



# WOODLANDS RING PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Parents' Circular No.: 113/18

21 May 2018

Dear Parents /Guardian,

1. We are coming to the end of Term 2. The last day of Term 2 is **Friday, 25 May 2018**.
2. We would like to thank you for the strong support that you have given to your child/ ward this semester.

### Monday, 21 May 2018 – Conduct of Emergency Exercise

3. This morning, the school conducted an emergency exercise - *Lockdown Drill*.
4. This exercise aims to train the staff, pupils and vendors to be prepared to respond to a security incident or threat in the school premises and be familiar with the evacuation procedures.
5. Our teachers have conducted a briefing to all pupils before the exercise. We would also appreciate your assistance if you could take time to reinforce the importance of safety and emergency preparedness, not only in the context of school but also as a nation. Everyone in Singapore should be vigilant and be prepared for any emergency.
6. We would like to take this opportunity to refer you to the SGSecure website, <https://www.police.gov.sg/sgsecure>. SGSecure is a national movement to sensitise, train and mobilise Singaporeans to play a part to prevent and deal with an attack or emergency. It is our community's response to safeguard our way of life against possible attack and community strife.

Comment [CLM1]: Is it only for terrorist attack? Hmm... anyone right?

### Friday, 25 May 2018 – Eat with your Family Day

7. The school is supporting the above annual nationwide event. The event aims to celebrate and reinforce the importance of families by encouraging family members to spend time together and affirm the family bonds between parents and the children over family meals. Having family meals together manifests an important family value and is a ritual to cherish as it brings the family closer together and strengthens family life.
8. ***In conjunction with the above-mentioned celebration, please note that the General Office would be closed at 5.00 pm that day and our teachers will end the day earlier at 1.05 pm.***

### June Holiday 2018

9. School holidays begin from 26 May to 24 June 2018. We wish you and your child/ward happy holidays for this June term break. We look forward to welcoming all pupils back to school on **Monday, 25 June 2018**
10. We would like to take this opportunity to wish all our Muslim staff, pupils and their families an advanced '**Selamat Hari Raya Aidilfitri**'.



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### **Supplementary Lessons for Primary 6 pupils**

11. Please be informed that the school has arranged supplementary lessons for all P6 pupils from 8.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. on the following days:

- **4 days – 28 May, 30 May, 31 May & 1 June 2018**
- **2 days – 21 June & 22 June 2018**

12. We seek your partnership as we strive to bring out the best in each of our children. Should your child/ward need to be away from the supplementary lesson in June, please write a letter to inform your child/ward's form teacher.

### **Cyber Wellness Message: Handling Online Content**

13. Our children are digital natives and internet savvy. In a research conducted by the National Youth Council, it was found that 42% of Singaporean youth spend 10 hours or more per week on online activities. 92% of our youth use a social networking platform and 45% play online games daily.

14. Whilst we may think that our children are often more digitally savvy than we are, as responsible parents and educators, we should not allow them to navigate this space alone.

**Our children still need our guidance to balance their on- and off-line activities and to be responsible and safe online.**

15. Please find attached an infographic on "**Handling Online Content**" to give you a snapshot of how parents can help in managing online safety.

### **20 years at WRP – Celebrating 20 Years, Reaching Out Together**

16. It has been 20 years since the founding of Woodlands Ring Primary School. We are happy to share that the school is celebrating it with a **carnival for pupils and parents** on **Saturday, 30 June 2018**. More details would be shared with you in **Term 3 Week 1**.

17. Should you and your family be interested to attend the carnival, please complete the reply slip and return it to your child/ward's form teacher by **Friday, 25 May 2018**.

### **Secondary Schools Open House Dates (for Primary 6 pupils and parents)**

18. For the list of Secondary School Open House dates, please refer to <https://www.schoolbag.sg/story/open-house-dates-of-secondary-schools-2018> or the respective schools' websites.

### **Temperature-Taking in Semester 2**

19. The school will conduct a temperature-taking exercise in Term 3 Week 1. This is part of our efforts to ensure that our pupils know how to take care of their own health and to also maintain our preparedness to activate the temperature-taking regime.

20. **Please ensure that your child's thermometer is in working condition and your child has the thermometer in his/her bag when he/she returns.** To maintain personal hygiene, please ensure your child has a packet of tissue or wet wipes in his/her bag.

Thank you.

Partner-in-education,

Mr. Thomas Boh  
Vice-Principal



**Reply Slip for WRP 20 Years Carnival**

Index No:
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To: The Form Teacher  
Woodlands Ring Primary School

Pupil's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (            )

Class : Primary \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Please tick (✓) accordingly.

I will be attending the WRP carnival.

I will not be attending the WRP carnival.

Tentative total number of people in attendance: \_\_\_\_\_



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