

2022 Secondary 2 Subject Combination

Swiss Cottage Thoughtful Leaders



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2022 Subject Combination Briefing

We nurture students to become **Reflective Thinkers** and **Caring Citizens** who **Lead to Serve** the Nation and the World.

Objectives



- Provide interesting and relevant subject options of study at upper secondary for <u>future academic progression and career</u>
- Equip students and parents in making <u>informed selections</u>



Choosing Subject Combinations

Key Considerations

- Your Child's Thinking and Opinions matter
 - Understand your child's strengths and interests
 - Ask your child for their opinions
- Keep pathways flexible e.g. Math is compulsory for most courses
 - Get your child to research into the course requirements

Number of Subjects Offered for Sec 3 Students in 2023



Sec 3 students offering predominantly					
G1 subjects	G2 subjects	G3 subjects			
6 Subjects	6 Subjects	8 Subjects 7 subjects or 7+1 subjects for selected students			



Principles for Subject Combination Allocation

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Allocation Criteria



■ MERIT

- Based on overall Sec 2 performance
- Students who perform better in overall results will have priority.

☐ CHOICE

Each choice will be considered in sequence.

□ VACANCY

Allocation is possible when there is vacancy for the choice subject combination.

Note: Subject offer depends on factors like take up rate, class size and resource availability (teacher and venue).

Sample Form



SWISS COTTAGE SECONDARY SCHOOL

2022 Sec 3 Subject Combination Option Form

Name :	. ()
Class : Sec 2 S (2021)		



Read the following instructions carefully before filling up the Option Form.

To be confirmed

<u>Instructions:</u> Indicate clearly your RANKED 3 subject combination options (i.e.1, 2 and 3) in the 'My Option' boxes in the last column of the table. Writing '1' indicates your ranked 1st choice, '2' indicates your ranked 2nd choice and so on. Exactly 3 ranked options must be indicated clearly on the option form. There should not be repeats of the same combination among the 3 options indicated.

Prior to submission, please make a copy for your own reference. Next, submit this original form to the Subject Combination YH-in-Charge during the Subject Combination Option Entry Online Exercise on Wednesday 20 October 2021 (8.30 am-9.30am). The option entries keyed in during the online exercise must tally with the options indicated in this option form. Late returns will not be considered. The class allocation results will be released online at 1430 on Friday 5 November 2021. The school reserves the right to assign a combination should the student be unable to be allocated even his/her 3rd Choice based on the criteria of merit, choice and vacancy in this order.

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SEC 3 PREDOMINANTLY G2 SUBJECT COMBINATIONS							
SUBJECTS 1-3	SUBJECT 4	SUBJECT 5	SUBJECT 6	COMBINA	OPTIONS	REMARKS	
EL, MTL, Math (G2/G3)	Humanities (G2/G3) [SS & Elective]	Science (G2/G3) Chem + Phy/Bio		110143	Only Indicate 1, 2 & 3		
CORE SUBJECTS	CHOICE OF SUBJ	CHOICE OF SUBJECTS TO MAKE UP SEC 3 SUBJECT COMBINATION					
	Elective History	Chemistry/Physics	Design &Technology (O)	NA01			
	Elective Geography	Chemistry/Physics	Design &Technology (O)	NA02			
	Elective English Literature	Chemistry/Physics	Design &Technology (O)	NA03			
	Elective History	Chemistry/Biology	Design &Technology (O)	NA04			
	Elective Geography	Chemistry/Biology	Design &Technology (O)	NA05			
	Elective English Literature	Chemistry/Biology	Design &Technology (O)	NA06			
	Elective History	Chemistry/Physics	Art (0)	NA07			
	Elective Geography	Chemistry/Physics	Art (0)	NA08			
	Elective English Literature	Chemistry/Physics	Art (0)	NA09			
	Elective History	Chemistry/Biology	Art (0)	NA10			
	Elective Geography	Chemistry/Biology	Art (0)	NA11			
	Elective English Literature	Chemistry/Biology	Art (O)	NA12			

During the subject selection process, students will have to fill up both an **online** and **physical** copy of the subject combination form.

Timeline for Subject Combination Exercise



No	Activity	Date *
1	Brief parents and students on Subject Combination	T2W2
2	Subject Talk for students by IP Heads (e.g. Humanities/POA)	T3W6
3	Check and confirm SA2 scripts and overall results	T4W5
4	Conduct online subject combination selection exercise (during WeGROW)	T4W6
5	Allocation exercise	T4W7
6	Confirmation of allocation	T4W7
7	Subject combination allocation results	T4W8
8	Sec 3 Academic Class Allocation	End Dec 2022

^{*} Scheduled dates may be subjected to change, depending on calendaring.

End of Introduction



- Please proceed to watch the relevant video:
 - For students offering primarily G1 Subjects
 - For students offering primarily G2 Subjects
 - For students offering primarily G3 Subjects



Thank you!

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