



School Mission

A CHIJ School is a Christ-centered school community where all work together for the promotion of truth, justice, freedom and love, with special reference to the needs of pupils who are disadvantaged in any way.

School Vision

Girls of Today for Tomorrow

Joy

I have joy
Joy in pain, Joy in sadness
Joy in discouragement

I have joy
The joy that comes from within
Innate with that of Christ
The joy to do His will

I've got joy
The joy of Christ
Which eludes Him,
when He finds a lost soul

I have joy
An aftermath of obedience,
which is seen in salvation
Joy in God's law

I have joy
Joy in tribulations,
Joy through tough times
Joy in various trials

I have joy
The joy that lasts, though I
might be visibly shaken
The joy of salvation

Adapted from Dozie Wogu

Appreciation

We would like to express our heartfelt thanks to all parents, pupils and staff for their support and contribution especially to our OLN's Project Dream as we end a very fruitful year with the year-end prize presentation, celebrating the success of our pupils.

We wish all our parents and pupils happy holidays and we look forward to seeing our pupils again on Tuesday, 2 January 2018.

School Annual

A complimentary copy of the School Annual will be given to each family. If you have more than one child in our school, the elder sibling will receive the copy. As copies are limited, there is strictly no replacement of lost copies.

This year's Annual is a special 60th Anniversary edition which captures the OLN journey over the past 60 years through memorable photos, significant events and conversations with past and present school leaders and stakeholders.

We hope that you will enjoy reading through it during the school holidays.



Download a QR code reader app on your smartphone and scan this code to view our school website. The OLN Connect is available in our school website. If your child is absent from school, please log into the school website at www.chijourladyofthenativity.moe.edu.sg and provide the required information via the google form - name of pupil, class, reason and the number of days of absence. You will still need to submit a medical certificate or a letter of excuse to the school upon your child's return.

General Information

Report Books

Report books have been issued to pupils on Wednesday, 15 November 2017. The pupils should return the Report Books to their 2018 Form Teachers on the first day of school i.e. Tuesday, 2 January 2018.

Booklist 2018

The new booklists have been given together with the Report Books on Wednesday, 15 November 2017. Please take note of the dates for sale of books/PE attire/school uniform; they can be found in the booklist.

With regard to the purchase of stationery, there is no need to buy new exercise books, writing pads and notebooks if your child still has these items at home. For subject files and ring files, your child can reuse her existing ones in 2018 if they are still in good condition.

The Student Transfer Exercise for Primary Schools (STEPS)

The Student Transfer Exercise for Primary Schools (STEPS) serves to facilitate the transfer of students who have relocated to another address, to schools nearer to their new residences.

The eligibility criteria are as follows:

- The child is a Singapore Citizen or Singapore Permanent Resident;
- The child is currently attending Primary 1 to Primary 5 in the year of application;
- The parents/guardians have changed their residential addresses between 1 January 2016 and 31 December 2017 (both dates inclusive).

Parents/Guardians of STEPS applicants can register via the internet system at www.moe.gov.sg/admissions/steps. This link is accessible from 10.00am on Friday, 17 November 2017 to 11.59pm on Tuesday, 21 November 2017.

Alternatively parents/guardians can submit applications through the school between 8.00am and 5.00pm from Monday to Wednesday, 20, 21 and 22 November 2017. The outcome of the STEPS application will be released on 12 December 2017. If you have any query about STEPS, please feel free to approach Mdm Maliga from the General Office.

Power Shutdown on 30 November 2017

There will be a power shutdown in the school in the morning on 30 November 2017. The school will be closed that morning and will only be opened after 1pm.



Pupils' Voices

Our congratulations to Gloria Geo of 5 Faith who came up with the best suggestion for Pupils' Voice this term. To thank the Parent Volunteers for their performances and help during school events, she suggested that the pupils could show their gratitude by writing a note of appreciation or by putting up a performance.

Upcoming School Events

Date	Activity/Programme	Remarks
17 Nov (Fri)	Prize Presentation Ceremony	
18 Nov to 31 Dec (Sat to Sun)	Term 4 School Holidays	
24 or 27 Nov (Fri or Mon)	Release of PSLE Results (Tentative)	For P6 only. The actual dates will be announced via a press release from Ministry of Education.
30 Nov (Thu)	Power Shutdown	The school will be closed in the morning and will only be opened after 1pm.
21 Dec (Thu)	Release of S1 Posting Results (Tentative)	For P6 only. The actual dates will be announced via a press release from Ministry of Education.
22 Dec (Fri)	Students to report to secondary schools for registration (Tentative)	
1 Jan 2018 (Mon)	New Year's Day Public Holiday	
2 Jan 2018 (Tue)	School reopens	All pupils are required to bring their stationery and report books on the first day of school. All pupils are to wear their school uniform on the first day of school.
2 - 4 Jan 2018 (Tue - Thu)	Back to School Programme	
8 Jan 2018 (Mon)	New Year Mass	
12 Jan 2018 (Fri)	P1 - P5 Networking Session	More details will be given later.
27 Jan - 3 Feb 2018 (Sat - Sat)	Visit by Beihang Twinning School	

Copies of letters issued to you through your child can be found on our website at <http://chijourladyofthenativity.moe.edu.sg/information-for-parents/letters-to-parents>



Updates for 2018

School Timing

The school will end at 1.30pm instead of 2pm on Wednesday. Please note the official school timing for 2018:

- Monday - Tuesday : 7.45am - 2.00pm
- Wednesday - Friday : 7.45am - 1.30pm

Recess Timing

Please note the new recess timing for 2018:

- P1 and P4: 10.00am to 10.25am (*Snack time: Anytime between 12noon to 12.30pm*)
- P2 and P5: 10.30am to 10.55am (*Snack time: Anytime between 12noon to 12.30pm*)
- P3 and P6: 11.00am to 11.25am (*Snack time: Anytime between 9am to 9.30am*)

Temperature-Taking Exercise on 5 January 2018

As part of the measures to maintain our school's preparedness to resume the temperature-taking regime and ensure that all pupils are familiar with temperature-taking, there will be a temperature-taking exercise on Friday, 5 January 2018. Your child is to bring along her Oral Digital Thermometer (ODT) on the first day of school i.e. Tuesday, 2 January 2018 for checking and safekeeping. All P1 2018 pupils will be given an ODT free-of-charge on Friday, 5 January 2018. Subsequently, P1 2018 pupils' ODTs will be kept by the Form Teachers. For pupils from other levels who require a new ODT, you can purchase an ODT from any pharmacy.

Co-curricular Activities (CCA)

The confirmed CCA schedule will be published on the school website under Information for Parents by Friday, 22 December 2017. CCA will commence from Monday, 15 January 2018 onwards.

If your child has selected a CCA during the CCA Fiesta! held on Wednesday, 8 November 2017, the results will be out on Tuesday, 2 January 2018. Announcements will be made in due time.

Support Lessons

Support Lessons will commence for **identified pupils** from Monday, 15 January 2018 onwards. The list of identified pupils and Support Lesson schedule will be made known by Monday, 8 January 2018 next year.

