

## PS21 Star Service Team Award 2017



### GWPS To Community, Changing Minds Changing Lives

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- Recognises officers that have come together to deliver extraordinary service delivery within the same agency or across several Public Sector agencies.
- Promotes the spirit of teamwork and encourages officers to collaborate for better service outcomes to demonstrate One Public Service mindset and adopt a Whole-of-Government approach to deliver better service outcomes for the Public.

#### Project Outline

- Propose:
  - Develop pupils' mind set on making a difference to the community by putting the needs of the community before self.
  - Address the school's internal stakeholders, the parents' needs, who wanted their children to be actively involved in community outreach. It supports our school's Lifelong Learning program, WHIZZ, which is aligned to MOE's values driven education.
- 2014: Design Thinking (DT) team comprising teachers from different Dept was formed and trained by Singapore Polytechnic.
- 2015 and 2016
  - **Curriculum Design:** Developed lesson packages to tailor the DT approach to Primary 5 pupils. This approach was used to address authentic real world problems pertaining to Active Aging and Clean & Green Singapore under the theme Making a Difference – Contributing to the Community.
  - **Project actualisation:** Provided opportunities to collaborate with other public service agencies to serve the aging community. As such in 2016, we worked with partners like NEA, People's Association and KTPH, to actualise our pupils' ideas to solve the needs of the residents in our community.