

Woodlands Ring Primary School

Primary 1 Parents' Primer & Connect Session

Uniquely WRPS

The school where your child is nurtured holistically

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Introduction of P1 Team - Form Teachers

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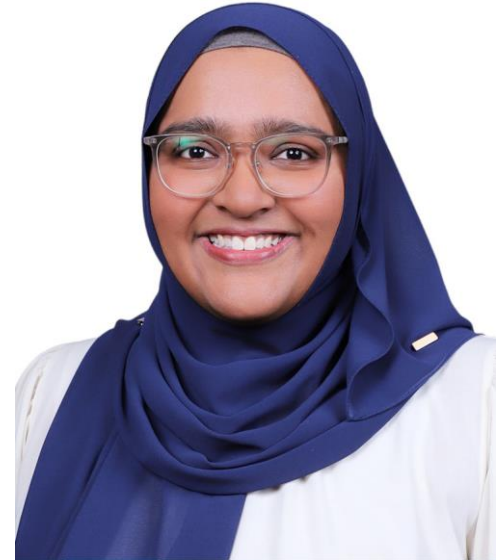
Ms Ruth Yaap



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Ms Shahirah



Introduction of P1 Team - Form Teachers

Mdm Vasantha



Ms Nonis Liane



Ms Tan Yan Lin



Purpose of P1 Parents' Primer & Connect Session



- Share essential school information and address administrative matters related to your child's well-being
- Provide practical tips and strategies for supporting your child's learning and development at home
- Foster a sense of connection and collaboration between parents and the school community

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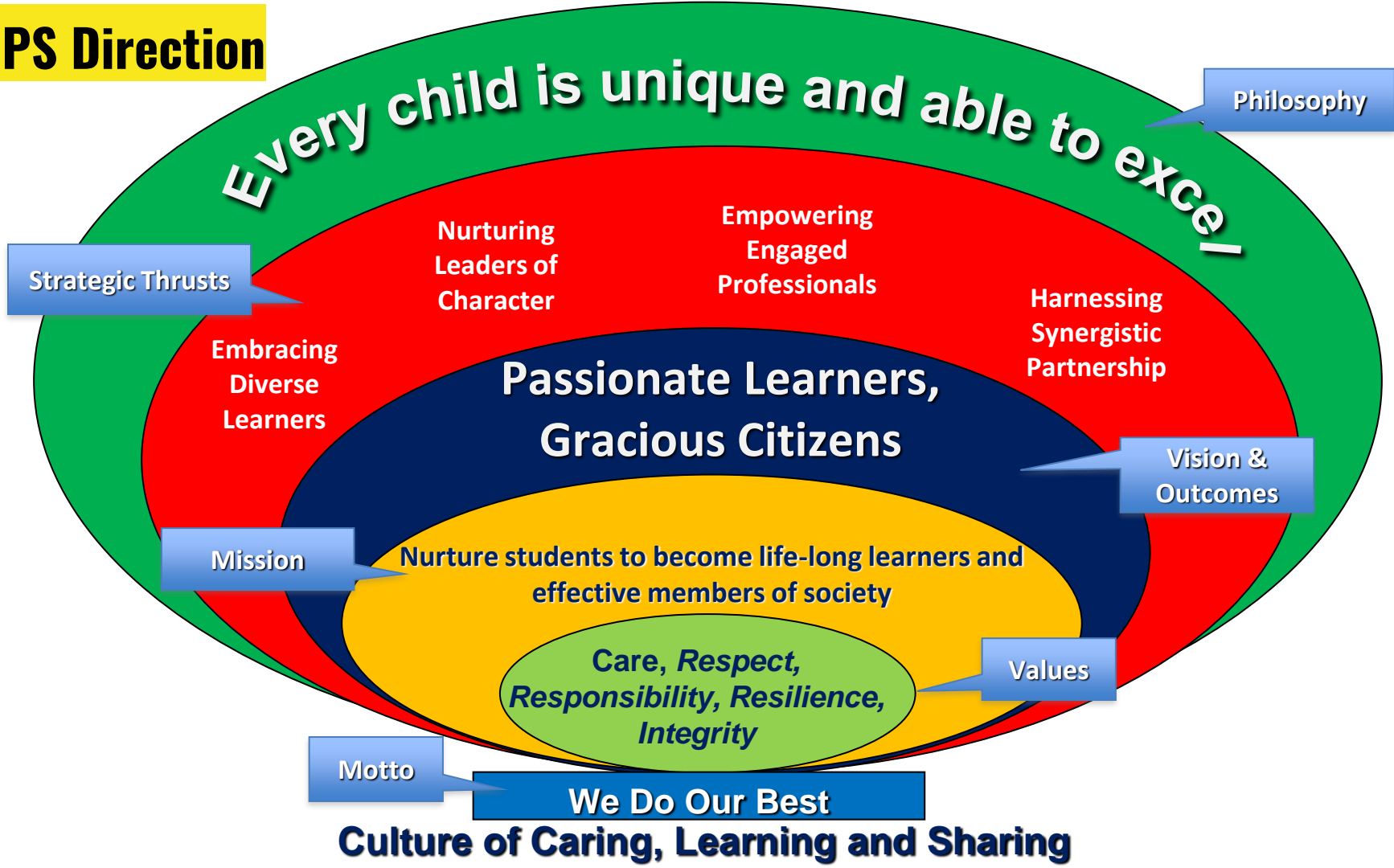


Information Pertaining to Schooling Experience

Multi Skills Team comprising Senior Special Education Needs Officers and Senior School Counsellors

From a Parent to Parent by Parent Support Group

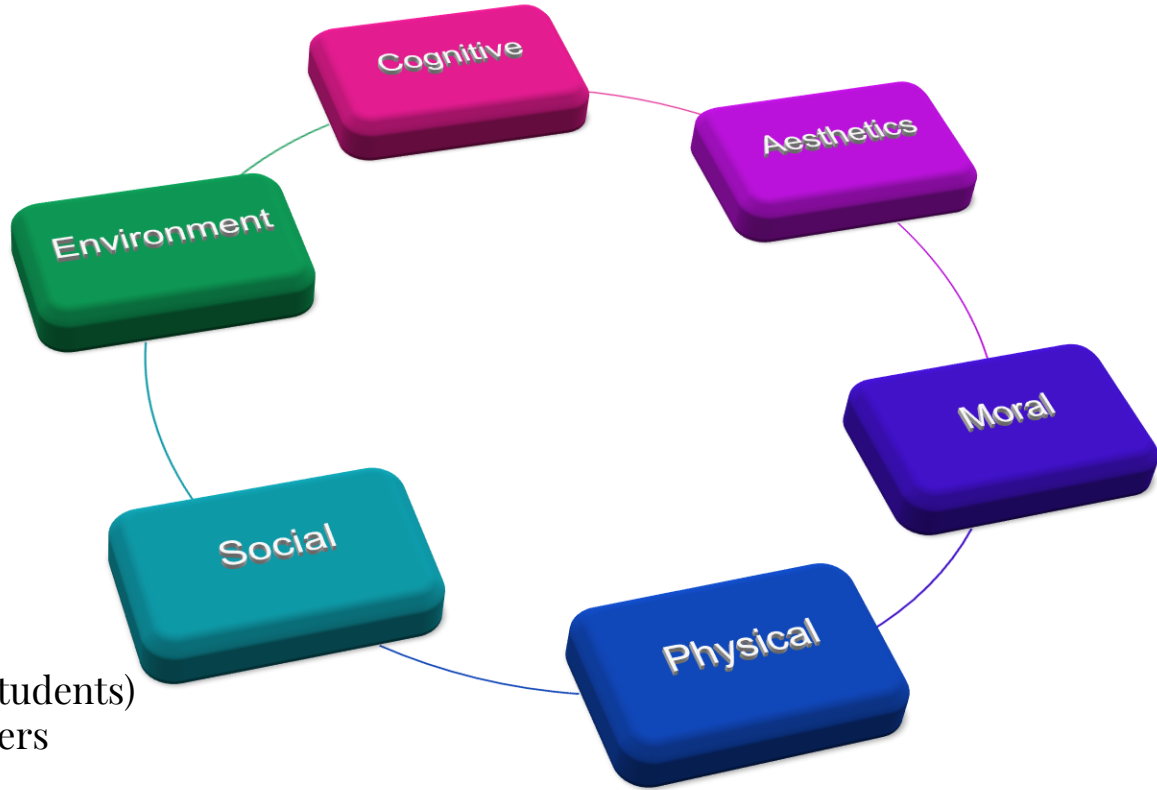
WRPS Direction



Developing the Mind, Body and Soul through the 4 Ps @ WRPS

<p>Programmes</p> <p><i>Aimed at engaging diverse learners</i></p> <p><i>Two pronged:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><i>For the masses</i><i>For those with special talents and interests</i>	<p>Processes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><i>Making tacit knowledge explicit</i><i>Putting students at the centre for decision making</i>
<p>People</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><i>Every child is profiled (family background/ medical profile /interests/strengths/learning and behavioural needs)</i><i>Building capacity of professionals supporting the child</i><i>Focussing on an integrated approach by the team supporting the child</i>	<p>Experiences</p> <p><i>Understand the child and value-add to their experiences.</i></p> <p><i>Students leave with ...</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><i>Balance (cognitive and other domains)</i><i>Acquisition of Skill-sets</i><i>Understanding of their strengths</i>

The WRPS Holistic Experience



- **Equip:** Investing in our People (Staff & Students)
- **Engage:** Partnering parents & stakeholders
- **Enable:** to be future ready

What goes into WRPS school life ?

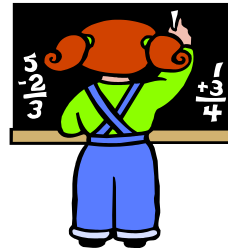
Customised Curriculum to suit needs of diverse learners

Academic & Non Academic Enrichment Programmes and Platforms

Strong Student Leadership Programmes

A wide range of CCAs

Arts , Culture and Sports Fiesta Weeks



Learning Support Programmes

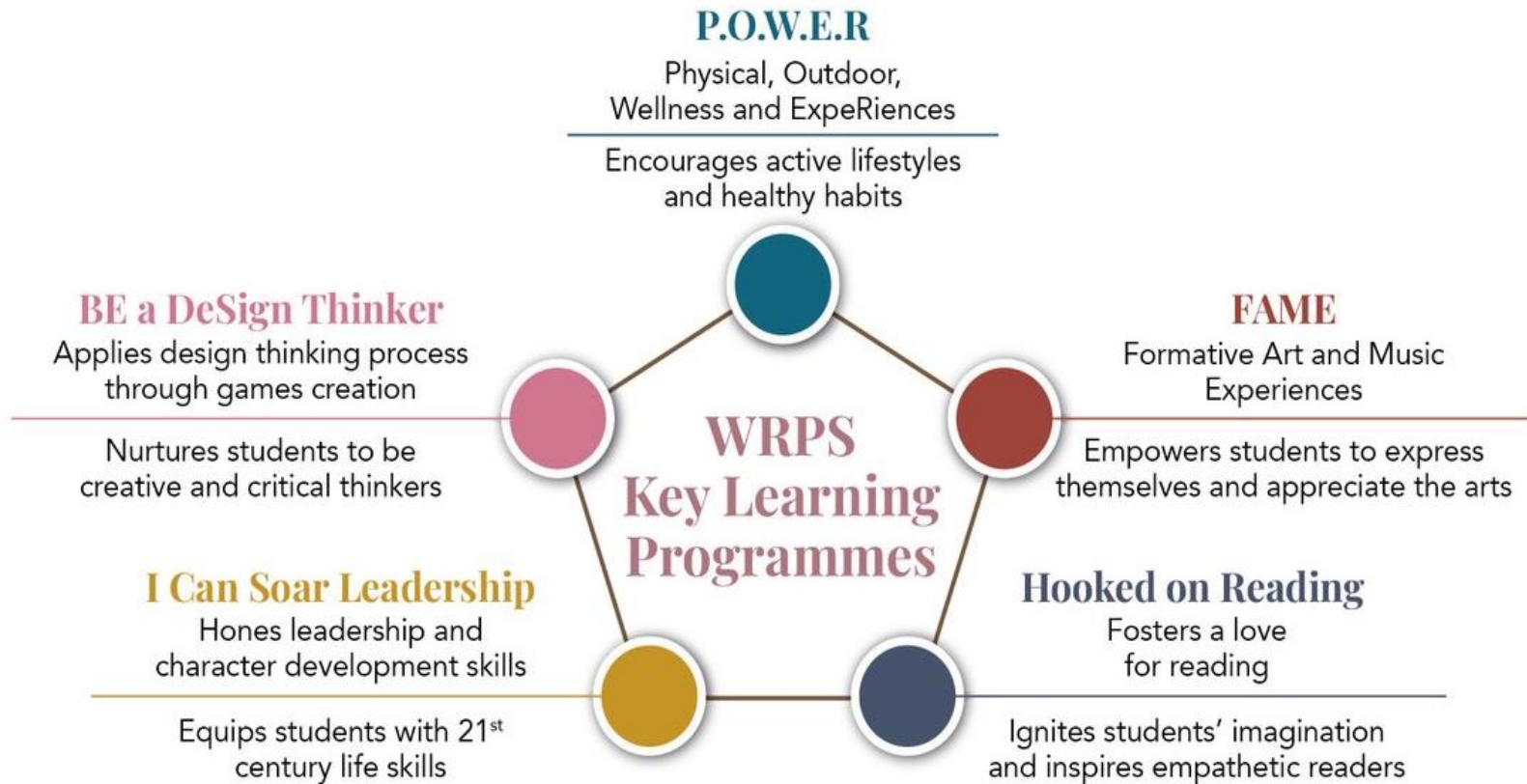
Applied Learning Programme for Critical thinking

Talent Development Programmes

Developmental programmes for Social & Emotional Learning

Level based Learning Journeys

A Kaleidoscope of Experience



Lower Primary : Strengthening Foundation

- ✓ Movement P1 to P2 enbloc
 - ✓ These two years will be used to establish foundation in literacy, numeracy and personal social management skills
- ✓ Most structures, including Form and Subject Teachers will be a continuity from P1 to P2
- ✓ In the course of the year, students will be guided through learning support and enrichment initiatives based on their readiness level

P1 Bridging Programme

- ✓ To enable students to familiarize themselves to routines and expectations for Primary 1, school has set aside a two-week programme
 - ✓ Level-based by groups
 - ✓ Class-based settings

What does my child need to adapt to in P1?

- Compliance to school dress code and expected behaviour
- Regular school attendance
- Longer school hours
- Structured Time-table and schedule
- A larger learning environment
- Interacting with more students of different ages as well as adults
- Become more independent and responsible



What can I do to prepare my child ?

- Partner our teachers to encourage your child's natural sense of curiosity to learn and support them in understanding their feelings and experiences.
- Resist temptation to push your child to learn above what he/she is not ready for.
- Allow your child to learn from experiences. Being praised for good behaviour and facing consequences for undesirable behaviour is part of nurturing your child to be independent and self directed.

Some parents may face some challenges...

- Anxiety from being over protective
- Over emphasis on grades and marks
- Concern over supposed 'dip' in child's performance as compared to nursery / kindergarten years
- Concern over child not selected for certain activities , roles etc.
- Focussing on 'immediacy'

Supporting Your Child

DO's

Make it a point to find out how your child's school day was

Invest time and effort to develop interest in reading

Work out a schedule and routine that has balance of self-management, study, play and quality time with family

Negotiate with your child and agree on acceptable standards and be consistent with the consequences

Guide / Supervise /Support your child with study / school work where possible

DON'T'S

Zoom in just on homework and assessment matters

Focus on reading for comprehension only

Focus mostly on routines involving homework, tuition and study

Let your child be the 'parent' and decide on matters such as coming to school , sleeping time, tv time etc.

Watch TV or engage in some fun activity while you insist your child does his school work / study



**“Every child can be engaged,
every child can contribute.”**

**“Train a child in the way he
should go, and when he is old
he will not turn from it.”**

Thank You!