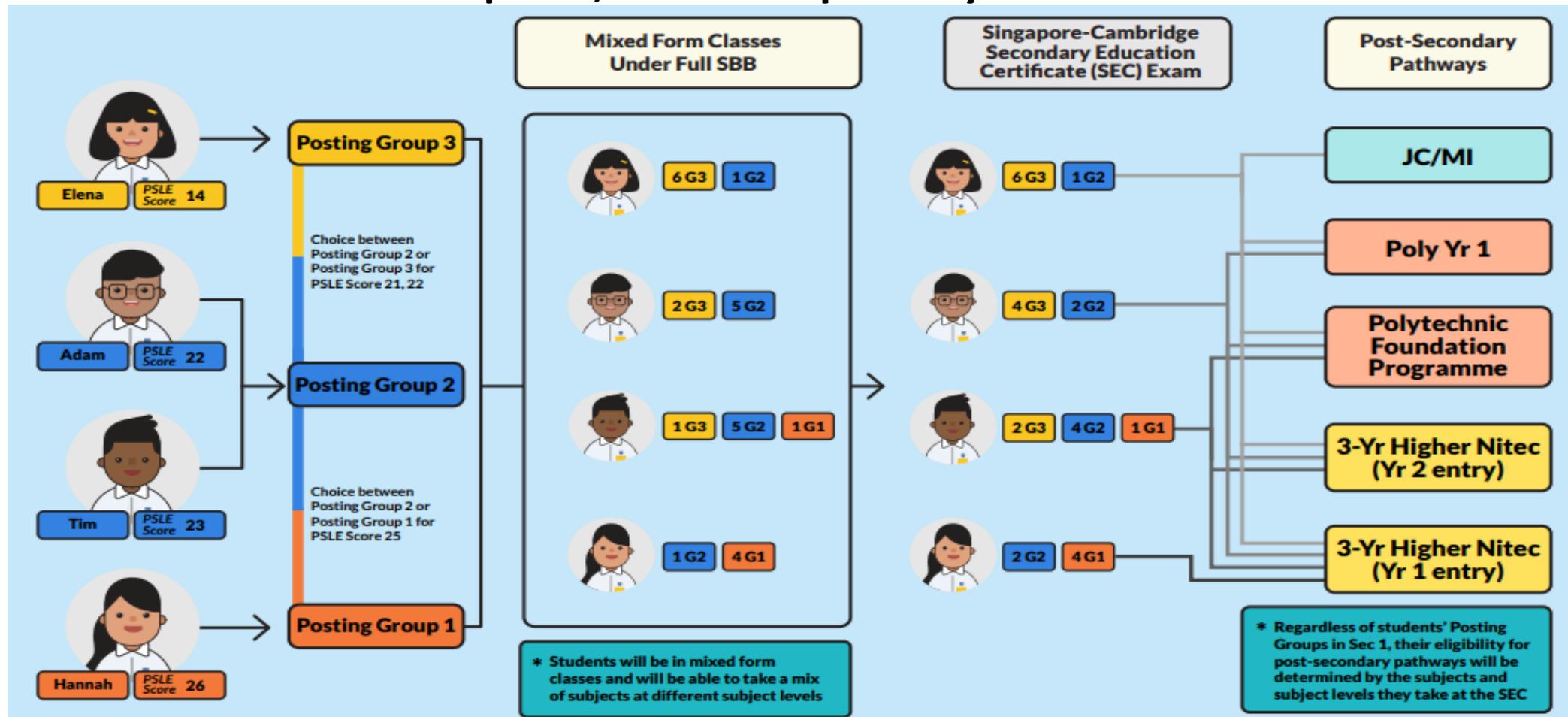


Sharing sessions by
- Education Career
Guidance (ECG) Counsellor
- Vice-Principal



Changes in the Education Landscape

Greater customization and flexibility in learning
More paths, and more porosity in between



Changes in the Education Landscape

Revised
PSLE scoring system

Students can use a **G2** subject to compute their **ELR2B2** score for admission to Polytechnic Year 1

Streamlining of ITE curriculum to attain a Higher Nitec within a shorter time

Inter-disciplinary learning and **expansion of Aptitude-Based Admissions** at Institutes of Higher Learning

Full Subject Based Banding

Increased access to Polytechnics. Students taking G3 subjects, or a mix of G3 & G2 subjects can join Poly Foundation Programme

Revised Junior College Admission criteria

New University of the Arts enrolled its first cohort in AY2024

SEC exam instead of GCE N/O-Levels & changes to exam timetable

Poly Foundation Programme students choose a cluster of interest instead of a specific diploma



Singapore-Cambridge Secondary Education Certificate (SEC) Examinations

The new Singapore-Cambridge Secondary Education Certificate (SEC) examination will comprise different papers for each subject level.

Students will receive an SEC that reflects the subjects and subject levels that students offer.

Exam timetable	From 2027 SEC Examinations
Non-written exam components, e.g. oral, listening comprehension, practical exams	Held before the start of written exams.
English Language written exams	Held in September. <i>G1/G2/G3 MTL and G3 Higher MTL held in 1 exam sitting.</i>
Mother Tongue written exams	
Other written exams	One common exam period, starting in October.
Results release	One common results release, held in January of the following year.

Extracted from [FSBB changes on SEC exam timetable, Poly Year 1 admission criteria | MOE](#)



More options for Post-secondary pathways

From Year 2028, students will also have **more options for their post-secondary pathways**, which will better recognise their different combinations of subjects and subject levels for admission.

Students taking at least	POST-SEC PATHWAYS					
	3-year ITE Higher Nitec	Year 2 of 3-year ITE Higher Nitec	Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP)	Polytechnic Year 1	Millennia Institute	Junior College
5 G3 subjects	✓	✓	NEW ✓	✓	✓	NEW ✓
4 G3 + 1 G2 subjects	✓	✓	NEW ✓	NEW ✓		
5 G2 subjects	✓	✓	✓			
4 G1 subjects	✓	NEW* ✓				

*For students who meet ITE's Year 1 academic requirements.



Education and Career Guidance - ECG

Exploring Opportunities

Post-secondary education pathways
Career Aspirations

Discovering Purpose

Values, interests, personality,
skills & strengths



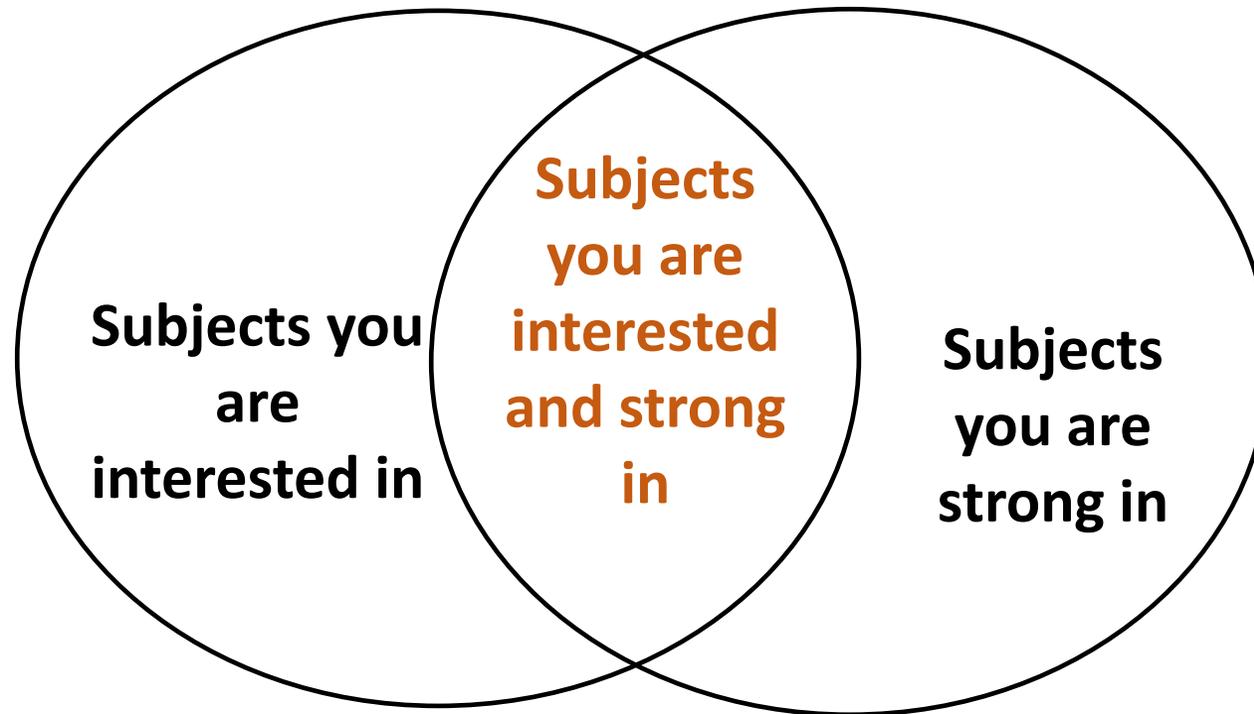
Staying Relevant

Understand subject requirements
Work towards education and
career goals



Discovering Purpose – *Who am I?*

- What are my **values, interests, personality, skills and strengths (VIPs)**?
- What have I **learnt from experiences & activities** in or out of school?
- **Which subjects** am I interested in or good at?



Exploring Opportunities – *Where do I want to go?*

Which **subjects would be relevant for my aspirations?**

Examples

Career interest in *Research/ Biomedical Sciences*

↪ Relevant subjects – Maths, Chemistry and Biology

Career interest in *Architecture/ Design*

↪ Relevant subjects – Design & Technology and Art

Career interest in *Social work/ Psychology*

↪ Relevant subjects – Social studies, History, Biology



Exploring Opportunities – *Where do I want to go?*

What **post-secondary education pathways** are suitable for me?

Pre-universities

18 Junior Colleges (JCs) and Millennia Institute (MI)
GCE A-level Course for admissions to universities
Deep learning in academic subject choice

Polytechnics

5 Polytechnics
Diploma that is work-ready and for admissions to universities
Applied, practice-based learning experience with internships

Institute of Technical Education

3 campuses
Higher Nitec that is work-ready and used for admissions for diploma
Hands-on, practice-based learning experience with internships



Staying Relevant – *How do I get there?*

- What are the **subject requirements** of **my target post-secondary course choices**?
- What **steps** can I take to achieve my goals and take the subjects I **prefer**?
- **How** can I find out more information?



For students taking mostly G3 subjects Junior College/ Millennia Institute

Admission to JC will be based on 5 subjects $L1R4 \leq 16$. **New from 2028 Joint Admissions Exercise**
Admission to MI will be based on 5 subjects $L1R4 \leq 20$.

The subjects to be used for admission are:

- English/ Higher Mother Tongue
- Humanities
- Maths/ Science
- Humanities/ Maths/ Science
- 1 other relevant subject

The cap on bonus points for JC admission will be lowered from a maximum of 4 to 3 points.
The bonus points cap for admission to MI will also be aligned with that for JC admissions.

Additional 2 bonus points are still awarded if a student has applied and is selected for Chinese, Malay, or Tamil Language Elective Programme.

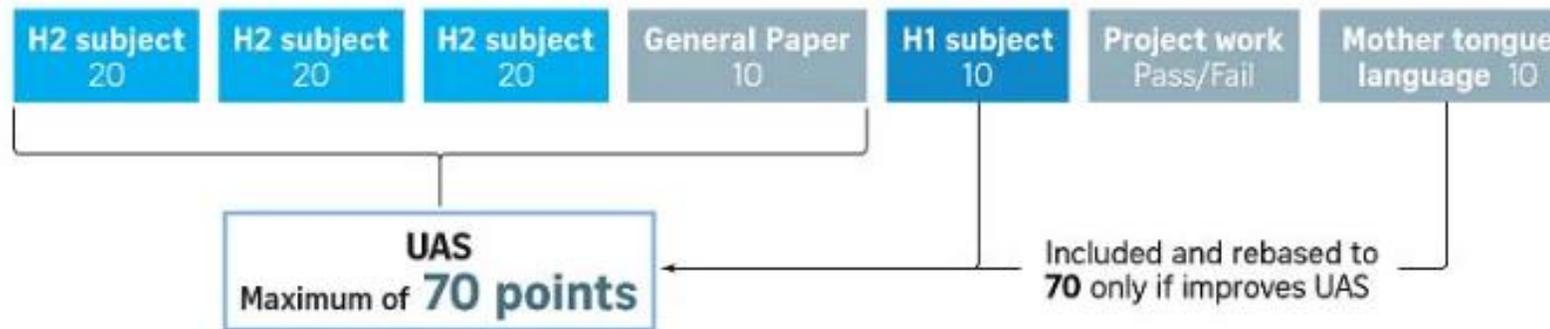
Refer to [Infosheet 1: Revised Junior College \(JC\) Admission Criteria | MOE](#) for more details .



For students taking mostly G3 subjects A-level Curriculum

Fourth content-based A-level subject to be dropped from University Admission Score

UAS COMPUTATION FROM 2026



- **General Paper** is a compulsory subject.
- Knowledge and Inquiry will be offered only as a contrasting subject.
- **Project work** will be graded on a Pass or Fail basis. Students will need to pass it to be eligible for admission to Autonomous Universities.
- **Removal of Mid-year exams** for JCs and MI.



For students taking mostly G3 subjects

A-level Curriculum

Examples of Subject combinations taken for A-levels

Science
H2 Physics or Biology
H2 Chemistry
H2 Math
H1 or H2 Arts (e.g. History)

Arts
H2 Economics
H2 Literature
H2 History
H1 or H2 Math or Science

Compulsory Subjects at H1 Level

- **General Paper (GP)**
- **Project Work (PW)**
- **Mother Tongue (MT)~**

~Student is exempted from MT if he/she takes Higher Mother Tongue in secondary school and has obtained D7 or better

- Each of the JCs/MI offers different subject combinations with different requirements. Refer to the respective school website for more information.
- For students **targeting to go JCs/MI, G3 A maths and Pure sciences will be relevant** to build a good foundation for the A level H2 Maths/Science subjects.



For students taking mostly G3 subjects

Polytechnic Diploma Year 1

- From the 2028 intake, **students can use a G2 subject to compute their ELR2B2 score for admission to Polytechnic Year 1.**
- **Cut-off score will be adjusted from 26 to 22 points**, since the last 'B' subject will be mapped from G3 to G2.
For Nursing courses, the net aggregate cut-off will be adjusted from 28 to 24 points.

New from 2028 Joint Admissions Exercise

2 'Relevant' G3 subjects

ELR2B2

English Language G3

1 'Best' G3 subject + 1 'Best' G2 or G3 subject

1 G2 subject can be counted as 1 [B] subject. If you take a G3 subject, it will be mapped to G2.

G3 Grade	MAPPED TO	G2 Grade
A1, A2, B3		1
B4, C5, C6		2
D7		3
E8		4
9		5
-		6

Extracted from [FSBB changes on SEC exam timetable, Poly Year 1 admission criteria | MOE](#) and [MOE COS 2024 Infographic](#),



For students taking mostly G3 subjects

Polytechnic Diploma Year 1

Simplified table of Aggregate Type scores, refer to full details in [JAE: Polytechnic admission and courses](#)

Aggregate Type Field of Study	ELR2B2 -A Humanities Media	ELR2B2 -B Business & Management	ELR2B2 -C Applied/ Health Science Engineering Information & Digital Tech Maritime, Built Environment	ELR2B2 -D Design
EL	English			
R2 – 1 st subject	Art Humanities Music/ Higher Music	E Maths <u>OR</u> A Maths		
R2 – 2 nd subject	E Maths <u>OR</u> A Maths Art Chinese/ Malay/ Tamil Humanities Design & Technology Nutrition & Food Science Music/ Higher Music Principles of Accounts	Art Humanities Music/ Higher Music Principles of Accounts	Design & Technology Nutrition & Food Science Science: Pure or Combined Electronics	Art Design & Technology Nutrition & Food Science Science: Pure or Combined Electronics
B2	Best 2 other subjects – a) 1 G3 and 1 G2 subject or b) 2 G3 subjects			



For students taking mostly G3 subjects

Polytechnic Diploma Year 1

Simplified table of Aggregate Type scores, refer to full details in [JAE: Polytechnic admission and courses](#)

Examples of Polytechnic diplomas which are ELR2B2 -B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accountancy • Banking & Finance • Common Business Programme • Hospitality & Tourism Management 	Aggregate Type	ELR2B2 -B
	Field of Study	Business & Management
	EL	English
	R2 – 1st subject	E Maths <u>OR</u> A Maths
	R2 – 2nd subject	Art Humanities Music/ Higher Music Principles of Accounts
	B2	Best 2 other subjects a) 1 G3 and 1 G2 subject or b) 2 G3 subjects



For students taking mostly G3 subjects

Polytechnic Diploma Year 1

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	Field of Study	Applied/ Health Science Engineering Information & Digital Tech Maritime, Built Environment
	EL	English
	R2 – 1st subject	E Maths <u>OR</u> A Maths
	R2 – 2nd subject	Design & Technology Electronics Nutrition & Food Science Science: Pure or Combined
B2	Best 2 other subjects a) 1 G3 and 1 G2 subject or b) 2 G3 subjects	



For students taking G2/G3 subjects

Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP)

- The **Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP)** is a **1-year programme** that offers eligible students a **practice-based preparatory pathway to a polytechnic education**.
- Starting from the Academic Year 2026 intake, **admissions to the PFP will be restructured to a cluster-based approach**. Students in the PFP can enter **one of three key broad clusters: (i) Sciences, (ii) Design, Engineering & Technology or (iii) Humanities, Art, Media and Business**, before posting to a specific diploma course based on their interest and PFP performance. Diploma-specific admission will apply for the Diploma in Nursing, Diploma in Early Childhood Development & Education and Diploma in Tamil Studies with Early Education.
- Starting from the Academic Year 2028 intake, the **PFP will be expanded to allow students taking G3 subjects, or a mix of G2 and G3 subjects** to access PFP by mapping their G3 grade to the G2 equivalent.



For students taking G2/G3 subjects

Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP)

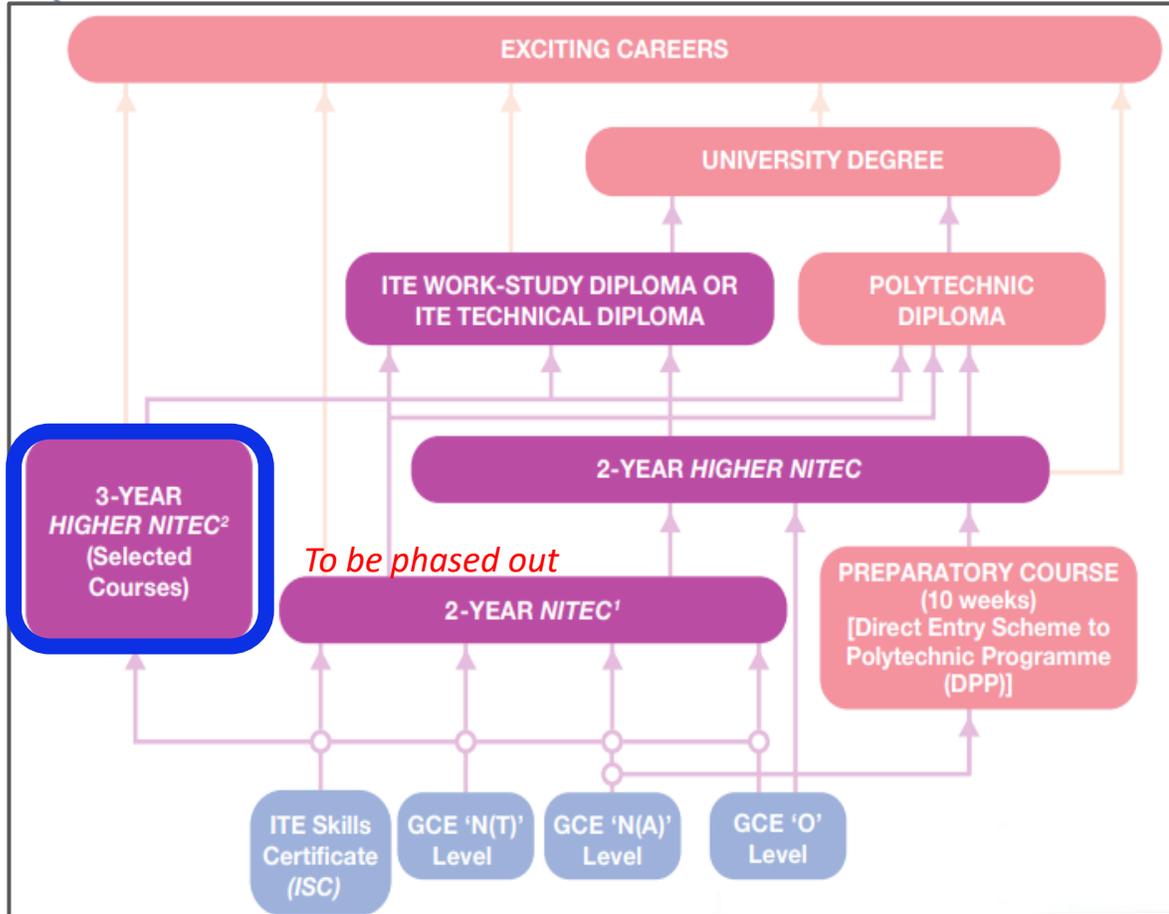
ELMAB3 (English, Mathematics, Best 3 Subjects) raw aggregate score of 12 points or better.

	Sciences Design, Engineering & Technology Nursing	Humanities, Art, Media and Business Early Childhood Development & Education Tamil Studies with Early Education*
EL	English Language	
MA	Mathematics	
B1	Design and Technology Food and Nutrition/Nutrition and Food Science Science (Chemistry, Biology) Science (Physics, Biology) Science (Physics, Chemistry)	Art Geography History Humanities (Social Studies, Geography) Humanities (Social Studies, History) Humanities (Social Studies, Literature in English) Literature in English Principles of Accounts
B2	Any two other subjects	
B3		

*Students applying to Tamil Studies with early education also need to obtain minimum scores for Tamil language.
 Refer to [Changes to PFP starting from 2026 intake | MOE](#) for full subject requirements.

For students taking G1/G2 subjects

ITE 3-year Higher Nitec



More pathways to polys for ITE students from 2027



THE STRAITS TIMES
Amelia Teng
Education Correspondent

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More Institute of Technical Education (ITE) students will be given the chance to move on to polytechnics from academic year 2027, as part of efforts to expand pathways and choices for students.

Those pursuing a Higher Nitec qualification at ITE will be **guaranteed admission to a polytechnic course related to their Higher Nitec course**, if they attain a grade point average (GPA) of **3.5 or above**.



For students taking G1/G2 subjects

ITE 3-year Higher Nitec

4 subjects are used for admissions.

Examples of Minimum Entry requirements of the courses – passes in 3 subjects



Higher Nitec in Applied Food Science (3 years) (wef Jan 2024 intake)



Higher Nitec in Cyber & Network Security (3 years)



*Nitec in Mechatronics & Robotics**

Mathematics OR Science/Mobile Robotics and 2 other subjects

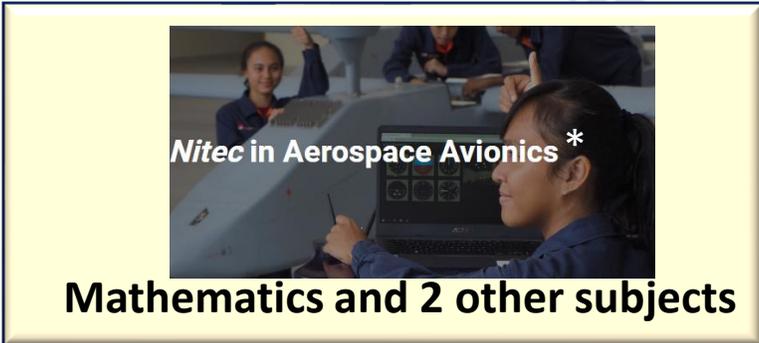


Higher Nitec in Business Administration (3 years) (wef Jan 2024 intake)



Higher Nitec in Event Management (3 years) (wef Jan 2024 intake)

English Language and 2 other subjects



*Nitec in Aerospace Avionics **

Mathematics and 2 other subjects

Refer to details of [ITE Courses](#)



Higher Nitec in Nursing (3 years) (wef Jan 2024 intake)

English Language, Mathematics and one other subject

*Note that all Nitec courses will be transiting to 3-year Higher Nitec courses by academic year 2026.

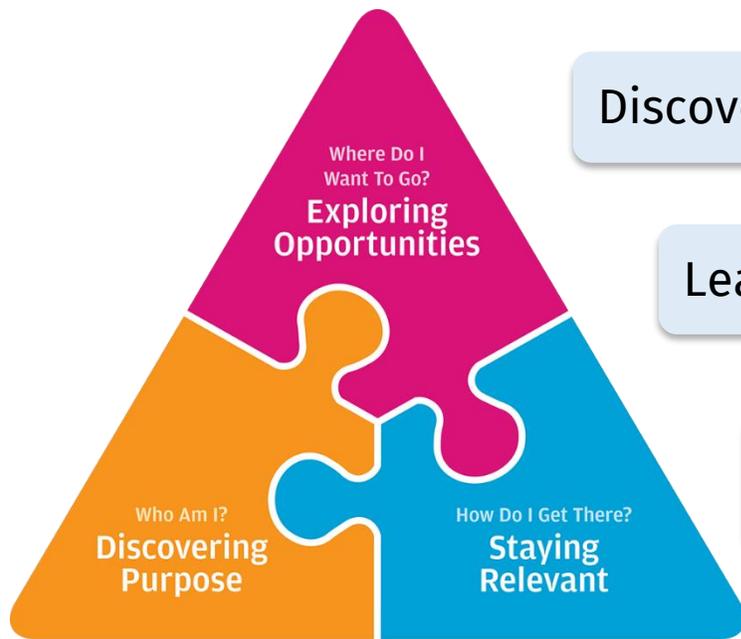


ITE Higher Nitec

- For students taking a **combination of G3 and G2 subjects**, they can **apply for direct entry into Year 2 of Higher Nitec** if they achieve aggregate score for 5 subjects – **ELMAB3 (English, Maths, Best 3 subjects) of 19 points or better.**
- For students who meet ITE year 1 requirements, they may also complete their **Higher Nitec in a shorter time frame.**



In-school ECG Support for Students



Discover purpose, career choices and aspirations

Learn about Values, Interests, Personality , Strengths & Skills

Discuss factors to consider when deciding on subjects, post-secondary educational institutes and courses

For students to book ECG sessions during break or after school



<https://go.gov.sg/yhss-ecg>

Ms Toh Su Qi, ECG Counsellor

Every Tuesday, Thursday

Venue: Room E4-02, beside IT Resource Room 1



A Community where Learners Flourish

Preparing for the Future



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Work Trends

- Traditional careers are evolving.
- Accelerated technological changes, automation and AI are changing job roles.
- Skills and continuous learning are becoming more important.



A Community where Learners Flourish



How can you as parents prepare your child NOW for the future?



You are precious as their **ROLE MODEL** and their **REAL CONNECTIONS** in this rapidly changing world.

- **Model the skills and values they will need for life.**
- **Cultivate strong relationships and healthy habits in this digital age.**



ROLE MODEL



Model good values in words and actions



Instill confidence by encouraging responsibility and believing in your child's abilities



Find joy in everyday experiences with your child

Check out this video
(<https://go.gov.sg/selathome>) on MOE YouTube
for tips on how parents can support the social-
emotional learning of their children.



REAL CONNECTIONS



Establish good habits for your child to stay confident and in control of their technology use

Provide a balanced mix of engaging online and offline activities, outside and at home

Build strong bonds through shared experiences and meaningful conversations

Check Parenting for Wellness Toolbox
(<https://file.go.gov.sg/pfw-toolbox-for-parents.pdf>)
for conversation starters to facilitate meaningful conversations, and practical strategies on parenting in a digital age.



Mindset in Education and Career Guidance



Everyone is unique

Everyone is unique with our own values, interests, strengths, personality and skills.



Explore & Empower

There are many different careers in the world of work to explore and I can make informed decisions about my education and career choices.



Grow & Contribute

Each of us can use our strengths, abilities and passion to work towards our goals and contribute meaningfully to the community.



Some points to remember...

1 Discovering Purpose

Guide your children to make informed decisions and own them

Understanding their Values, Interests, Personality, Skills, and Strengths

2 Exploring Opportunities

Encourage your children to find out more about education pathways and the world of work

3 Staying Relevant

Embrace lifelong learning and develop your children's future-ready skills

Highlight Strengths

Talk to your child about his/ her strengths and future aspirations

Subject Relevance

Explain the need to take certain subjects and the real world-application of the subject knowledge.

Offer Encouragement

Shortlist suitable subjects combinations and encourage your child to work towards his/ her goals



ECG Conversation Starters for Parents

- Discuss with our children their goals and aspirations.

- ▶ What are your favourite subjects and Co-Curricular Activities (CCAs)? What do you like about them?
- ▶ How would you want to contribute to our community to make a positive difference?
- ▶ What are your goals and aspirations?

- Discuss with our children the different occupations and their contributions to society.
- Encourage our children to broaden their education and career possibilities.

- ▶ Which education institutions are you curious to find out more about and why?
- ▶ What information have you found about the industries or careers that you are interested in, including the education pathways leading to them?
- ▶ How do you think you can find out more about the education or career pathways you are interested in?

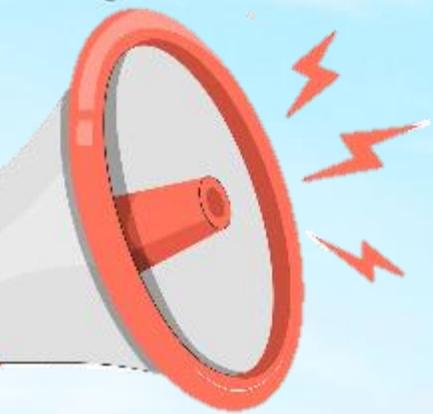
- Encourage our children to be adaptable and embrace lifelong learning as they seek to develop themselves.

- ▶ What are the setbacks/failures you have faced that taught you something? Can I share about a setback I experienced that helped me grow?
- ▶ What did you try that was difficult for you this week? What will you do to challenge yourself this month? *(You can make this a family challenge and get your children to ask you these questions too.)*





Join Us! Parent Support Group (PSG)

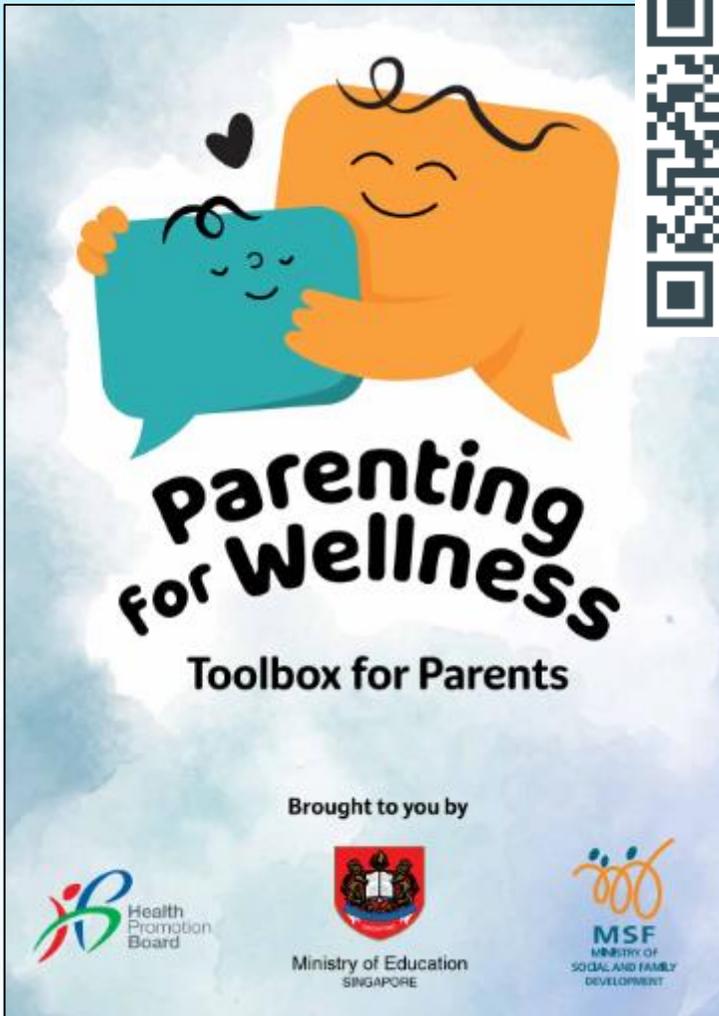


A team of dedicated parents supporting each other in nurturing their children. Network, share and learn with fellow parents by involving yourself in initiatives such as Parenting Workshops and gatherings.



Check out Parenting Resources:

Parenting for Wellness Toolbox & Grow Well Pack



The screenshot shows the Health Hub website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Health Hub logo, a search icon, and a 'Login' button. Below the navigation bar is a red banner with the text 'HOME > PROGRAMMES'. The main content area features the title 'Parent Hub: Grow Well SG' and a paragraph: 'From pregnancy to raising a teenager, learn the ins and outs of raising a healthy child in this one-stop pregnancy and parenting platform for health information.' Below this is the slogan 'you've got this!' with a heart icon. At the bottom, there is a grid of nine colored buttons: a purple home button, a yellow 'WE'RE EXPECTING' button, a red '0 - 2 YEARS' button, a teal '3 - 6 YEARS' button, an orange '7 - 12 YEARS' button, a blue 'TEENS' button, an orange 'GROW WELL SG' button, a purple 'PARENTING FOR WELLNESS' button, and a light orange 'EVENTS' button.



As parents, we all share a common goal: to nurture our children into healthy, happy individuals and watch them thrive, whether at school, in the community, or at home. But we also know that parenting comes with its challenges. That's why Grow Well SG is here to support you. We're here to make it easier to give your children the best start in life, helping them stay healthy and feel their best.



Check out Parenting Resources: Parent Gateway (PG) & Screen Time Advice

Parenting

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Refreshed Guidelines for School-Home Partnership

Guidance on how parents and schools can work together positively and respectfully

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P1 cheat sheet: How to pick and pack your schoolbag

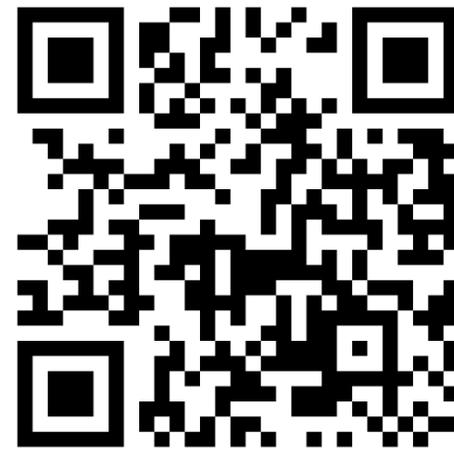
Learn how you can guide your Primary 1 child to pick and pack their schoolbag.



PARENT KIT

Starting Your Primary 1 Journey

Your child will be reaching another milestone going into Primary 1 soon.



Guidance on Screen Use in Children



Useful Resources

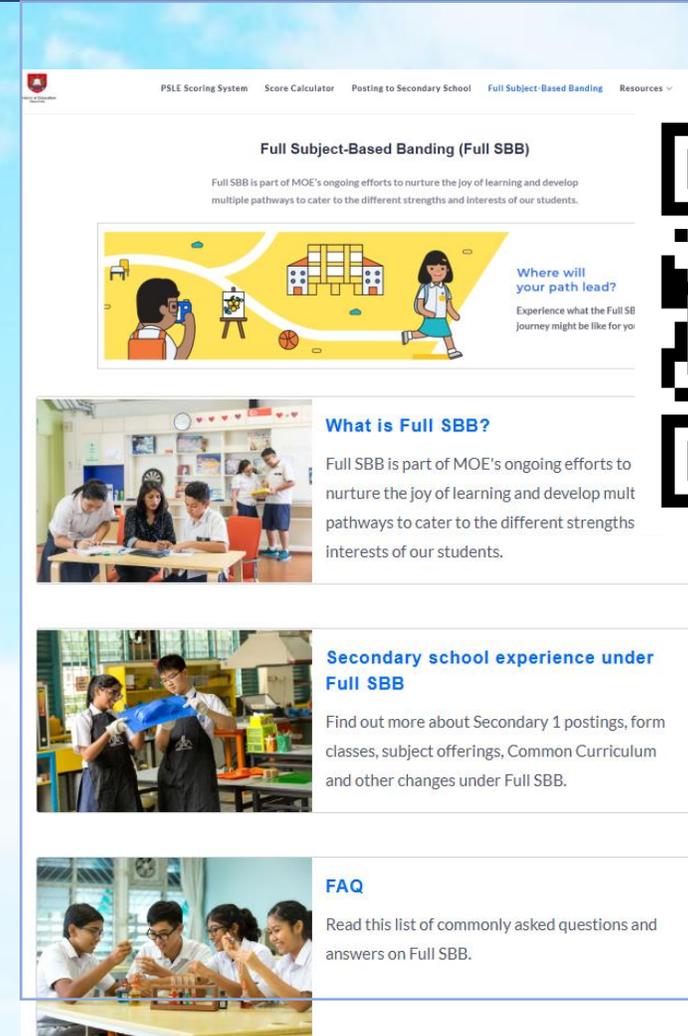
([Education Career Guidance Guide](#) & [Full Subject-Based Banding](#))



**JOURNEYING WITH
OUR CHILDREN,
SUPPORTING THEIR
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Education & Career Guidance
Tips for Parents



PSLE Scoring System Score Calculator Posting to Secondary School Full Subject-Based Banding Resources

Full Subject-Based Banding (Full SBB)

Full SBB is part of MOE's ongoing efforts to nurture the joy of learning and develop multiple pathways to cater to the different strengths and interests of our students.

Where will your path lead?
Experience what the Full SB Journey might be like for you

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Secondary school experience under Full SBB

Find out more about Secondary 1 postings, form classes, subject offerings, Common Curriculum and other changes under Full SBB.

FAQ

Read this list of commonly asked questions and answers on Full SBB.



Check out more resources from MOE

Parent Kit



Parent Kit

www.moe.gov.sg/parentkit

Each Parent Kit issue contains bite-sized actionable tips with supporting resources for parents to help them support their child in their education journey.



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MOE Social Media Platforms



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