



## GAN ENG SENG SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

We are very happy to share with you that with the further easing of the Safe Management Measures (SMMs), GESS has successfully completed many activities that include the Student Leadership Camp and the Sec 3 Outdoor Adventure Camp. Gessians have also completed the half-marathon challenge supported by PTA. It was a joy to see parents joining their children to complete 21km in 10 days. Competitions in the National School Games (NSG) have also resumed giving Gessians more opportunities to demonstrate excellence in sports.

Term 3 is eventful with Racial Harmony Day, National Day and Teachers' Day. Students will also go through weighted assessments (WAs) and preliminary/national examinations. Our Sec 4/5 students will face some stress as they gear up for the national examinations. It is our hope that students apply the study habits and stress management techniques taught during their CCE lessons as they prepare for their WAs and examinations. Continue to motivate your child/ward to give his/her best and to stay active, healthy and safe.

### Proud Moments

We are proud of every Gessian's achievement:

- Boys' Brigade received the sustained achievement award of JMF Gold Award 2022 and made history with a record-breaking number of 11 Founder's Award winners.
- 10 St John cadets achieved the Chief Commissioner's Badge as part of the Cadet Proficiency Badge Scheme.
- In the Cross-Country NSG, our 'C' Division Boys achieved their first ever top 4 finish and were placed 4<sup>th</sup> in the team event. 'B' division Girls came in 6<sup>th</sup> out of 37 schools.
- On 10<sup>th</sup> July 2022, one of our canoeists, Lim Yu Ling, represented Singapore in the Auronzo International Canoe Sprint Regatta and came in 3<sup>rd</sup> in the U16 K2 500m race.
- Gessians also took part in the Dunman High ASEAN plus Summit and came home clinching 4 awards.

### Remedial and Revision Programme For Graduating Cohort

In preparation for the written national examinations that will commence in October for our N & O-level students, school has planned a remedial/revision programme for them. Sec 4NT and 4NA students will be involved in a structured remedial programme while the 4Exp/5NA will have a revision programme.

Details of the Sec 4Exp/5NA revision programme are as follows:

Term 3	Supervised Study Programme	Mon: PHIS (4E), PHIS/D&T/Art/Lit (4F, 4G), D&T/F&N (5A)
Weeks	(SSP)	Tue: Humanities (SS/Comb Hum)
3 to 7	(2.5 hours)	Wed (Odd): Science
		Thu (Even): Science
		Fri: Math

We seek your support in allowing your child/ward to participate in the remedial/revision programme so that we can work together with him/her to attain his/her desired goals in the coming national examinations.



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### School Safety

With the easing of Safe Management Measures, the school has planned for a School Emergency Exercise in Term 3. The School Emergency Exercise aims to prepare our students and staff to respond to emergency situations.

The school compound remains a mask-on environment. As such, students are required to wear their masks at all times except when they participate in specific mask-off activities such as PE, music or CCA related activities and when eating or drinking. Kindly remind your child/ward to wear his/her mask to school and to have a working thermometer in the bag at all times.

With the recent spike in Covid-19 cases, we would like to urge all parents/guardians and students to be socially responsible. If your child/ward is unwell or has flu-like symptoms, kindly take him/her to see a doctor and rest at home.

### Term 3 Key Events

Details of term 3 key events are found in Annex A.

Let us work together to realise our vision of Gessians of Excellence, Standing and Significance. We truly value your partnership and support.

Onward!

Yours faithfully

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Vice-principal



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ANNEX A

**Term 3 Key Events**

Dates	Event	Remark (if any)
6 July (Wed) to 19 Aug (Fri)	<b>National Exams:</b> <b>GCE 'N' Level</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 12 Jul- 18 Jul: EL Oral Exam</li> <li>• 3 Aug- 5 Aug: CL/ML/TUBCL/BML/BTL oral exam</li> </ul> <b>GCE 'O' Level</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6 Jul- Syllabus B Mother Tongue Oral exam</li> <li>• 7 Jul - 18 Jul: MT Oral Exam</li> <li>• 21 Jul- 1 Aug: EL Oral Exam</li> <li>• 15 Aug -19 Aug: HCL, HML &amp; HTL Oral Exam</li> </ul>	
12 Jul (Tue)- 2 Aug (Tue)	GESSCares 22 good deeds in 22 days Campaign	All levels are involved
13 July (Wed)	RHD Learning Journeys for Sec 3 Classes involved are 3-3, 3-4, 3-7 and 3-8	Details will be provided to classes.
21 July (Thu)	Racial Harmony Day Commemoration	Students are encouraged to come in ethnic wear.
27 July (Wed)	RHD Learning Journeys for Sec 3 Classes involved are 3-1, 3-2, 3-5 & 3-6	Details will be provided to classes.
8 Aug (Mon)	National Day School Celebrations	School will end at 10.15 am
9 Aug (Tue)- 10 Aug (Wed)	National Day holidays	
5 Aug (Fri), 11 Aug(Thu) to 19 Aug (Fri)	4NA/4NT Prelim Examination	
11 Aug (Thu) to 12 Sept (Mon)	<b>4 Exp/5NA Prelim Examination</b> 11 Aug- Prelim Science Practical (Phy/Chem) and Science (Bio/Chem) (PM) 12 Aug- Prelim Physics Practical Exam (PM) 17 Aug- Prelim Chemistry Practical (Full day) 19 Aug- Prelim Biology Practical (Full day) 22 Aug- 12 Sept Prelim Written papers	
1 Sept (Thu)	Teachers' and Support Staff Day Celebrations	School will be dismissed at 11am
2 Sept (Fri)	Teachers' Day - School Holiday	
3 Sept (Sat) to 11 Sept (Sun)	September Holidays	
12 Sept (Mon)	Students are to report to school at 8.30 am	

