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## **Parent Guide to Student-Led Conferences**

#### What are the Student-Led Conferences?

Student-Led Conferences are formal reporting sessions to parents, **led by your child**. It is an opportunity to gain insight into your child's thinking and learning experiences.

Class, Single Subject and Chinese teachers will be present in the learning areas to meet and greet you, but they are not part of the Student-Led Conference process.

### What to expect in the classroom?

- When you arrive in the classroom, you will see up to four other families also present.
- You have a total of 1hr to spend in the classroom.
- Your child will move you through different activities that highlight some of their key learning areas; mathematics, language, unit of inquiry, reviewing their learning goals.
- Your child will use their portfolios and other resources within the various learning areas to give you an insight into their learning at school.
- You will not only see how much your child knows but also their understanding of important concepts, their skills in different areas, the kinds of attitudes they have developed and the action they are taking as a result of their learning.

# What to expect in the Single Subject (Art, Drama, Music and PE) and Chinese locations? (See details below for locations)

- You may visit the Single Subject and Chinese locations either before and/or after the visit to the classroom.
- If your conference takes place in the FINAL session on Thursday or Friday, we would recommend you come earlier to participate in the Single Subject, Chinese activities as these areas will close 15 minutes after the last class session.
- There will be activity stations set up that have cards describing what the students can choose to share with parents.

### An invitation!

During your visit, please take the opportunity to visit the Library, for TWO reasons;

- 1. The library is rich in resources and the students spend a lot of their time utilising this learning space.
- 2. There will be an ICT technical support station set up there all day for people having any issues accessing students online learning environments and/or digital portfolio content (3 Ring, Google Communities)





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# **Single Subject Conference Locations**

PE	
Location:	Teachers:
Main Gym	Lawrence Wilkinson (Y5-6)
(2/F)	Damian Trimingham (Y2-4)
	Martin DeBarr (Y1)
Drama	
Location:	Teacher:
Drama Studio	Frank Donnoli
(LG/F Rm 803)	
Visual Art	
Location:	Teacher:
Art Room (1/F	Kate Saunders
Rm 1108)	

Music	
Teacher: Michael Burrows	
Year Level	Location:
Y1 and 5	Music Room (LG/F)
Y2 and 3	Y2/3 Shared Area (G/F)
Year 4	Y4/5 Shared Area (1/F)
Year 6	Y6 Classrooms
Chinese	
Location:	Teachers:
Y6 Shared	Debbie Tai
Area	Suvy Shu
(2/F)	Lilian Wong
	Penny Ma

