Principal's Welcome Note

21 December 2023

Dear Parents / Guardians and Students

We warmly welcome you and your child/ward to Beatty Ohana. The transition to secondary school marks an exciting chapter of self-discovery and learning, and we look forward to embarking on this journey with your child/ward. Over the next four or five years, our goal is to instill in every Beattyian the art and skill of learning how to learn, live, and care. This involves fostering a deeper sense of self and community, as well as encouraging the making of thoughtful choices.

To achieve this, we will cultivate curiosity, courage, confidence, and complementarity, instilling in Beattyians a core set of values that will guide them in leading meaningful lives as they engage in purposeful thinking, learning, and contribution. We invite your partnership in this endeavor.

Excitement surrounds the Orientation Programme, meticulously designed by our senior students and teachers, scheduled to run from Tuesday, January 2, to Friday, January 5, 2024. Beatty celebrated our 70th Anniversary in 2023 with the Orientation theme "Stronger 70(To)gether, Forging our Future". The 2024 Orientation Programme, centred around the theme "SS 71(Ti)tanium: Come Aboard. Dare to DREAM" is a gateway to immerse our Secondary One Beattyians in a journey of self-exploration, growth, and camaraderie. This carefully crafted programme aims to introduce them to the diverse facets of their new academic and social environment, setting the stage for a positive and enriching secondary school experience.

We have also arranged an orientation session for parents to familiarize you with our school's policies and programmes. Understanding how we can collaboratively support each child's individuality and foster collective thriving is paramount. The Parent Engagement Session, including a meeting with your child's/ward's Form Teachers, is scheduled for Wednesday, 3 January 2024, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Formal lessons will commence on Friday, January 8, 2024. During the Orientation, Form Teachers will provide your child/ward with their timetable and share details about new subjects, schooling protocols, and being a part of the Beattyian community. This includes information on reporting and dismissal times, lesson and CCA venues, and matters of self-regulation and self-discipline.

We look forward to partnering you in nurturing Every Beattyian an Adaptive Thinker, Agile Learner and Active Contributor. every student's growth and development.

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Most sincerely,

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Principal