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Dear Parents / Guardians (Our Valued Partners-in-Education),

Here are some updates for April 2023.

1. International Friendship Day 2023 – Singapore in Asia

Schools commemorate International Friendship Day (IFD) on the 3rd Friday of Term 2 with the theme "Singapore in Asia". This is a day dedicated to the understanding of Singapore's relations with neighbouring countries and beyond. This year, AIPS will be commemorating IFD on Thursday, 6 April with recess fringe activities and an IFD-related assembly programme on Monday, 10 April. The commemoration of IFD allows our students to keep an open mindset and express an appreciation of the contributions of foreigners living, working, and studying in Singapore. IFD is a good opportunity to nurture in our students the spirit of friendship and collaboration among different peoples in Asia. This event will encourage our youth to play an active role in fostering people-to-people ties, and thus celebrate the region's diversity and vibrancy and promote the spirit of friendship and collaboration.

2. Staff Awards 2023

a) Listening Educator for Advancement and Progress Award (LEAP)

From now to 12 May 2023, students, educators and parents are invited to nominate teachers for the LEAP Award 2023. This award recognises exceptional teachers who have made a difference in the lives of their students. Details and nomination can be found at <https://tinyurl.com/shhkleapaward-2023>.

b) Distinguished Chinese Language Teachers Award

From now to 30 April 2023, students, educators and parents are invited to nominate teachers for the 26th Distinguished Chinese Language Teachers Award. The award aims to recognise outstanding Chinese-language teachers who have been exemplary in the teaching of the language and culture and those who cultivate students' interest through creative teaching methods or co-curricular activities. Details and nomination can be found at <https://bit.ly/dclta2023>.

3. Public Holidays

Please take note that Good Friday falls on Friday, 07 April. School resumes for all students on Monday, 10 April.

Hari Raya Puasa falls on Saturday, 22 April. There will be early dismissal for Muslim students at 10.30am on Friday, 21 April. Monday, 24 April will be a school holiday. School resumes for all students on Tuesday, 25 April.

We thank you for your strong partnership with us in your child/ward's primary education journey. We look forward to working closely with you to bring out the best in your child/ward. Together let us develop and nurture our students with good values, attitudes and mindsets for excellence to prepare them well for the future.

Warmest Regards,

Ms Ong Lee Choo
Principal

