MOE EDUSAVE CHARACTER AWARD (ECHA) NANYANG JUNIOR COLLEGE SELECTION CRITERIA AND PROCESS

Introduction

The MOE Edusave Character Award (ECHA) recognises and affirms students who demonstrate exemplary character and outstanding personal qualities through their behaviour and actions. The award also supports the College's continuing efforts in nurturing students of good values and character, who contribute actively to make a positive difference to others.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Nominees for the ECHA should fulfil the following criteria:

- (a) Must be **Singaporeans**;
- (b) Must demonstrate on a consistent basis, exemplary character, integrity and altruism that would serve as a role model to others;
- (c) In particular, demonstrate the following types of qualities:

i. College values

Drive & Inventiveness	_	being resolute, motivated and passionate in doing things well; being innovative and resourceful in making positive changes
Responsibility	-	taking ownership for the betterment of self, College and community
Integrity	-	being honest, upright and courageous in doing what is right
Empathy	_	being compassionate and sensitive to others, and helping others to the best of one's ability

and/or

ii. <u>High level of civic responsibility</u> - are concerned about issues in the community or issues faced by others, initiate action to address these issues to improve the lives of others, and being committed to make a positive difference

and/or

iii. <u>Resilience</u> - have persevered despite facing difficult circumstances (e.g. financial problems, family issues and health issues) and managed to overcome the odds and still do commendably well in various domains

NOMINATION PERIOD

- a) Nomination is open to students, staff and parents from 12 August 2020 to 22 August 2020.
- b) Students will be briefed on the nomination process during the Civics Tutorial lesson in Term 3 Week 10.
- c) Parents may nominate by using the <u>link</u> provided. The link can also be found on the College website (https://nanyangjc.moe.edu.sg/) and NYJC Integrated Learning Portal (https://portal.nyjc.edu.sg/).

NOMINATION WORKFLOW

Step 1: Parent may access the link on the College website or NYJC Integrated Learning Portal to submit the ECHA nomination by 22 August.

Parents will receive an email upon successful submission of nomination form.

Step 2: Endorsement by

- Civics Tutor of nominee

- CCA /Subject Tutor of nominee

Step 3: Completion of nomination process

Step 4: Selection process

Step 5: The names of the awardees will be shared on the College website at the end of the year.

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