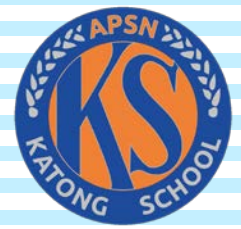
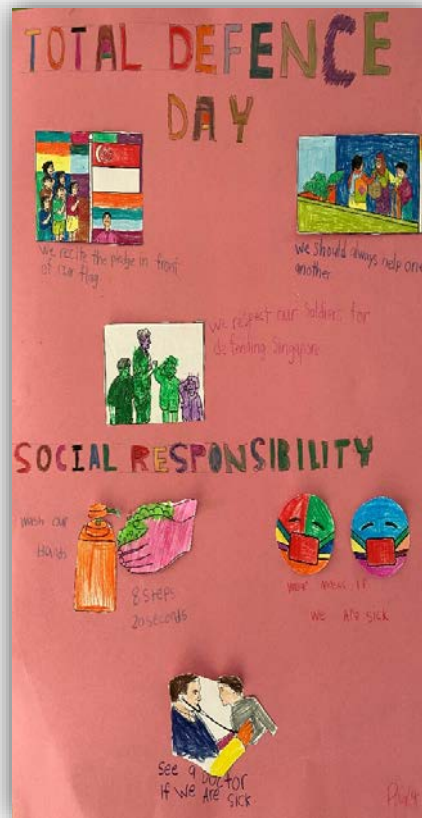
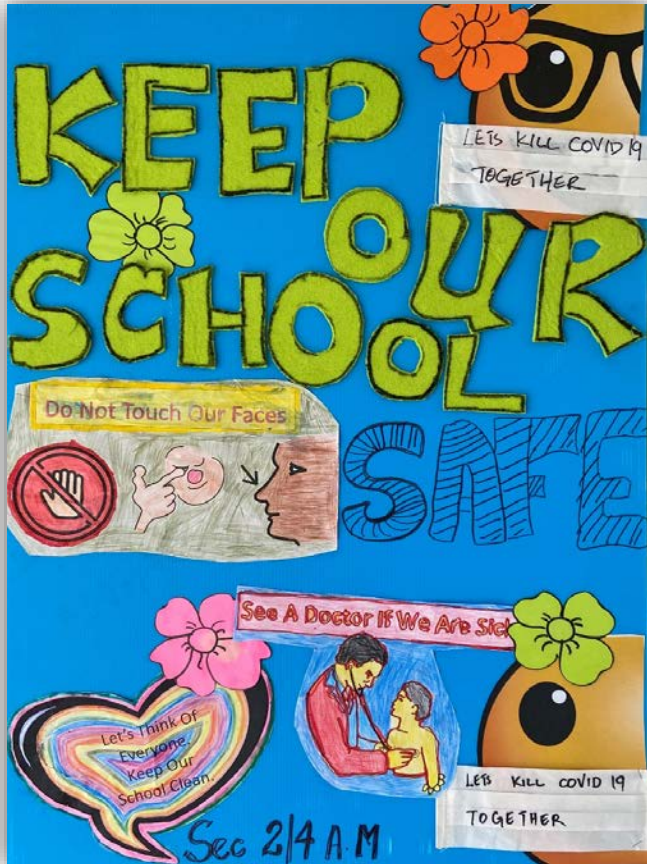


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TOGETHER WE KEEP SINGAPORE SAFE

With the onset of the COVID-19 situation, affecting thousands worldwide, Katong School embarked on a project in helping our students understand the importance of personal hygiene, as well as the role they play in keeping Singapore safe. As part of Total Defence Day, students created posters and videos, to share key messages of handwashing, keeping the classroom clean, and maintaining social distance.

The key message for everyone to remember:

- W** – Wash your hands
- D** – Don't touch your face
- W** – Wear a mask if you are sick
- S** – See a doctor if you are unwell
- W** – Wipe Down

Together, we can overcome this crisis!

[Turn over for more pictures of our students' work!]

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Dear Parents / Guardians,

The school has successfully completed Term 1.

We thank you for your trust in our care for the well-being of all our students and staff. We appreciate your support in ensuring that the school remains a safe place for learning.

Students who were placed on Leave of Absence (LOA) are well, and this precautionary measure is to protect all from the spread of the virus. We will continue to give these students our care and support them with home-based learning assigned by the teachers.

We follow closely the guidelines from MOE on the implementation of precautionary measures which are constantly reviewed to ensure that our schools remain a safe and healthy learning environment for all our students.

It is important to ensure that our students practise good personal hygiene, be socially responsible and always look out for and support one another.

If a student/staff is unwell, he/she should see the doctor promptly, and should remain at home until he/she recovers fully.

In this newsletter, we share with you the key events in Term 1, as well as, the students' learning and how they see their roles in keeping Singapore safe.

Mdm Ng Puey Koon

Principal

YOU PLAY A KEY ROLE IN OUR SCHOOL!

01

Declare all travel plans, including family members, relatives, tenants staying in the same household.

02

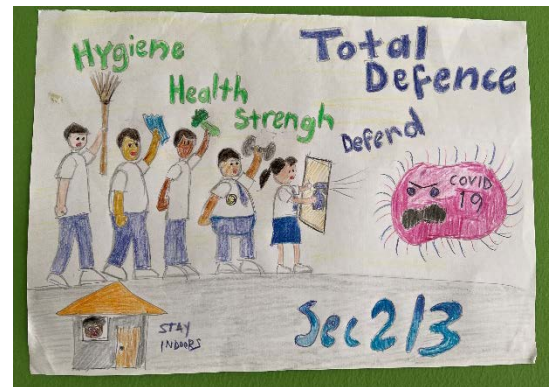
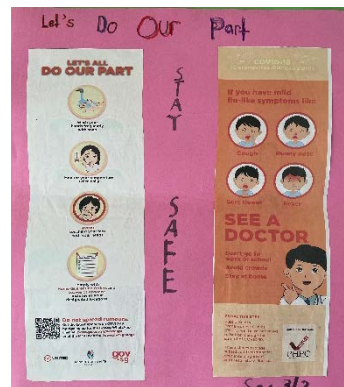
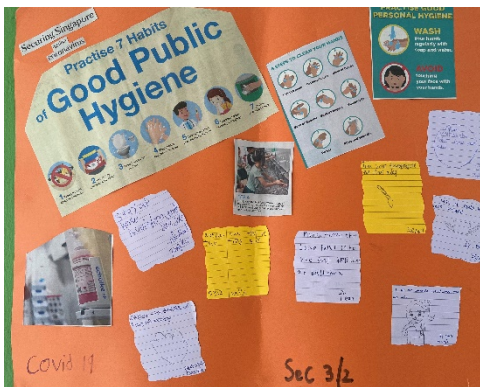
Update your child's/ward's Form Teacher if he/she is feeling unwell.

03

Seek immediate medical attention if anyone in the household is sick.

04

Remind your child/ward to always practice good hygiene, safe social distancing and avoid crowded places.



Term Feature: Prefect Investiture

2020 Assistant Head Prefects



Alisha Hadirah
(Pri 6/3)

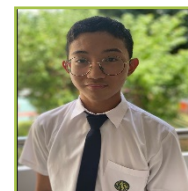


Muhammad Hafazha
(Sec 2/4)



Mohamed Hady
(Sec 2/5)

2020 Head Prefect



Daeng Andi Putra
(Sec 4/3)

We believe every student has the potential to exceed and we take pride in providing them with leadership opportunities. This year we are proud to have 17 Primary Prefects and 25 Secondary Prefects. As ambassadors of Katong School the prefects will always uphold and role-model the school values of **Respect, Resilience, Integrity and Commitment**.

"As a Head Prefect, I will continue to guide my fellow prefects, help the teachers to maintain discipline and to remind everyone to follow the school values and rules"



Engaging our Partners

Chinese New Year Celebrations with Siemens Pte. Ltd.



Students and Volunteers taking part in Chinese Brush Painting activity



Who is best dressed Fortune God using recyclables?



Meaningful and engaging celebrations for all students, staff and volunteers!

Lab on Wheels – Robotics Workshop with IMDA



Learning about basic robotics, and programming with Hackaball



Airblock is a modular transformable drone that can be turned into a hovercraft or car through visual programming



Preparing students to be future ready digital citizens in a Smart Nation by equipping them with logical thinking and problem solving skills, while learning to work in teams, and showing resilience to overcome all obstacles!

Key Dates for Term 2:	
20 - 24 April	SA1 Voc Ed
28 April	SA1 Numeracy (P3- Sec 4)
29 - 30 April	SA1 Literacy (P3- Sec 4)
19-20 May	WPLN (Sec 4)
* Home – Based Learning (HBL) for all students starting 2 April, Every Thursday. (Pending further updates from Ministry of Education / Special Education Branch).	

School Term	23 March (Mon) to 29 May (Fri) 2020
June Holiday	30 May (Sat) to 28 June (Sun)
Public & School Holidays	Good Friday 10 April (Fri)
	Labour Day 1 May (Fri)
	Vesak Day 7 May (Thursday)
	Hari Raya Puasa 24 May (Sun)