# Welcome to Primary 6

Session with FTs



### Modes of Communication

- 1. School office number (6584 4393)
- 2. Email
- 3. Parents Gateway



- Parents should email Form Teachers on the day of the absence.
- MCs/letters should be submitted to Form Teachers when child returns to school.



### Curriculum and Assessment



### Assessment (Examination)

Type of Assessment	Period of Assessment
Weighted Assessment 1	T1 Weeks 9 - 10
Weighted Assessment 2	T2 Week 6 - 7
Preliminary Examination (100%)	T3 Week 8-9



## English Language Programmes Primary 5

Vision	Confident communicators who love the language
Mission	To provide EL language experiences that allow students to communicate confidently and grow their love for the English Language



Providing EL learning experiences through the implementation of STELLAR/STELLAR 2.0 curriculum



#### **Communicate Confidently**

 Department programmes and initiatives that allow students to communicate confidently

#### Grow their Love for the English Language

 Department programmes and initiatives that allow students to grow their love for the language



#### Organised by themes

#### Theme:

Sports / Healthy Living / Family



Elias Park Primary School English Language Primary 6

With selected articles for students to learn and use related ideas and vocabulary



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Supermarkets like NTUC FairPrice have incorporated a dizzyingly wide array of close to 1,500 food products, including over 160 house brand products, that carry the Health Promotion Board's Healthler Choice Symbol (HCS). The latter is an easy and visible way to know that a particular fatim fulfills nutrition guidelines set out by the government agency that promotes

FOCUS ON HEALTHIER, NOT HEALTHIEST

By Charlene Fang

Seen everywhere from hawker centres to the grocery aisles and even in schools, the HC symbols help make healthier eating more convenient, whether one is shopping to cook a home or dining out. Applied to more than 2,600 different food products and across 60 foo

practice

#### Reading Passage

All was getting ready for his weekly football game. Every Saturday, he and his friends gather at the school field near his home to enjoy a few hours of their favourite

"The sky is overcast. I'm sure it's going to rain very soon. Maybe you shouldn't go today," Ali's mother advised.

"It's not going to rain, Mum. Besides, today's session is very important. We have to keep training, as we will be playing a match against West United next week," All explained.

He was out of the flat before his mother could say another word

It was raining when the game started. However, the players continued to play on, disregarding the rain that pelted down on them.

A police patrol car passed by. The officers, fearing for the boys' safety, stopped beside the field and sounded the siren. The boys got the message and stopped the game.

Includes the passages and stimulus for self-directed

#### **Oral Booklet**

[Semester 1]

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ( )
Class: Primary 6 \_\_\_\_\_

### Reflects the thinking process they should be familiar with

See — Think — What makes you say that

Jased on what you SEE in the picture stimulus, jot down in the following table what ou THINK are possible questions and WHAT makes you say that about the possible nemes for the conversation.

Questions I THINK about:

WHAT makes you say that:

WHAT makes you say that:

Encourage your child to revise regularly.

### English Language Reading Programme

- Monthly visits to School Library and library activities
- STELLAR readers
- What's Up subscription



### P6 English Language WA Components

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COMPONENT	CONTENT	ITEM TYPE	DURATION	MARKS
Weighted	Grammar	MCQ	55 min	40
Assessment 1	<ul> <li>Vocabulary</li> </ul>	SAQ		
	<ul> <li>Synthesis</li> </ul>	LAQ		
	<ul> <li>Comprehension Cloze</li> </ul>	Cloze		
	<ul> <li>Reading Comprehension</li> </ul>			
Weighted	<ul> <li>Continuous Writing</li> </ul>	Continuous	55 min	40
Assessment 2		Writing		



# P6 English Language Assessment Components

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COMPONENT		CONTENT	ITEM TYPE	NO. OF	MARKS
				ITEMS	
Oral	•	Reading Aloud	Open-ended	1 passage	10
(15%)	•	Stimulus-based	Open-ended	1 item	20
		Conversation			
Listening	•	Listen to several texts and	MCQ	20 items	20
Comprehensi		answer questions			
on					
(10%)					
Writing	•	Situational Writing	Open-ended	1 item	15
(27.5%)	•	Continuous Writing - three		1 item	40
		picture prompts based on			
		a given theme with guiding			
		questions			

### P6 English Assessment Components

COMPONENT	CONTENT	ITEM TYPE	NO. OF ITEMS	MARKS
Language Use	Booklet A			
And	Grammar	MCQ	10 items	10
Comprehension	Vocabulary	MCQ	5 items	5
(47.5%)	Vocabulary Cloze	MCQ	5 items	5
	Visual Text Comprehension	MCQ	8 items	8
	Booklet B			
	Grammar Cloze	Open-ended	10 items	10
	Editing for Spelling and	Open-ended	12 items	12
	Grammar			
	Comprehension Cloze	Open-ended	15 items	15
	Synthesis/ Transformation	Open-ended	5 items	10
	Comprehension	A variety of items e.g.	Up to 10 items	20
		open-ended,	(1 to 4 marks	
		sequencing, graphic	each)	
		organizer		

# P6 Foundation English Language WA Components

COMPONENT	CONTENT	ITEM TYPE	DURATION	MARKS
Weighted	Grammar	MCQ	55 min	40
Assessment 1	<ul> <li>Vocabulary</li> </ul>	SAQ		
	• Form-Filling	LAQ		
	<ul> <li>Synthesis</li> </ul>	Cloze		
	<ul> <li>Grammar Editing</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>Comprehension Cloze</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>Reading Comprehension</li> </ul>			
Weighted	Continuous Writing	Continuous	55 min	30
Assessment 2		Writing		



### P6 FEL Assessment Components

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COMPONENT		CONTENT	ITEM TYPE	NO. OF ITEMS	MARKS
Oral	•	Reading Aloud	Open-ended	1 passage	10
(20%)	•	Stimulus-based Conversation	Open-ended	1 item	20
Listening Comprehensi on (13.3%)	•	Listen to several texts and answer questions	MCQ	20 items	20
Writing	•	Situational Writing	Open-ended	1 item	10
(26.7%)	•	Continuous Writing - three picture prompts based on a given theme with guiding questions		1 item	30

### P6 FEL Assessment Components

COMPONENT	CONTENT	ITEM TYPE	NO. OF ITEMS	MARKS
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Language Use	Booklet A			
And	Grammar	MCQ	8 items	8
Comprehension (40%)	Punctuation	MCQ	2 items	2
	Vocabulary	MCQ	5 items	5
	Visual Text Comprehension	MCQ	5 items	5
	Booklet B			
	Form-Filling	Open-ended	5 items	5
	Editing for Grammar	Open-ended	6 items	6
	Editing for Spelling	Open-ended	6 items	6
	Comprehension Completion of Sentences	Open-ended	5 items	5
	Synthesis/ Transformation	Open-ended	3 items	3
	Comprehension Cloze	Open-ended	5 items	5
	Comprehension (2 passages)	A variety of items e.g. open-ended, graphic organizer	Up to 10 items (1 to 4 marks each)	10

# OBJECTIVES OF PRIMARY MATHEMATICS SYLLABUS

Acquire mathematical concepts and skills for everyday use and for continuous learning in mathematics.

Develop thinking, reasoning, communication, application and metacognitive skills through mathematical approach to problem-solving.

Build confidence and foster interest in mathematics



### Mathematics Programmes & Resources

- Learning Log
- Problem Solving Activities / Conceptual Learning Booklets
- Math Journal
- Mathastic Monday via KOObits



### Mathematics Programmes & Resources

- Timed Practices
- Let's Revise
- Math Activity Book (Not all questions will be completed)



# P6 Standard Mathematics Weighted Assessment

COMPONENT	CONTENT	ITEM	Marks	Duration
		TYPE		
Weighted	<ul> <li>Whole Numbers (P1-P5)</li> </ul>	4 MCQ	20	30
Assessment 1	<ul> <li>Fractions (P2-P6)</li> </ul>	4 SAQ		Minutes
	• Ratio (P5 – P6)	1 LAQ		
Weighted	Whole Numbers (P1-P5)	4 MCQ	20	30
Assessment 2	<ul> <li>Fractions (P2-P6)</li> </ul>	4 SAQ		Minutes
	<ul> <li>Ratio (P5 – P6)</li> </ul>	1 LAQ		
	<ul><li>Percentage ( P5 – P6)</li></ul>			
	<ul> <li>Angles in Geometrical Shapes</li> </ul>			
	(P3 – P6)			



### P6 Standard Mathematics Examination Format

Paper	Booklet	Item Type	Number of Question	Marks per question	Total Marks	Duration
1	A	MCQ	10	1	10	1 hr
		MCQ	5	2	10	
	В	Short answer	5	1	5	
		Short answer	10	2	20	
2		Short answer	5	2	10	1 hr 30 min
		Structured / Long answer	12	3,4 or 5	45	
Total			47		100	NON PRIMARY

### P6 Foundation Mathematics Weighted Assessment

COMPONENT	CONTENT	ITEM TYPE	Marks	Duration
Weighted	Whole Numbers (P5FMA)	4 MCQ	20	30
Assessment 1	<ul> <li>Fractions (P5FMA – P6FMA)</li> </ul>	4 SAQ		Minutes
		1 LAQ		
Weighted	Whole Numbers (P5FMA)	4 MCQ	20	30
Assessment 2	<ul> <li>Fractions (P5FMA – P6FMA)</li> </ul>	4 SAQ		Minutes
	<ul> <li>Decimal (P5FMA – P6FMA)</li> </ul>	1 LAQ		
	Percentage			



### P6 Foundation Mathematics Examination Format

Paper	Booklet	Item Type	Number of Question	Marks per question	Total Marks	Duration
1	Α	MCQ	10	1	10	1 hr
		MCQ	10	2	20	
	В	Short answer	10	2	20	
2		Short answer	10	2	20	1 hr
		Structured / Long answer	6	3 or 4	20	
Total			46		90	



### P6 Standard MTL Weighted Assessment

COMPONENT	CONTENT	ITEM TYPE	DURATIO	MARKS
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Weighted	<ul> <li>Language Application</li> </ul>	MCQ	55 min	40
Assessment 1	<ul> <li>Cloze Passage</li> </ul>	OE		
	<ul> <li>Reading Comprehension</li> </ul>			
Weighted	<ul> <li>Topic Essay/Picture Essay</li> </ul>	OE	50 min	40
Assessment 2				



### P6 Foundation MTL Weighted Assessment

COMPONENT	CONTENT	ITEM TYPE	DURATION	MARKS
Weighted Assessment 1	<ul><li>Language Application</li><li>Reading Comprehension</li></ul>	MCQ OE	40 min	15
Weighted Assessment 2	Listening Comprehension	MCQ	40 min	30



### P6 Higher MTL Weighted Assessment

COMPONENT	CONTENT	ITEM TYPE	DURATION	MARKS
Weighted	Cloze Passage	MCQ	55 min	40
Assessment 1	<ul> <li>Character / Word</li> </ul>	OE		
	Correction			
	<ul> <li>Reading Comprehension</li> </ul>			
Weighted	<ul> <li>Topic Essay/Complete the</li> </ul>	OE	50 min	40
Assessment 2	Essay			



### Mother Tongue Language Exam Format

Paper 1(20%)	Composition
Paper 2(45%)	Comprehension & Language Use
Paper 3 (25%)	On-screen Reading Aloud and use of short video clip as stimulus for Oral Conversation
Paper 4 (10%)	Listening Comprehension



### Foundation Mother Tongue Language Exam Format

Paper 1(15%)	Comprehension & Language Use
Paper 2 (55%)	On-screen Reading Aloud and use of short video clip as stimulus for Oral Conversation
Paper 3 (30%)	Listening Comprehension

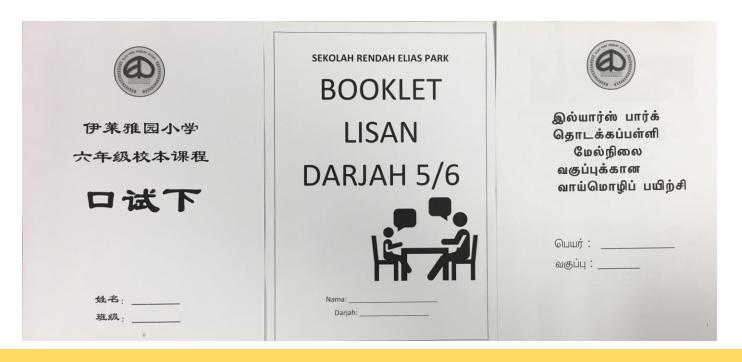


## Higher Mother Tongue Language Exam Format

Paper 1(40%)	Composition
Paper 2(60%)	Comprehension & Language Use



### Mother Tongue Language Oral Package



Parents can make use of the oral package to practise with your child at home for the passage reading and conversation.



Conceptual
Understanding
in Primary Science:
Examples and Applications



#### **Conceptual Understanding in Primary Science**

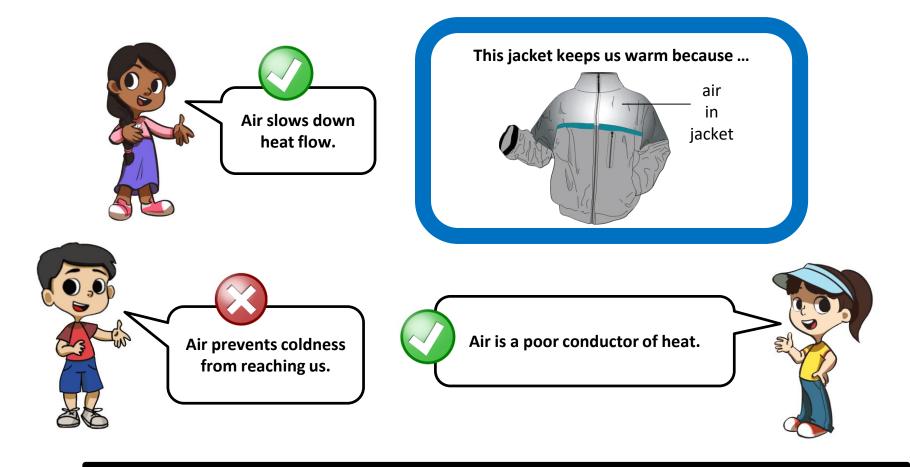
- Students learn Science through understanding and applying concepts and skills in different contexts in an age-appropriate manner.
- The focus of learning Science is not on giving "standard answers" or keywords. Students can show their understanding by using their own words to explain clearly in the context of the question.
- Science is alive and its applications are all around us.



# Examples and Applications in Different Contexts



### **Example: Heat**





The description of coldness being transferred is conceptually incorrect.

Heat is transferred from a warmer region to a colder region.

The air in jacket slows down heat flow away from the body rather than prevents coldness from reaching us.

### **Example: Heat**

Some objects are better conductors of heat so they allow heat to flow through faster than others. What are some examples of heat flow in our everyday life?



Heat flows through the metal pot quickly to cook our food.

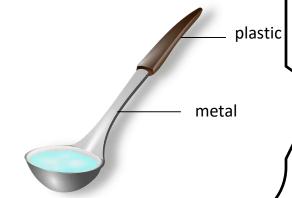


Heat flows through the cardboard slowly so that I can hold my hot drink.



Some objects are made of both good and poor conductors of heat, such as the soup ladle.

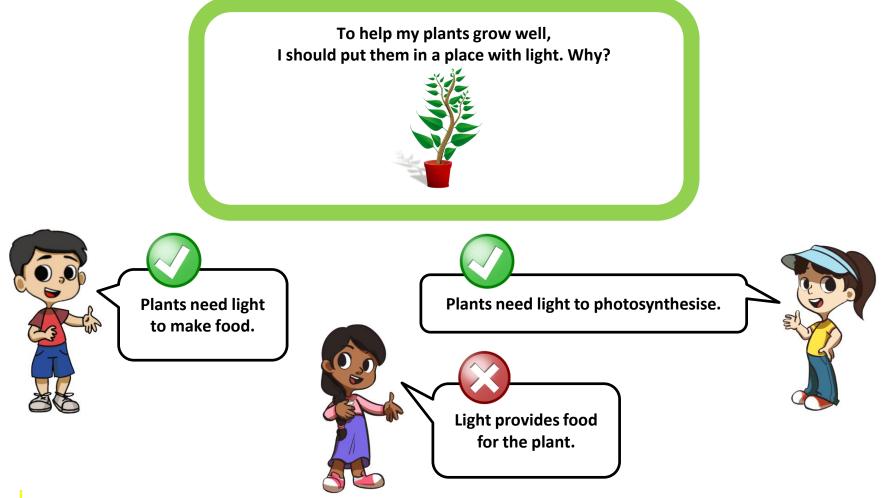
I can hold the plastic handle safely when getting my hot soup.







### **Example: Energy in Food**





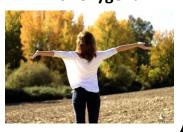
Plants use light to photosynthesise (make their own food). It is conceptually incorrect to describe "light as providing food" for the plant.

### **Example: Energy in Food**

Photosynthesis is important ...



During photosynthesis, plants provide us with oxygen!





Plants photosynthesise to make food for themselves.



When there are more plants, more carbon dioxide in the air will be taken in by the plants during photosynthesis. With less carbon dioxide in the air, this in turn helps to reduce global warming!





### P6 Science Weighted Assessment Format

CONTENT	ITEM TYPE	DURATION	MARKS
Energy in Food	MCQ	25 min	20
<ul> <li>Forms and Uses of Energy</li> </ul>	LAQ		
<ul> <li>Sources of Energy</li> </ul>	MCQ	25 min	20
<ul><li>Forces</li></ul>	LAQ		
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### P6 Foundation Science Weighted **Assessment Format**

COMPONENT	CONTENT	ITEM TYPE	DURATION	MARKS
Weighted	<ul> <li>Energy in Food</li> </ul>	MCQ	25 min	20
Assessment 1	<ul> <li>Sources of Energy</li> </ul>	SAQ		
(15%)				
Weighted	• Forces	MCQ	25 min	20
Assessment 2		LAQ		
(15%)				



#### P6 Science Exam Format

Standard Science				
Booklet A (MCQ)	Booklet B (Open Ended)	Total	Duration	
28 Questions (56 marks)	12 -13 Questions (44 Marks)	100 marks (55%)	1 h 45 min	



#### P6 Science End-of-Year Exam Format

Foundation Standard Science				
Booklet A (MCQ)	Booklet B	Total	Duration	
18 Questions (36 marks)	6 – 7 Structured Questions (14 Marks) 5 – 6 Open-Ended Questions (20 Marks)	70 marks (55%)	1 h 30 min	



## Science Programmes Primary 6

- Visible Thinking Strategies / Science Probes
- Pre-Post Topical Quizzes / KWL
- Topical Process Skills Booklets
- Timed Practices
- Science Journal







## Primary 6

#### Resumption of NAPFA Test (Date: TBC)

- National Physical Fitness Award (NAPFA)
- Fitness training is integrated into all physical activities within the Physical Education (PE) curriculum
- Students will be taught to set personal targets
   appropriate to their individual ability, with the focus on
   self-improvement rather than passing the NAPFA test.





### **Arts and Music Programmes**

Nurturing the Eliasian Artist by providing opportunities for exposure, experience and appreciation in arts

#### ARTS LEARNING EXPERIENCE

- Graduation Performances
- Art Legacy Wall

#### **ART CURRICULUM**

- Selfie Art
- Digital Collage
- Drawing

#### **MUSIC CURRICULUM**

- Digital Music-Garage Band
- Music and Film



### Student Recognition Elias Peaks Student Awards

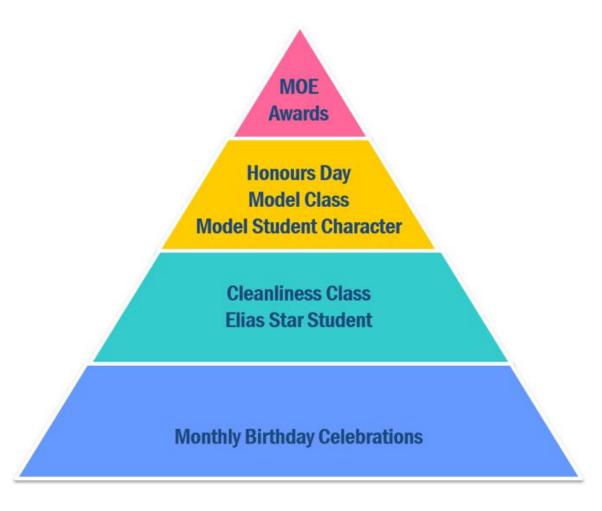
### Rationale

- ... to instil habits that will develop good character
- ... to signal the importance of good character
- ... to promote role-modelling of good values





## Student Recognition Platforms Elias Peaks Student Awards





Elias Peaks Student Recognition Framework

Elias Peaks Student Awards

**Type** 

**Birthday Celebrations** 

Eligibility

All students

**Time** 

Once a month during CCE FTGP lesson

Aim

To strengthen familial relationships, birthday celebrants will pen words of gratitude to parents/guardian. In doing so, builds a sense of gratitude and appreciation.



Elias Peaks Student Awards

**Award Type** Elias Star Awards

Eligibility All students,

up to 5 awardees from each class

Time Once a Term (10 weeks)

Criteria Exemplary character & consistently

demonstrated many of the ELIAS Values.



Elias Peaks Student Awards

**Award Type** 

**Model Student Character Award (MSCA)** 

**Eligibility** 

All students, 1 awardee from each class

**Time** 

Once a Semester (20 weeks)

Criteria

Exemplary character & consistently demonstrated <u>many</u> of the ELIAS Values. Positive role model for peers.



Elias Peaks Student Awards

**Award Type** 

**EPPS Honours' Day Awards** 

**Eligibility** 

All students, up to 2 awardees from each class for every student domain

Time

Once a year

Criteria

Exemplary character & outstanding personal qualities in the student domains of Scholar, Sportsman, Artist and Good Progress



## Student Recognition Platforms Elias Peaks

**Award Type** 

MOE Edusave Award for Achievement, Good Leadership and Service (EAGLES)

Eligibility

10% of Singaporeans from P4 - P6

Time

Once a year

Criteria

Demonstrated leadership qualities, service to community and schools, excellence in non-academic activities, and good conduct.



## Student Recognition Platforms Elias Peaks

**Award Type** 

**MOE Edusave Character Award (ECHA)** 

**Eligibility** 

2% of Singaporeans across all levels

Time

Once a year

Criteria

Demonstrated exemplary character & outstanding personal qualities, school values, civic responsibility, and/or resilience in overcoming personal challenges.





- 1. Reporting to school on time
- Be seated in the hall by 7.25am
- Arrival after 7.30am will be considered as late
- 2. Homework (quality and neat work) should be submitted on time.
- 3. List of homework or other important information are to be written in the planner



#### Social Skills for Upper Primary students:

- Positive Classroom Behaviours
- Organisational Skills
- Communication Skills
- Emotional Regulation Skills



#### 1. Positive Classroom Behaviours

- avoiding distractions during lessons
- abiding by class rules

#### 2. Organisational Skills

- bringing homework and materials
- organising work area
- completing assignments
- using checklists & planner



#### 3. Communication Skills

- listening skills
- asking for help
- tone and volume when communicating
- being polite to friends and teachers

## 4. Emotional Regulation Skills (Zones of regulation)

- identifying their emotions
- applying strategies to regulate their emotions back to the green zone

### The **ZONES** of Regulation®



























#### **BLUE ZONE**

Sad Sick Tired Bored Moving Slowly

#### **GREEN ZONE**

Happy
Calm
Feeling Okay
Focused
Ready to Learn

#### YELLOW ZONE

Frustrated
Worried
Silly/Wiggly
Excited
Loss of Some Control

#### **RED ZONE**

Mad/Angry
Mean
Terrified
Yelling/Hitting
Out of Control

Take a break
Stretching
Play a game during recess

Read a book
Listen to the teacher
Help others

Close eyes, take deep breaths
Sit in the calm down corner

Drink water
Talk about it
Walk it off

## Home Involvement



#### **Home Involvement**

- 1. Communicate regularly with child to understand his/her thoughts and feelings about school work
- Encourage and help child to build positive study habits, such as not doing last-minute work and submitting work on time
- Encourage your child to take responsibility for own possessions, actions and words
- 4. Model for your child what you would like to observe him/her doing and allow him/her room to make mistakes and to learn from it



#### Home Involvement - Cyber Wellness

- Cyber Wellness refers to the positive well-being of Internet users and helping students to become responsible digital learners.
- It involves an understanding of online behaviour and awareness of how to protect oneself in cyberspace.



#### Home Involvement - Cyber Wellness

Problems due to excessive internet usage

- cyber bullying
- exposure to inappropriate contents
- become a cyber crime victim
- excessive Internet usage
- gaming addiction



#### Home Involvement - Cyber Wellness

To complement the cyber-wellness curriculum in schools, here are the steps for *PARENT*ing in the digital age:

Provide opportunities for a variety of offline activities

Activate parental controls in all computing devices

Role-model good digital habits

Establish the ground rules for your child's Internet use

Navigate the Internet with your child to understand his/her use

Talk with your child about his/her Internet use



#### Home Involvement – Cyber Wellness

#### Cyber wellness resources

- Elias Park Primary School's website <u>www.eliasparkpri.moe.edu.sg</u>
- Monthly newsletter
- Installing Parental Control Apps for devices
- Checking on your child's devices frequently



#### Home Involvement - Diet & Exercise

- Provide healthy snack options for your child's snack break (*Examples: Fruits, whole meal sandwiches, vegetables*)
- Encourage your child to drink water instead of sweet drinks
- Role-model healthy eating and active living lifestyle habits
- Involve your child in outdoor activities / exercises





### Useful microsites for parents-How to use PSLE Score Calculator and SchoolFinder

https://www.moe.gov.sg/microsites/pslefsbb/resources/score-calculator.html

https://www.moe.gov.sg/schoolfinder?journey=Sec ondary%20school





# Thank you





