

23 May 2024

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Term 3 Letter to Parents

I) General Matters

Thank You

1. We would like to express our appreciation to our dear parents and guardians for the partnership in Semester 1. We look forward to strengthening our partnership in Semester 2. In the meantime, we would like to wish our students/your child/your ward to have a restful break with you, family and friends.

Travel Declaration for Mid-Year Holiday

- 2. To ensure that schools continue to be a healthy and safe environment for all, we require parents/guardians to make a travel declaration for your child/ward if he/she will be travelling for the holiday.
- 3. To make a travel declaration for your child/ward via Parents' Gateway (PG), go to [SERVICE>DECLARE TRAVELS]. Please declare your child/ward's travel plan(s), indicating both the country and city of travel, and any city of transit, by 30 May 2024. Only one parent/guardian is required to make the declaration. No action is needed if your child/ward is not travelling.
- 4. When planning your travel, please refer to https://www.ica.gov.sg/enter-transit-depart for more information and updates. If there is a change in travel plan(s) after declaration, please submit a new travel declaration via PG or inform the school if the travel plan(s) is(are) cancelled.

Key Events for Term 3, 2024

5. Listed below are the key events and their respective dates.

Date	Event	Participants / Remarks
Thur 20 – Wed 26 June	Application Period for Polytechnic Early Admissions Exercise (Poly EAE)	Interested Sec 4E & 5N students
Fri 28 June	Study Skills Workshop	Sec 1, 2 & 3 students
July	Youth Month (Youth Day Celebrations)	All students



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Mon 1 July	Youth Day (School Holiday)	All students
Fri 5 July	School Health Run	All students Singapore Sports Hub
Mon 15 – Fri 19 July	Mental Health Awareness Week	All students
Mon 22 July	Racial Harmony Day	All students
Tue 23 – Thur 25 July	GCE O Level National Oral Examinations (Full Day)	Blended Learning Days for all students
Mon 29 July – Thur 1 Aug	Sec 1 Outdoor Adventure Learning Camp	Sec 1 students
Fri 2 Aug	Fri 2 Aug Experience ITE Programme Sec 3 G	
Thur 8 Aug	National Day Observance Ceremony & Sports Carnival	All students
Fri 9 Aug	National Day (Public Holiday)	All students
Thur 29 Aug	Teachers' Day Celebrations	All students
Fri 30 Aug	Teachers' Day (School Holiday)	All students
Mon 2 – Fri 6 Sep	Term 3 School Holidays	All students

- Kindly note that GCE O Level National Oral Examinations will commence in Term 3 Week 5 from 23 July (Tue) to 25 July (Thur) for three full days. We would be converting the 3 days mentioned above to Blended Learning (BL) days and in replacement, 3 of the Friday Blended Learning days would be changed to in-school lessons.
- The Fridays affected are shown in the table below:

Full Day Oral Examination	In-school Lesson
23 July (T3W5 Tue) - BL Day	26 July (T3W5 Fri)
24 July (T3W5 Wed) - BL Day	2 Aug (T3W6 Fri)
25 July (T3W5 Thur) - BL Day	23 Aug (T3W9 Fri)

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Sec 1 Applied Learning Programme (ALP) - Sustainability in Broadrick

to the students when it is ready at the start of Term 3.

8. Our school's ALP is Sustainability in Broadrick. The aim of the programme is to develop in students the necessary skills and mind-sets to dare to think out of the box in creating Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) solutions to our world's sustainability issues.

Please note that there will be a special timetable for all 6 dates, and it will be provided

- 9. In Semester 2, on top of their investigative and experiential learning experiences during Geography and Design and Technology lessons, all Secondary 1 students will participate in hands-on activities that are designed to help them further apply their academic knowledge. This will develop an appreciation of the scarcity of natural resources as well as their sustainable use and management. Students will also develop their emerging 21st Century Competencies such as communication, collaboration, and information skills by presenting their learning to their teachers and peers.
- 10. ALP sessions will take place during selected Tuesday whitespace timeslots in Terms 3 and 4. The schedule for ALP is listed below:

Classes		Dates of ALP	Programme	Timing
		Week 2: 2 July 2024	Introduction	
1A 1B		Week 3: 9 July 2024	Energy Sustainability	
1C	Term 3	Week 4: 16 July 2024	Energy Sustainability	Tuesdays
1D 1E	_	Week 9: 20 August 2024	Energy Sustainability	0730am – 0840am
1F 1G		Week 10: 27 August 2024	Energy Sustainability	
10	Term 4	Week 1: 10 September 2024	Class presentations & Summary	

Health and Safety

- 11. You are reminded <u>not to send your child/ward to school if they are unwell or have flu-like symptoms</u>. Please bring them to consult a doctor instead, and update your child's Form Teachers with the relevant MC. Let's continue to practise good personal hygiene, and exercise social responsibility at all times.
- 12. You may drive your child to school in the morning but please be reminded to drive slowly and exercise caution around and within the school campus.

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Attire/Grooming

13. Due to the hot weather, students are allowed to wear either PE or School's Polo Top to school. Students must be properly attired for lessons in class and during Physical Education (P.E) lessons. Attire/Grooming check will be conducted in Week 1, Week 4 and Week 7. We therefore seek your support in ensuring that your child/ward observes the school rules and regulations. Kindly refer to the 2024 e-Student Handbook (pages 21-23) uploaded onto our school website at http://broadricksec.moe.edu.sg/ for the detailed information.

II) Academic Matters

Weighted Assessment and Examination Dates for Term 3, 2024

- 14. The Sec 1-3 Weighted Assessment 3 will be conducted between Week 7-8.
- 15. Please take note that some subjects will be conducted during curriculum time. This will serve to spread out the period of the WA for our students and encourage a habit of regular revision and continual self-directed learning. The subject teachers will be advising students on the exact dates for the WA2 for these subjects.
 - During the structured WA period, the flag raising will be conducted at 0730 followed by WA.
 - Normal timetabled lessons will resume after WA.
- 16. A student who misses any paper must have a valid reason (such as a medical certificate). The relevant documents must be submitted to the character coaches when the student returns to school.
 - a) If student is absent without a valid reason, 'AB' status will be awarded. This is equivalent to a 'zero' mark awarded for the paper.
 - b) If student is late, no additional time will be given to complete the test.
- 17. For Sec 4/5 Examination, please refer to the table below:

4NA/NT Examination Dates for Term 3, 2024

Date	Event	Participants / Remarks
Tue 23 – Fri 26 July	GCE N Level EL Oral Exam	Sec 4NT SBB/4NA students
Tue 23 – Fri 26 July	GCE N Level MT and MTB Oral Exam	Sec 4NA/NT students
Tue 6 – Fri 16 Aug	Sec 4N N Level Prelim Exam	Sec 4NA/NT students

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4E/5N Examination Dates for Term 3, 2024

Date	Event	Participants / Remarks
Wed 3 July	GCE O Level MT & MTB LC Exam	Sec 3 HMTL/4NA SBB/4E/5N students
Thur 4 – Fri 5 July Mon 8 – Fri 12 July	GCE O Level MT Oral Exam	Sec 3 HMTL/4NA SBB/4E/5N students
Mon 22 – Fri 26 July	GCE O Level EL Oral Exam	Sec 4E/5N students
Mon 22 – Thur 25 July	GCE O Level HMT Oral Exam	Sec 4 Higher MTL students
Tue 23 – Thurs 25 July	GCE O Level MTB Oral Exam	Sec 4NA/4E/5N MTB students
Tue 13 Aug	Sec 4E/5N Prelim Chemistry Practical Exam	Sec 4E/5N students
Fri 16 Aug	Sec 4E/5N Prelim Physics/Biology Practical Exam	Sec 4E/5N students
Tue 20 Aug	Sec 4E/5N Prelim Science Practical	Sec 4E/5N students
Thurs 22 – Wed 28 Aug (part 1) Mon 9 – Wed 11 Sept (part 2)	Sec 4E/5N Prelim Exam	Sec 4E/5N students

III) Student Development Matters

Student Achievements

18. We are proud to share the following achievements:

CCA Awards

National School Games (NSG) 2024

Shooting (Air Rifle)	3 rd B Div Girls
Tchoukball	3 rd B Div Girls



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Taekwondo	B Div Boys Kyorugi & Poomsae
	Kyorugi 2 golds, 2 silvers & 3 bronzes
	Poomsae 4 golds, 5 silvers & 10 bronzes

Uniformed Groups Unit Awards

Girl Guides	Gold Award Puan Noor Aishah Award
NPCC	SPF-NPCC Badge Award 2024 Viknesh S/O Manimaran 4D

Other Uniformed Group Awards

Red Cross	Bronze Award National First Aid Competition (Junior)
	Silver Award National First Aid Competition (Senior)
	<u>Director's Award</u> Jeslyn Toh Xin Eng 4E

Visual Performing Arts

Modern Dance 4 Star Award Harmony in Motion Open Stage Competition
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Other Awards

2024 "Awe-Inspiring Virtue and	Merit Award
Ocean of Wisdom" National	Li Tianshuo 3C
Calligraphy Competition	Dantasha Tan Si Yu 3D



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2024 "3 Acts of Goodness" Painting Competition	3 Acts of Goodness Award Ma Weiqi 2B Gong Yiduo 3F
Ngee Ann National Students' Calligraphy Competition 2024	Rising Star Award Rao Chuqi 4G
National Chinese Riddle Competition and Workshop 2024 (Express Chinese Category)	Third Place Group Wu Ruoyu 2A Tan Wanqi 3C Ting Zhao Xin 4B
2024 National Chinese Challenge (Secondary Category)	Merit Award (Group) Zhou Junzhi 3E Wu Jinze 3F Toh Yun Fei 4E Su Jixin 4H
S5 Cluster Tamil Drama Festival	Third Prize (Group) Sujavudeen Bin Sahul Hameed 2A Samy Pravin 2B Azeem Ebrahim 2B Muhammed Hamdan Kader Mohaideen 2B Khaleelullah S/O Habeebulla 2B H Muhammad Yusuf 2C Segu Abdul Kareem Segu Mahmood Easa 2C Mohanavelu Dhanavel 2C Akshaya Clevon Sivanason 2C Ramasamy Yuvanakrishna 2D Mohamed Fareez 2E Veera Mukilan S/O Kulanthaivel 2F
Tamil Saaral (E2 & E5 Clusters) ICT Competition 2024	Second Prize (Group) Samy Pravin 2B Mohanavelu Dhanavel 2C Ramasamy Yuvanakrishna 2D Joseph Arockiya Snowpia 2D Manikandan Oviya 2E
Tamil Saaral (E2 & E5 Clusters) – Tamil Language Oratorical Competition 2024	First Prize Muhammed Hamdan Kader Mohaideen 2B Third Prize Seyed Ameer Mohamed Abubucker 1A



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Motivational Prize Abdha Mohamed Abubucker 4F

IV) Other Matters

Updates on BRD Website and Instagram

- 19. The school publishes relevant announcements on our school website and Instagram. Do access the school website at http://broadricksec.moe.edu.sg/ and Instagram at @BROADRICK_SEC_OFFICIAL for further announcements and updates.
- 20. I would like to thank you in advance for your co-operation and support. We look forward to strengthening this partnership. My staff and I would like to wish you and your child/ward a happy, safe and meaningful term 3.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. Ng Tiong Nam Principal