



FUCHUN SECONDARY SCHOOL

# School-Home Link

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Term 1 Issue

## 1 SCHOOL CULTURE, VISION, MISSION AND VALUES 2022

We hope that you had a good break and would like to wish all parents and students a Happy New Year. As this is the start of a new academic year, it is an opportune time for us to share with you our school culture, vision, mission and values, which serve as the fundamentals of your child's education journey at Fuchun Secondary School:

### **Culture:**

A Caring Community

### **Vision:**

#### **A Learner**

A thinking, confident and self-directed learner

#### **A Leader**

A leader of their own learning and with others, and as a concerned citizen

#### **An Explorer**

An explorer of life with global awareness

### **Mission:**

Nurturing life-long learners

Empowering them to lead

Inspiring them to explore

### **Values:**

**I CARE** (Integrity, Camaraderie, Adaptability, Responsibility and Excellence)

## 2 FUCHUN STUDENT CREED

Our Student Creed reinforces our school values and expresses our students' desire to excel in both their character development and academic achievement. To reaffirm their purpose in education in Fuchun, our students recite the Creed daily after the flag-raising ceremony.

### **FUCHUN STUDENT CREED**

We are Fuchun students, special and unique  
We are compassionate, caring and upright  
We respect others and ourselves  
We are diligent and seek to excel  
We are loyal to our school and nation  
We are Fuchun students  
And this is our Creed

### 3 SCHOOL HOURS

**First Bell** rings at 7:25am daily and all students will move to the classrooms for attendance and temperature taking. Students are required to bring TT token/App to school. Please ensure that your child's TT tokens/apps are working.

#### **Recess & Lunch:**

<b>Level</b>	<b>Recess</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
Sec 2	1015 – 1045	
Sec 3	0845 – 0915	1215 – 1345
Sec 4 & 5	0945 – 1015	1315 – 1345

#### **Dismissal Time:**

<b>Level</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>
Sec 2	1345	1345	1315	1345	1215
Sec 3	1445	1445	1345	1445	1230
Sec 4 & 5	1500	1500	1345	1500	1230

Dismissal Time may differ on some days if your child has CCA practice or enrichment programmes planned for them. These will be made known to your child by the teacher-in-charge. You can also refer to the student handbook for the listed weekly activities.

**School Office Operating Hours** on Monday to Friday are from 7.30 am to 6.00 pm.

### 4 HOME-BASED LEARNING (HBL) DAY for Sec 2 & 3

HBL is an essential component of our students' learning experiences as it strengthens their ability to be self-directed, independent and lifelong learners. With the introduction of Personal Learning Devices, our Sec 2 to 4 students now own a Chromebook, which they use in tandem with the Singapore Student Learning Space (SLS), Google Classroom and other educational technology to personalise and enhance their learning.

For Sec 2 and 3, the HBL day will be on the **Wednesday** of the **even week**.

## 5 STUDENT HANDBOOK AND REMINDER OF SCHOOL RULES

We wish to highlight five important school rules that we emphasize to our students at the start of each year.

- Students who are Singapore citizens must sing the National Anthem and take the Pledge (with the right fist placed over the heart).
- Students must wear the prescribed school uniform and no modification to the uniform is allowed. All students must wear white socks and white-based shoes.
- Tinted or dyed hair is strictly not allowed. All male students must be neat and clean shaven.
- All students should not have in their possession any weapon. They are not allowed to bring any weapon-like item which is used or intended to be used to cause harm to others.
- Students are not allowed to use the mobile devices during curriculum time so as to avoid disruption to learning. They may use these devices after curriculum hours at designated areas, e.g canteen. **Should they break the rule, their mobile devices will be confiscated and may only be collected by the parent.**

Details of our school rules can be found in the Student Handbook. You may also wish to check your child's Handbook for important information such as homework, test and examination dates, as well as use it to communicate with your child's Group Parent.

## 6 TERM BREAK

Term 1 break is from **12 Mar to 20 Mar**. We hope that you will assist your child to make good use of the one-week break to improve on his/her academic performance. Holiday assignments will be given to your child and we would appreciate it if you could assist in ensuring that your child completes his/her work for submission on the first day of Term 2. Our Graduating students doing coursework in D&T, F&N, Art and EBS may be required by their teachers to be in school to complete part of their coursework. The teachers will inform your child of the dates.

If your child/ward is travelling out of Singapore during the above period, please declare their travelling plans by completing the Travel Declaration module found on the Parents Gateway (PG) app. Should you not have access to PG, please get your child/ward to obtain a hardcopy form from the School General Office.

## 7 SCHOOL EVENTS (Term 1)

Listed in the Table are the key events for Term 1.

Dates	Events	Level / Stream
28 Jan	Parent Support Group (PSG) Session #1 (via Zoom)	-
1 & 2 Feb	Chinese New Year Holiday	All
11 Feb	Peer Support Leader (PSL) Training #1	Selected Sec 2 to 4
15 - 17 Feb	History Investigation	Sec 2E/2NA
15 Feb	Total Defence Day	All
15 & 18 Feb	Mother Tongue Languages (MTL) Oral Exam	Sec 4E/5N
16 Feb	Leadership Training	Sec 4
22 Feb	MTL Oral Exam	Sec 4NT
25 Feb	PSG Session #2 (via Zoom)	-
1 Mar	MTL Oral Exam	3E
4 Mar	MTL Oral Exam	3NT
8 Mar	MTL Oral Exam	3NA
10 Mar	Photo Taking for Individual	Sec 3
14 Mar	Geography Investigations	Sec 4E/4N/5N

*[Updated as at 31 Dec 2021]*

You can find out more about the schedule of key school events via the school website at this link: <https://fuchunsec.moe.edu.sg/information/school-calendar>



## 9 GROUP PARENTS OF 2022 CLASSES

The well-being of every class is taken care of by responsible and dedicated teachers who are also called Group Parents. We are pleased to share with you your child's Group Parents for 2022:

CLASS	GROUP PARENTS	CLASS	GROUP PARENT
2 Armstrong	Mdm Halimah Marjubee Mrs Lee-Ang Shao Mei	3 Armstrong	Mdm Ruzana Mr Teo Soong Hee Neville
2 Leonardo	Mr Chan Chun Yan Andrew Mr Tan Chek Soon	3 Leonardo	#Mr Chan Wai Lek Alvin Ms Sarina Binte Samat
2 Einstein	Ms Grace Kang Mr Andrew Venod Joseph	3 Einstein	#Ms Leow Lea Ching Mr Yee Shaoyong, Kenneth
2 Goethe	Mr Chen Chao Jian Kelvin Ms Madeline Koh	3 Goethe	#*Mrs Chan Choon Ying Mr Richard Au
2 Lincoln	Mr Li Zhicong, James Ms Cheng Yee Ting	3 Lincoln	Mr Ng Chao Xiang #Mdm Hanim Ali
2 Eisenhower	Mr Rino Ratno Mdm Ng Hsuen Huey	3 Eisenhower	#Mr Tan Boon Teik, Adrian Mdm Chew Siew Keng
CLASS	GROUP PARENT	CLASS	GROUP PARENT
4 Armstrong	Mr Jonathan Chew Mrs Anita Long	5 Leonardo	Mdm Amutha R Amirthalingam
4 Leonardo	Mr Liang Lai Hup Sonny Mdm Xu Ping	5 Einstein	Mr Ong Kong Sing
4 Einstein	Mdm Rajeswari Mdm Roszilah		
4 Goethe	Ms Tan Ying Rui Mr Suhaini Sarikon		
4 Lincoln	Mr Zhang Ming Mr Ng Yu Yi		
4 Eisenhower	Ms Annabel Tay Mr Foo Tze Liang Philemon		
4 Gandhi	Mr Leong Chao Shing Mdm Suganthi		

## 10 PARENT SUPPORT GROUP

A strong parent-school partnership is key to developing our students to their full potential and enabling them to fulfil their aspirations. To this end, the school has a dedicated and supportive Parent Support Group (PSG) which works in partnership with the school to deliver a quality holistic education for our students. Your participation and involvement in our PSG activities will be a great opportunity for you to understand your children better, build stronger bonds with them and help them in their education journey.

As such, we would like to invite you to our first online PSG session of 2022 scheduled on **28 January** at **7:00 pm**. This session will be conducted via Zoom and you can register your interest through this link - <https://tinyurl.com/Fuchun-Secondary-School-PSG>



### Positive Parenting Programme

Fuchun Secondary School partners Care Corner Parenting Support Services to organize the Positive Parenting Programme (Triple P) where parents will learn about parenting strategies and ways to strengthen parent-child relationships. The programme funded by the Ministry of Social and Family Development (MSF) and is offered free to our parents. The Triple P seminars will be conducted over Zoom on Fridays, **8, 15 and 22 Jul 2022** from **7.30pm to 9pm**. Please mark your calendar and look out for registration announcements through Parents Gateway closer to the date.

### Parenting Needs Survey

To help us better understand your parenting needs and preferences please complete the survey through this link: <https://forms.office.com/r/EKC49AckpZ>

## 11 SCHOOL PUBLICITY AND PERSONAL DATA

Our school updates our partners on the happenings in school through our school website and Facebook page. Photographs, videos and audio recordings may be posted on our publicity channels, and images of your child and yourself may appear. Data and information will also be retained and may be used after a student has graduated for alumni services. If you do not wish for images of your child or yourself to appear, please send an email to [parents@fcs.edu.sg](mailto:parents@fcs.edu.sg).

We look forward to working closely with you in the year ahead to provide the best education for your child.

Warmest regards,  
Shawal bin Hussin (Mr)  
Principal  
4 January 2022