

2017 XMS Calendar of Events (updated on 5 Jan 2017)

Event /Activity	Week	Date	Involvement	Staff Involvement	Venue
TERM 1: 3 Jan (Tue) – 10 Mar (Fri) 2017					
Sec 1 Orientation	1	3 Jan (Tue) – 5 Jan (Thu)	Sec 1	Sec 1 FTs	Multiple Venues
Temperature-Taking Exercise	1	6 Jan (Fri)	All	All FTs	CRs
CCA Orientation	1	6 Jan (Fri) 1.50 - 6.30pm	Sec 1	CCA Trs	Multiple Venues
Parent Engagement Session	1	6 Jan (Fri), 6.30 - 9pm	All	Sec 1-5 FTs	MPH
Release of O-Level Results	2	11 Jan (Wed) 2pm	2016 Graduands	2016 Sec 4 & 5 FTs	MPH
CL News in Education Workshop for Parents	2	14 Jan (Sat)	Parents	CL Teachers	SMART Room
Spring it Up	3	20 Jan (Fri) 2.30 - 5.30pm	All	All Staff	Outside XMS
CNY Hamper Delivery	4	24 Jan (Tue)	All	All FTs	Outside XMS & MPH
Fire Drill	4	26 Jan (Thu) 7.40 - 8.20am	All	All Staff	Parade Sq & School Field
CNY Celebrations	4	27 Jan (Fri) 7.40 - 10.00am	All	All Staff	Outside XMS & MPH
Chinese New Year	4 – 5	28- 29 Jan (Sat -Sun), 30 Jan (Mon) Public Holiday			
Chinese New Year (in-lieu)	5	31 Jan (Tue)			
NRIC Registration	6	7 Feb (Tue) 1 - 4pm	Sec 3	Admin Staff	Library
Sec 4E Geographical Investigation	6 – 7	6 Feb (Mon) - 16 Feb (Thu)	Sec 4E	Geography Teachers	Outside XMS
Sec 1E/1NA Historical Investigation	6 – 7	6 Feb (Mon) - 16 Feb (Thu)	Sec 1E & 1NA	History Teachers	Outside XMS
Home Based Learning/Staff Training Day*	7	13 Feb (Mon)	All	All Teachers	-
Speech Day Rehearsal	7	14 Feb (Tue)	Selected Students	Speech Day Committee	MPH
Volleyball B-Division Zonal Finals	7	14 Feb (Tue)	Sec 4 & 5	Sec 4 & 5 FTs	Woodlands Sports Hall
Total Defence Day Celebrations	7	15 Feb (Wed)	All	All Teachers	MPH
Speech Day	7	17 Feb (Fri) PM	All	All staff	MPH
Term 1 Common Tests	8 – 9	20 Feb (Mon) – 3 Mar (Fri)	All	Teacher Invigilators	CRs
National CL Symposium for Educators	8	25 Feb (Sat)	Open to other schools	CL Teachers	RT
Student Council Investiture cum Student Council Publicity Talk	9	2 Mar (Thu)	Sec 1 - 2	SL Committee & Lower Sec FTs	MPH
Sec 4E4N Poly Course Advising	9	3 Mar (Fri) 1.15 - 3.15pm	Sec 4E & 4NA	Sec 4 FTs	MPH
Educational Pathways Talks for Parents	9	3 Mar (Fri), 7 - 9pm	Sec 2 - 4	All Teachers	SMART Rm, RT & CRs
English Festival	10	6 Mar (Mon) - 10 Mar (Fri)	All	EL Teachers	RT & Multiple Venues
N2D4 (Night to Day Run)	10	10 Mar (Fri) 3.30pm - 8am	All	All Staff	Multiple Venues
National Budding Journalists Competition Workshop	10	11 Mar (Sat)	Selected Students	CL Teachers	MPH
MTL Prelim & Oral Examinations	Mar	13 Mar (Mon) – 14 Mar (Tue)	Sec 3 - 5	Teacher Invigilators	MPH & CRs
Levels 3 & 4 Student Leaders' Training	Mar	15 Mar (Wed) - 16 Mar (Thu)	Sec 3 - 4	SL Committee	Multiple Venues
National Schools Boulderling Championship	Mar	17 Mar (Fri) - 18 Mar (Sat)	CCA	Rockclimbing CCA Trs	MPH
TERM 2: 20 Mar (Mon) – 26 May (Fri) 2017					
X'thetics Carnival	1	20 Mar (Mon)	All	All Teachers	Multiple Venues
MTL Festival	1 – 2	21 Mar (Tue) - 31 Mar (Fri)	All	MTL Teachers	Multiple Venues
Drama Night	1	23 Mar (Thu)	Open to all	Drama & Opera CCA Trs	RT
Parent Teacher Meeting 1	1	24 Mar (Fri), 1 - 8 pm	All	All Teachers	CRs
Elective Modules (Cat A)	2	27 Mar (Mon) - 30 Mar (Thu)	Sec 3NT	SDT & Sec 3NT Trs	Multiple Venues
Sec 2E/2NA Historical Investigation	3 – 4	3 Apr (Mon) - 13 Apr (Thu)	Sec 2E/2NA	History Teachers	Outside XMS
Volleyball B-Division National Finals	3	5 Apr (Wed)	Sec 4 & 5	Sec 4 & 5 FTs	TPY Sports Hall
International Friendship Day	3	7 Apr (Fri)	All	NE Committee	Multiple Venues
Good Friday	4	14 Apr (Fri)			
EL Oral Exams	5 – 6	17 Apr (Mon) - 28 Apr (Fri)	Sec 2, 4 & 5	Teacher Invigilators	CRs
MTL Oral Exams	5 – 6	17 Apr (Mon) - 28 Apr (Fri)	Sec 2	Teacher Invigilators	CRs
Last Day for CCA	5	18 Apr (Tue)	All	All CCA Teachers	
EL & MTL Mid-Year Exams	6	27 Apr (Thu) - 28 Apr (Fri)	All	Teacher Invigilators	CRs & SMART Room (MPH, RT - haze)
Labour Day	7	1 May (Mon)			
Mid-Year Exams (all other subjects)	7 – 8	2 May (Tue) - 12 May (Fri)	All	Teacher Invigilators	MPH, RT, CRs & SMART Room
Vesak Day	8	10 May (Wed)			
CCA Resumes	8	12 May (Fri)	Sec 1 - 3	CCA Teachers	
Marking Day	9	15 May (Mon)	Sec 1 - 3 (no school)	All Teachers	
Interschool Combined Sports Meet Selection and Trials (Internal) (TBC)	9	15 May (Mon)	Selected Athletes	PE Teachers	Hougang Stadium
MTL Intensive Classes	9 – 10	15 May (Mon) - 26 May (Fri)	Sec 4 & 5	MTL Teachers	CRs
Exam Script Checking Days & Uploading of Marks	9	16 May (Tue) - 18 May (Thu)	All	All Teachers	Multiple Venues
Xinergy	9	19 May (Fri) Matinee & Night	Open to all	Dance, Guzheng, Choir & Band CCA Trs	RT
Results Processing & Checking of Marks	9	19 May (Fri)	Lessons as per normal	All Teachers	Multiple Venues
Xinmin Badminton Invitational Open & Xinmin X'calate	9	19 May (Fri)	Badminton & Rockclimbing	PE Teachers	MPH & Arena
Sec 4N Geographical Investigation	10	22 May (Mon) - 23 May (Tue)	Sec 4N	Geography Teachers	Outside XMS
Lessons as per normal	10	22 May (Mon)	Sec 1 & 2	All Teachers	CRs
Multi-sports Carnival	10	22 May (Mon)	Sec 3	PE Teachers	RT & Multiple Venues
Post-Exam Activities	10	23 May (Tue) – 26 May (Fri)	Sec 1 - 2	Sec 1 – 2 FTs	RT & Multiple Venues
Sec 3 Level Camp	10	23 May (Tue) – 26 May (Fri)	Sec 3	Sec 3 FTs	TBC
Drama Curriculum Showcase	10	26 May (Fri) Evening	Sec 2	Drama Trs & Sec 2 FTs	RT & CRs
Issuance of Report Books	10	26 May (Fri)	Sec 1, 2, 4 & 5	Sec 1, 2, 4 & 5 FTs	CRs
GCE O-Level MTL Written Exams	May	29 May (Mon) – 30 May (Tue)	Sec 4 & 5	Teacher Invigilators	MPH & CRs
CCE Ambassador Training	May	29 May (Mon) - 30 May (Tue)	Selected Sec 1 - 3	CCE Comm Teachers	SMART Room
Maths Olympiad	May	30 May (Tue) - 31 May (Wed)	Selected Students	Math Dept	MPH
Parent Teacher Meeting 2	May - Jun	29 May (Mon) - 1 Jun (Thu)	Selected At-Risk Students	All Teachers	CRs
Sec 1 - 3 Remedial	May - Jun	30 May (Tue) - 1 Jun (Thu)	Selected Students	Sec 1 - 3 Subject Teachers	CRs
Sec 4 and 5 Supplementary Lessons	Jun	30 May (Tue) - 9 Jun (Fri)	Sec 4 & 5	Sec 4 & 5 Subject Trs	CRs
Issuance of Report Books (Sec 3 only)	Jun	31 May (Wed)	Sec 3	Sec 3 FTs	CRs
Staff Training Day*	Jun	2 Jun (Fri)	-	All Teachers	SMART Room
National Budding Journalists Competition	Jun	5 Jun (Mon) - 7 Jun (Wed)	Selected Students	CL Teachers	Computer Labs 1 - 4
Leadership Adventure Camp	Jun	6 Jun (Tue) - 9 Jun (Fri)	Sec 2 - 4 Selected SLs	Selected Teachers	Dairy Farm OALC
Advanced Elective Modules	Jun	12 Jun (Mon) - 23 Jun (Fri)	Sec 4E & 4NA	SDT	Outside XMS
Staff can travel overseas	Jun	10 Jun (Sat) - 26 Jun (Mon)	-	All Teachers	-
TERM 3: 27 Jun (Tue) – 31 Aug (Thu) 2017					
Hari Raya Puasa	1	25 Jun (Sun), 26 Jun (Mon) - Public Holiday			
Elective Modules (Cat A)	1	27 Jun (Tue) - 30 Jun (Fri)	Sec 4NT	SDT & Sec 4NT FTs	-
Sec 1E/1NA Geographical Investigation	1 – 2	27 Jun (Tue) - 6 Jul (Thu)	Sec 1E/1NA	Geography Teachers	Outside XMS
Temperature-Taking Exercise	1	30 Jun (Fri)	All	All FTs	Parade Square
Homecoming	1	1 Jul (Sat)	All	All staff	MPH
Youth Day School Holiday	2	3 Jul (Mon)			

GCE O-Level MTL(B) Oral Exams	2	4 Jul (Tue)	MTL(B) O-Level Students	Teacher Invigilators	MPH
GCE O-Level MTL Oral Exam	2 – 4	5 Jul (Wed) - 17 Jul (Mon)	MTL O-Level Students	Teacher Invigilators	MPH
GCE N-Level EL Oral Exam	2 – 3	6 Jul (Thu) - 13 Jul (Thu)	4NA & 4NT	Teacher Invigilators	MPH
Youth Day Celebrations & XGT	2	6 Jul (Thu)	All	All Teachers	MPH
Interschool Combined Sports Meet Heats	2	6 Jul (Thu) TBC	Selected Athletes	PE Teachers	Outside XMS
Night Study	3 (T3) - 2 (T4)	11 Jul (Tue) - 21 Sept (Thu)	Sec 4 & 5	All Teachers	Canteen
Interschool Combined Sports Meet	3	14 Jul (Fri) TBC	All	All Staff	Bishan Stadium
GCE O-Level MTL LC Exam	4	18 Jul (Tue)	Sec 4 & 5	Teacher Invigilators	MPH & CRs
Volleyball C-Division Zonal Finals	4	19 Jul (Wed)	Sec 2	Sec 2 FTs	YCK Stadium
Racial Harmony Day	4	20 Jul (Thu)	All	All Teachers	Multiple Venues
GCE O-Level HMTL Oral Exam	5 – 6	24 Jul (Mon) - 31 Jul (Mon)	HMTL O-Level Students	Teacher Invigilators	MPH
Sec 4N Prelim Exams	5 – 6	24 Jul (Mon) - 1 Aug (Tue)	Sec 4NA & 4NT	Teacher Invigilators	RT, CRs & SMART Rooms
Term 3 Common Tests	5 – 6	24 Jul (Mon) - 4 Aug (Fri)	All	Teacher Invigilators	CRs & SMART Rooms
GCE N-Level MTL Oral Exam	6	1 Aug (Tue) - 4 Aug (Fri)	Sec 4NA & 4NT	Teacher Invigilators	MPH
GCE O-Level CL(SP) Oral Exam	6	3 Aug (Thu) - 4 Aug (Fri)	CL(SP) O-Level Students	Teacher Invigilators	TBC
National Day Celebrations cum Student Leadership Handover Ceremony	7	8 Aug (Tue)	All	All Teachers	MPH
National Day	7	9 Aug (Wed)			
National Day School Holiday	7	10 Aug (Thu)			
GCE O-Level EL Oral Exam	8 – 10	14 Aug (Mon) - 28 Aug (Mon)	Sec 4E & 5NA	Teacher Invigilators	MPH
Sec 4E5N Prelim Exams	8 – 10	14 Aug (Mon) - 29 Aug (Tue)	Sec 4E & 5NA	Teacher Invigilators	MPH, RT Function Rm
Sec 3E Geographical Investigation	9	21 Aug (Mon) - 25 Aug (Fri)	Sec 3E	Geography Teachers	Outside XMS
Volleyball C-Division National Finals	9	23 Aug (Wed)	Sec 2	Sec 2 FTs	TBC
Issuance of Progress Report	9	25 Aug (Fri)	All	All Teachers	-
Sec 4/5 Inter-Class Games	10	29 Aug (Tue)	Sec 4 & 5	Sec 4 & 5 FTs (Voluntary)	Multiple Venues
All Staff Day (Teachers' Day Celebrations)	10	30 Aug (Wed)	All	All Staff	MPH & CRs
Bicultural Overseas Trip	10	30 Aug (Wed) - 9 Sep (Sat)	Selected Sec 3 Students	CL Teachers	China
Teachers' Day School Holiday	10	31 Aug (Thu)			
Hari Raya Haji	10	1 Sep (Fri)			
TERM 4: 11 Sep (Mon) – 17 Nov (Fri) 2017					
CCA Stand-down	1	11 Sep (Mon)	All	CCA Teachers	
GCE N-Level Written Exams (Part 1)	1 – 2	11 Sep (Mon) - 21 Sep (Thu)	Sec 4NA & 4NT	Teacher Invigilators	RT & CRs
EL & MTL Oral Exams	1 – 2	11 Sep (Mon) - 22 Sep (Fri)	Sec 1 & 3	Teacher Invigilators	CRs
GCE N-Level MTL LC Exam	1	12 Sep (Tue)	Sec 4NA	Teacher Invigilators	RT & CRs
GCE N-Level BMTL LC Exam	1	13 Sep (Wed)	Sec 4NT	Teacher Invigilators	RT & CRs
GCE N-Level EL(NT) LC Exam	1	14 Sep (Thu)	Sec 4NT	Teacher Invigilators	RT & CRs
GCE N-Level EL(NA) LC Exam	1	15 Sep (Fri)	Sec 4NA	Teacher Invigilators	RT & CRs
GCE N-Level CPA Exam	1 – 2	14 Sep (Thu) and 19 Sep (Tue)	Sec 4NT	Teacher Invigilators	Computer Labs
Results Analysis and 'O' level briefing with Sec 4E5N	2	19 Sep (Tue)	Sec 4E & 5NA	Sec 4E & 5NA FTs	MPH
Last day of school for graduands	3	27 Sep (Wed)	Sec 4 & 5	Sec 4 & 5 Teachers	XMS
Graduation Ceremony	3	27 Sep (Wed), 2 - 4pm	Sec 4 & 5	All Teachers	RT
GCE O-Level Foreign Lang Oral Exam	3 – 4	28 Sep (Thu) and 6 Oct (Fri)	Foreign Lang O-Level	Teacher Invigilators	TBC
EL & MTL End-of-Year Exams	3	28 Sep (Thu) - 29 Sep (Fri)	Sec 1 – 3	Teacher Invigilators	CRs & SMART Rooms (MPH & RT - haze)
GCE N-Level Written Exams (Part 2)	4 – 5	2 Oct (Mon) – 13 Oct (Fri)	Sec 4NA & 4NT	Teacher Invigilators	RT & CRs
Staff Training Day/ Home-based Learning*	4	2 Oct (Mon)	Sec 1 - 3 (no school)	All Teachers	Outside XMS
End-of-Year Exams (All other subjects)	4 – 5	3 Oct (Tue) - 11 Oct (Wed)	Sec 1 - 3	Teacher Invigilators	MPH, CRs & SMART Room (RT - haze)
GCE O-Level Science Practical	4 – 5	5 Oct (Thu) and 10 Oct (Tue) - 12 Oct (Thu)	Sec 4E & 5NA	Teacher Invigilators	Sci Labs, MPH, AVA
CCA Resumes	5	11 Oct (Wed)	Sec 1 - 3	CCA Teachers	
Marking Days	5	12 Oct (Thu) and 13 Oct (Fri)	Sec 1-3 (no school)	All Teachers	-
ECG Mentoring Programme	5 - 10	14 Oct, 21 Oct, 28 Oct, 4 Nov, 11 Nov, 18 Nov (Sat)	Sec 3 (voluntary)	ECG Comm Teachers	Multiple Venues
Elective Modules (Cat B)	6	13 Oct (Fri) - 20 Oct (Fri)	Sec 3NA & 3NT	Selected Teachers	Outside XMS
Exam Script Checking Days & Uploading of Marks	6	16 Oct (Mon), 17 Oct (Tue) & 19 Oct (Thu)	Sec 1 - 3	Sec 1 – 3 Subject Teachers	Multiple Venues
Deepavali	6	18 Oct (Wed)			
Results Processing & Checking of Marks	6	20 Oct (Fri)	Sec 1 - 3 lessons as per normal	All Teachers	Multiple Venues
GCE O-Level Exams	6 – 10	23 Oct (Mon) - 17 Nov (Fri)	Sec 4E & 5NA	Teacher Invigilators	MPH & CRs
Post-Exam Activities	7	23, 25 - 26 Oct (Mon, Wed & Thur)	Sec 1 - 3	All FTs	Multiple Venues
Promotion Meeting	7	24 Oct (Tue)	Sec 1 - 3 (no school)	All Teachers	SMART Room
Sec 3 Bridging Programme	7 - 8	26 Oct (Thu) - 3 Nov (Fri)	Sec 3	Sec 3 Subject Teachers	CRs
Last day of school for students	7	27 Oct (Fri)	Sec 1 - 2	All Teachers	MPH & CRs
Parent Teacher Meeting 3	8	30 Oct (Mon) - 3 Nov (Fri)	Selected at-risk students	All Teachers	CRs
Sec 1 & 2 Remedial	8 - 9	30 Oct (Mon) - 10 Nov (Fri)	Sec 1 - 2	Sec 1 - 2 Subject Teachers	CRs
Open House	8	4 Nov (Sat)	Open to public	All Teachers	CAC
Overseas Service Learning Trip 1	9 - 10	8 Nov (Wed) - 17 Nov (Fri)	Sec 3	Service Learning Trs	Thailand
Overseas Service Learning Trip 2	9 - 10	10 Nov (Fri) - 19 Nov (Sun)	Sec 3	Service Learning Trs	Thailand
Staff Learning Fiesta*	Nov	22 Nov (Wed)	-	All Teachers	SMART Room, Xinnovate Room
Staff Review and Planning*	Nov	23 Nov (Thu)	-	All Teachers	SMART Room
Staff Retreat*	Nov	24 Nov (Fri)	-	All Teachers	SMART Room, Xinnovate Room
Staff can travel overseas	Dec	25 Nov (Sat) - 27 Dec (Wed)	-	All Teachers	-
Release of N-Level Results	Dec	18 Dec (Mon) TBC	Sec 4NA & 4NT	Sec 4NA & 4NT FTs	MPH
Sec 1 Registration	Dec	21 Dec (Thu) TBC	Selected Students	Sec 1 Registration Comm	SMART Room, Canteen, CRs
Christmas Day	Dec	25 Dec (Mon)			
Year-End SCM (SLs & KPs only)*	Dec	27 Dec (Wed)	-	SLs & KPs	SMART Room
Year-End Staff Meetings*	Dec	28 Dec (Thu) – 29 Dec (Fri)	-	All Teachers	SMART Room

Note: CCAs are advised to organise camps between 13 Nov to 1 Dec 2017 to allow all staff and students to have a well-deserved holiday break. Furthermore, from 4 Dec onwards, some school facilities may be unavailable due to cleaning and repair works. Thank you.

* whole day unless stated otherwise