



24th June 2019

Dear Parents, Guardians and Students in Secondary,

**Re: Curriculum Enhancement Week (CEW)**

I am writing to you with regards to our CEW programme for AY 2019 - 2020. Due to our move to the BT campus this academic year, the school felt that organizing CEW would be challenging while the community settles into the new surroundings. We also felt it was time to conduct a full review of CEW and hence earlier in the academic year a survey was sent out to the community. The results of the survey were carefully analysed and we appreciate all the feedback that was given.

A committee was also set up to discuss the way forward. Much thought and consideration had to be looked at including timing, the various types of programmes and costs. I would like to sincerely thank the teachers and senior administrative staff for their contribution during this review. We were especially pleased to see the large degree of parent support for CEW (ie: activities outside the classroom). I am glad to announce that CEW will be returning to our school calendar of events! Please take note that CEW will be held on the following dates:

**22nd - 24th January 2020 (Wednesday - Friday) ie three days, two nights**

All year levels will be involved. For this academic year, we will be conducting **CEW locally, within Singapore, only**. In subsequent years, based on the feedback we receive from the wider school community, we will consider expanding our CEW programme to a full week (Mon - Fri) and in some year levels, travel overseas. As CEW is a part of our curriculum, it is a requirement that students participate.

All regular classroom timetables will be collapsed during that period. Please note the structure of the CEW programme:

**Year 7**

**Year 8 & 9 combined**

**Year 10**

**Year 11, 12 and 13 combined**

An information night for students and parents will be held on **25th September 2019**. This will be an information session regarding the various activities available to both Middle and High School students in Years 7 to 13 during CEW.



A second more detailed letter outlining the various programmes for each level including venues, costs, registration and vendor provider will be sent out in September 2019 (before the information night). For budgeting purposes, our trips are estimated currently to be in the range of ~\$600.

So, please save the dates mentioned above and rest assured that the various programmes planned will be in the interest of giving each student a valuable learning experience outside the confines of the classroom. I am certainly looking forward to welcoming back CEW to our curriculum.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind Regards,

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