



ANG MO KIO PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Re: Getting Ready for School in 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians,

As we come to the end of another academic year, we would like to update you on some new developments and changes taking place in the school next year.

We are also providing information to help you prepare your child well for the first day of school and the rest of the year.

We would also like to take this opportunity to thank you for your partnership and invaluable feedback throughout the course of this year.

1. School Operating Hours

With **effect from 2 January 2019**, our school operating hours will be as follows:

	Monday to Friday
Report Time	7.30 am
Dismissal	1.30 pm
First Lesson start time	7.45 am

For 2018, our dismissal hours for Mondays and Tuesdays were at 2 pm. While this model has served us well in some areas, we have reviewed the timings to better cater to the needs of your child.

We have kept the reporting time to be at 7.30 am for all days. Kindly ensure that your child reaches the school latest by 7.30 am.

2. Recess Timings

The duration of recess will continue to be 30 minutes and the timings remain the same for the different levels:

P1 & P2	9.45 am to 10.15 am
P3 & P4	10.15 am to 10.45 am
P5 & P6	9.15 am to 9.45 am



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3. CCA Days & Afternoon Classes

The allocated days for CCAs and afternoon classes are as follows:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
CCAs for all	No after-school activities	Remedial/Supplementary /Enrichment/HMT*	Remedial/Supplementary /Enrichment/HMT*	Competitive CCAs/ Sports Enrichment P4 Swimsafer Programme* (whole level)

*for selected students only. More details to be given next year.

With regard to the above-mentioned changes, we have already informed our bus operators and the student-care centre to make the necessary arrangements.

Kindly make the transport adjustments for your child, if necessary.

4. Things to note for the first week of School in 2019.

Date	Level	Remark	Attire for Pupils	Things to Bring
2 – 4 Jan	P1 to P6	Orientation Programme (Three Days)	School Uniform and School Shoes. Ensure name tags on. <i>For P1 pupil, it will be Lanyard tag with their class information.</i>	One passport-sized coloured or black & white photograph of your child in Ang Mo Kio Primary school uniform. A storybook for silent reading Writing materials A box of coloured pencils (Primary 1 to Primary 3 pupils only) Water bottle No other school books required.
5 Jan onwards	P1 to P6	Normal School Days	School Uniform and School Shoes	Follow class timetable packing instructions from Form Teachers.



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5. Other Important Administrative Matters

a) Opening Hours for School Gates

School Gate	Opening Hours	Remarks
Gate A (Gate@Bus-stop) Dismissal of P3 to P6 pupils	6:50 am to 7:30 am 1:30 pm to 2:00 pm (Monday to Friday)	
Gate B (Main Gate) Dismissal of P2 pupils	6:30 am to 6:30 pm	* For the safety of the our students, parents will not be allowed to drive into the school except on rainy days. Parents who drive are encouraged to alight their child at Gate F. * Parents are advised not to send the children earlier than 6:30 am as the school main gate only opens at 6:30 am daily
Gate C (Gate@traffic light) Dismissal of P1 pupils	6:50 am to 7:30 am 1:30 pm to 2:00 pm (Monday to Friday)	
Gate F (Backgate@HDB carpark) Dismissal of P3 to P6 pupils	6:50 am to 7:30 am 1:30 pm to 2:00 pm (Monday to Friday)	Parents who drive are encouraged to alight their child at Gate F.

b) Visitors to Ang Mo Kio

All visitors to the school are to report to the Guard Post for registration before proceeding to the General Office.

For clarifications or enquiries on administrative matters, please call our general office at 64520794 or send an email to amkps@moe.edu.sg.

Thank you

Yours sincerely,
Mr Chew Mun Wai
Principal