



ZHENGHUA SECONDARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

As we prepare to welcome back students across all levels to school from Monday 29 June, please take note of the following updates.

STUDENT ENTRY AND EXIT POINTS, PRIVATE VEHICLE DROP OFF (*UPDATED*)

- 1 To minimise over-crowding in the mornings and during dismissal times, students are to enter and exit the school by the following gates effective from 29 June onwards.

Entry into school

Students coming from the direction of Jelapang LRT / Blocks 521 - 523

- Sec 1 – 2s to enter via the Rear Gate
- Sec 3 – 5s to enter via the Main Gate

Students coming from the direction of Segar LRT / West Spring Pri School

- All to enter via the Rear Gate

Dismissal from school

- Sec 1 – 2s to exit via the Rear Gate
- Sec 3 – 5s to exit via the Main Gate

During rainy weather, all students are to enter and exit via the Rear Gate.

For all students coming in private vehicles, they should alight at the lobby in front of the General Office and vehicles must **exit via the rear gate**. Alternatively, parents /guardians may get your child/ward to alight at the rear gate.

SAFE MANAGEMENT MEASURES

2 Student Well-Being

Please continue to observe the following safe management measures for your child/ward and update the school accordingly.

- If your child is feeling unwell (e.g. sore throat, running nose, fever or cough), please see a doctor and do not come to school. If diagnosed with Acute Respiratory Infection (ARI), students 13 years and above will be prioritised for COVID-19 testing, while students 12 years and below will be assessed by the doctor as to whether a test is required.
- If there are any adult household members (18 years and above) unwell with flu-like symptoms, inform the school and keep your child at home. Ensure that the unwell adult household member seeks medical treatment promptly.

3 Student Registration of TraceTogether App

TraceTogether is a government initiative to support contact tracing operations of COVID-19. The app is to help contact tracers link cases and quickly notify the user if they had possible exposure to confirmed COVID-19 cases. Attached are more information on the TraceTogether app. We highly encourage your child/ward to download this app. Students will be provided instructions in class on how to sign up next week.

TRAVEL ADVISORY DURING JULY MID-TERM BREAK (18 – 26 JULY)

- 4 All overseas travel should be deferred during the July mid-term break in line with MOH Travel Advisory issued on 18 March. Should there be any need for exceptional travel by students or family members living in the same household, you are advised that there is still a high risk of being infected overseas and transmitting to others locally when you return.

Please note that the following applies if your child/ward or family members living in the same household makes an exceptional travel against the MOH Travel Advisory during the July mid-term break:

- a. the requirement to apply for and obtain an entrance permit from MOE/ICA prior to their return to Singapore if they are International Students or non-SC/PR parents;
- b. 14-day Stay-Home Notice (SHN) issued upon their return to Singapore, which may be chargeable up to \$2,000 if served at an SHN Dedicated Facility;
- c. swab test for COVID-19 at the end of the SHN which may be chargeable up to \$200;
- d. 14-day LOA for students staying in the same household with someone on SHN;
- e. unsubsidised healthcare if they are infected with COVID-19 upon their return.

ACADEMIC MATTERS

5 National Exams

As informed in the previous issue, the GCE 'O' Level MT Listening Comprehension Exam will be conducted on **Monday 27 July**. All students who are not taking the MT Listening Comprehension Exam will be dismissed earlier at 1 pm on 27 July. The GCE 'O' and 'N' Level Oral Exams for both Mother Tongue and English Language will be conducted at various periods in Term 3.

6 Guidelines for School-Based Examinations for Students Affected by COVID-19

In alignment with national examination guidelines, students who are confirmed COVID-19 cases (currently quarantined in hospital or community isolation facilities) or who are on HQO/SHN/LOA should not sit for any school-based assessment held in school, including examinations.

Students who are on Approved Absence are allowed to sit for school-based examinations, but not for other weighted assessments such as class tests.

CCA MATTERS

- 7 CCA will resume from **Term 3 Week 7** (13 July 2020 onwards) with safe management measures in place. In the meantime, e-CCAs will continue. Your child/ward is strongly encouraged to participate in the activities planned by the teachers-in-charge, coaches or instructors during e-CCA.

PARENT-TEACHER MEETING (PTM) FOR SEC 4/5s (Updated)

- 8 As 10 July has been declared Polling Day in the recent General Elections announcement and hence, a public holiday, the Parent-Teacher Meeting for Sec 4/5s will be rescheduled. We will update you on the new date and format for PTM soon, through your child's/ward's Form Teachers.

Thank you for your continued support. Here's wishing you and your family the best of health.

Yours sincerely,



Mr Eugene Lin
Principal

Why use TraceTogether?

Download the contact tracing app¹ to enable quicker detection and mitigate the spread of COVID-19.




Help contact tracers link cases and notify you quickly if you had possible exposure to confirmed COVID-19 cases



The earlier we are alerted and able to take action, the better we protect ourselves and our loved ones



Let's do our part and stop the spread so that we can resume our normal lives

TraceTogether, safer together 



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For more details, visit tracetogether.gov.sg



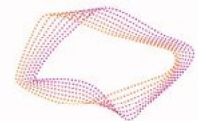
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The Bluetooth data stored on your phone after 25 days is auto-deleted.

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¹Your TraceTogether mobile app Bluetooth data is stored securely on your phone. It will only be shared with MOH if you test positive for COVID-19, and solely used for the purpose of contact tracing. Data stored on your phone after 25 days is automatically deleted.

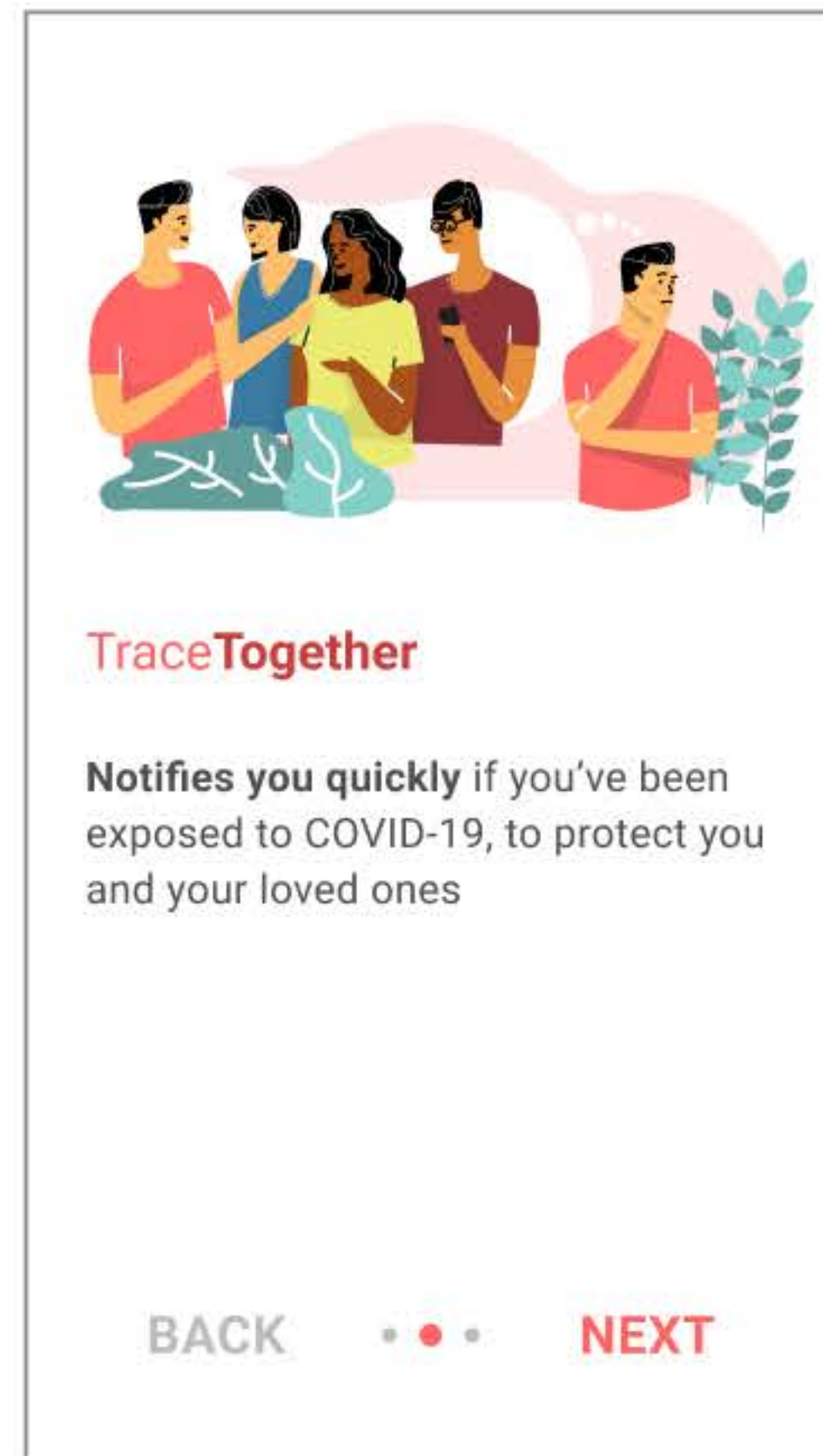
Protecting you and your loved ones using TraceTogether

If you've been exposed to COVID-19, the TraceTogether app helps the Ministry of Health (MOH) contact you quickly, to guide you on the next steps.



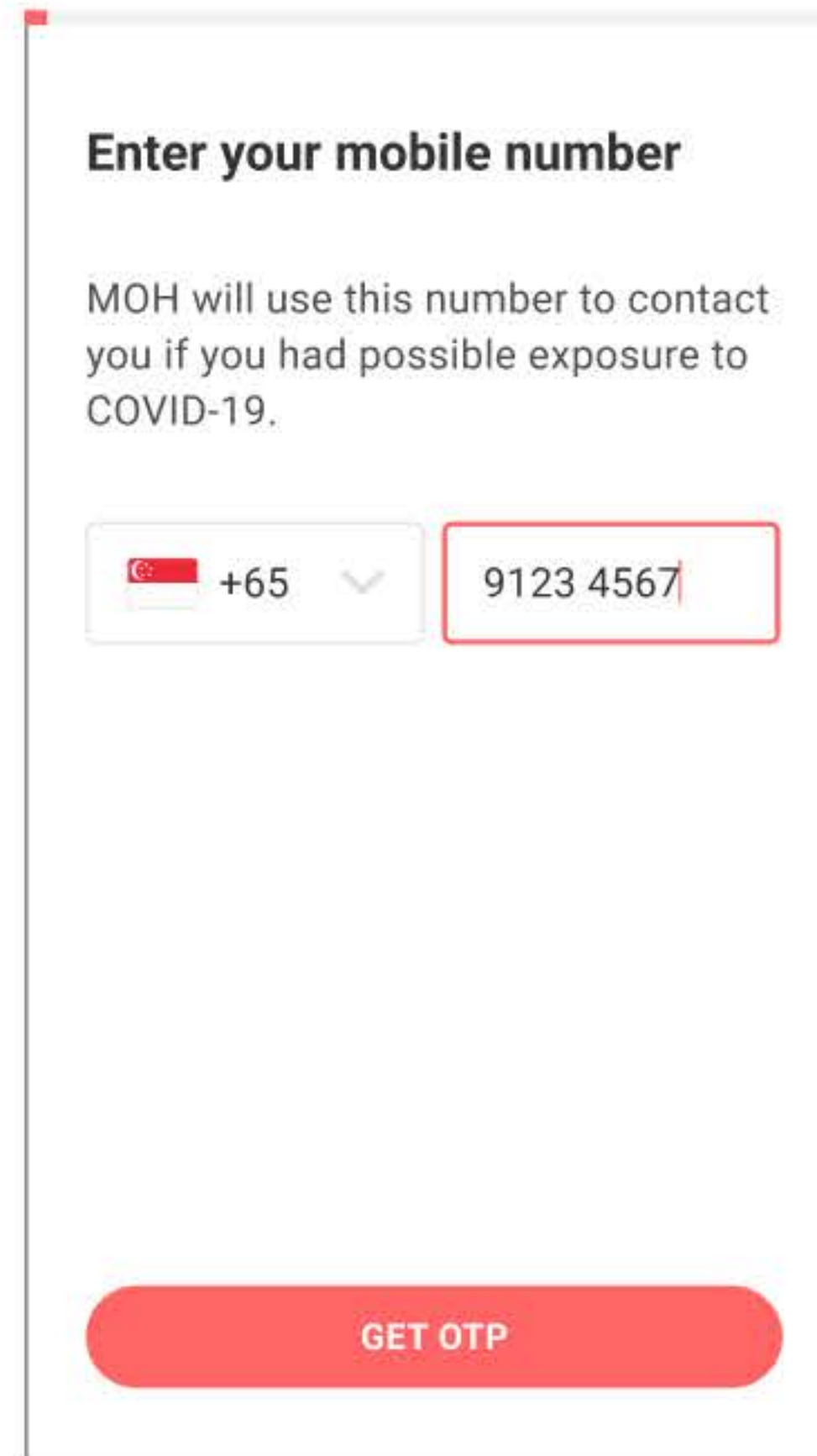
1. **Scan QR code** or go to tracetgether.gov.sg to download the app.

The app is now available in **more languages**.



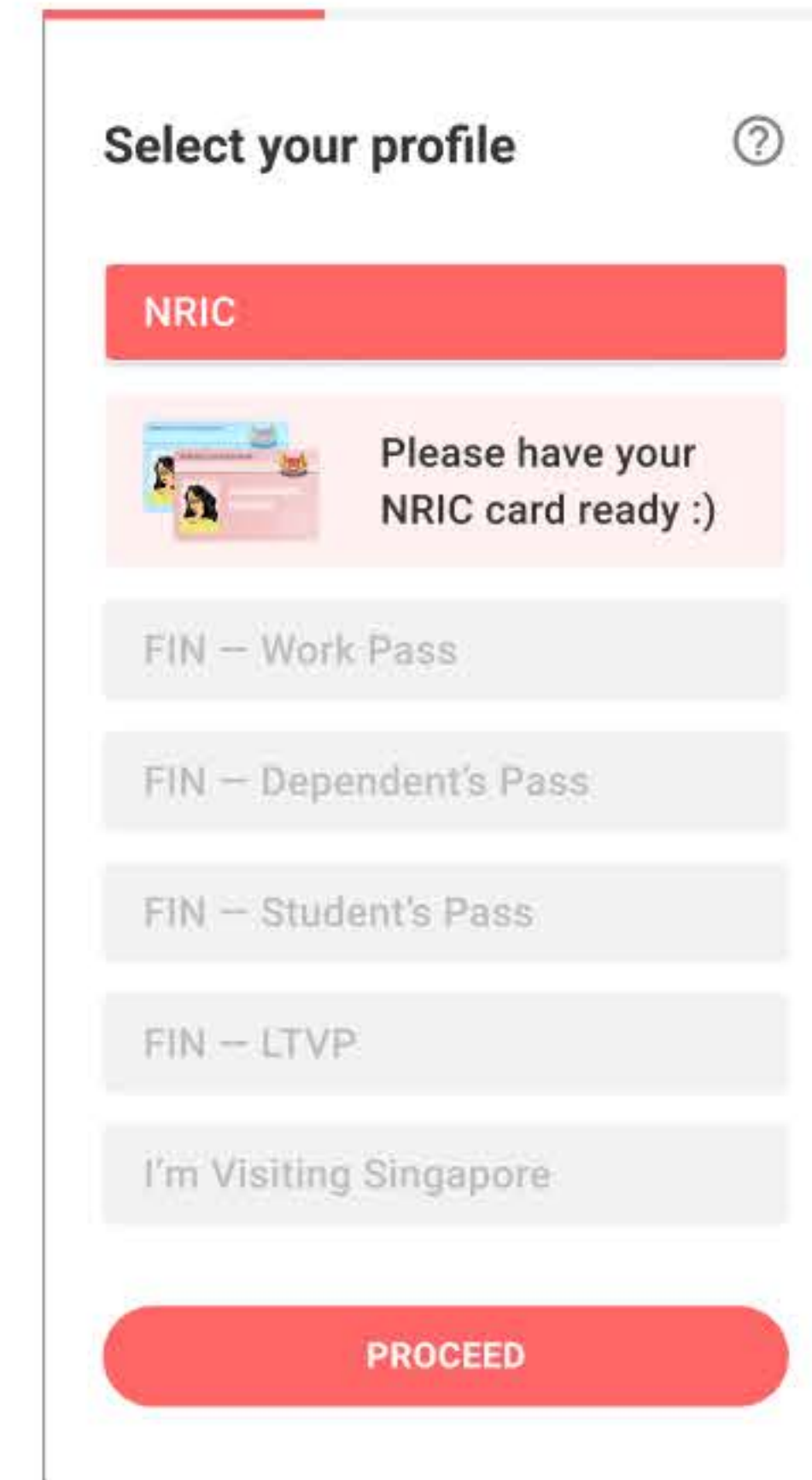
2. **Launch the app.**

The first few pages explain the benefits of using the app.



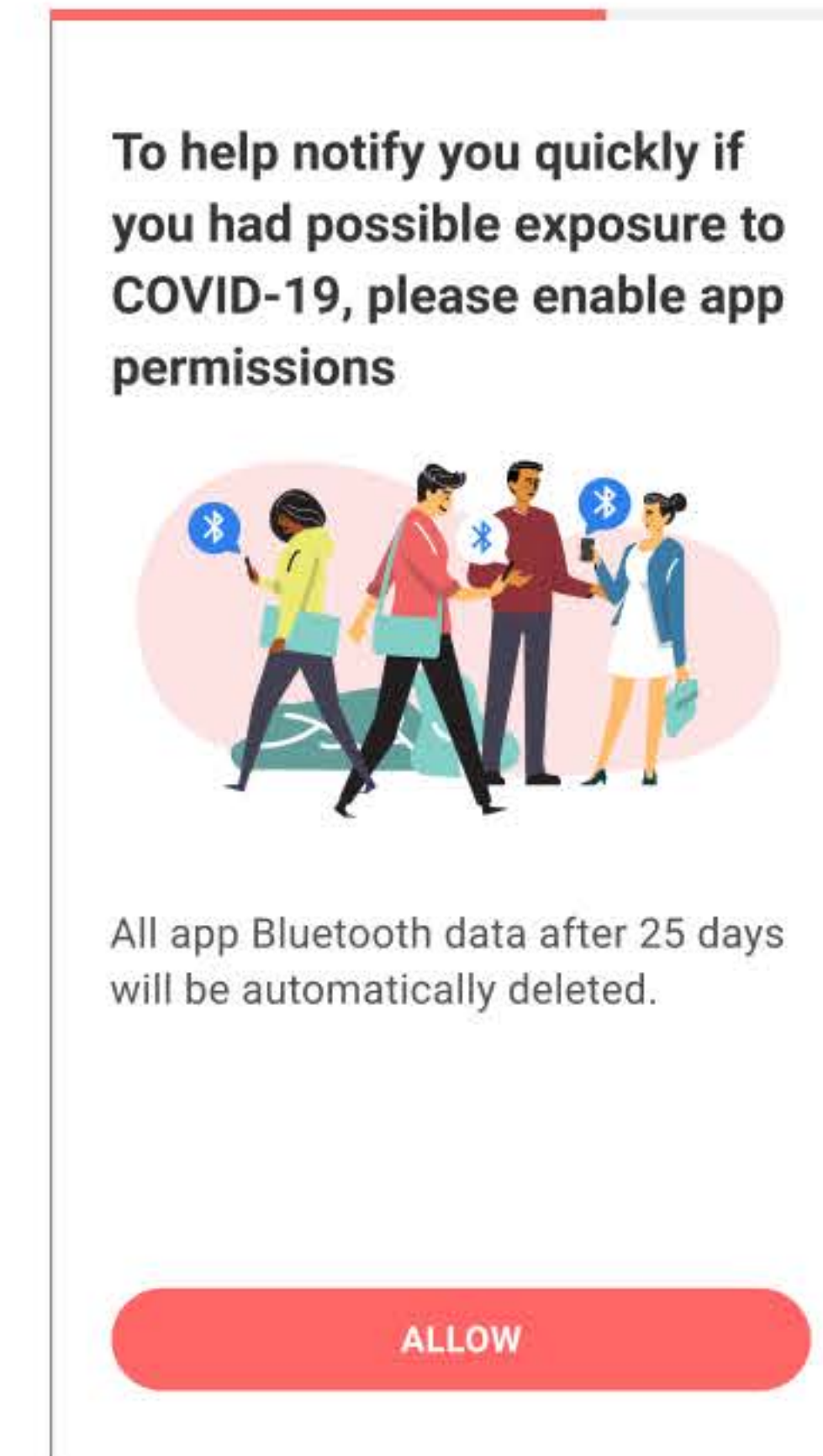
3. **Register using your mobile number.**

Enter the One-Time Pin sent to you via SMS.



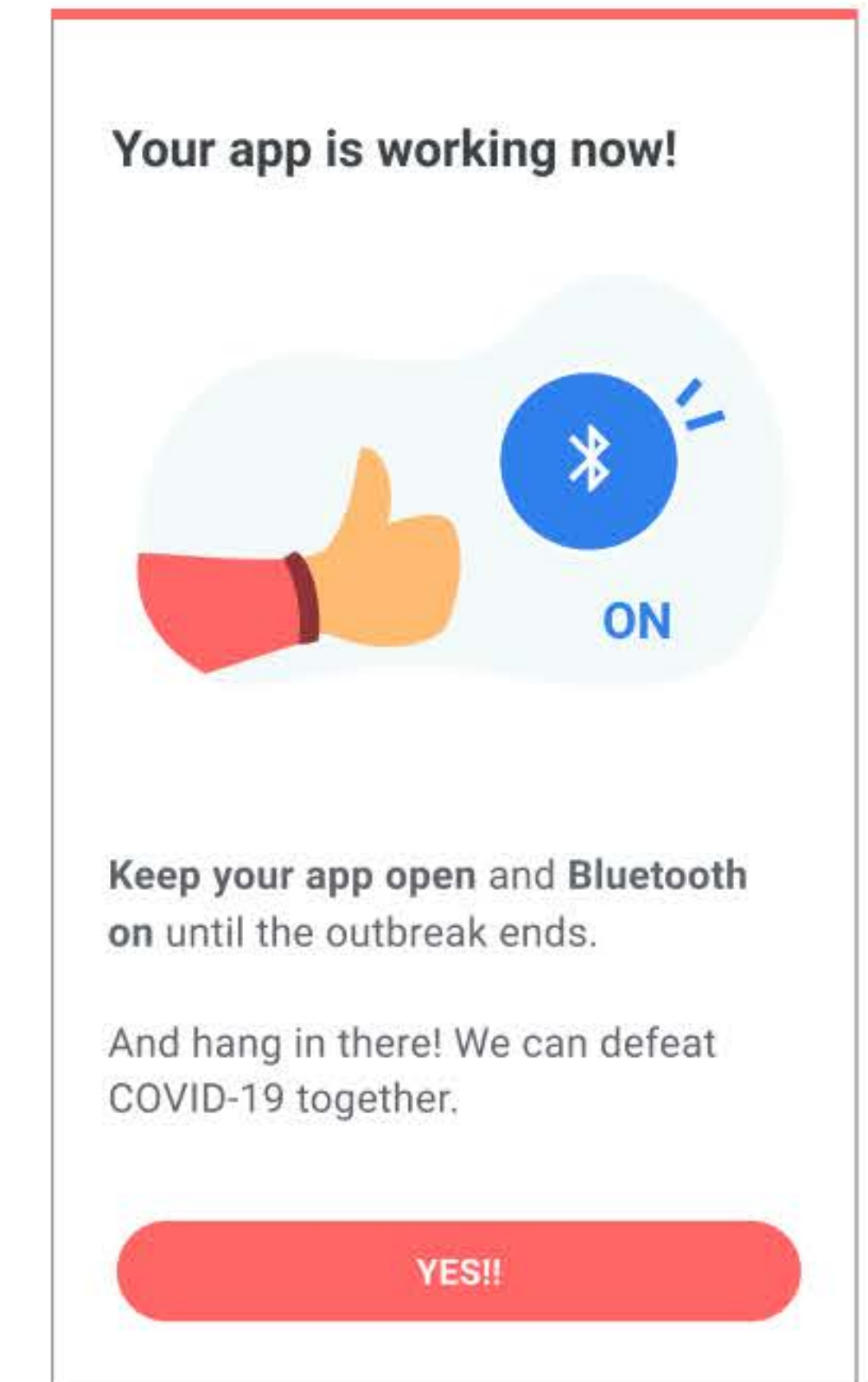
4. **Select your profile and enter your NRIC/FIN details.**

This allows MOH to **quickly verify your identity** if they need to contact you.



5. **Enable Bluetooth.**

This allows us to notify you if you have been exposed to COVID-19*.



6. **Set up completed!**

Keep your app running and Bluetooth on, until the end of the outbreak!

**Your Bluetooth data is stored securely on your phone, and only shared with MOH if you test positive for COVID-19. The Bluetooth data after 25 days is automatically deleted.*