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Dear Parents/Guardians

Greetings from Yuying Secondary School!

2 We hope that your child/ward has had a restful and enjoyable December break and that he/she is recharged to return to school. Our students have had a fruitful and enriching 2023 with many activities organised for them. This year promises to be yet another exciting year as we look forward to providing your child/ward with vibrant learning experiences.

First Three Days of School Programme

3 This letter seeks to inform you on the details of the first three days of school, **2 - 4 Jan 2024 (Tue - Thu)**. The school has dedicated time for your child/ward to ease back into school, through the **START RIGHT programme** on these three days. Through this programme, your child/ward will be provided with opportunities to connect with his/her classmates and form teachers and adjust to school routines. The details of the programme are as follows:

Date	Dismissal Time	Activities	Things to bring	Reporting Attire
2 - 4 Jan 2024	1.25 pm	START RIGHT Programme	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• English/Mother Tongue Language book for silent reading• Stationery• Colouring materials• Charged Personal Learning Device	Half Uniform 

4 Your child/ward must report to the school hall by **7.40 am daily**. Your child/ward is encouraged to reach school earlier and engage in silent reading. You can support your child/ward to ease back into school by re-establishing his/her sleep routine.

5 To ease your child/ward back into school, there will be an attire and grooming check on the first day of school (**2 Jan 2024**). Having proper attire and grooming is an outward expression of one's readiness to learn. Your child/ward must be in half school uniform and his/her hair should be neatly cut and of its natural colour. Students who fail to meet the school's expectations (Student Handbook Pg 8-12) will be sent home to rectify their attire and/or hair before returning to school. You will be informed should your child/ward fail to meet the prescribed attire and/or hair standard. We seek your cooperation and support in partnering us to ensure your child/ward is in the proper attire and hairstyle for school.

6 All secondary 4Exp, 4NA and Sec 5 students will be going to Polytechnic Open Houses on 4 Jan 2024 and 5 Jan 2024. By visiting Polytechnic Open Houses, students will be exposed to higher education pathways and will motivate them in setting higher goals for their National Examinations. The details are as follows:

Dates	Classes	Departing School	Reaching school	Venue
4 Jan 2024	4G, 4R and 5G	1.00 pm	5.30 pm	Nanyang Polytechnic
5 Jan 2024	4A, 4C and 4E	1.00 pm	5.30 pm	Temasek Polytechnic
5 Jan 2024	4F, 4U and 4L	2.00 pm	5.30 pm	Republic Polytechnic

Use of Lockers and digital locksets

7 Each student will be given a Digital lockset and a locker to store their Personal Learning Device (PLD) during curriculum time when not in use. All students are expected to bring their Personal Learning Device (PLD) home. PLDs must not be left in the lockers overnight. The digital lockset which is given on loan to the student will need to be returned to the school on the last day of school in 2024. Should a student lose his/her digital lockset, the student needs to replace by purchasing it at the school bookshop.

Temperature-taking Exercise

8 As part of our continued preparedness for school emergencies, our school will be conducting a temperature-taking exercise on **10 Jan 2024**. Your child/ward must bring a working Oral Digital Thermometer (ODT) for the exercise from 5 Jan 2024 onwards. This is an opportunity for your child/ward to practise social responsibility.

9 Please feel free to contact Mr Eric Chew (Year Head, Upper Secondary) or Ms Priya (Assistant Year Head, Upper Secondary) at 6282 7968 should you have any queries. We look forward to receiving your child/ward on the first day of school.

Thank you.



Mr Chong Jack Sheng
Principal