



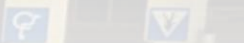
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# SUPPORTING YOUR CHILD/WARD'S TRANSITION INTO SECONDARY 1



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# Student Development Team

The SDT is set up with the intention to:

- Enhance school's ability to deliver a **student-centric** and **values driven** education
- Develop and coordinate **age-appropriate programmes** to support **holistic development** of students
- Enhance **quality of school experience** for our students

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# Understanding Your Child's Needs

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# Transition & New Experiences



## Physical

Entering  
adolescence

Puberty



## Intellectual

More subjects

Managing more  
complex ideas



## Emotional

Self  
confidence  
Self esteem



## Social

Interacting  
with new  
peers



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# Greater Academic Workload

## Primary School

- ✓ English
- ✓ Mother Tongue Languages
- ✓ Maths
- ✓ Science

Examinable Subjects

- ✓ Combined Humanities
- ✓ Food and Nutrition

- ✓ Art
- ✓ Music
- ✓ Design and Technology
- ✓ Elements of Business Skills
- ✓ Computer Applications
- ✓ Literature

## Secondary School

- ✓ English
- ✓ Mother Tongue Languages
- ✓ Maths
  - ✓ Additional Mathematics
- ✓ Science
  - ✓ Biology
  - ✓ Chemistry
  - ✓ Physics
- ✓ Physical Education
- ✓ CCE

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# Our Students' Needs

Sec 1

- Transition to Secondary School

Sec 2

- Subject Streaming Exercise
- Education and Career Guidance (ECG)

Sec 3

- Transition to Upper Secondary
- Leadership Development

Sec 4

- Preparation for Tertiary Education

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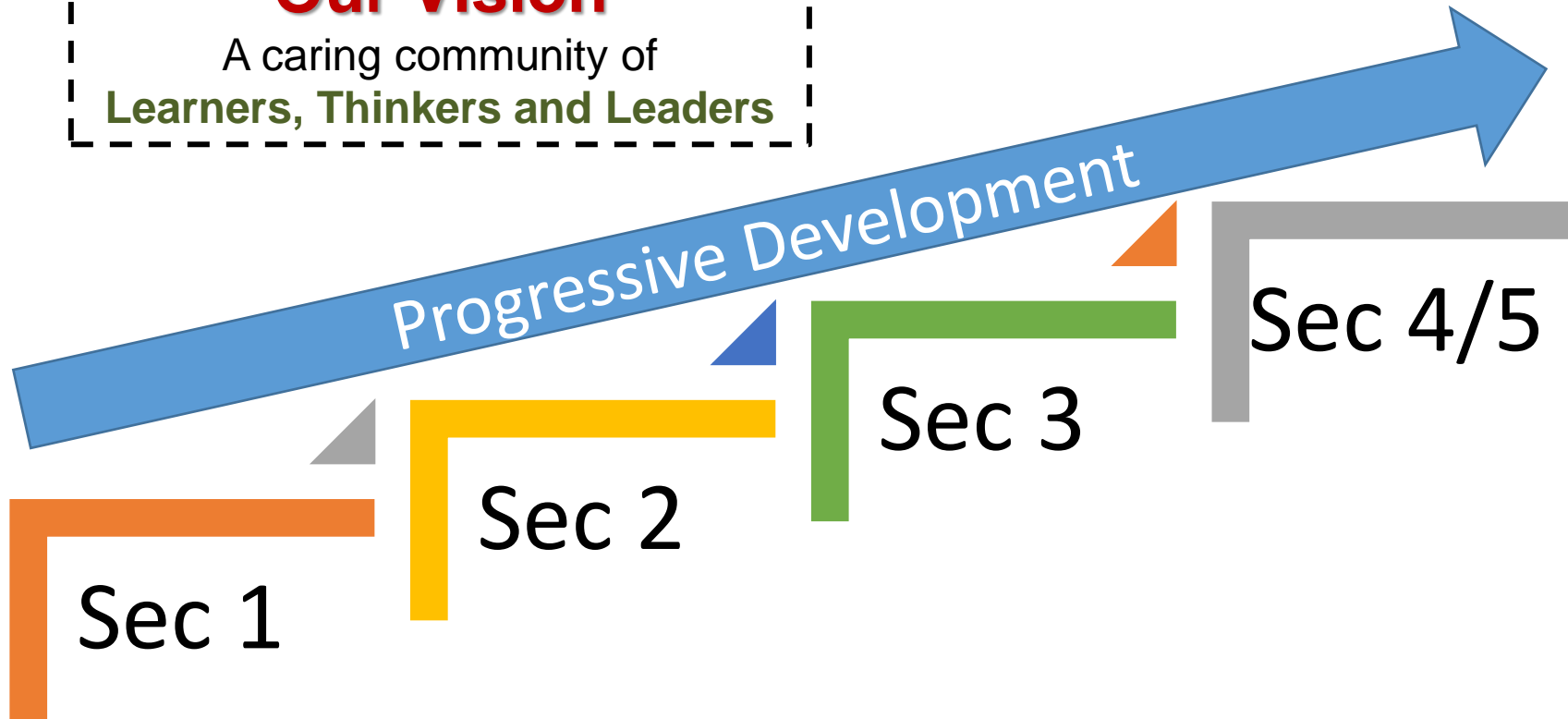
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# Coordinated programmes for progressive holistic development

## **Our Vision**

A caring community of  
**Learners, Thinkers and Leaders**



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# Secondary School Education

## Importance of laying a good foundation

Sec 1's work → Tested in Sec 2/3/4/5

Sec 2's work → Tested in Sec 3/4/5

Sec 3's work → Tested in Sec 4/5



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In-School Shift

Out-School Shift



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# In-School Shift



Enhanced  
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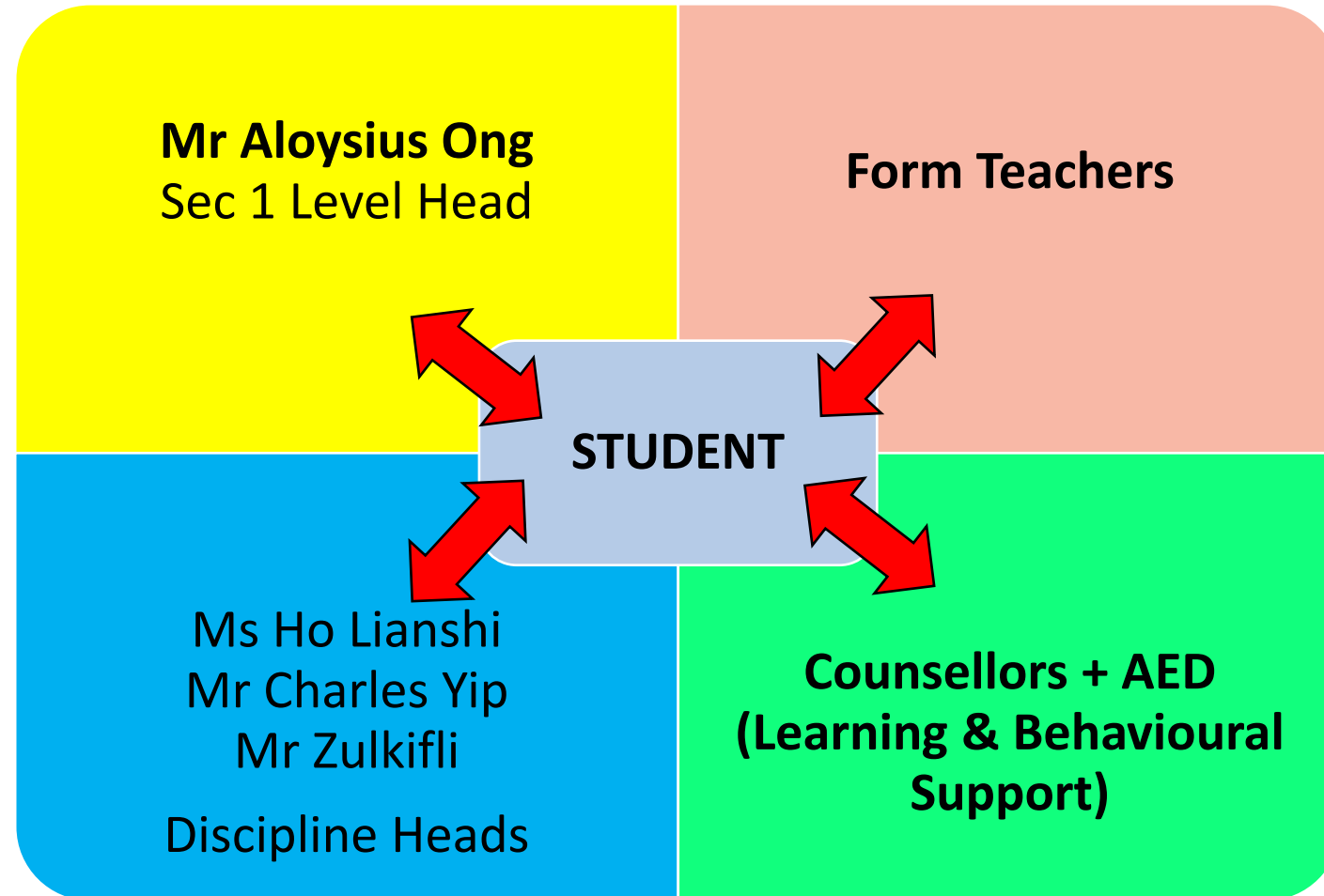
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# Support Structure



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# Out-School Shift



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# Routines & Expectations

## Key Reminders

### 1. Attendance

- Parent/Guardian must call General Office or Form Teacher if child is absent.
- **MC must be produced** the day child comes back to school.
- School Cockpit mobile is used by the school to **monitor students' attendance** and communicate with parents. – **do update the school (via Form Teacher) of your contact number**



# Routines & Expectations

## Key Reminders

### School Start Time

- 7.30am
- Please note traffic conditions around school in the morning

### School Timetable

- Posted online on school website
- URL: [tampinessec.moe.edu.sg](http://tampinessec.moe.edu.sg)

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# School Drop-off & Parking Policy

- Students are to alight only at the drop-off point in the school compound
- Visiting vehicles are to register at the security post and be advised to park at designated lots if available
  - Vehicles must be parked at assigned lots to prevent traffic congestion and ensure road safety
- If visitor lots are not available, visiting vehicles may park at the HDB car park



# School Safety

To ensure school safety for all students and staff,

- All vehicles entering school compound must be stopped & checked
- All visitors are required to obtain a **visitor pass** from the Security Office **before going to the General Office** for further assistance

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# School Safety

To ensure school safety for all students,

- Students leaving the school during curriculum hours must produce a **signed early release form** from General Office
- **Students entering the school should be in school-based attire & proper footwear** before allowing entry.

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# Routines & Expectations

## Key Reminders

### 2. School Attire

- **Students must adhere to proper school attire and grooming.** This includes hair cut and accessories as well.





# Routines & Expectations

## Key Reminders

### 3. Attention during learning

- Encourage your child to **be attentive**.
- **Ask** relevant questions in class.



# Routines & Expectations

## Key Reminders

### 4. Assignments

- Parents can help to **establish a suitable after-school routine** for your child.
- Parents can help to assist FTs in ensuring that your child's **assignments are duly completed.**



# Routines & Expectations

## Key Reminders

### 5. Attitude

- Encourage your child to have a **positive attitude** towards learning.
- This includes the academic and non-academic aspects of school.



# Let's work together!

1. We hope to have a '**two-way communication**' with you to help support your child's holistic development
2. We hope to work together with you to ensure that there is **consistent expectations** for your child in school and at home



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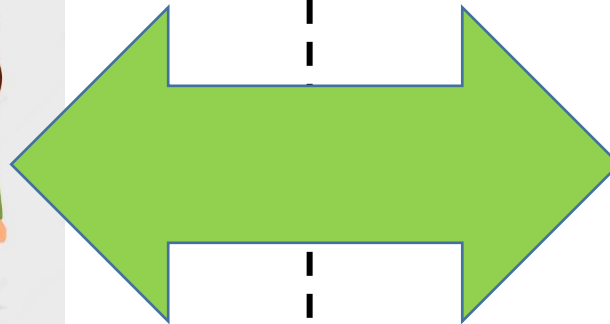
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# Communications

## Available Avenues

- Form-teacher channel (phone or email)
- PPN\*
- General office
- Communication platforms (to get updates):
  - ✓ School website
  - ✓ Parent Gateway\*
  - ✓ Termly letter
- MSF: Positive Parenting Programme





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