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## AN OPEN LETTER

### MAY 2026

Dear Parents / Guardians,

1. Warm greetings from all of us at Queenstown Primary School. We trust this letter finds you and your family in good health and spirits. As Semester 1 draws to a close, we hope these past months have provided your child / ward with enriching learning experiences and meaningful growth opportunities. It has been our privilege to witness their development and progress throughout this period.

### *In Celebration...*

#### **International Friendship Day (IFD)**

2. IFD was commemorated on 10 April this year. We are grateful for the strong support and invaluable contributions from our Queenstown Parent Support Group (QtPSG). Their efforts have enabled our students to learn more about ASEAN and other countries.

3. Parents, thank you once again for making a difference for students in QtPS!

### *Upcoming Events...*

#### **Labour Day (1 May)**

4. Friday, 1 May is a public holiday. Students will return to school on Monday, 4 May.

#### **Sports Day (15 May)**

5. Our school Sports Day will take place on Friday, 15 May from 7.30 am to 12.00 pm for all students. Bus services will be provided for students taking the school bus on that day. For more details about the Sports Day, please refer to the notification which was sent to you via the Parents' Gateway (PG) platform on 20 April 2026.

#### **Hari Raya Haji (27 May)**

6. The Hari Raya Haji Public Holiday will be on Wednesday, 27 May. QtPS wishes all Muslim members of our Queenstown Family a joyful Hari Raya Haji!

#### **e-Parent-Teacher-Child Conference (e-PTCC) for P1 to P6 students (28 & 29 May)**

7. As shared with you in our April Open Letter, our e-PTCC will take place on 28 May and 29 May. On these two days, all students **do not** need to report to school.

**Time:** 8 am to 4.00 pm (28 May) & 8 am to 12.30 pm (29 May)

**Duration per session:** 10 minutes

8. Parents / Guardians will be invited to meet with your child's / ward's Form Teachers, together with your child, via MS Teams. During this session, your child / ward will be sharing on his / her learning experiences. This will be followed by a conversation with Form Teachers on your child's / ward's progress. Form Teachers will provide you with the link and password

closer to the date. In the event that MS Teams malfunctions, the e-PTCC will take place via Google Meet, and the Form Teachers will share the login details with you via your usual mode of communication (e.g., Class Dojo or email).

9. All parents are invited to book their timeslots online via the Parents' Gateway (PG) platform, and slots will be allocated on a first come, first served basis, subject to availability. **The booking system will be in operation from 6 May (8 am) till 13 May (11.30 pm).**

10. We look forward to seeing you and strengthening our school-home partnership!

#### **June School Holidays (30 May to 28 June)**

11. The last day of Term 2 will be Friday, 29 May. We will break for our June school holidays from Saturday, 30 May, to Sunday, 28 June. Students should return to school for the start of Term 3 on Monday, 29 June. Happy holidays!

#### **Vesak Day Public Holiday (31 May)**

12. The Vesak Day Public Holiday will be on Sunday, 31 May. QtPS wishes all Buddhist members of our Queenstown Family a blessed Vesak Day!

#### **QtPS 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Open House (4 July)**

13. The Learning Extravaganza Open House (LEOH) 2026 will be held on Saturday, 4 July. This year's event is particularly significant as it is held in conjunction with our 70th Anniversary celebrations, a meaningful milestone that commemorates our rich heritage and celebrates the pride and joy of our students and school community. The Open House aims to provide parents and guardians of Queenstown Primary School with a deeper understanding of the distinctive and holistic learning experiences that shape our students. Through the programmes and showcases, there will also be opportunities to share our school's heritage and highlight our students' pride and joy in their learning journeys and achievements. These experiences are thoughtfully designed to showcase our vision - Confident leaders and Caring Citizens who are Change Makers.

14. We warmly invite you to join us at QtPS' 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Open House to experience firsthand the Queenstown learning journey and to appreciate what your child / ward gains from the Queenstown experience. This occasion also presents an opportunity for us to strengthen our partnership with you in bringing out the best in your child / ward. Further details will be shared via Parents Gateway (PG) closer to the event date.

### ***General Information...***

#### **Traffic Safety Reminder**

15. The school has received feedback regarding safety concerns at the carpark between Blk 82 and 83, near the school back gate. We have observed that the area is sometimes used as a drop off/pick-up point, which has led to congestion and created unsafe walking conditions for children and parents / guardians.

16. As shared in our January Open Letter, we would like to remind all parents / guardians to use the designated drop-off/pick-up points outside our school at Blocks 42A and 88A where students can enter the school via the bus-stop gate and back gate safely. While we understand that this may be a little further, your cooperation is important as the safety of our children must remain our top priority.

### Travel Declaration for June Holidays

17. To ensure that our school continues 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 holidays. Please refer to the notification which will be sent to you via Parents' Gateway (PG) for more information.

18. Thank you for your partnership and support in keeping our school safe.

### School's Calendar of Events (COE)

19. Our May calendar of events can be found on our school website at <https://www.queenstownpri.moe.edu.sg/useful-links/school-calendar/>



### Connect with us

20. To be updated on what has been happening in our school, please visit us at:

<p><u><b>Our School's Website</b></u> <a href="http://www.queenstownpri.moe.edu.sg">www.queenstownpri.moe.edu.sg</a></p>	
<p><u><b>Our School's Facebook Page</b></u> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/qtps.sg/">https://www.facebook.com/qtps.sg/</a></p>	

### *Concluding Remarks*

21. As we conclude Semester 1, we would like to revisit our school values of Gratitude, Resilience, Accountability, Care and Empathy that we have highlighted throughout these past months. Over this period, we have observed our students growing in their understanding of what it means to appreciate the opportunities before them, persevere through challenges, take responsibility for their actions, genuinely care for one another, and see things from others' perspective. As we move forward, we continue to rely on your invaluable partnership in nurturing these essential qualities at home. We encourage you to celebrate moments when your child / ward demonstrates these GRACE values in their daily interactions. Together, we are strengthening the character foundation that will serve them well as they progress in their educational journey.

22. As we move into the mid-year school holidays, do take the time to rest, recharge and bond with your family.

Warmest regards,  
Mrs Olivia Cheong,  
Principal