



## From the Year Head's Desk

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### Dear Parents,

We're excited to welcome you and our Concordians back for Term 2! We hope you had a wonderful March term break and enjoyed meaningful moments with your child.

In this week's newsletter, we're shining a spotlight on two engaging programmes that our Primary 3 and 4 students participated in during Term 1. The *Recess Buddy Programme* saw our Primary 4 students stepping up as mentors to support their younger peers in adapting to school life. Meanwhile, both Primary 3 and 4 students took part in *Concord's Modular Co-Curricular Activities (MCCA)*, where they explored new learning experiences beyond the classroom.

Read on to learn more about these exciting programmes!

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### Recess Buddy Programme

The *Recess Buddy Programme* is a meaningful annual initiative introduced at the start of each school year. Primary 4 students are paired with Primary 1 students to guide them during recess, helping them adjust to their new environment. This experience fosters empathy and leadership in the older students while ensuring a smooth transition for the younger ones.

During recess, the buddies assist their younger peers with queuing for food, washing their hands, and finding their seats. To further support them, the Primary 4 buddies bring their younger friends around the school, helping them familiarize themselves with key facilities such as toilets, the bookshop, and play areas.

Take a look at some heartwarming moments captured between our buddies!

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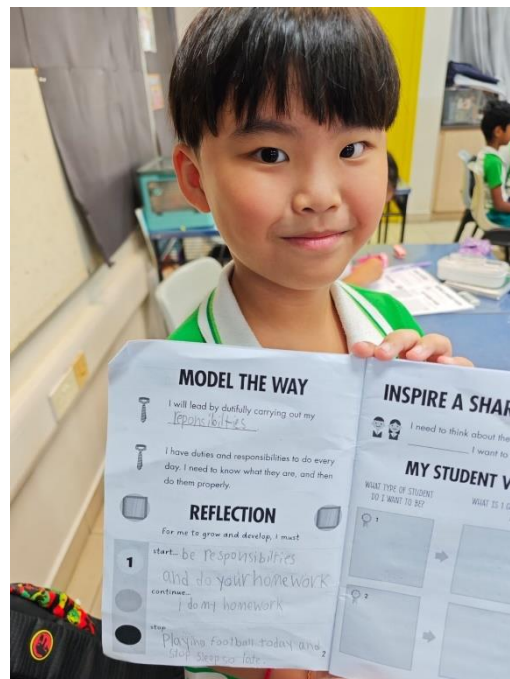


## Exciting Learning Beyond the Classroom: MCCA in Action!

At Concord, we believe in nurturing well-rounded individuals, and the *Modular Co-Curricular Activities (MCCA)* programme plays a vital role in this journey. Designed to support students' holistic development, MCCA offers a diverse range of activities.

Held every Wednesday from 7:30 AM to 9:00 AM, MCCA provides Primary 3 to Primary 6 students with enriching experiences beyond the classroom. These activities encourage exploration, creativity, and the development of essential life skills.

Check out the table below for the exciting activities our Primary 3 and 4 students are engaged in this term!



## SOAR for Life

| Term 1  |  |
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| Primary 3   | Primary 4  |
| Roller Blading<br>KPOP Dance<br>Ethnic Dance<br>Clay Making Art | SOAR For Life<br>Kinball<br>Touch Rugby<br>Rope Skipping                             |
| Term 2  |  |
| Primary 3   | Primary 4  |
| SOAR For Life<br>Roller Blading<br>KPOP Dance<br>Ethnic Dance   | Outdoor Education –<br>Cardinal Direction<br>Kinball<br>Touch Rugby<br>Rope Skipping |





## Outdoor Education – Cardinal Direction



**Roller Blading**





## Kinball



## Touch Rugby



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