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A Community School of Excellence: Care, Create, Connect and Contribute

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Dear Parents,

In August, Tampines Primary, together with the rest of Singapore rejoice as we celebrate National Day.

National Day Celebrations on Friday, 7 August 2026

This year's National Day theme celebrates our Singapore Spirit and encourages us to keep striving for progress while showing care and concern for one another and our community.

In the lead-up to National Day, students will participate in a variety of engaging recess activities celebrating Singapore's culture, heritage and identity. Our commemoration will kick off with the National Day Observance Ceremony and culminate with a school-wide National Day Concert, where students can look forward to performances, interactive segments and a joyous celebration of Singapore's 61st birthday.

As part of the celebrations, every student will receive a commemorative TPPS40 National Day lunch bag to mark both Singapore's 61st birthday and Tampines Primary School's 40th anniversary. *Majulah Singapura, Go Beyond!*

NATIONAL DAY @ TPPS [INFO FOR STUDENTS]	
DATE	7 August 2026 (Friday)
REPORTING (Students)	7.30 A.M. (School Field) (Observance Ceremony starts at 7.40 a.m. Latecomers wait in the canteen.)
DISMISSAL	10.30 A.M.
ATTIRE	Red round neck t-shirt (no jerseys, no offensive designs) + school PE shorts / skirt OR School uniform / PE attire
THINGS TO BRING	Pencil case, student diary, water bottle, snack Mini flags (P5s only – from NE Show Fun Pack)



The Ministry of Culture, Community and Youth (MCCY) will also be present to capture photographs and video footage during the celebrations for MCCY's Pledge60 Publicity Campaign, which commemorates the 60th anniversary of the National Pledge. The images and videos may include students participating in the celebrations and may be featured on MCCY's official communication channels and social media platforms.

Please note that all students are to report to school by **7.30 am** and school dismissal will be at **10.30 am** on Friday, 7 August 2026. Students are encouraged to wear red T-shirts only if



they have them readily available at home. All students will be dismissed from their respective gates.

We gently remind parents that Monday, 10 August 2026 is National Day Holiday. Schools will be closed, including the General Office, Student Care Centres and KCare Centres. All students are to return to school on Tuesday, 11 August 2026.

PSLE Oral Examination on Wednesday, 12 and Thursday, 13 August 2026

There will be no school for P1 to P5 students on 12 and 13 August during the PSLE Oral Examinations. It will be home-based learning for P1 to P5 levels. The task lists for HBL will be sent out via Parents Gateway on 5 August 2026.

Teachers' Day Celebrations on Thursday, 3 September 2026 and School Holiday on Friday, 4 September 2026 - Showing Appreciation to all Educators

To recognize our staff's outstanding efforts and care for all students, Thursday, 3 September will be a day of celebrations. All students will be dismissed from their respective gates at **10.30am on 3 September 2026**. Alumni have also indicated that they will be returning to school to meet with their former teachers. Our teachers will be available to meet them after school dismissal from 11.00 am to 12 noon at the amphitheater.

Please note that **Friday, 4 September**, is a school holiday.

Parents and students are gently reminded not to buy expensive gifts. Staff will appreciate handwritten notes, cards or simple handmade gifts as meaningful tokens. Our staff look forward to receiving your messages of appreciation on our school's website (<https://www.tampinespri.moe.edu.sg>) or at MOE's website (<https://www.moe.gov.sg/about-us/compliments>).



Happy Teachers' Day

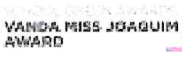
As part of the Teachers' Day Celebration, we welcome students, alumni and parents to pen down your well-wishes to the teachers in Tampines Primary School.

Click on this poster or scan the QR code to pen your well-wishes!



Primary 6 Booster Camp Thursday & Friday, 10-11 September 2026

P6 students can show their commitment and appreciation by their full attendance and engagement for all sessions during the September Booster Camp from 8.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. More information will be shared nearer to the date.



TPPS Cyber Smart Corner (August)

This month's TPPS Cyber Smart Corner highlights the importance of building trust and healthy communication in the digital age. Children learn best through example, and parents can support positive digital habits by creating device-free family time and modelling responsible technology use.

Regular check-ins and open conversations about online experiences can strengthen family relationships and help children navigate challenges safely and confidently. Together, we can nurture digitally smart and resilient families.



TPPS Cyber Smart Corner:

Nurturing Digitally Smart Families

Empowering parents with practical strategies for managing children's device use through role modeling and open communication.



Lead by Example (Role Modeling)



Be the Digital Mirror: Children frequently mirror their parents' behavior; demonstrate the healthy habits you want them to adopt.



Establish Tech-Free Zones: Keep bedrooms and mealtimes tech-free to prioritize face-to-face connection and healthy sleep.



Schedule Family "Unplugged" Time: Set specific times for the whole family to engage in non-tech activities together.

Build Trust Through Dialogue



Avoid Force, Encourage Honesty: Taking devices by force breeds resentment; discussing limits together encourages children to share openly.

I noticed you've been on your device a lot

Use Non-Judgmental Observations: Start with "I noticed you've been on your device a lot" to avoid defensiveness.



What do you usually do online?

Practice Active Check-ins: Regularly ask "What do you usually do online?" to offer support before issues escalate.

MOE Cyber Wellness Key Messages



Maintain a Balanced Lifestyle
Encourage a healthy mix of online and offline activities.



Be a Safe and Responsible User
Maintain a positive online presence while using technology safely.



Prioritize Personal Well-being
Take responsibility for your own physical and mental health in cyberspace.

Keeping Our School Safe for Everyone

We thank parents for your continued partnership in helping to maintain a safe and healthy school environment for all.

We seek your support in reminding your child to continue practising good personal hygiene both at home and in school. These simple daily habits help reduce the spread of illnesses and contribute to the well-being of our school community.

Please encourage your child to:

- Wash their hands regularly with soap and water.
- Use hand sanitizer when soap and water are not readily available.
- Continue the practice of wiping down their desk and canteen table before use.
- Refrain from sharing food and drinks with friends during recess, lunch, or snack breaks.

Road Safety Within the School Compound

We would also like to seek the cooperation of all parents who drive or ride their children to school. We have observed a small number of motorists driving too fast (more than 15 km/h) within the school compound, particularly during the morning arrival period. At this time of the day, visibility may not be optimal. Driving too fast under such conditions may put our children, other pedestrians and motorists at risk.

We kindly appeal to all motorists to help keep our school a safe place by:

- Driving within the speed limit and carefully within the school compound,
- Remaining vigilant and giving way to children, staff, pedestrians and other motorists, slowing down at crossings
- Allowing sufficient travel time and avoiding the need to rush by overtaking while within the school grounds.
- At the same time, please be considerate and alight your child expediently and not hold up the traffic

Together, we can foster a safe, healthy and caring environment for all members of our school community.

Police Advisory

Please refer to the advisory in Annex issued by Tampines Neighbourhood Police Centre, regarding the carrying of prohibited and controlled items.

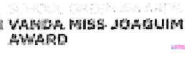
Parents play a crucial role in shaping their children's behaviour, values and safety awareness. We encourage parents to speak with their children about the dangers and legal consequences of carrying such items. Early guidance can help prevent children from carrying these objects or being influenced by others to do so and contribute to the safety of our community.

Conclusion

On this celebratory note, my staff and I would like to wish all families a happy and meaningful SG61!

Yours in partnership,


Mr Hanafi Asmore
Principal





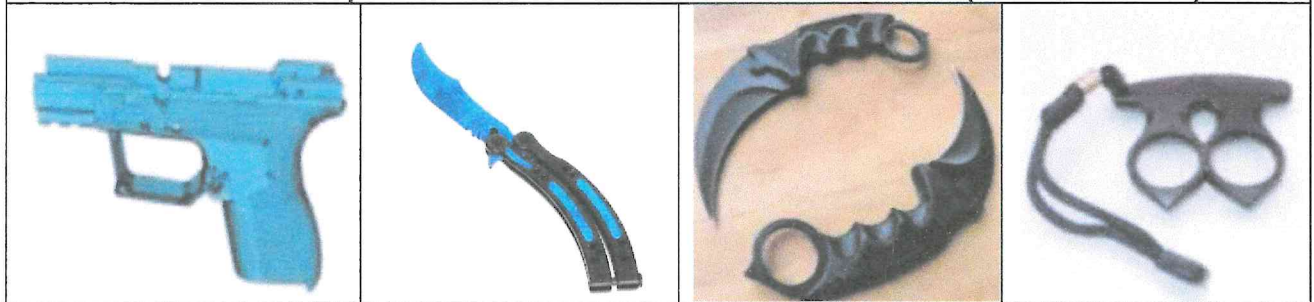
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POLICE ADVISORY FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Police have been alerted to several incidents involving students who brought replicas, 3D-printed items, or objects resembling prohibited or controlled items to school. We would like to take this opportunity to remind you of the relevant laws and encourage your active involvement in keeping our schools safe.

Illustrative Examples of Some Prohibited or Controlled Items (Non-Exhaustive)



What Are Prohibited or Controlled Items?

Prohibited or controlled items include objects that closely resemble real knives, blades, knuckledusters, firearms, and similar items. Everyday objects such as scissors, penknives, or tools may also be considered offensive weapons if carried with the intent to threaten or injure others.

Students found carrying such items in a public place, including school premises, may be committing a criminal offence that carries serious legal consequences.

Warning Signs to Look Out For

Please be alert if your child:

- Comes home with unfamiliar objects or items that could be used as weapons
- Expresses fear about going to school or mentions being threatened or bullied
- Associates with peers involved in fights or gang-related activities

Report It, Don't Ignore It

If your child is aware of anyone carrying such items or planning to bring them to school, please report it immediately to the school's teachers or management.

To stay updated with the latest crime advisories, sign up to be part of our Community Watch Scheme (CWS) by following the steps below. Let us prevent, deter and detect crime together.



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Join the Community Watch Scheme (CWS) today.
Our actions count!

Step 1: Visit [SPF | Community Watch Scheme](#)

Step 2: Sign up for any of the interest groups to receive alerts and crime information in your areas of interest.

Yours faithfully,

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Singapore Police Force