



Tampines Secondary School



parents  
As Partners Network



# Parents as Partners Network

TPSS established PPN in 2003 to engage parents who wish to contribute to the school's efforts.

PPN welcomes all parents as long as they are parents of a TPSS student.

PPN keeps parents connected and updated, and shares information through the *PPN Members WhatsApp Level Chat Groups*

In 2024, PPN hopes to engage more parents for face-to-face/online events and collaborations with the school.



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Our ExCo Team *(as of January 2024)*

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2023 TPSS Open House





# Supporting your Child

## Transitioning from Primary to Secondary School

PPN parents' tips from experience:

1. **Let them explore and familiarise with their 'new everything'** (give them time and space to process on their own, otherwise we might be transferring our anxieties and preoccupations to them)
2. **Keep the door open for any kind of talk** (it helps if they know they can talk to us about pretty much everything)
3. **Show them it has been done before** (share how everywhere and every year others go through the same, and even how in our times we had to deal with the transition)
4. **Acknowledge explicitly that they have to undergo a big transition** (acknowledge the increase of subjects and workload, together with having to go through another major exam in 4/5 years time, reassure them their teachers are there to help and that the big change it's a sign they are ready for it and able to do more, means growing bigger)



We are looking forward  
to working with you!!!

