# Character & Citizenship Education

P1 PARENTS' BRIEFING 2020

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# What is Character & Citizenship Education (CCE)?

"Our education system must ... nurture Singapore citizens of good character, so that everyone has the moral resolve to withstand an uncertain future, and a strong sense of responsibility to contribute to the success of Singapore and the well-being of fellow Singaporeans."

Mr Heng Swee Keat

## What is Character & Citizenship Education (CCE)?

#### In CCE, students learn:

- to be responsible to family and community
- understand their role in shaping the future of our nation

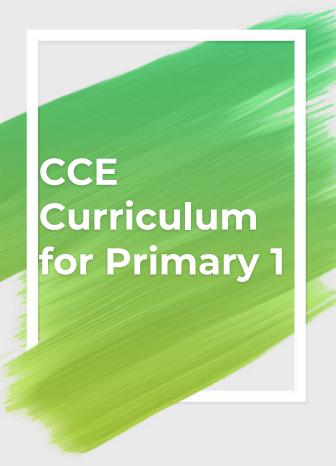
→ Teaching the students to care for others and be respectful. We also inculcate community values and build competencies to be good and useful citizens.



- Values are fundamental for a person with good character and a useful citizen of Singapore.
- They guide students to discern between right and wrong, help them to make responsible choices and become more aware of their roles in society.



RMPS Core Values	Broad Areas	
Respect For Self And Others	Respect	
Always Be Gracious	Graciousness	
Desire For Learning	Excellence	
Ignite Creativity And Innovation		
Never Give Up		
Maximise Potential		
Aim For Excellence		
Stand Up For Integrity	Integrity	



30 hours of CCE Lessons Conducted in MT Languages

15 hours of FTGP Conducted by the Form Teachers

15 hours
School-based
CCE

PAL Lesson, Weekly assembly, Character Workshops, NE Commemorations, etc.

### The FTGP Concept

**FTGP** (Structured Protected Time) SEL Lessons Interaction based on Activities Programme for for meaningful **Explicit Teaching** play among form teacher and of SE Competencies pupils **Enhanced Positive Teacher-Pupil Relationship** 

### Social & Emotional (SE) Competencies

#### **Self-Awareness**

A person who understands his own emotions, strengths, inclinations and weaknesses is able to develop positive self-concept and self-worth.

#### Self-Management

A person who manages himself effectively is able to manage his own emotions, exercise selfdiscipline and display strong goal-setting and organisational skills.

#### Social and Emotional Competencies

#### **Responsible Decision Making**

A person who makes responsible decisions is able to identify and analyse the implications and consequences of decisions made based on sound moral considerations.

#### Social Awareness

A person who has social awareness is able to accurately discern different perspectives, recognise and appreciate diversity and demonstrate empathy and respect for others.

#### **Relationship Management**

A person who manages relationships well is able to establish and maintain healthy relationships through effective communication and is able to work with others to resolve conflicts.

## CCE Curriculum for Primary 1

## **Students' life experiences** as possible contexts

- Students learn more effectively when they process new information or knowledge in a context that is familiar to them, so that they can recognize what values and social and emotional competencies look like in practice.
- Values are both taught and caught.
- Parents as key partners.

## Admin Matters – Point of Contact

- Form teachers (FTs) should be the first point of contact. Students would receive a Welcome Letter from their FTs, indicating contact information.
- May also check-in with Year Head (Lower Primary)
  - Mrs Doreen Foo

## Admin Matters – Reporting & Dismissal

	PRIMARY 1				
	Students to be	7.35 am			
	ground				
	Dismissal Time	Monday to Thursday	1.30 pm		
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		Friday	1.15 pm		

You may refer to the student diary, School Information (pg 14)

## Admin Matters – Reporting & Dismissal

#### Please take note

- Dismissal Time for P1 students,
  - 2 9 January 2020:
  - Picked-up from canteen: 1.00pm
  - School buses: 1.30pm

## Admin Matters – Reporting & Dismissal

- In the morning:
  - Bukit Purmei side gate: 6.30 am
  - Lower Delta side gate: 7.15 am
- Dismissal:
  - Waiting area: Canteen
  - Dismissal pass must be shown



- Promote well-being of students
- 12.15 12.30 pm daily (15 mins)
- Lessons will still be ongoing
- Light, healthy and dry snacks only











### Admin Matters – Snack Time













## Home-School Partnership

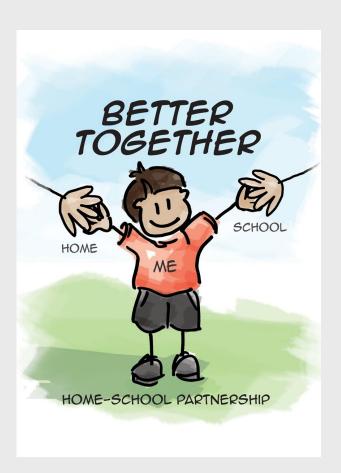
- Daily routines eg. Establishing a timetable at home, checking the student diary for homework, etc.
- Teachable moments
- Volunteers for Learning Journeys
- CCE-related Tasks eg. VIA home task, Interview With Parents



#### **Student Diary**

- Personal Particulars (pg 1)
- School Values (pg 7)
- School Rules & Guidelines (pg 8 10)
- Desired Behaviour (pg 11 12)
- Daily Homework & Reminders
- Communication pages





Time	Parent Activity		Venue	Remarks	
7.50 am	Morning Assembly		Hall	Parents are to be seated at the back of the hall.	
8.15 am	Principal's Address				
8.45 am	Introduction of Programm (Part 1) - Character & Citizens Education - PE/CCA/Aesthetics		Day 1: 02	2.01.2020	
9.45 am	Recess Observation of students at recess with their P4 buddies		Canteen	Parents are advised to stay within the designated area so as to allow the smooth movement of students in and out of the canteen.	
10.30 am	Tea Break (by ParentLink)		Hall		
11.30 am	Interaction Session by ParentLink		ase be seated according our child's class.		
1.00 pm	Dismissal of Students			Parents are to widesignated dism	•

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7.50 am	Morning Assembly	Hall	Parents are to be seated at the back of the hall.	5
8.15 am	Introduction of Programmes (Part 2) - English - Math - ICT - MT	<ul> <li>ML –         Dance Studio     </li> <li>TL –         PAL Room     </li> </ul>	Day 2: 03.01.2020	
9.45 am	Recess Observation of students at recess with their P4 buddies	Canteen	Parents are advised to stay within the designated area so as to allow the smooth movement of students in and out of the canteen.	
10.15 am	Introduction Of Alumni (Only for Parents from Phase 2A2)	PAL Room	Parents who are not attending the Alumni session may leave the	
11.15 am	(No Programme)		school and return at 12.00pm for the Juniors' Parade.	
12.00 pm	Juniors' Parade	Hall	Parents are advised to stay within the designated area.	
1.00 pm	Dismissal of Students		Students will be dismissed from the hall. FTs will manage dismissal.	

