

IN-TOUCH @ FRONTIER

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“an aesthetically vibrant culture in Frontier”

Frontier Aesthetics Splash

In line with our efforts to build an aesthetically vibrant culture in Frontier, as well as to provide our pupils with a varied Arts experience, Frontier Aesthetics Splash has been planned. This Aesthetics programme is in Term 1 Week 9.

The week will kick off with an assembly talk on Monday morning (4 Mar) by an artist who will be inspiring our pupils with the fun aspect of Visual Art.

During the two recesses that week, from Monday to Friday, fringe activities will be conducted for pupils to appreciate and participate in – busking style.

There will be another segment for all Primary One pupils on Friday, 8 March from 2pm to 4.30pm. Details will be furnished at a later date.



Road Safety Matters

The school does not allow vehicles to come into the compound during dismissal time as this would compromise the safety of the children; we want to avoid a situation where children may need to walk between vehicles in order to reach their parents' vehicles.

We do however understand some parents' concerns should it rain during dismissal time. This is why the school will allow parents to drive in after the buses leave the school compound should it rain. You may wish to make arrangements with your children to wait for you at the school foyer in such a situation.

We estimate that it will take between 15 to 20 minutes for the buses to leave the school compound after the children have been dismissed from their classes i.e. from about 3:15pm on Monday and 1:45pm on other weekdays.

We hope that this arrangement will allay concerns about the children being caught in the rain.



MOE ExCEL Fest 2013

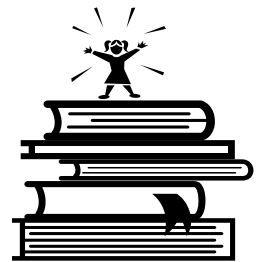
The staff of Frontier Primary School will be participating in the MOE ExCEL Fest 2013 (for MOE staff only) as one of our staff learning journey on Friday, 5th of April 2013. School will end at **12pm on the 5th of April 2013**. Please make the necessary transport arrangement.

MOE ExCEL Fest is an annual event that celebrates innovative practices in schools and allows parents and members of the public to find out more about the latest developments in our education landscape.

MOE ExCEL Fest 2013 will be opened to the public on **6 April 2013 (Saturday)** at ITE College Central (2 Ang Mo Kio Drive). The theme for MOE ExCEL Fest 2013, *Passion for Learning, Character for Life*, turns the spotlight on the initiatives in a student-centric and values-driven education for our children, to prepare them to meet the challenges of the future.

Parents are invited to attend the **Exhibitions, Seminars and Sessions** to learn more about topics specially selected such as:

- Insights into latest teaching practices and developments in various subjects at the Primary and Secondary level;
- Creative strategies to develop your child to become a confident, self-directed and reflective learner;
- Pedagogical approaches that you can use to support your child in learning; and
- Perspectives on parenting to nurture parent-child relationships.



Registration for Seminars and Sharing Sessions (Limited Seats Available!)

Seminars and Sharing Sessions on 6 April 2013 are now open for registration! In view that limited seats are available, registration is on a first-come-first-served basis. Sign up now at www.excelfest.com!

Announcements



School address:
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- The school blog title has been renamed to <http://frontierpri.blogspot.sg>.

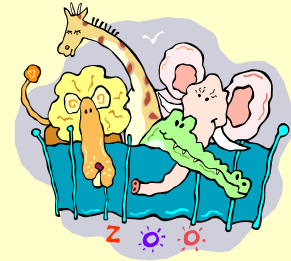
Do visit our blog page to know more about the interesting and exciting events that our pupils have gone through.

- P1 and P2 Learning Journeys

The pupils will be going for a learning journey on 15 March 2013, Friday. The Primary 1 pupils will be visiting the Singapore Zoo while the Primary 2 pupils will be exploring the Changi Airport. The objective of the learning journeys is to take learning beyond the classroom and allow pupils to learn in an authentic setting. To facilitate the learning journeys, school hours will be extended. The assembly time is 7.45am and the dismissal time is 2.30pm. More details will be given in the consent form which will be issued later.

- Primary 1 Mathematics
These are the topics that will be covered in Term 1

- ✓ Chapter 1 : Numbers to 10
- ✓ Chapter 2 : Number Bonds
- ✓ Chapter 3 : Addition within 10
- ✓ Chapter 4 : Subtraction within 10
- ✓ **Chapter 7 : Numbers to 20**



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Acknowledgement of *In-Touch@Frontier* February 2013

I, parent of _____ of Primary _____,
acknowledge receipt and have noted the contents in this February issue of *In-Touch@Frontier*.

Name of Parent: _____

Signature and Date _____