



From the Year Head's Desk

Term 1 Week 3

15 January 2024

Dear Parents,

Welcome to Term 1 Week 3! We hope 2024 has started on a good note for you.

In this week's newsletter, we shall cast a spotlight on 2 of our school programmes. The first programme that we would like to share about is Concord's Modular Co-Curricular Activities (MCCA) programme which the Primary 3 students are involved in for the first time. The second programme is the Recess Buddy Programme.

The primary objectives of MCCA are to foster the holistic development of students through a diverse array of activities. These activities address the physical, socio-emotional, and psychological needs, as well as the overall well-being of the students. MCCA provides students with exposure to activities that complement their classroom learning, allowing them to engage in interesting and innovative experiences beyond the traditional academic setting. Through active participation in these activities, students gain an appreciation for the significance of the skills and values acquired.

MCCA is conducted every Wednesday, from 7.30am to 9am for all Primary 3 to Primary 6 students. The table below shows the activities that the Primary 3 and Primary 4 students are taking part in Term 1.

Primary 3	Primary 4
Clay Making Art	Life Skills
Rollerblading	Kinball
Dance	Touch Rugby
	Shooting

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Here are some photos of our Primary 3 students in action during their first MCCA session.



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The Recess Buddy programme is a yearly activity that is conducted at the beginning of the new school year. The Primary 4 students are paired up with the Primary 1 students to be their buddies during recess as the Primary 1 students learn to navigate in their new learning environment. Such platform provides the Primary 4 students the opportunity to instil care and empathy as well as the chance to develop their leadership qualities.

The Primary 4 buddies assisted their younger charges by guiding them to queue to buy their food, wash their hands before eating and sit at their assigned seats. After their meal, the Primary 1 students learned to return the utensils and do a wipe-down of their canteen table. The Primary 4 buddies also took the time to orientate their younger buddies of the facilities around the school, such as toilets, the school bookshop and the play areas.

Here are some photos of the Primary 4 students and their buddies!







What a way to start the year with a bang! See you in the next newsletter!

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