



LAKESIDE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Vision: Creative Thinkers. Empathetic Leaders. Lifelong Learners.
Mission: Empower every student to make a positive impact on the community.
Values: Love, Perseverance, Respect, Integrity, Diligence, Excellence
Motto: Be Our Best

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

We hope you and your child/ward spent quality time together during the March holidays. As we start Term 2, we would like to highlight upcoming events and key programmes where your partnership and support will be valuable.

1. Important Dates and Calendar of Events on Parents Gateway

Please note the important dates in Annex A. We will continue using the calendar feature on the Parents Gateway (PG) app to keep you informed regarding school events and happenings. The calendar is updated termly, so please check it regularly for the latest information.

To access the calendar via the PG app, please follow these steps:

- Click on the "Services" tab.
- Under the "Services" tab, select "School Calendar."

Detailed information on programmes and activities pertaining to individual or specific classes/levels will be communicated via PG as well.

Alternatively, the same calendar can be accessed through our school website at: <https://www.lakesidepri.moe.edu.sg/for-parents/calendar-of-events/>

ST 1 Nurturing Future-Ready Lakers

2. International Friendship Day (IFD)

We will be commemorating **International Friendship Day (IFD)** on **Monday, 6 April**. This year's theme, "**Forging Friendships in a Complex World**", highlights the importance of understanding, respect, and cooperation among people from different backgrounds. As part of the commemoration, your child/ward will participate in a series of activities designed to encourage the embracing of diversity and the building of meaningful friendships.

Please note that all students are to wear the **green** school theme T-shirt on **Monday, 6 April**.

Together, let us inspire our students to live out our **LPRIDE values**, take initiative, and make a positive difference in their community!

3. Mother Tongue Language (MTL) Fortnight & P4 Cultural Camp

The **Mother Tongue Language (MTL) Fortnight** will take place from **Monday, 6 April to Friday, 17 April**. This initiative aims to create an immersive environment for the learning and use of MTL, providing students with authentic opportunities to experience these as "living languages" through their associated cultures.

Guided by our school values, this event fosters **Love** by bringing students together to celebrate traditions and strengthen bonds. It also cultivates **Respect** by promoting an understanding of different customs and the importance of harmony in our multicultural society.

Primary 4 students (except NTIL students) will participate in a P4 Cultural Camp - a highlight of MTL Fortnight. The sessions will be held on **Tuesday, 7 April** and **Tuesday, 14 April**.

We look forward to seeing our students engage actively and grow in their appreciation for their heritage and their MTL.

4. Green Day

We will mark **Green Day 2026** on **Monday, 20 April**. This year's theme, **Energy Sustainability and Climate Change**, aims to help students understand Singapore's reliance on electricity, how energy use impacts the environment, and the simple actions they can take to conserve energy in their daily lives.

Students will attend an assembly talk on energy conservation, explore a climate change exhibit, and participate in interactive activities that reinforce responsible energy habits. They will also reflect on the Power Disruption Exercise conducted in February and consider how it highlights the importance of using electricity wisely.

To mark the occasion, all students are to wear the **green** school theme T-shirt on **Monday, 20 April**.

We look forward to your support in encouraging your child to practise energy-saving habits at home.

5. Applied Learning Programme (Primary 3 and 4 Students)

As part of our Applied Learning Programme (ALP), our Primary 3 and 4 students will explore real-world issues related to sustainability through an interdisciplinary approach. Primary 3 students will focus on waste management, while Primary 4 students will learn about food sustainability. By examining these topics across different subjects, students will gain a deeper understanding of how they can take charge and make a positive difference as they contribute to a greener future.

The ALP also aims to develop our students' 21st-century competencies, including adaptive thinking, communication, and collaboration. Their learning will culminate in the P3 Little Thinkers Camp (**Wednesday, 13 May to Friday, 15 May**) and the P4 Little Explorers Camp (**Tuesday, 19 May to Thursday, 21 May**), both held within curriculum hours. On the first day of each camp, students will go on a learning journey to gain first-

hand insight into sustainability in action. More details will be shared via PG closer to the date of the camps.

ST 3 Engaging Partners to Prepare Future-Ready Learners

6. Parent-Child-Teacher-Conferencing (PCTC)

Our Parent-Child-Teacher-Conferencing (PCTC) session will take place on **Friday, 29 May** from 8 am to 4.30 pm in your child's/ward's form class. It will be a face-to-face session involving our teachers, your child/ward and you.

The form teachers will be opening the booking slots from **Monday, 27 April to Sunday, 3 May** via PG. Each slot is 15 minutes. We seek your cooperation to adhere to the 15-minute slot so that there will not be any delays. If you need to meet the form teachers beyond the 15-minute slot, please make an appointment with them through communication platforms such as ClassDojo or tele-conferencing.

As part of ongoing efforts to encourage our students to be reflective learners, Primary 3 to 6 students will be e-journaling reflections on their school experiences on Student Learning Space (SLS) from Term 2 Week 3 onwards. The form teachers will provide your child/ward with further instructions. During PCTC, your child/ward is strongly encouraged to share the reflections they have e-journaled on SLS (their form teachers will show their SLS entries or a hardcopy of their reflections).

Primary 1 and 2 students will do their reflections on hardcopies, which will enable them to draw as well. During PCTC, the students will share the reflections they have written or drawn.

We look forward to seeing you during PCTC on **Friday, 29 May**.

As we move forward into Term 2, we remain committed to nurturing a vibrant and caring school community where every child feels seen, supported, and inspired to grow.

Thank you for journeying with us as partners in shaping confident learners and compassionate leaders. We look forward to achieving even greater milestones together in the year ahead.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Rina Liang
Principal

(This letter has been posted electronically on Parents Gateway. No signature is required)

Annex A

Day/ Date	School Holidays and Events in Term 2
Wed, 1 Apr 26	Temperature-Taking Exercise. Students should bring along a working oral digital thermometer.
Fri, 3 Apr 26	Good Friday (Public Holiday)
Fri, 1 May 26	Labour Day (Public Holiday)
Wed, 27 May 26	Hari Raya Haji (Public Holiday)
Fri, 29 May 26	Parent-Child-Teacher-Conferencing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No school for P1 – P6 students*
Mon, 1 Jun 26	Vesak Day (School Holiday)
Tue, 2 Jun 26 to Sun, 28 Jun 26	School Holidays <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students will return to school on Mon, 29 Jun 26.

**If your child does not attend the school's student care, kindly make alternative after-school arrangements for him/her on these days.*