



# NORTHOAKS PRIMARY SCHOOL

Letter to Parents 07/2017

13 January 2017

Dear Parents/Guardians,

## **Primary 4 Enrichment Programmes for 2017**

In line with our school's efforts to provide quality learning for our students, we have planned several programmes to enrich your child/ward's learning experiences this year. The intent is to expose your child/ward to the different domains of learning as part of the holistic development of your child/ward. As these programmes are subsidised by the school, we would strongly encourage you to support your child/ward's participation.

For students who are Singapore citizens, payment for these programmes will be deducted from your child's Edusave account. A one-time Enrichment Programme Standing Order authorizing MOE to deduct funds from your child's/ward's Edusave account for enrichment programmes had been given out last year and most parents have given the consent for deduction by the school.

If you subsequently decide that you do not want to use your child's/ward's Edusave account to pay for enrichment programmes, you can inform the school to terminate the Standing Order at any time.

If the Edusave fund is insufficient, the balance will have to be paid in cash.

For students who are non-Singaporeans, payment for the enrichment programmes will need to be paid in cash to the school. Please hand in cash amount (the exact total amount sealed in an envelope with your child/ward's name & class) or cheque (payable to Northoaks Primary School) to your child/ward's Form Teacher latest **by next Wednesday, 18 January 2017.**

**The list of enrichment programmes and short write-up of each programme together with the amount payable for 2017** is attached. As the 1-day camp is planned for the entire Primary 4 cohort, there will be no refund for students who eventually cannot attend (unless due to medical reason(s) supported by medical documents). Students who wilfully absent themselves (i.e. with no valid reasons) will also have to pay for the school's subsidy.

Thank you.

In partnership with you,

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Mrs Theresa Hong  
Principal



### **Enrichment Programmes for Primary 4 (2017):**

<b>S/N</b>	<b>Programmes</b>	<b>Cost of Programme</b>	<b>Co-payment by students</b>
	<b><i>Compulsory Programmes:</i></b>		
1	1-day Outdoor Adventure Experiential Camp (outside school)	\$51	\$20
2	“Leader in Me” Programme (for all students)	\$14.98	\$10
	<b>Total Amount Payable</b>		<b>\$30</b>

### **Information on Enrichment Programmes (Primary 4)**

#### **1. 1-day Outdoor Adventure Experiential Camp**

This 1-day programme aims to provide opportunities for students to:

- develop self-reliance and explore ways to respond to a challenge.
- work with others in a group.
- develop a lively curiosity about the outdoor activities.
- develop leadership and team-building skills
- develop confidence through a series of challenging activities.

#### **2. “Leader in Me™” Programme**

Based on The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People, our school hopes that The Leader in Me™ programme will help every Northoaks student to build self-confidence and develop personal management and social skills so that every child can be a leader in his/her own realm. Besides learning about socio-emotional skills during PAL lessons, students will also learn about the 7 Habits to equip them for the 21st century.