



SL Talk For Sec 4/5 Parents

13 Jan 2023



Overview

1. School Leaders' Talk

by Ms Sandra Gwee, Principal

2. Sec 4/5 School Experience

by Mrs Tan Cailing, Year Head (Upper Sec)

3. Education & Career Guidance (ECG) Talk

by Ms Stephanie Goh, ECG Counsellor

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2022 N Level Results

**Subjects with
100% Passes**



4N(A)	Additional Math, Art, D&T, Humanities (SS/Geo), Humanities (SS/History), English, Malay, Science (Bio/Chem)
4N(T)	Basic Chinese, D&T, EBS, English



2022 N Level Results

Description	4N(A)	4N(T)	Criteria
3 or more passes	98.6%	90.9%	-
% Eligible for Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP)	20.0%	N.A.	ELMAB3 ≤ 12 Minimum of 3 in EL and MA and best 3 subjects; additional course requirements
% Eligible for Direct-Entry Scheme to Polytechnic Programme (DPP)	65.2%	N.A.	ELMAB3 ≤ 19 Minimum of 4 in EL and MA, Minimum of 5 in best 3 subjects
% of Students Eligible for Sec 5	94.2%	N.A.	ELMAB3 ≤ 19



2023 O Level Results

**Subjects with
100% Passes**



4Exp	Physics, Malay, Humanities(SS/Lit), Literature, History, Geography, Higher Art, NFS
5N(A)	Chinese, Malay, Humanities (SS/Hist), A.Maths, POA, NFS



2023 O Level Results

4 Express eligibility to the next level

JC (%)	MI (%)	Polytechnic (%)
75%	91%	98%

5 Normal Academic eligibility to the next level

MI (%)	Polytechnic (%)
31%	65%



Assessment Schedule

Assessment	4NT & 4NA	4 Exp & 5NA	Remarks
Weighted Assessment I (WA1)	Term I	Term I	Students will participate in class tests, project work, coursework, etc
Coordinated WA2	3 May – 12 May		Students will sit for partial or full papers in an exam setting
Preliminary Exams	31 Jul – 11 Aug	14 Aug – 31 Aug	Student's will sit for full papers in an exam setting

*Dates may be subjected to changes



Assessment Schedule

	Description	When will parents see the report?
Learning Disposition	Assessment of students' desired learning qualities and behaviour	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• End of semester 1 (26 May) (4NT/4NA/4Exp/5NA)• End of Aug (4NT/4NA)• End of Sep (4Exp/5NA)
Student Outcomes	Assessment of students' qualities to overcome challenges and to attain success in the 21 st Century	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• End of Aug (4NT/4NA)• End of Sep (4Exp/5NA)



Highlights for Sec 4&5

- Start-it-Right – TIWI
- Learning Festival (End of Sem I)
- X-Country – 28 June
- Montage – 7-8 July
- Graduation Ceremony – 22 Sept
- Prom Night – 15 Nov

Stand-down from CCA commitments before coordinated WA2 in May.



Preparing your child for National Exams and for Post-Secondary Education

- Study Skills workshops
- Consultations
- iStrive Mentoring programme
- Protected Self-study time
- ECG – Education & Career Guidance Talks and Learning Journeys, consultations with ECG Counsellor
- Early Admission Exercise (EAE) and DSA Portfolios and interviews



What can you do?

- Explore post-secondary and career options with your child
 - Understand the courses, visit the schools, understand your child's interests and explore his/her talent
 - Learn more about education pathways in the student handbook
- Support your child's preparation
 - Know your child's coursework schedule and school calendar to motivate and encourage him/her
 - Help your child find a balance between many different demands
- Communicate with us
 - Exchange updates and information with your child's teachers



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Thank you!



Sec 4/5 School Experience

Start-it-Right Programme

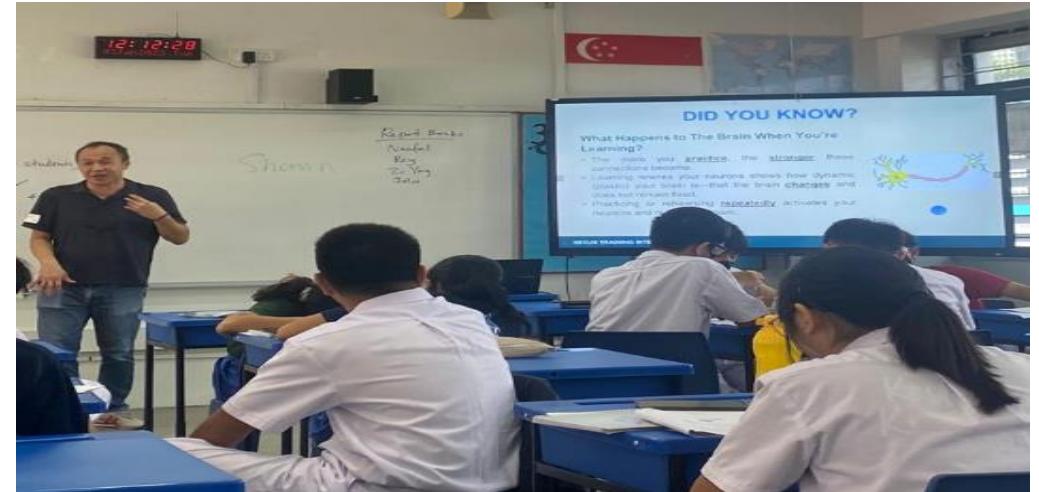


SIR Intent

- To set the overall tone and expectations for the school and individual levels
- To help prepare students' mindsets to approach the year
- To kick-start the building of good teacher-student and student-student relationships

Exam Skills Workshop

- Learn creative examination preparation techniques
- Acquire a courageous and optimistic mindset that helps them to be self-empowered
- Be mentally and psychologically equipped to excel in their exams



Following my teachers' footsteps to NUS, NTU & NIE



- Provide a platform and opportunities for FTs to share their personal education journey with their students
- Introduce university facilities and student life
- Inspire students to think about their future education prospects
- Encourage students to think and learn independently via self-exploration and observation



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Fun with Pyssla

Create pyssla art pieces that highlight their experiences in HYSS



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Visit to Polytechnic

Learn more about the courses at various polytechnics and the career options available to them



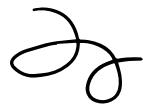
Programmes to support your child

- Career Day
- Interview & portfolio workshop
- IP Support
- Night Study



Journeying with your child

- Guide your child to discover their strengths and interests
- Understand that there are different education and career pathways your child can explore
- Affirm their efforts not just results. Celebrate small successes.
- Be open-minded and listen to our children



Thank You



Supporting Your Child's Education and Career Guidance Journey.

Ms Stephanie, ECG Counsellor
Hua Yi Secondary School



Overview



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Supporting your Child's ECG Journey



What is Education & Career Guidance (ECG)?

- Aims to **equip** students with the necessary **knowledge, skills** and **values** to make **informed education** and **career decisions**.
- **Encourages** students to **learn more** about their own **interests, abilities** and **passions**. Through **exploring** the learning, or **education pathways** and **career opportunities** available across **different industries**.
- Students can take **positive steps** towards realising their **aspirations**, as well as **embrace lifelong learning**.

Importance of the 3 ECG Questions



Who am I?

- I need to understand myself better. The more I know, the better I will be at making informed choices.



Where do I want to go?

- Many pathways are worth taking. I need to explore viable education and career options, set goals and make plans.



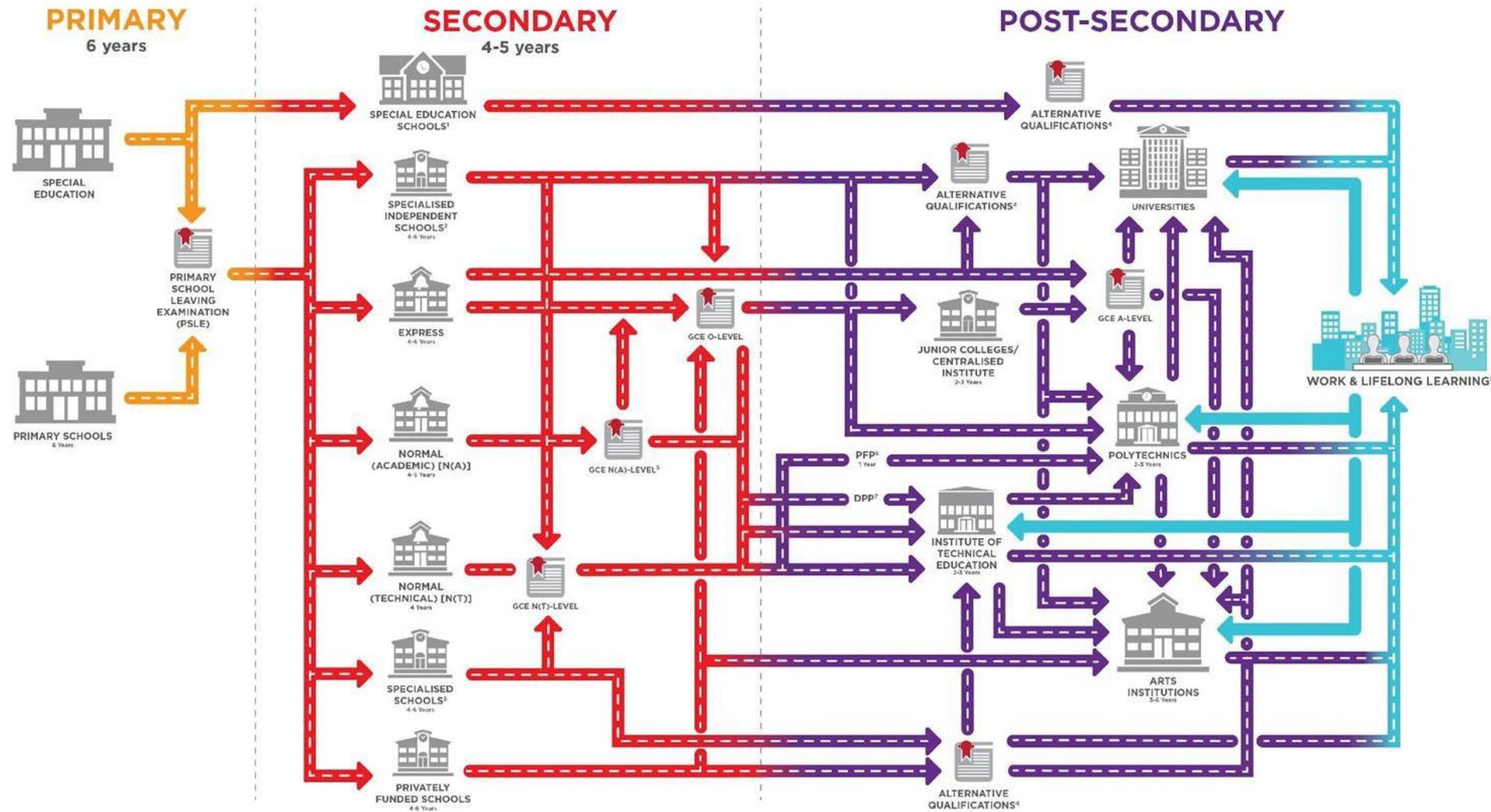
How do I get there?

- There are no dead ends. I can make informed decisions and develop plans to pursue my aspirations through different routes.



Education Landscape and Pathways

Today the Education Landscape is Dynamic



Overview of the Post-Secondary Education Institutions



Junior Colleges / Centralised Institute

Pre-University institutions offering academic curriculum:
2-year A-Level,
3-year A-Level and
2-year IB programme.

Institute of Technical Education

Polytechnics

Applied Learning institutions offering practice-based curriculum with industry attachments.

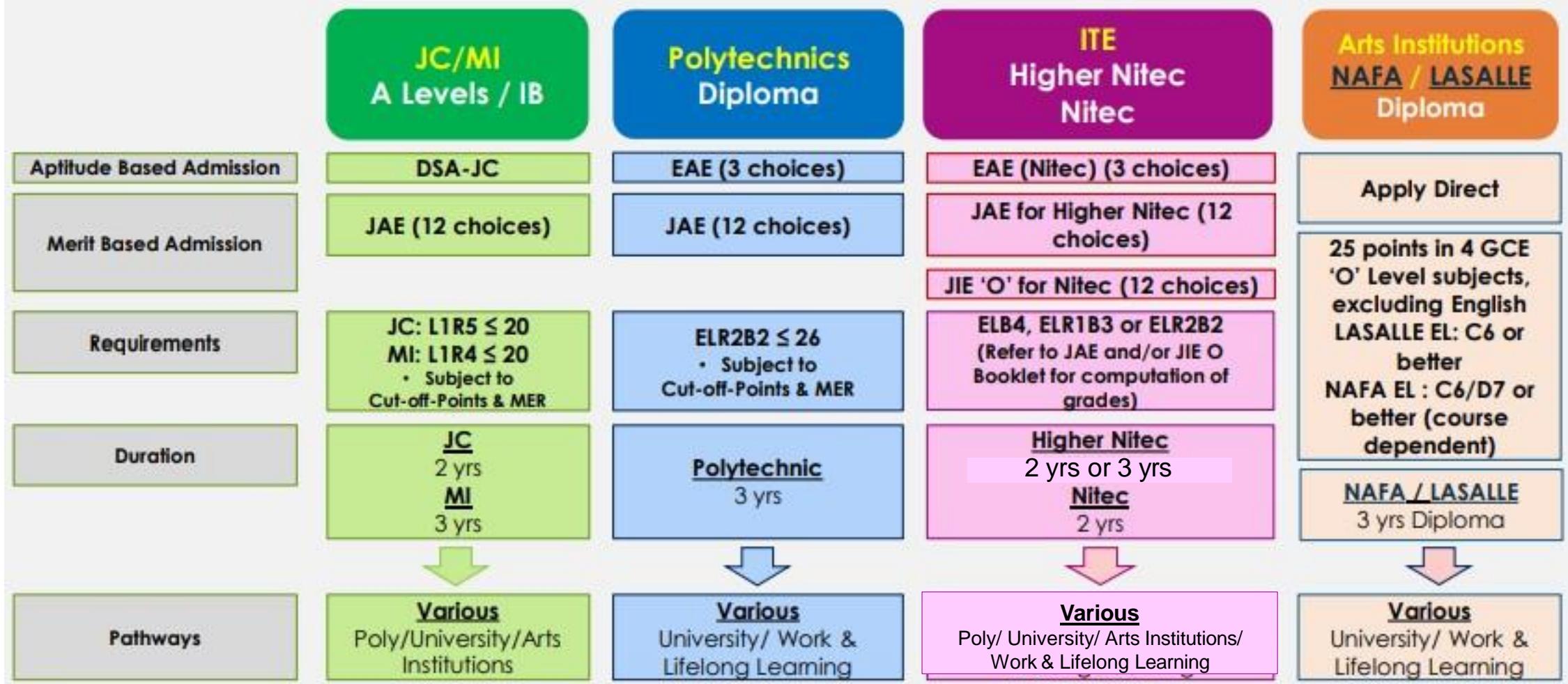
Universities

NUS, NTU, SMU, SUTD, SIT, and SUSS

Arts Institutions

Offers Practice-based curriculum. Diploma and Degree programmes in the arts, music, theatre etc.

POST SECONDARY PATHWAYS – O LEVELS



TYPICAL TIMELINE – 4E & 5N



*For more information, refer to : [Post-secondary admissions exercises and programmes | MOE](#)

Junior Colleges (JCs) & Millennia Institute (MI)



A Levels prepares students for University

Options after JC/MI:
University education
Polytechnic education

Admission Criteria:

Institution	Requirement
JC – 2 yrs	L1R5 ≤ 20 (Subject to Cut-off-Points)
MI – 3 yrs	L1R4 ≤ 20

Meet Subject Requirements for JC / MI admission:

Subject	Requirement
English Language	A1 to C6
Mother Tongue Language: Chinese Language, Malay Language, Tamil Language *	A1 to D7
OR Higher Chinese Language, Higher Malay Language, Higher Tamil Language	A1 to E8
OR Chinese Language 'B' Syllabus (CLB), Malay Language 'B' Syllabus (MLB), Tamil Language 'B' Syllabus (TLB)	Merit or Pass
Mathematics:	
Mathematics	A1 to D7
OR Additional Mathematics	A1 to D7

For more information, please refer to the respective institutions at [SchoolFinder | MOE](#)

Direct School Admission to Junior Colleges (DSA-JC)



- Aptitude-based admission
- Allows students to apply and secure a place in the JC, based on **talents** and **achievements like sports, performing arts or specific academic areas.**
- Check individual JC's website for DSA category and criteria.
- Students assessed through trials, auditions, interviews, portfolio reviews.
- If successful, students given a conditional offer before sitting for 'O' levels.
- Offer is confirmed if student meets L1R5 ≤ 20 and subject requirements for admission to JC.
- With confirmed offer, students cannot transfer schools.

For more information, please refer to <https://www.moe.gov.sg/post-secondary/admissions/dsa>

POLYTECHNICS



Nanyang
Polytechnic



Ngee Ann
Polytechnic



Republic
Polytechnic



Singapore
Polytechnic



Temasek
Polytechnic

9 Fields of Studies

APPLIED
SCIENCE



BUILT ENVIRONMENT



BUSINESS &
MANAGEMENT



ENGINEERING



HEALTH
SCIENCES



HUMANITIES



INFORMATION &
DIGITAL
TECHNOLOGIES



MARITIME
STUDIES



MEDIA &
DESIGN



Approximate 200 Courses

Courses are hands-on and focus on preparing students for work

Length of
study: 3 yrs

Graduate
with Diploma

Cut-off Points: ELR2B2 + Bonus points must be ≤ 26 (O
Levels) *except nursing. Cut-off-Points for courses differs.

Proceed to University or Work

Polytechnic Early Admission Exercise (Poly EAE)

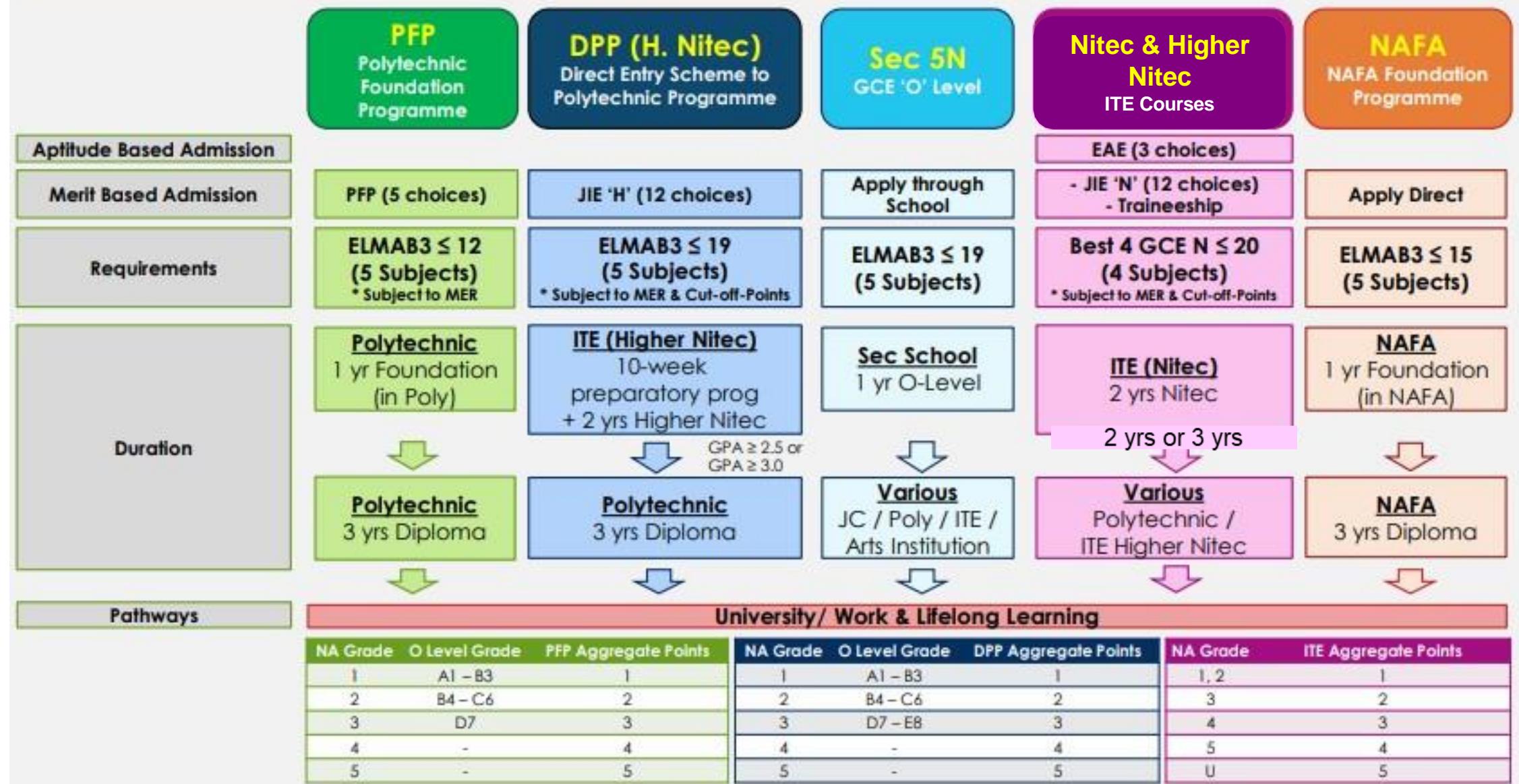


Picture source: www.polytechnic.edu.sg

- Allows students to apply and secure a place in the Polytechnic, based on **interests** and **aptitude**, before sitting for the O-Levels.
- Apply up to 3 Poly courses and submit personal statements for each course applied
- Students assessed through interviews, aptitude tests and portfolio reviews.
- If successful, students given a conditional offer in course of choice.
- Offer is confirmed if student fulfils $ELR2B2 \leq 26$ and minimum entry requirements for the course.
- With confirmed offer, students cannot switch course within or across Polytechnics.

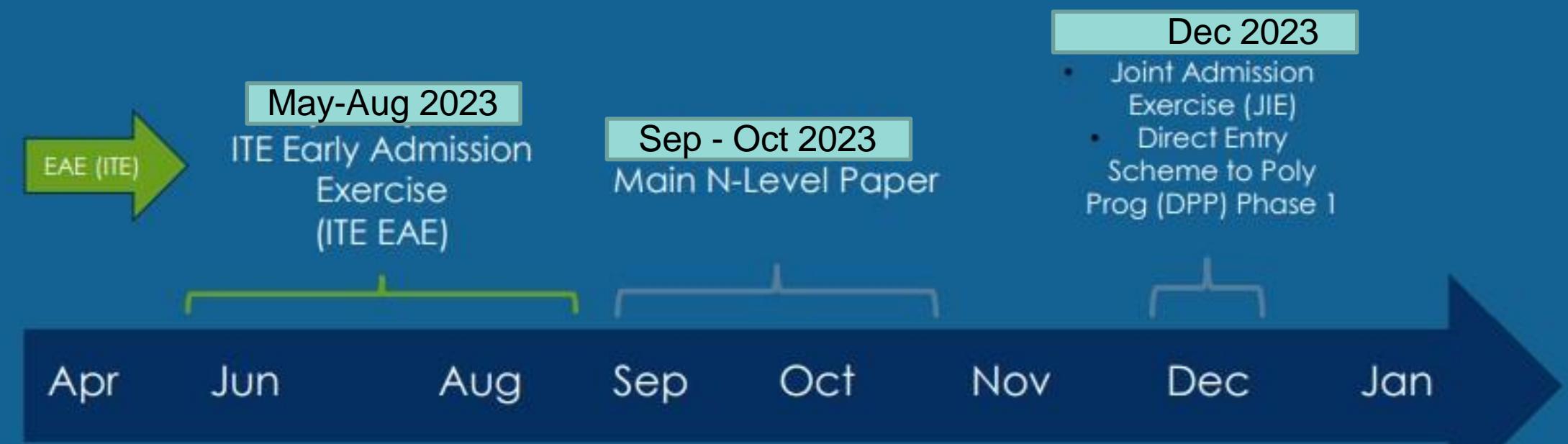
[For more information, please refer to Early Admissions Exercise \(EAE\) \(polytechnic.edu.sg\)](http://www.polytechnic.edu.sg)

POST SECONDARY PATHWAYS – NA LEVEL



For more information, please refer to [Post-secondary | MOE](#)

TYPICAL TIMELINE – 4NA



* Can apply for DPP or PFP, if eligible, after accepting ITE EAE offer

*For more information, refer to : Post-secondary admissions exercises and programmes | MOE

For O Level & N A Level students (NFP)

THE ARTS INSTITUTIONS



Courses are **hands-on** with a focus on **the visual and performing arts** (e.g. Design, Animation, Fine Arts, Media, Dance, Music).

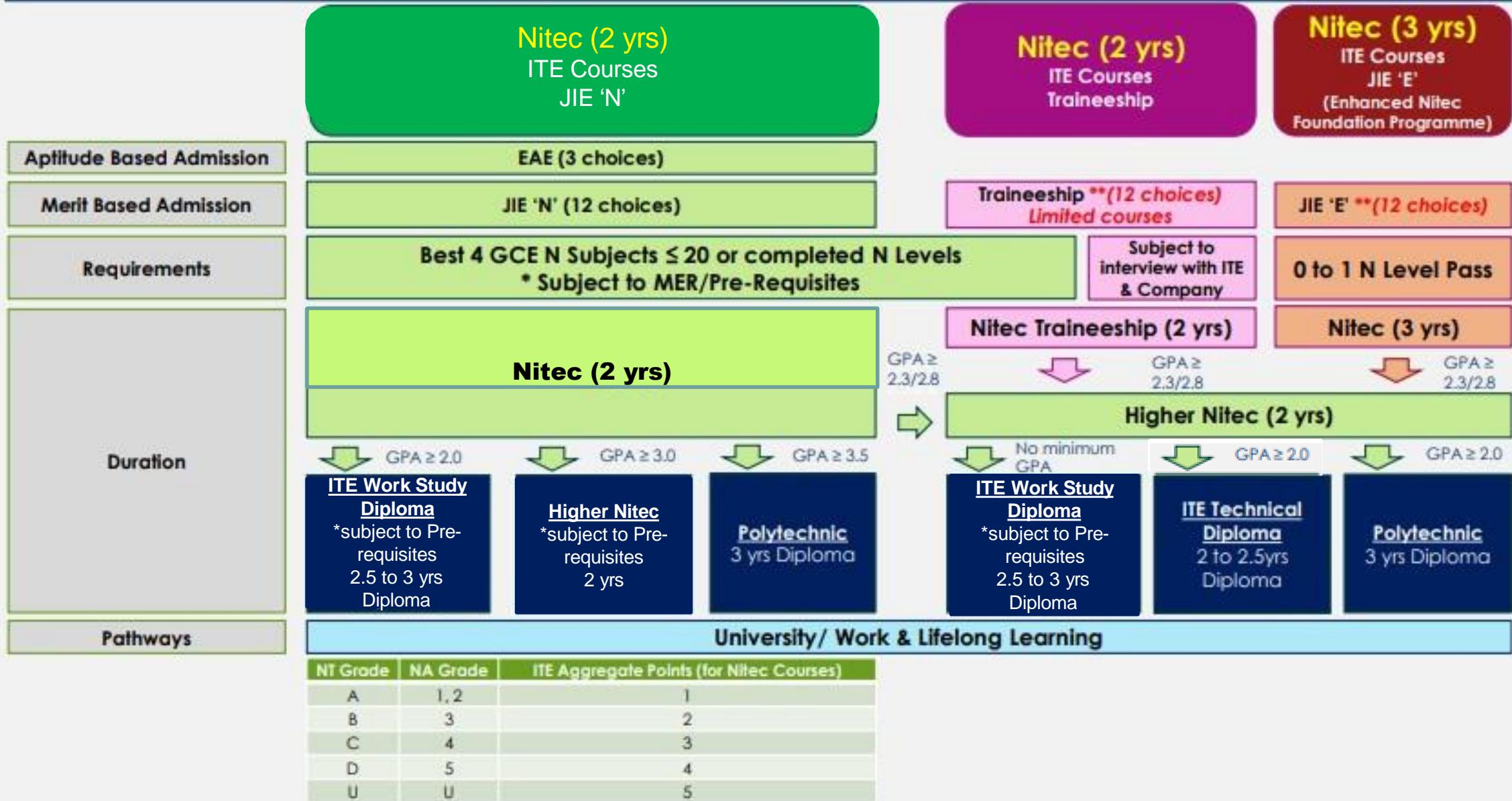
Length of study:
3 yrs

Cut-off Points: ≤ 25 in 4 GCE O
Level subjects, excluding English
* Minimum Grade C6 at GCE 'O' Levels

Graduate with a Diploma

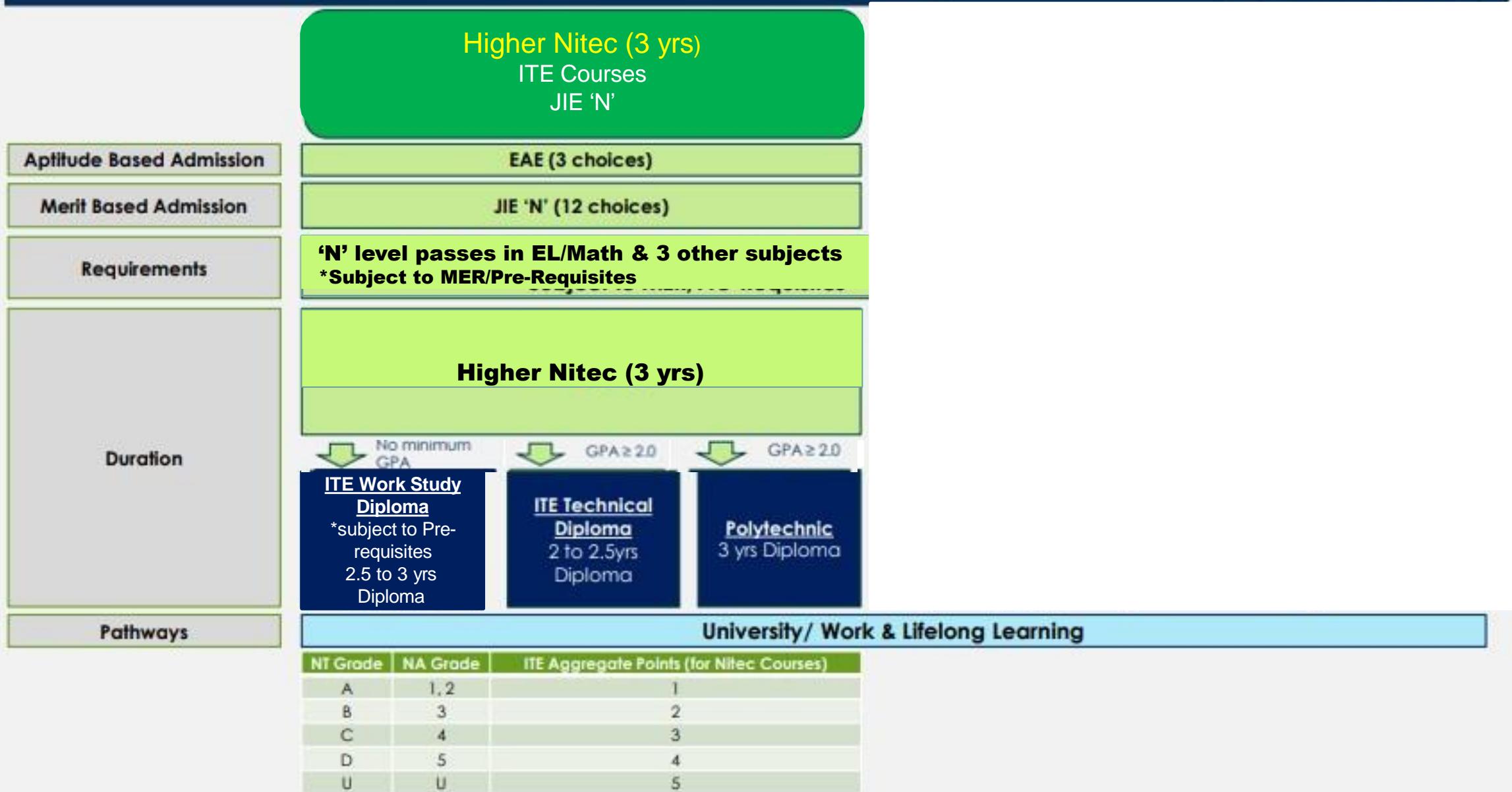
Proceed to Degree or Work

POST SECONDARY PATHWAYS – NT LEVELS



For more information, please refer to [Post-secondary | MOE](#)

POST SECONDARY PATHWAYS – NT LEVELS



TYPICAL TIMELINE – 4NT



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Est. Jan 2024
Joint Admission Exercise (JIE)
- Phase 2 (Appeal) & Phase 3

INSTITUTE OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION (ITE)



6 Fields of Studies

APPLIED SCIENCE &
HEALTH SCIENCES



BUSINESS &
SERVICES



DESIGN &
MEDIA



ELECTRONICS & INFO-
COMM TECHNOLOGY



ENGINEERING



HOSPITALITY



Courses are hands-on and focus on preparing students for work

Length of study:
2 or 3 yrs

**NITEC and Higher NITEC
For NT*, NA* & O Level Students
*Selected courses**

Proceed to Higher Nitec, Polytechnic or Work

Early Admission Exercise (ITE EAE)



Picture source: www.ite.edu.sg

- Allows students to apply and secure a place in ITE, based on **interests** and **aptitude**, before sitting for the 'N' levels.
- Apply up to 3 **Nitec** courses and submit personal statements (write-ups) for each course applied for
- Students assessed through interviews, aptitude tests and portfolio reviews.
- **Conduct** and **attendance** grade also important
- If successful, students given a conditional offer in course of choice.
- Offer is confirmed if student **fulfils minimum entry requirements**.
- With confirmed offer, students cannot switch course.

Supporting Our Child's ECG Journey





Have regular and genuine conversation with your child

Familiarize yourself with your child's personality and learning style

Provide opportunities for your child to grow

Show love and support which helps your child grow in confidence

Supporting our Child's Aspirations

Explore My SkillsFuture (Student Portal)

Education Guide



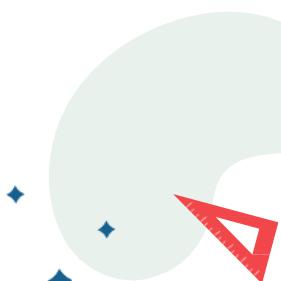
Explore Educational Institutions

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The screenshot shows a purple header with the title 'Explore Courses'. Below it is a search bar with the placeholder 'Search for available courses to find out more about them!'. The search bar has two dropdown menus: 'Browse by Fields of Study' and 'Search by Keyword'. Below the search bar is a large green number '1'. Below that, the text '16 programmes found for Humanities & Social Sciences' is displayed. There are navigation arrows for page 1, 2, and 3.

Course	Institution	Qualification Attained
NITEC IN COMMUNITY CARE & SOCIAL...	INSTITUTE OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION	NITEC, CERTIFICATE IN OFFICE SKILLS, NTC GRADE 2 OR EQUIVALENT
DIPLOMA IN SPORT COACHING	REPUBLIC POLYTECHNIC	POLYTECHNIC DIPLOMA
DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL WORK	NANYANG POLYTECHNIC	POLYTECHNIC DIPLOMA
DIPLOMA IN PSYCHOLOGY STUDIES	TEMASEK POLYTECHNIC	POLYTECHNIC DIPLOMA
DIPLOMA IN ORAL HEALTH THERAPY	NANYANG POLYTECHNIC	POLYTECHNIC DIPLOMA

Explore My SkillsFuture (Student Portal) World of Work



World of Work

Explore different job roles in different industries. A good understanding of the work requirements and environment can help you make better decisions.

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Singapore Industry Landscape

Learn about the background, outlook and working environment of different industries, and the skills needed to work in each of these industries.

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Job Information

Get insights into different job roles and the contribution to each industry in Singapore.

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Advertising	Design	Information and Communications Technology	Real Estate
Aerospace	Early Childhood Care and Education	Insurance	Retail
Agriculture	Electronics	Landscape	Sea Transport
Air Transport	Energy and Chemicals	Legal	Security
Architecture	Environmental Services	Logistics	Social Services
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	Finance	Marine and Offshore Engineering	Spa Services
BioPharmaceuticals Manufacturing	Food Services	Precision Engineering	Wholesale Trade
Built Environment	Healthcare	Public Service (Education)	
Consultancy	Hotel and Accommodation Services		

Click on any of the icons to find out more about the industry.

Accountancy
Advertising Coming Soon!
Aerospace
Agriculture
Air Transport
Architecture
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation
BioPharmaceuticals Manufacturing
Built Environment
Consultancy
Creative Industries (Media)
Design
Early Childhood Care and Education (ECC)
Finance
Food Services
Healthcare
Hotel and Accommodation Services
Human Resource
Information and Communications Technology
Insurance
Landscape
Legal
Logistics
Marine and Offshore Engineering
Precision Engineering
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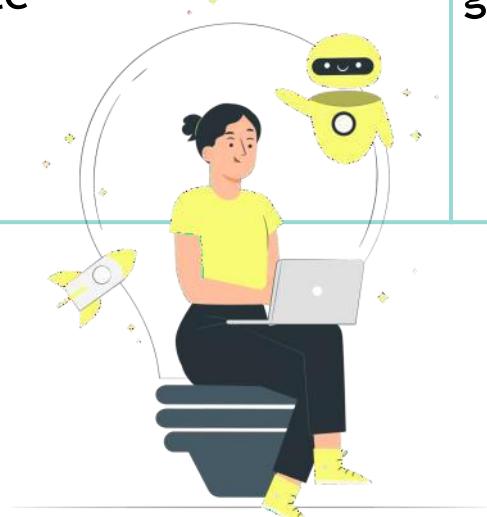
Useful Resources

Website	URL	
Journeying with our Children. Supporting their Aspirations	go.gov.sg/ecg-parent-guide	 <small>https://go.gov.sg/ecg-parent-guide</small>
Overview of Post-Secondary Education Institutions (PSEIs)	go.gov.sg/overview-pseis	 <small>https://go.gov.sg/overview-pseis</small>
The Next Step Forward (e-book)	go.gov.sg/next-step-forward	 <small>https://go.gov.sg/next-step-forward</small>
MySkillsFuture for Secondary School	go.gov.sg/mysfsec	 <small>https://go.gov.sg/mysfsec</small>



Useful Resources

Website	URL	
MOE Course Finder	go.gov.sg/coursefinder	
What's Next (After 'N' / 'O' / 'A' Level)	go.gov.sg/whats-next	
Schoolbag Website	go.gov.sg/schoolbag	



Useful Resources

Website	URL	
Early Admissions Exercise - ITE	go.gov.sg/applyeae	
Early Admissions Exercise - Polytechnics	go.gov.sg/polyeae	
Direct School Admission - Junior Colleges	go.gov.sg/applyjcdsa	 

Useful Resources (For NA students)

Website	URL	
Direct Entry to Polytechnic Programme (DPP)	go.gov.sg/dpp	
Polytechnic Foundation Programme	go.gov.sg/pfp	
NAFA Foundation Programme (NFP)	go.gov.sg/applynafafp	



Need someone to talk to about your Child's ECG journey?

Ms. Stephanie
Education & Career Counsellor

Every Monday and Thursday
8 am to 4.30 pm
Counselling Hub

Appointment Link:
Scan the QR code to make an appointment

Email:
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<https://go.gov.sg/ecgcapppt>

Thank You

