

# Kindsville Times Junior

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# RACIAL HARMONY DAY

Our Multicultural Mosaic



# Dear friends,

21 July is coming! It's the time to observe Racial Harmony Day; a day to remind ourselves about the importance of racial harmony.

What is racial harmony? Join Singa and the Kindness Cubbies to learn about multi-racial Singapore and how to show respect for the different communities and cultures!

You can also look out for the exciting Racial Harmony Contest on page 14.

Let's learn about racial harmony together!

*Cheers,*  
*Singa*



Find out more as you turn to these pages!

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# Let's Play Together

IT'S RECESS TIME!

1 Shall we play 'catching'?

2 Sure!

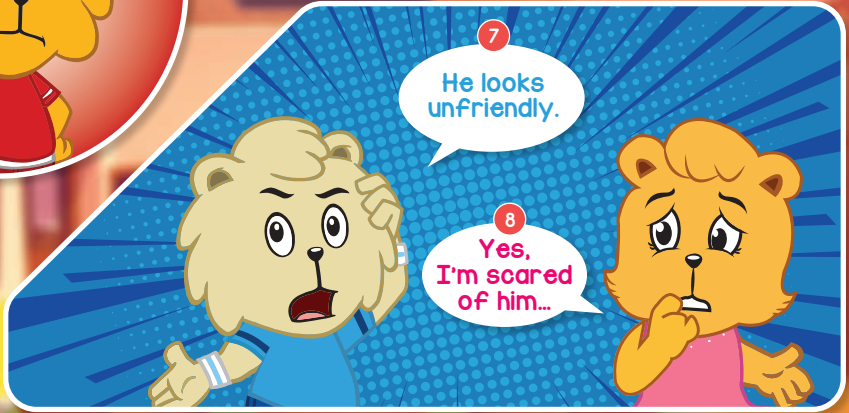
3 Let's ask Cliff too!

4 I don't want to play with Cliff!

5 He's blue. That means he's a Snow Saber!



6  
What do you mean?



7  
He looks unfriendly.

8  
Yes, I'm scared of him...

9  
He does not look like us.

10  
He is not one of us.



11  
Oh dear! Those are unkind words! Cliff might just be shy. We should not judge him by how he looks.



12

We should not be scared of Cliff just because of how he looks or where he comes from.

13

How would you feel if people avoided you because of that?

14

Hmm...  
Singa's right.

15

I remember how shy I was when I first came to Kindsville.

16

People made fun of me because I came from a different city.

17

I felt sad and lonely.

Luckily, I met  
many kind cubbies  
who befriended  
me!



Yes. Let's be  
kind and ask Cliff  
to play with us!



20

Hey, Cliff.  
Do you want to  
play 'catching'  
with us?



21

I would love  
to! Thank you  
for inviting  
me!



# Come Play With Me!

Play the song "Come Play with Me".  
Do you know the lyrics? What did you  
learn from this song?

SCAN QR CODE  
TO PLAY SONG



<https://go.gov.sg/comeplaywithme>



# EVERYONE IS UNIQUE!

All of us have our own amazing qualities and deserve to feel proud of ourselves. Join the Kindness Cubbies as they learn about respecting and being kind to others in this issue of Kindsville Times!

Draw a picture of yourself below and tell the cubbies what you are proud of on the next page.



# I AM PROUD OF WHO I AM. I AM A PERSON WHO...



Uses kind words with my family and friends.



Loves to make new friends.



Greets my neighbours.



Holds the door for others.



Keeps my school clean.



# I CHOOSE TO BE KIND!

What can you say or do to be kind to a friend who has been left out by others?

Choose the following options by ticking one or more boxes. You may also write or draw your own idea in the last box.



**Remember**, we can work together to make the world a kinder, safer and fairer place!





Let's Explore

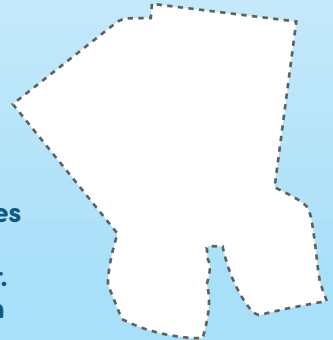
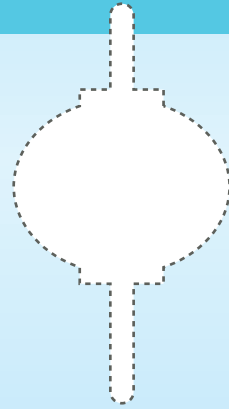


# LET'S EXPLORE OUR MULTICULTURAL SINGAPORE

Have you noticed how every celebration in Singapore is just so colourful? Many festivals we celebrate in our communities use colours that have special meaning.

Below are just some examples. You can fill the shapes with the stickers from the sticker page as you explore our multicultural Singapore.

## Chinese Culture



For many Chinese, the colour red symbolises good luck and happiness. That's why red packets are given during Chinese New Year. They symbolise good wishes for the person receiving them.

## Malay-Muslim Culture

Green is a colour that is commonly used by the Muslims. During Hari Raya Puasa celebrations, green packets are given to parents, elderly relatives and children.

Festival decorations are usually green, and food items such as *ketupat* and *lontong* (rice cakes) are also wrapped in green leaves.

## Indian Culture

To the Hindus, the colour red signifies purity. Colours are a feature in traditional art forms like *rangoli* or *kolam*, This is often seen during festivals such as Deepavali.

Colour also plays an important role during weddings as brides are traditionally dressed in red.



The content has been adapted from The Singapore Ethnic Mosaic Public Education Series: Building Intercultural Understanding. Scan the QR code to find out more!

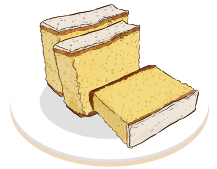
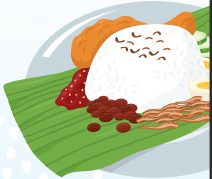


Let's Learn!

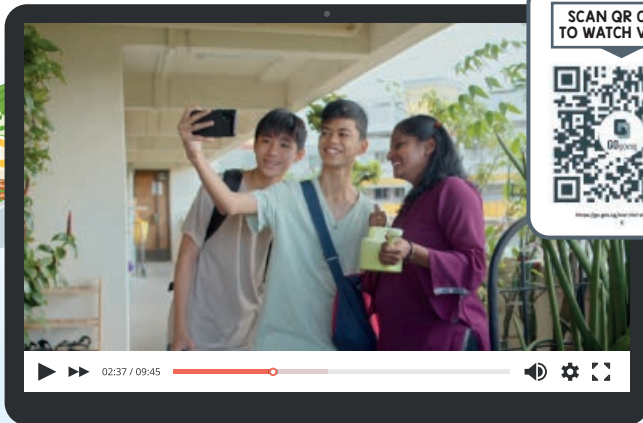
# OUR MULTICULTURAL MOSAIC

**Singapore** is home to many different communities so we are able to learn and enjoy many things from living with people from the different communities.

Living in multicultural Singapore is very fun and interesting! We can eat many types of food like *yong tau foo*, *roti prata* and *nasi lemak*. We celebrate different festivals together. Festive lights decorate the streets during the different festivals. We also see special decorations in our schools, homes, buses and on MRT trains.



These festivals and food make Singapore a multicultural mosaic. Scan the QR code below and watch a video to find out more!





## Contest

# "What does Racial Harmony mean to you?"

Share your kindness stories with Singa on Racial Harmony Day!

Write, draw or send us photographs of what racial harmony means to you and what you would like to do to strengthen racial harmony in Singapore. You may write your message on the next page.

### CUBBIES SAY

I will not exclude anyone from playing with my friends and me just because they're different.



My family and I will wish our neighbours during festivals.



I will ask my friends if I may share my food with them.



I will help everyone, regardless of who they are.



I will learn more about the various ethnic groups in Singapore.

What does  
**Racial Harmony**  
mean to you?

**DEAR SINGA**  ,

**FROM:** \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's / Guardian's Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's / Guardian's Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to the collection and usage of my personal data provided in this contest form by the Singapore Kindness Movement (SKM). The personal data will only be used to administer this contest, in accordance with SKM's Data Protection Policy available at <https://www.kindness.sg/privacy-policy/>

Send us your entry via mail to the following address by **4 August 2023**.

Kindsville Times Contest  
Singapore Kindness Movement  
61 Stamford Road  
#02-01/02 Stamford Court  
Singapore 178892

## JUDGING CRITERIA:

- ★ Relevance to the theme
- ★ Creativity

Winning entries will be featured in the next issue of Kindsville Times!

## PRIZES:

### ★ 1st

A limited edition NDP Singa box set, a key chain name kit and other SKM merchandise.

### ★ 2nd, 3rd

A set of Singa and the Kindness Cubbies plush keychains, a key chain name kit and other SKM merchandise.

### ★ 3 consolation prizes

A set of Singa and the Kindness Cubbies plush keychains, a key chain name kit and other SKM merchandise.

## PRIZES FROM THE SINGAPORE KINDNESS MOVEMENT



Limited edition NDP Singa Box Set (For 1st prize)

### Key Chain Name Kit



Limited edition set of Singa and the Kindness Cubbies plush keychains



Prizes are subject to availability and the Singapore Kindness Movement has the right to substitute any prize.





## Animation Series



# SINGA AND THE KINDNESS CUBBIES SEASON 6

Join Singa and the Kindness Cubbies as they learn new lessons about kindness and graciousness from each other every day.

A new episode will be added every school term. Ask your parents for permission to access, and watch it with your family members or friends!

**New episode!**

## A NEW FRIEND

How did Sher meet Singa and the Kindness Cubbies when she first moved to Kindsville? Watch the episode for Sher's story.



Scan the QR code to watch new and past episodes:

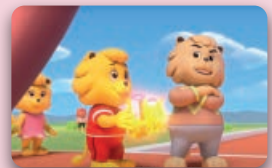


The animation series is also available on:



### HAVE YOU WATCHED THESE EPISODES?

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A Little Kindness

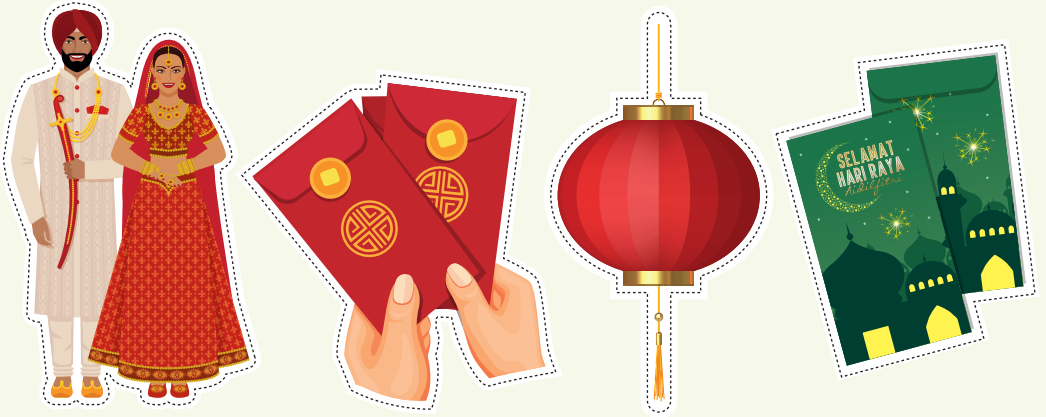


Season 6 Episode 3:  
New Adventures Begin



# Kindsville stickers

Use these stickers to complete the "Let's Explore Our Multicultural Singapore" activity on page 11 and 12.



Use these stickers to help you remember what you can do to strengthen racial harmony in Singapore.

