



RAFFLES GIRLS' PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardian,

GIFTED EDUCATION PROGRAMME IDENTIFICATION EXERCISE 2023

1. The tentative schedule for the two stages of the GEP Identification Exercise 2023 is given below:

<u>GEP Screening Exercise</u> (English Language and Mathematics)	17 August 2023 (Thursday)
<u>GEP Selection Exercise</u> (English Language, Mathematics and General Ability) - For pupils shortlisted after the GEP Screening Exercise	17 & 18 October 2023 (Tuesday & Wednesday)

2. The GEP Screening and Selection Exercises will be based on the Primary 1 to Primary 3 English Language and Mathematics syllabuses.
3. The GEP Identification Exercise aims to identify suitable pupils with high intellectual potential. Test-preparation activities could inflate pupils' scores and not reflect their actual potential. Pupils who are not ready to handle the intellectual rigour and demands of the programme will struggle with the enriched curriculum and not benefit fully from it. This would put undue stress on the pupils, and may even cause them to lose confidence and impact their self-esteem. Thus, we urge parents/guardian not to conduct test preparation activities to prepare your child /ward for the GEP Identification Exercise.
4. More details of the GEP Screening Exercise will be provided in another notification in July 2023.

Thank you

Your Partner in Education

Mrs Elaine Quek
Principal