



WELCOME

to



Haig Girls' School

P1 Orientation Handbook 2024



Draw your favourite place in Haig Girls' School.

My name is _____

My class is Primary 1 _____





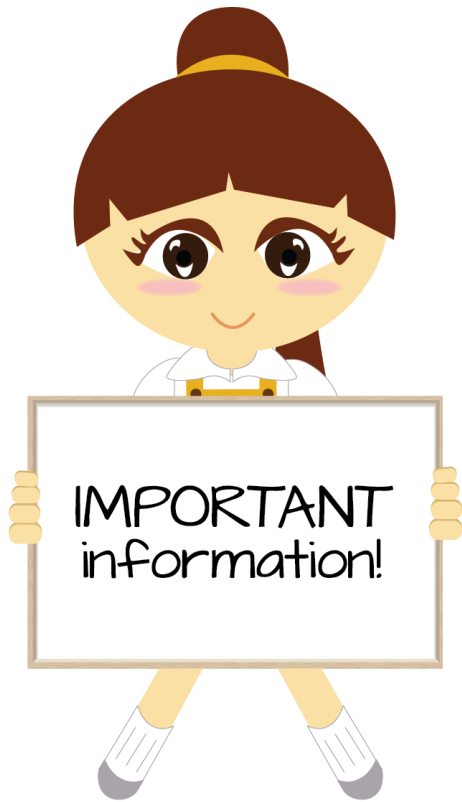
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Coming to School

I have to be in school by
7.30 a.m. daily for
Flag-Raising Ceremony.

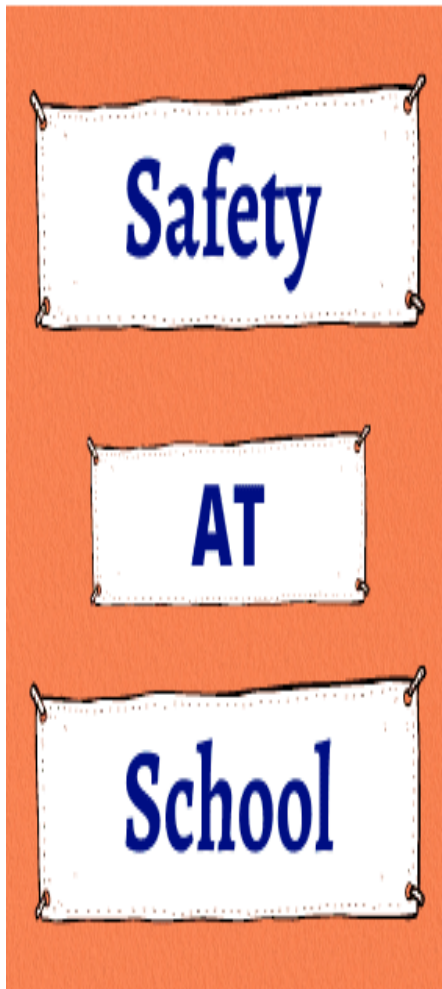
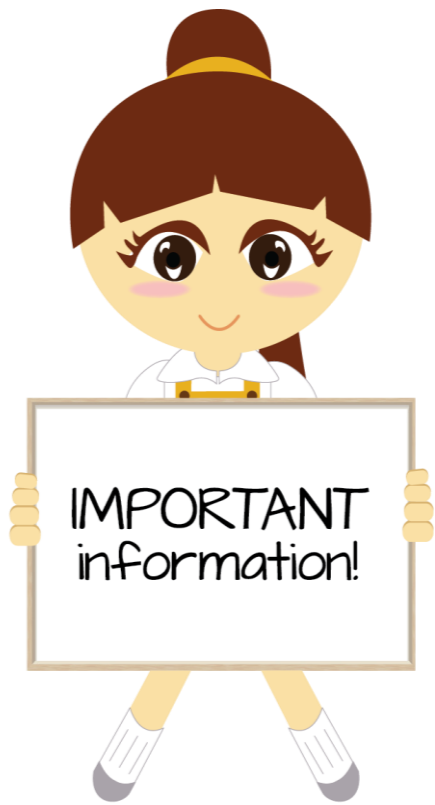


I am encouraged to come earlier as
there may be interesting pre-assembly
programmes which will start from
7.20 a.m.

On my first day of school, 2 January (Tuesday),
I will report to my classroom. My teachers will be
there to welcome me.



I will have a great time in school with my teachers and friends!



Going Home Time



Monday to Thursday: 1.30 p.m.

Friday: 1.00 p.m.



My parents will tell me how I am going home and I will remember that.

Parents, please tick in the relevant box :

<u>School Gate:</u>	
Wait at Gate 2	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wait at Gate 3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wait at Gate 4	<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>HGS School-based Student Care</u>	
Wait in the Hall	<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>School Bus</u> 	
Wait at the School Bus Waiting Area	<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>Car Pick up</u>	
Wait at the foyer 	<input type="checkbox"/>



Things to bring to School



Label **all** your belongings with your name and class.

Example: Caroline Lee, 1 Charity



Things to Bring Every Day From 2 January 2024

- Identity Tag
- HGS Student Handbook (will be given by the first week of school in 2024)
- Pencil Case (with 2B pencils, an eraser, a ruler and a sharpener)
- Water Bottle
- Colour Pencils
- English or Mother Tongue Story Books
- Black Homework File
- Healthy Snacks (Monday to Thursday)



Things to bring from 2 to 10 January



- My parents will help me to pack my bag with the following list. I will tick (✓) in the box (☐) to ensure that I have packed all the books needed.
- My parents will also help me to **label** my books with my full name on the top front cover of the books.
- My teachers will keep some of the books and files in school after collecting from me.
- My teachers will collect the 1B books from me at a later date.

2 January, Tuesday

- HGS A4 Holistic File
- Primary Mathematics Textbook 1A
- Primary Mathematics Workbook 1A
- Primary Mathematics Test Book 1A

3 January, Wednesday

- STELLAR Handwriting 1
- P1 Listening Comprehension, Booklet 1
- HGS A5 Broad Line Exercise Book [For English Spelling]
- Jotter Book with Lines [For English Vocabulary]

4 January, Thursday

◆ Mother Tongue books 1A

- Chinese**: Textbook, Activity Book, Writing Exercise Book, Small Reader 1A, Exercise Book
- Malay**: Textbook, Activity Book, Small Reader 1A, Exercise book, Jotter Book
- Tamil**: Textbook, Workbook, Student Reader and Penmanship 1A, Exercise Book, Jotter Book (with lines)

5 January, Friday

- Social Studies Activity Book
- Active and Healthy Me
- Character and Citizenship Education
(Form Teacher Guidance Period)

8 January, Monday

- Character and Citizenship Education Textbook and Workbook (Chinese, Malay, Tamil or English Language)
- A4 Plastic Whiteboard Set (*bring to school daily*)

9 January, Tuesday

- HGS Primary 1 Portfolio

◆ Subject files:

English: 1 Yellow File

Maths: 1 Red File

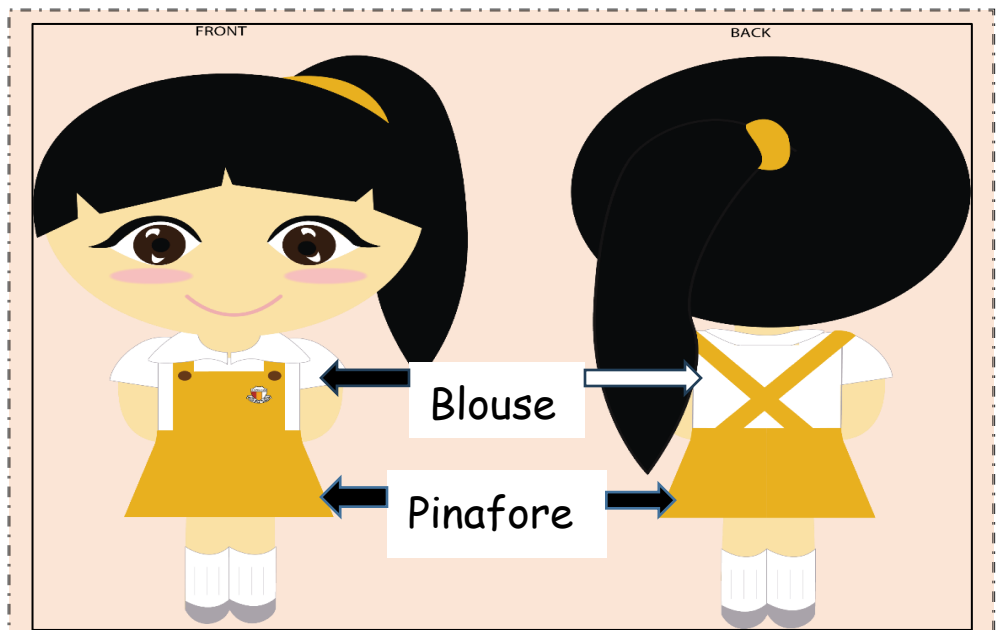
Mother Tongue: 1 Dark Blue File

CCE: 1 Black File

10 January, Wednesday

- Art Bag (*place all the compulsory items* in the bag*)

** compulsory items are listed in the book list*



I will wear my pinafore with blouse.

My PE Attire

On days when I have PE lessons, I will wear my PE attire.

White shoes with white socks or HGS socks



PE T-Shirt

PE Shorts
(pocket for wallet)

I will keep my hairdo neat and simple.



I will use school-coloured hair accessories in brown, yellow, orange, white and black.





Recess Time

Monday to Thursday: 9.10 a.m. - 9.40 a.m.

Friday: 9.00 a.m. - 9.30 a.m.



Snack Time

Monday to Thursday: 12.00 p.m. - 12.10 p.m.

Friday: No snack time



My form teachers and buddies will guide me and help me to buy my food during recess.

I can bring my own packed food.



I can learn to buy food from the canteen. I must remember to bring enough money to buy food.



Note to Parents:

Please help to prepare your child by building canteen skills such as learning how to count money and receive change; and the process of buying food, carrying the item to the table, clearing used crockery/ returning trays etc.

School Bookshop



- I have to finish my food before I visit the bookshop.
- I can only buy things from the bookshop with my parents' permission.
- I will not buy things for my friends or ask my friends to buy things for me.



Note to Parents:

Please help to prepare your child by reiterating the points on making purchases from the school bookshop.

Parents can also help to build financial literacy by teaching your child how to count money and learn to save.



I will learn to develop good habits and skills so that I can feel assured as I take **FLIGHT** in my new journey.

Follow instructions and ask for help when needed

Learn to be independent

Interact with others respectfully

Go to the toilet on my own

Have good personal hygiene

Take care of my personal belongings

Adapted from "Parent Kit - Starting Your P1 Journey" by MOE, Singapore



I will tick (✓) in the box (☐) after I have learnt the following:



<input type="checkbox"/>	I am punctual for school every day.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I pay attention to others when they are speaking.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I will go to a teacher when I need help.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I will place any letters or worksheets in my homework file and show them to my parents.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I wear my Identity Tag to school every day for the month of January.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I know how to wear my PE attire on days when I have PE lessons.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I will tuck in my PE T-shirt neatly.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I know how to put on my white socks and white school shoes.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I keep my hair neat and wear simple school-coloured hair accessories.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I know how to pack my school bag and keep it light.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I will keep my wallet in my pocket at all times.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I will not bring valuables or a lot of money to school.



Things to Remember



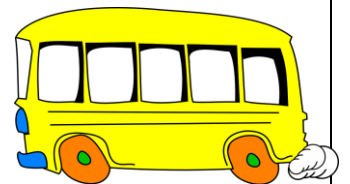
When I am unwell



I will inform my teachers. My teachers will contact my parents if I am still unwell after a short rest.

When I miss my school bus

I will go to the General Office to ask for help.



When it rains during dismissal and my parents are late

I will continue to wait and go to the General Office to call them if they have not come after a long time.



When I cannot find my belongings

I will check the "Lost and Found" shelf at the canteen and check at the General Office if I have lost my wallet or money.



PUPILS' CREED

**We, the pupils of
Haig Girls' School,
believe that we can
think, learn, achieve and
excel.**

**We believe that
we will be
gracious,
self-disciplined
and responsible citizens.**



UNITY

By Ray A. Lingenfelter

I dreamed I stood in a studio
And watched two sculptors there,
The clay they used was a young child's mind
And they fashioned it with care.

One was a teacher:
the tools she used were books and music and art;

One was a parent
With a guiding hand and gentle loving heart.

And when at last their work was done,
They were proud of what they had wrought.
For the things they had worked into the child
Could never be sold or bought!

And each agreed she would have failed
if she had worked alone.

For behind the parent stood the school,
and behind the teacher stood the home!



INFORMATION ON SCHOOL KEY SUPPLIERS

For updated information on

School Key Suppliers (school uniform, school shoes, school textbooks, school transport),

please refer to:

- (i) Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) which will be shared with you; or
- (ii) Contact HGS General Office at 6344 0293 or haigirlssch@moe.edu.sg