

P6 Parent Briefing

Friday, 3 February 2023

OUR APPROACH

Academic

- Stretch & Focused Remediation
- Small-Group teaching
- Mass Lecture
- Writing/Oral Practices
- Revision Exercises
- Enrichment Programme





Well-being and Motivation

- Level Meeting
- Birthday celebrations
- Inter-class games
- Class excursions
- Recognition for efforts
- Breakfast with Principal

P6 Chillax 23 June 2023















P6 Breakfast with Principal July 2023



P6 Recess class activities







We are encouraging Parents/Guardians to pen a short note to your child/ward:

- Affirm and assure your child/ward that you will walk this journey with him/her till the end of PSLE and beyond
- Your child/ward will be assured and comforted that he/she has your support and care
- Strengthen your bond with your child/ward







Achievement Levels (AL)

Our PSLE scoring changes aim to:

- Reduce fine differentiation at a young age
- Recognise students' level of achievement, regardless of how their peers have done

The changes will not affect the curriculum and subjects tested at PSLE.





Achievement Levels (AL)

AL	RAW MARK RANGE
1	≥ 90
2	85 – 89
3	80 – 84
4	75 – 79
5	65 – 74
6	45 – 64
7	20 – 44
8	< 20

PLACEMENT OUTCOME	PSLE SCORE
EXPRESS	4 – 20
EXPRESS / N(A) OPTION	21 – 22
N(A)	23 – 24
N(A) / N(T) option	25
N(T)	26-30, with AL7 or better in both EL and MA

ENGLISH AL3

MOTHER AL2

TONGUE

MATHEMATICS AL1

SCIENCE AL2

PSLE SCORE: 8





Choice Order of Schools

- Posted to a secondary school based on academic merit (i.e. overall PSLE score)
- If two or more students with the same PSLE Score vie for the last remaining place in a school, tie-breakers will be used in the following order:
 - 1. CITIZENSHIP
 - 2. CHOICE ORDER OF SCHOOLS
 - 3. COMPUTERISED BALLOTING

EXAMPLE:

Jane Singapore Citizen

JANE'S SCHOOL CHOICES School A

4 students - Jane, Bryan, Mary and John, are vying for the last places in School A and School B.

Students with better scores will be posted first

Jane will be posted first as she has a better PSLE score, and will be posted to School A.

Bryan

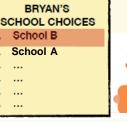
Singapore Citizen

BRYAN'S

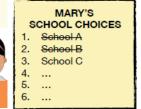
School B

School A

6.



Mary Singapore Citizen



John Singapore PR



As Jane has taken that last place in School A, Bryan, Mary and John, having the same PSLE score, will vie for the last available place in School B.

Tie-breaker 1: Citizenship

Tie-breaker 2: Choice order of schools

Tie-breaker 3: Computerised balloting

Bryan and Mary are Singapore Citizens and will have a priority to enter School B.

John will be tiebroken out as he is a Permanent Resident. With no places in School B, John will be considered for School <u>D</u>.

As Bryan ranked School B higher than Mary in his choice order of secondary schools, he will be posted to School B.

Since the last place of School B is taken by Bryan, Mary will be considered for School <u>C</u>.



FOUNDATION LEVEL SUBJECTS

Foundation Level AL Reflected on Result Slip	Foundation Raw Mark Range	Equivalent Standard Subject AL	Standard Raw Mark Range
Α	75 – 100	6	45-64
В	30 – 74	7	20-44
С	< 30	8	<20

Foundation level AL A to AL C

Standard level AL 6 to AL 8





SCORING OF FOUNDATION SUBJECTS

PSLE Score = sum of 4 ALs across Standard and Foundation subjects

ENGLISH AL3

FOUNDATION ALB MOTHER TONGUE

FOUNDATION ALB MATHEMATICS

SCIENCE AL5

PSLE SCORE: 22



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HMTL ELIGIBILITY (SECONDARY SCHOOLS)

ELIGIBLITY CRITERIA FOR SECONDARY SCHOOL HMTL

- (i) PSLE Score of <u>8 or better</u> OR
- (ii) PSLE Score of 9 to 14 inclusive; and attain
 - AL1 / AL2 in MTL or
 - Distinction / Merit in HMTL

Secondary schools have the flexibility to offer HMTL to students if

- they are assessed to have high ability and interest in MTL and
- are able to take HMTL without affecting their performance in other subjects.

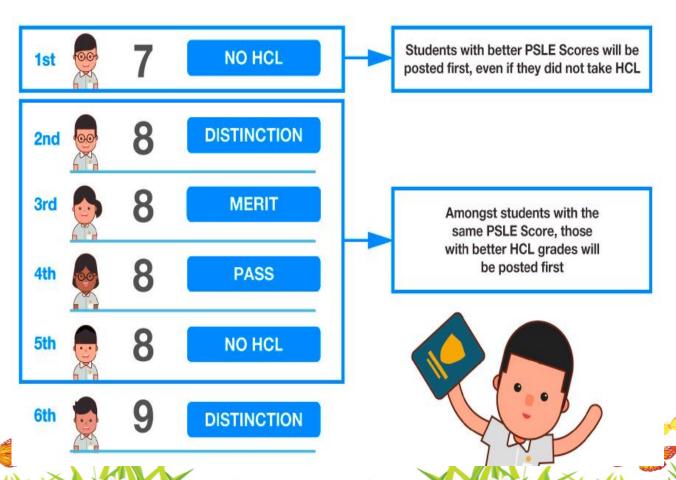




Using HCL for Admission into SAP Schools

Students who take HCL will receive a posting advantage when applying to SAP schools

Students will be considered for admission to SAP schools in the following order:





SAP SCHOOLS

- 1. Anglican High School
- 2. Catholic High School
- 3. CHIJ St. Nicholas Girls' School
- 4. Chung Cheng High School (Main)
- 5. Dunman High School
- 6. Hwa Chong Institution
- 7. Maris Stella High School
- 8. Nan Chiau High School
- 9. Nan Hua High School
- 10. Nanyang Girls' High School
- 11. River Valley High School





DISCUSS WITH YOUR CHILD

- Consider your child's learning style, strengths and interests
- Discuss the options with the child, with the following considerations:
 - Values: What is the school's culture and ethos?
 - Learning environment: Is the school's learning environment right for the child?
 - Distinctive programmes and CCAs: Can the school support and develop the child's interests?
 - Location: Is it too far from home? How will the child get to school?





RESOURCES

- MOE SchoolFinder tool
- School websites and
- Open Houses
- Indicative cut-off points ranges for different school types
 - The indicative AL COPs ranges for school types can be used as reference point.
 - MOE will be providing indicative AL COPs for secondary schools in 1H/2023, based on the data from 2022 S1 posting exercise.
 - The actual cut-off points may differ, depending on how students exercise their choices that year.









INDICATIVE ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL (AL) CUT-OFF POINT (COP) RANGES FOR DIFFERENT SCHOOL TYPES

Government &	
Government-aided Schools	E

Course	Indicative AL COP
	range for 2021 PSLE
Express (*IP)	7 – 9
Express (O-level)	8 – 22
N(A)	22 – 25
N(T)	26 – 30

Autonomous Schools

Course	Indicative AL COP range for 2021 PSLE
Express (*IP)	7 – 9
Express (O-level)	8 – 16
N(A)	22 – 25
N(T)	26 – 29

Independent schools

Course	range for 2021 PSLE
Express (*IP)	6-8
Express (O-level)	8 – 10



ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR SUBJECT-BASED BANDING (SECONDARY) [SBB (SEC)]

- Students from the Normal course will continue to be eligible to take subjects at a more demanding level at Secondary 1 based on their AL scores for individual subjects, to recognise and develop students' subject-specific strengths.
- Under the new AL scoring system, the SBB (Sec) eligibility criteria is as follows:

PSLE Standard / Foundation Subject Grade	Option to take subject at
AL 5 or better in a Standard level	Express level
subject	
AL 6 or better in a Standard level	N(A) level
subject	
<u>OR</u>	
AL A in a Foundation level subject	

P6 Exam Calendar (2023)

PSLE Registration	3 Apr to 19 Apr (Mon – Wed)
Prelim Oral	25 Jul to 28 Jul (Tue – Fri)
PSLE Oral	15 & 16 Aug (Tue – Wed)
Prelim Written Papers	17 to 18 Aug (Thu – Fri) 21 to 23 Aug (Mon – Wed)
Prelim Listening Comprehension	24 Aug (Thu)
PSLE Listening Comprehension	15 Sep (Fri)
PSLE Written Papers	28 Sep to 29 Sep (Thu – Fri)
	2 Oct to 4 Oct (Mon – Wed)
PSLE Marking Exercise	16 Oct to 18 Oct (Mon – Wed)

P6 Supplementary Class Schedule (June 2023)

21 to 23* Jun (Wed to Fri) 8am to 1.30pm (Recess 10.30am to 11am)

*P6 Chillax

P6 Supplementary Class Schedule (Sep 2023)

7 to 8 Sep (Thu & Fri)

8am to 1.30pm (Recess 10.30am to 11am)





THANK YOU!

