



[L093/2024]

23rd July 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian,

NATIONAL DAY CELEBRATION 2024

1. We will be commemorating our 59th National Day on **Thursday, 8 August 2024**.
2. The theme for this year's National Day is "***Together, As One United People***", which highlights the collective strength of our people and underscores the importance of every citizen rallying together to share our future and uplift those around us. The theme encapsulates the essence of our Nation's **success** and **resilience**. While the road ahead is uncertain, our strength lies within our **diversity**. It reflects the spirit of **Inclusivity, Community** and **Trust** that has enabled us to overcome and flourish in the last 59 years despite the challenges.
3. School will begin as usual at 7.30 am and will end at 10.30am. Students will be dismissed from 10.20am (P1s and P2s) and at 10.30am for the other levels at their respective gates. Students are strongly encouraged to bring along a more substantial snack for their break. The canteen will not be opened on that day. Students are to come dressed in red T-shirt and school bottom.

| Time | Activity |
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| 7.30 am | Students to gather in the hall |
| 7.40 am – 8.40 am | National Day Celebration: "Together, As One United People" <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Observance ceremony• Recollections• Chinese Orchestra SYF Performance• National Day Dance of the Nation• Mass singing led by Choir and Music Teachers |
| <i>Snack break will be at about 8.45 am in the classroom</i> | |
| 9.15 am – 10.30 am | Classroom activity |
| 10.30 am | Dismissal at the Usual Gates P1, P2 at 10.20 am P3, P4, P5 & P6 at 10.30 am |

4. All students will continue to be dismissed according to their current after-school arrangement. If your child is attending Big Heart Student Care Centre or taking the school bus and you would like to pick them up, do make the necessary prior arrangements with student care and bus operators directly and then inform the Form Teachers. External Student Care Centres will also be in school at early dismissal timings to pick up your child/ward on that day. Do update the relevant centre personnel too if your child will not be attending after school care on that day for attendance taking purposes before they leave our school premises.



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5. Do be reminded that the school will be closed on 9 August (Fri) as it is a Public Holiday.
Students will only return to school on 12 August (Mon).

We wish you a Happy National Day ahead!

Yours sincerely,

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Vice-Principal

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