

From the Year Head's Desk

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Dear Parents,

At Concord Primary, we believe in providing rich learning experiences that go beyond the classroom. In this issue, we highlight on the school's Applied Learning Programme (APL) where students applied their learning through collaborative, real-world tasks.

We hope you enjoy reading about how our Concordians are learning, growing, and shining in different ways.

Interdisciplinary Project Work (IPW) E3 Reasoning+ @ Concord

Concord's IPW E3 Reasoning+ equips students with the skills to work collaboratively, apply knowledge from various subjects, and present their ideas confidently. This 8-day programme blends classroom learning with real-world application through hands-on activities and meaningful discussions.

Here's what our Primary 3 and Primary 4 students have been up to:







Primary 3 IPW: Water Sustainability

Our Primary 3 students completed an 8-day Interdisciplinary Project Work (IPW) focused on the theme of *Water Sustainability*. The programme integrated subject knowledge from English, Math, Science, and Mother Tongue with E3 Reasoning+ skills and the Design Thinking process.

Students explored Singapore's Four National Taps and discussed the importance of water conservation. They were given a real-world challenge: to design a ship that could collect rainwater in the open sea due to Singapore's limited land-based catchment areas. In teams, they moved through the stages of Design Thinking—Empathise, Define, Ideate, Prototype, and Test—culminating in the creation of a water-collecting ship model.

A highlight of the experience was a learning journey to the **Sustainability Gallery at Marina Barrage**, where students saw how Singapore manages its water supply. This hands-on experience helped them link classroom concepts to real-world applications.

Students also practised presentation and communication skills, gave and received peer feedback, and reflected on their learning through daily journaling. The IPW experience not only built critical thinking and collaboration skills but also instilled a deeper understanding of environmental responsibility—showing our young learners that every drop truly counts.

















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