The Curriculum and Approaches to Learning		Key Programmes / Competitions
To cultivate the joy of learning Science by developing students' knowledge, skills and attitudes in scientific-thinking through a well-designed curriculum that focuses on scientific inquiry and authentic learning. To prepare students for a life-long passion in learning Science and enable them to innovate and contribute to a technologically-driven society.		Selected school competitions and enrichment programmes. All class structured group work develops communication competency.
		All data based and planning questions develop adaptive thinking competency.
Term / Week	Learning Experiences (Chapter, Activity)	Learning Outcomes & Assessment
1/ 2 1/ 3-7 1/ 8-9 1/ 10 Hol HW 1/ 2-5	Chapter1: Physical Quantities, Units and Measurements + Lab safety briefing Chapter 14: Light Chapter 11: General Wave Properties I: Introduction Chapter 12: General Wave Properties II: Sound SLS on Chapter 10: General Wave Properties II: Sound Practical 1: Vernier Calipers, Micrometer Screw	W0: back to school program W4: 29-30 Jan (CNY) W5: 7 March HBL W6: 14 March HBL W9 Day 4: WA1 Chapter 1 and 14
1/ 6-10	Gauge * Practical 2: Converging Lens * *focus on concepts, measurement and recording skills	
2/1 2/2 2/3-6 2/7 2/7-8 2/9-10 Hol HW 2/1-4 2/5-8	Chapter 12: General Wave Properties II: Sound Chapter 13: Electromagnetic Spectrum Chapter 2: Kinematics Chapter 3: Dynamics I: Mass and Weight Chapter 4: Dynamics II: Forces Chapter 5: Turning Effects of Forces SLS on Chapter 5: Turning Effects of Forces Practical 3: Vertical Oscillations* Practical 4: Speed** *focus on concepts, measurement and recording skills **focus on measurements, recording skills and graphing	W2: 31 Mar (Hari Raya Puasa) W4: 18 Apr (Good Friday) W6: 1 May (Labour Day) 2 May HBL W7: 9 May HBL W8: 12 May (Vesak Day) NUS Demo Lab during Student Learning Fest* W10: MTL Intensive *adaptive thinking competency
3/1 3/2-4 3/5-7 3/8 3/9-10 Hol HW	Chapter 5: Turning Effects of Forces Chapter 6: Pressure Chapter 7: Energy Chapter 8: Kinetic Particle Model of Matter Chapter 9: Thermal Process 2023 EOY Paper 2	W2: 7 July (Youth Day) W6: 8 Aug (National Day) W7: 11 Aug (ND School Hol) W10: 4 Sep (Teachers' Day Celebration) W10: 5 Sep (Teachers' Day)

3/ 1-2	Practical 5: Pivoting Protractor using Paper Clips**	
	**focus on measurements, recording skills and	
	graphing	
4/ 1-2	Revision for EOY	EOY - Chapter 1 to 9, 11 to 14
	EOY Holiday	
	Chapter 10: SLS on Thermal Properties of Matter	
	(only heat cap & specific heat cap)	