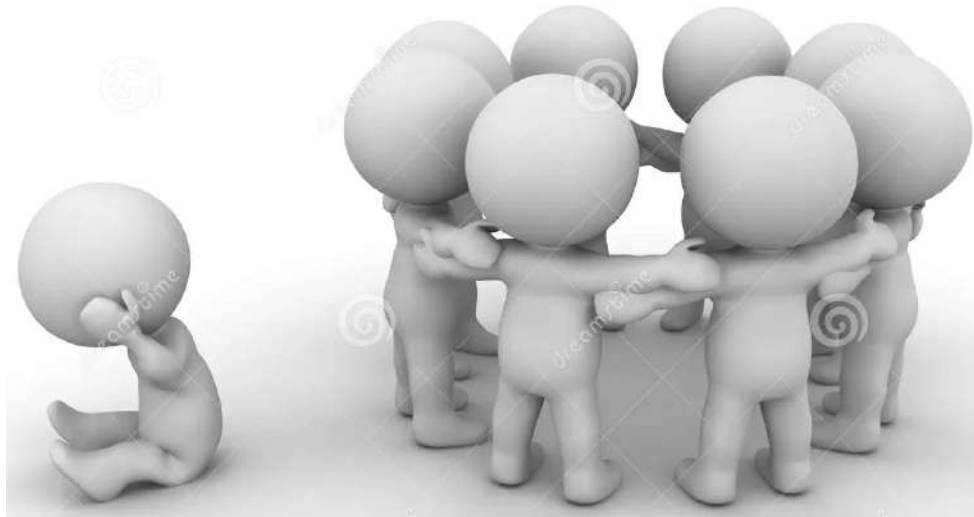
Hitting or pushing others around



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**Hurtful behaviour 2:**  
**Leaving someone Out on Purpose:**



# SCHOOL VALUES: RALLYING TOGETHER

## 01 MAKING CHOICES

### Hurtful behaviour 3:

#### Name calling

- You **MUST NOT** call any one names.



# SCHOOL VALUES: RALLYING TOGETHER

## 01 MAKING CHOICES

**Hurtful behaviour 4:**  
Sending hurtful message



# SCHOOL VALUES: RALLYING TOGETHER

## 01 MAKING CHOICES

Who to go to for help?

Discipline teachers and Mr Peh

P1 to P3

P1 to P6

P4 to P6



Mdm Azimah



Mr Peh



Mrs Bay

SEEK  
HELP

# What parents can do?

*To reinforce what was taught in school*

- **Making choices – Traffic Light (Stop, Think, Act/Do)**; Every choice we make will inevitably have some kind of consequence.
- **Be an upstander for self and others** – Tell the person to stop what he/she is doing; Share reason(s) and feelings – I do not like it / I'm hurt
- **Seek help from a trusted adult** – Teacher, YHs, Discipline Teachers, Counsellor and parents

# What parents can do?

## To manage hurtful behaviours

- **Stay calm**; Manage your own feelings first (Very often, we tend to forget)
- **Assure your child** that you will see to their safety
- Gently **elicit the story** from your child
- **Assess the severity** - Can you support your child to act first without your direct involvement?
- If it is too much for your child to manage, **get in touch with the C4RE Teachers, YHs or Discipline Teachers**

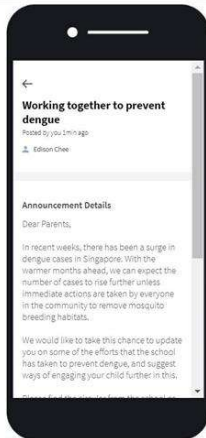


# What parents can do?

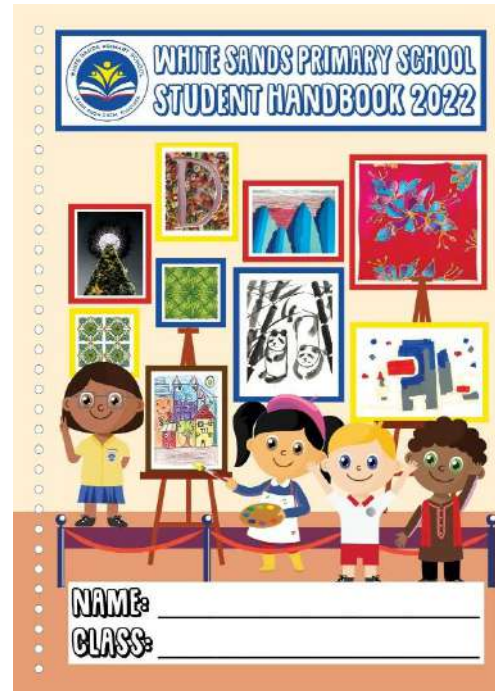
*To manage online hurtful behaviours*

- Collect data and **take screenshots** of all offending screens
- Help your child **block the offender**
- **Get in touch with** the **C4RE Teachers, YHs or Discipline Teachers**
- If you notice that your child has a **Chatgroup, without the presence of a trusted adult**, do **alert the C4RE Teachers.**

# Communication platforms



## Parent Gateway



## Student Handbook



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# Communication platforms

## Email of C4RE Teachers

- wan\_nurin\_zahian\_wan@moe.edu.sg
- maznah\_ismail@moe.edu.sg
- mak\_pui\_see@moe.edu.sg

## Other modes of communication

- WhatsApp (Ms Wan: 9638 4455)

## School Contact Details

- General Office : 6922 9100
- Staffroom 1 : 6922 9124
- Staffroom 2 : 6922 9125

Do take note that you may not receive a reply immediately.

**For urgent matters, please call General Office directly.**



**Thank you!**

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