

Singapore, 7 September 2018

Parents Information SSiS #2

Dear Parents,

We have had a smooth start into the new academic year. It was a pleasure to see many new and familiar faces at the parents' evenings over the last two weeks. Johannes and I very much enjoyed this opportunity to chat with parents in a relaxed atmosphere.

Please take a few minutes to read this Information to get a short update on school life at SSiS.

PAYNOW

SSiS is registered with UOB Corporate PayNow. You may wish to make payments to SSiS using the PayNow QR code below. When making payment, please remember to fill in the reference number with the invoice number or family name.



If you wish to read more about the PayNow system, please click [here](#).

Holiday Calendar 2019/2020

Please find the holiday plan for the next academic year on our [website](#). Our holiday plan has been harmonised with the holiday plan of UWCSEA as every year.

Fun Sports Day, 26 September 2018 (Replacement Date: 3 October 2018)

The SSiS will be organising the traditional Fun Sports Day on Wednesday, 26 September 2018. All children from Kindergarten to P6 will be on "a journey through the Ice Age". Together they will be facing adventurous tasks, fun experiences and group activities. Team spirit is needed to gain points to succeed in this journey.

You will get further information about the Fun Sports Day one week in advance. We are all looking forward to a fun event!

Haze Policy

The [Haze - Policy of the SSiS](#) has been revised and updated in the last weeks. As soon as the relevant index measures rise to an unhealthy level, all parents will be informed via email about the corresponding measures.

SSiS Movie Night, 21 September 2018, 7.15pm

We are happy to announce that SSiS will hold its third Movie Night showing “Mein Name ist Eugen” in High German. The screening will take place on Friday, 21 September 2018 at 7:15 pm in our school’s courtyard. Please note that the movie is 100 minutes long and therefore might not be suitable for our youngest students. Please RSVP by Sunday, 16 September 2018 via e-mail to the [SSiS library team](#). For further information, please see the official [Movie Night flyer](#). Parents are responsible for their children throughout the evening.

Information Evening UWCSEA for the parents of our P5 and P6 students

The process for a smooth transition to our Secondary School at United World College of South East Asia (UWCSEA) begins in P5. To make the best decision for your child’s future academic career, it is not only important to know the student’s abilities and strengths, but it is equally important for parents to be well informed about the Swiss Stream at our affiliate school UWCSEA.



You are cordially invited to the UWCSEA information session on Thursday, 4 October 2018, 5pm at the UWCSEA Dover Campus (1207 Dover Rd, Singapore 139654). Venue: Gallery 1 and 2 - Level 4.

Mr. Jonathan Carter, Director of Admission of UWCSEA, will conduct the information session, which includes the transition procedure.

Mr. Wolfgang Oesch, our Swiss German and French teacher at UWCSEA, will be present to provide all relevant information about the Swiss Stream at UWCSEA.

Please register directly with [Shirley Tay](#) by Tuesday, 25 September 2018, and indicate how many people will be attending.

Facebook and Website Testimonials

We are trying to gather reviews and Testimonials for our website and Facebook Page.

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/SwissSchoolInSingapore>

We urge everyone to “like” our Page to get the latest updates from the school. The Page is updated regularly and it is a great way to keep in touch. After liking the Page, we would be really glad if parents can write a short review for our school.

Website: <https://www.swiss-school.edu.sg/testimonial/>

We are collating new testimonials for our website and if anyone would like to help us by writing a short testimonial (English or German) with a family photo, please email [Charlene Chen](#). We truly appreciate your help in this.

Parentstalk “Raising Children with Privilege” & Apéro with Marc Jenni (Child’s Dream)

On 25 September 2018, our Parentsforum will organise another interesting Parentstalk.

Program:

- 5.30pm-6.30pm: Apéro with Marc Jenni (Child’s Dream)
- 6.45pm-10pm: Parentstalk with Dr. Suzanne Andersson about raising children in a privileged environment.

More information about this interesting upcoming Parentstalk will be sent out by the Parentsforum directly.

ACSIS: Reminder XCountry Competition

The ACSIS Cross Country event will be held on 1 November 2018. The school will be participating in 5 age groups this year: U8/U9/U10/U11/U12.

Before the competition, there will be two training sessions for all age groups:

- 19 September 2018, 1pm, MPH
- 24 October 2018, 1pm, Swiss Club Soccer Field

If your child is interested to participate in our SSiS-XCountry Team, please sign up [here](#) by 10 September 2018 latest. All registered participants will receive more detailed information before every event.

SSiS on Radio 24

From 24 to 28 September 2018, "Radio 24" from Zurich will broadcast the programme "Ufsteller" (morning show from 5:00 to 10:00am Swiss time) live from Singapore. The aim is to bring the Asian metropolis closer to the listeners in Switzerland.



SSiS has been invited to participate. A reporter will visit us on 24 September 2018, Monday, to get more background information about the school and possibly to record sound bytes from teachers and students. On **26 September 2018, Wednesday**, a teacher and two students of our school will be interviewed live on-air, at two time slots: **1.50pm and 2.10pm (SG time)**.

If you would like to listen in on that day, just click on the live stream url:

<https://www.radio24.ch/shows/radio-24-video-live-stream-131287047>

Upcoming events (see also: [Semester Overview](#))

8 September 2018	Family Day, Labrador Park
17 September 2018	Parentsforum Meeting #1 2018/19
21 September 2018	Library Movie Night, Courtyard SSiS, 7.15pm
25 September 2018	Parentstalk with Suzanne Andersson "Raising children with Privilege"
26 September 2018	Fun Sports Day
28 September 2018	Casual Friday
3 October 2018	Fun Sports Day Replacement Date
3 October 2018	Autumn Reading Library
6 October 2018	Start Autumn Holiday

Upcoming publication

28 September 2018	Parents Information #3 2018/19
4 October 2018	Grüezi Issue 1

I am looking forward to seeing you at the SSiS Parentsforum Family Day tomorrow at 10am in Labrador Park. You can find all details in the [flyer](#).

Yours Sincerely,



Markus Pallmann
Principal

