



OUTRAM SECONDARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/ Guardians

Letter to Parents – Term Four 2022

Welcome back to Term Four! I hope all students and parents had a safe and refreshing time during the last break after a long Term Three. In this term, preparation for the End-of-Year (EoY) and National Examinations kick into high gear. As we get ready for this final lap, our staff and students will be putting our school's values of perseverance and responsibility into fine practice.

We wish all our graduating students the very best at the national examinations!

GCE N and GCE O-Level Written Examinations

Important reminders for all candidates sitting for the national examinations:

- Report to the examination centre at least 45 minutes before the start of the paper.
- Be neatly dressed in the school attire.
- Bring along the identity card and entry proof.

Covid-19 Special Arrangements for GCE Year-end Written Examinations

Safe management measures (SMMs) will continue to be implemented in schools and examination venues for the safe conduct of national examinations.

Please take note of the following:

- Students who are not well, e.g. having a fever (38.0°C and above) or exhibiting flu-like symptoms should inform their teacher and should **NOT** report for examination.
- Students are not allowed to sit for the examination if they are:
 - a) **Confirmed Covid-19 case**
 - b) **On medical leave due to Acute Respiratory Infection (ARI)**
- Students who are on Stay Home Notice (SHN) served by ICA must inform their teacher immediately so that the school can make arrangements for them to sit the examination during the SHN period.



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For more information, please access the latest press release at the SEAB website: [2022 Singapore-Cambridge GCE Examinations - Instructions to School Candidates \[Version Dated 24 August 2022\] \(seab.gov.sg\)](#). A copy of the above will be posted on PG for parents of graduating classes.

Sec One to Three End-of-Year (EoY) Examinations

Students have received the detailed examination schedule in Term 3. It is also available on the school website: [2022 EoY Exam Timetable](#). The timetable has also been posted on Parents Gateway (PG).

Here are some important notes for your attention:

- During the examination period, students who do not have papers on a particular day need not report to school.
- Students taking the examination cannot leave the school between papers or before the paper ends.
- Latecomers will not be given extra time.
- A medical certificate or notice of SHN must support any absence from the examination.
- Lessons and CCAs resume on 25 October 2022, Tuesday. The last day of school term is 28 October 2022, Friday.
- Covid-19 Safe Management Measures (SMMs) will continue to be implemented during the conduct of the end-of-year examinations

Marking Day and Promotion Day

Marking Day is on 14 October (Friday) while Promotion Day is on 21 October (Friday). Students need not report to school on these two days.

Post-examination Activities

A slew of activities have been organized for students' varied learning experiences from 25 October to 28 October 2022. A detailed schedule will be distributed to the students in due time.



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Meet-the-Parents (MTP) Day

The Term Four Meet-the-Parents Day will be held on 28 October 2022 for students and parents. All students are to report to school as usual. School will be dismissed at 10.30am. More information about the MTP will be sent later and parents will be able to make appointments with the Form Teachers via Parents Gateway (PG) or other modes. Please do respond promptly to the call for appointments by the teachers to facilitate fruitful discussions about your child(ren).

You are highly encouraged to be onboarded PG to receive timely news and announcements from MOE and the school. If you have yet to do so, please register on <https://pg.moe.edu.sg/>. There are also step-by-step guides on the school website for new users: <https://outramsec-moe-edu-sg-admin.cwp.sg/oss/launch-of-parents-gateway>.

Blended Open House

The school is conducting a blended mode of Open House in 2022. The virtual school tour will be available on the school website (<https://outramsec.moe.edu.sg/>) from 9 November 2022. You are encouraged to invite interested friends and relatives to visit the website for the virtual school tour. More information about the physical Open House will be made available on the school website after the release of the PSLE results.

Calendar of Events for Term Four

Please find attached the Calendar of Events for Term Four.

We look forward to partnering you and your child / ward as we finish strongly together this 2022!

Thank you.

Yours sincerely

Boo Hian Kok (Mr)
Principal





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2022 Term Four – Calendar of Events

Date	Event
12 Sep – 15 Sep	Sec 4E / 5NA Preliminary Examination (Part II)
12 Sep – 22 Sep 3 Oct – 12 Oct	GCE N Level Written Examination
16 Sep	Sec 2ENA EL Oral Examination
19 Sep	Sec 2NA MTL & Sec 2 CLB Oral Exam
20 Sep	Sec 2E MTL Oral Examination
21 Sep	Sec 1NA MTL & Sec 1 CLB Oral Exam
22 Sep	Sec 1E MTL Oral Examination
23 Sep	Sec 3ENA EL Oral Examination
13 Aug – 13 Oct	Sec 1 – 3 End-of-Year Examination (including oral examinations)
3, 6, 11, 13 Oct	GCE O Level Science Practical Examination
14 Oct	Marking Day
3 Oct – 11 Nov	GCE O Level Written Examination
20 Oct	MTL Cultural Day Camp (Sec 2)
21 Oct	Promotion Day
28 Oct	Meet-the-Parents Day
24 Oct	Deepavali (School Holiday)
25 Oct	Sec 1 Sports Enrichment Programme
26 Oct	Sec 2 Sports Enrichment Programme
27 Oct	Sec 3 Sports Enrichment Programme
31 Oct – 4 Nov	Sec 3ENA Bridging Programme
19 Nov – 31 Dec	End-of-Year School Vacation



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2022 MOE School Calendar for Semester 2

School Terms 2022

Semester 2	
Term 4	Mon 12 Sep to *Fri 18 Nov

* The last day of the final school term for schools that will be used as venues for the GCE O-Level written examinations will be Friday, 28 October 2022.

School Holidays 2022

Semester 2	
At the end of school year	Sat 19 Nov to Sat 31 Dec

For more information on public holidays, please access:

<https://www.moe.gov.sg/news/press-releases/20210811-school-terms-and-holidays-for-2022>

