

12 September 2025

INFORMATION AND PROGRAMMES FOR TERM 4 - SECONDARY 3

Dear Parents / Guardians,

Welcome back to Semester 2 Term 4. We hope that your child has taken time to relax and rejuvenate during the term break. Please see some updates on school programmes for Term 4 below.

1. Home-Based Learning (HBL) Days for Term 4

We will be having our HBL day on 19 September 2025. Students will not be required to report to school on that day and are expected to do their work independently at home. Should students be required to meet their teachers online via MS Teams during the HBL day, they will be informed earlier by their teachers.

2. End-of-Year (EOY) Examinations

The students will be having their EOY examinations from 22 September to 3 October 2025. The Sec 3 EOY examination timetable can be downloaded from the school's website at: https://www.navalbasesec.moe.edu.sq/for-navalites/timetable-booklist-n-uniform/examtimetable/

3. Admin Days (6 and 15 October 2025) and Last Day of School (24 October 2025)

Please note that the school has set aside 6 and 15 October 2025 as admin days following the completion of the EOY exams. On these days, students need not report to school.

In addition, 24 October 2025 is the last day of school for Sec 1 to 3 students. It is also known as Achievement Day where we celebrate the successful closure to the school year and recognize the accomplishments of the students.

4. Sports Carnival on 17 October 2025 (Friday)

As part of the school's post exam activities, the school is organising our annual Sports Carnival on 17 October 2025, Friday, for all Sec 1 to 3 students. The details are as follows:

Time: 7.20am - 12.00pm

Venue: Physical, Sports & Outdoor Education Branch (PSOEB),

21 Evans Road, Singapore 259366

Students can look forward to a fun morning as they bond with their classmates through engagement in sports acitvities. Further details will be shared nearer to the date via Parents' Gateway and through your child.



5. Navalites Learning Explorations and Student-Initiated Learning in Term 4 (21 to 23 October 2025)

As part of our holistic whole-school experience, Sec 1 to 3 students will be going through various out-of-classroom activities and learning journeys in the last week of the semester during curriculum time. Activities will include opportunities for application of students' learning in real life contexts, as well as experiential learning. Further details will be given closer to the end of the term.

The annual Student-Initiated Learning (SIL) Fest will celebrate creativity, skills, and collaboration. Selected students will showcase their projects and lead hands-on workshops ranging from sports and music to art, culinary arts and creative expressions. SIL Fest will nurture a collaborative spirit, encouraging students to learn from and with one another. More than a showcase of talents, SIL Fest is a day "for students, by students," inspiring curiosity, innovation, and peer learning. CCA will be suspended from 21 - 23 October 2025.

6. Aesthetics Programme

Over the course of the year, our Secondary 1 to 3 students will participate in a structured Arts Enrichment Programme designed to broaden their exposure to and appreciation of the arts through music and dance workshops. During the Navalites Learning Explorations (NLE) Week, Secondary 3 students will choose one art form to explore more deeply as part of their creative learning and arts appreciation journey this year. Further details of the programme will be shared with parents via Parents Gateway nearer to the date.

7. Learning Support Programme (LSP)

The Sec 3 Learning Support Programme (LSP) will be planned for identified students with the aim to close learning gaps identified from their performance at the End-of-Year Examinations. During the LSP, the students will strengthen their skills and foundations for the identified subjects. After which, they will attempt a test for the respective subjects to monitor their learning progression. The duration of LSP will be from 21 October to 7 November. More details will be shared via parents' gateway closer to the date.

8. Schoolbag Article Spotlight: 'Kids can embrace AI to excel in their future careers' Even if AI makes some jobs obsolete in the future, it could pave the way for new and more powerful jobs, says lecturer lan Tan who is also a generative AI coach. He urges parents not to throw their hands up but to help their children understand and harness the power of Al. Read it <u>here</u>.

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9. Overview of Programmes and Dates

Programme	Date/ Period/ Time
Home-Based Learning (HBL) Day	19 September
End-of-Year (EOY) Examinations	22 September to 3 October
Admin Days	6 October and 15 October
Sports Carnival	17 October
Navalites Learning Explorations	21 October to 22 October
Student-Initiated Learning (SIL) Fest	23 October
Last Day of School for Sec 1 to 3 Classes	24 October
Learning Support Programme (LSP)	21 October to 7 November

This termly letter can be downloaded from Parents Gateway (PG) and the school's website: https://navalbasesec.moe.edu.sg/parents-at-nbss/termly-letters

> If you need further clarifications, please send an email to: nbss@moe.edu.sq

