

YISHUN SECONDARY SCHOOL

Subject & Code: 2125

Level & Stream: Sec 3 (G2)

Term / Week	Learning Experiences (Chapter & Activity)	Learning Outcomes & Assessment
Term 1 Wk 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Back-to-school programme</li> <li>• Setting expectations</li> </ul>	
Term 1 Wk 2	<p><u>Key Question</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is the relationship between people and nature in their neighbourhoods?</li> </ul> <p><u>Content Activity</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conducting of questionnaire survey           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Analysing peoples' experiences with their neighbourhood</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Mental map           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Identifying places of nature areas in the neighbourhood</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Online research on positive/negative interactions of nature and people in neighbourhoods in Singapore</li> <li>• Classroom sharing on findings from own observations of human-nature interactions to prove hypothesis</li> </ul>	<p><u>Learning Outcome(s)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Relationship between people and nature</li> <li>• Benefits enjoyed by people and nature</li> <li>• Disadvantages to people and nature</li> </ul> <p><u>Skill Focus</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conducting of questionnaire survey</li> <li>• Online research using PLDs</li> <li>• Crafting of hypothesis           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ To find out on possible positive/negative human-nature interactions</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Presentation skills           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ To present findings from own observations of human-nature interactions to prove hypothesis</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Term 1 Wks 3 – 4	<p><u>Key Question</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How do people acquire a sense of place in their neighbourhoods?</li> </ul> <p><u>Content Activity</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mental map           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Identifying places of fond memories in school</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Focusing on elements that make up that sense of place of fond memories in school</li> <li>• Creating a video that highlights a memorable place in school</li> </ul>	<p><u>Learning Outcome(s)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A deeper understanding of what is meant by a sense of place</li> <li>• Acquiring a sense of place in school</li> </ul> <p><u>Skill Focus</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation skills           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ To present video and explain why that is considered a sense of place</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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Term 1 Wks 5 – 6	<u>Key Question</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is the relationship between locations in a neighbourhood?</li> </ul> <u>Content Activity</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sensory walk to investigate and represent spatial patterns at Chong Pang</li> </ul>	<u>Learning Outcome(s)</u> Students will understand: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Regions</li> <li>• Spatial patterns</li> <li>• Spatial associations</li> </ul> <u>Skill Focus</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Data representation of data collected to show patterns and associations</li> </ul>
Term 1 Wks 7 – 8	<u>Key Question</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How are neighbourhoods organised in Singapore?</li> </ul> <u>Content Activity</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Analysing street directories or Geospatial Technologies (MOE EduGIS) to compare the layout of these estates</li> </ul>	<u>Learning Outcome(s)</u> Students will understand: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Spatial scales in Singapore</li> <li>• Spatial hierarchies in Singapore</li> <li>• Town planning in Singapore</li> </ul> <u>Skill Focus</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Analysing street directories or Geospatial Technologies (MOE EduGIS)</li> <li>• Comparison of different reasons for the various layouts of neighbourhood in Singapore (e.g. Bukit Merah vs Sengkang)</li> </ul>
Term 1 Wks 9	<u>Key Question</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What are sustainable urban neighbourhood?</li> </ul> <u>Content Activity</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identifying and analysing efforts made in neighbourhood to encourage sustainable living</li> <li>• Research on articles that highlights efforts made to make Singapore a more sustainable place to live</li> </ul>	<u>Learning Outcome(s)</u> Students will understand: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sustainable development</li> <li>• Economic and social sustainability in urban neighbourhoods</li> <li>• Environmental sustainability in urban neighbourhood</li> </ul> <u>Skill Focus</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Annotating on photograph to show key aspects of sustainable living in neighbourhood</li> <li>• Comparison of different features seen in mature and non-mature estates</li> <li>• Presentation of information collected from research on articles that highlights efforts made to make Singapore a more sustainable place to live</li> </ul>

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Term 1 Wk 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Revision for WA1/Buffer Week</li> <li>• WA1</li> </ul>	

Term 2 Wk 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Buffer Week</li> <li>• Going through of WA1</li> <li>• Holiday Assignment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Error analysis of WA1</li> <li>• Error analysis of holiday assignment</li> </ul>
Term 2 Wks 2 - 3	<p><u>Key Question</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What ecosystem services are found in urban neighbourhoods?</li> </ul> <p><u>Content Activity</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Studying the Singapore Water Story to identify the interactions between aquatic ecosystems and the non – living environment to provide water to homes in Singapore</li> <li>• Online research on Orchard flooding and mitigation efforts</li> </ul>	<p><u>Learning Outcome(s)</u></p> <p>Students will learn and understand:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Urban neighbourhoods as ecosystems</li> <li>• Provisioning and regulating services</li> <li>• Cultural and supporting services</li> </ul> <p><u>Skill Focus</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Internet research on Orchard flooding</li> </ul>
Term 2 Wk 4	WA2 Revision WA2	
Term 2 Wk 5	Error Analysis of Weighted Assessment 2	
Term 2 Wks 6 – 7	<p><u>Key Question</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What are common hazards in urban neighbourhoods?</li> </ul> <p><u>Content Activity</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identifying fire, air pollution and traffic hazards in the school's compound</li> </ul>	<p><u>Learning Outcome(s)</u></p> <p>Students will learn and understand:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fire hazards in neighbourhood</li> <li>• Air pollution hazards</li> <li>• Traffic hazards</li> </ul> <p><u>Skill Focus</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Annotate on photograph depicting fire, air pollution and traffic hazards in their neighbourhood</li> <li>• Suggest reasons to educate residents and possible ways to reduce these hazards</li> </ul>
Term 2 Wks 8 – 9	<p><u>Key Question</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How to build sustainable urban neighbourhoods?</li> </ul> <p><u>Content Activity</u></p>	<p><u>Learning Outcome(s)</u></p> <p>Students will learn and understand:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Environmental stewardship</li> <li>• Disaster risk management</li> <li>• Community resilience</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identifying an area in school where students can nurture Eco Stewardship</li> <li>In groups, students will write a proposal to School Principal highlighting the different elements of Eco Stewardship and why proposed area will be able to help to so</li> </ul>	<p><u>Skill Focus</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Analysing and justifying reasons for an area where students can nurture Eco Stewardship</li> <li>Proposal writing</li> </ul>
Term 2 Wk 10	Revision of Topics 1 and 2	

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Term 3 Wks 1 – 2	<u>Key Question</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How to design fieldwork?</li> </ul> <u>Content Activity</u> Using the school's context, identify a research area that can help the school improve in terms of sustainable development	<u>Learning Outcome(s)</u> Students will understand: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What are research questions and hypotheses</li> <li>• Data collection sequence through primary and/or secondary sources</li> <li>• Limitations and risks during data collection</li> </ul> <u>Skill Focus</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Crafting of hypothesis</li> <li>• Data collection</li> </ul>
Term 3 Wk 3	<u>Key Question</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How to collect primary data?</li> </ul>	<u>Learning Outcome(s)</u> Students will understand: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What are the different sampling methods</li> <li>• Closed-ended questionnaire surveys</li> <li>• Mental maps</li> </ul> <u>Skill Focus</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Data Response Questions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Describe and explain data</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Annotate diagrams</li> </ul>
Term 3 Wks 4 – 5	<u>Key Question</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How to process and analyse data?</li> </ul>	<u>Learning Outcome(s)</u> Students will understand: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Closed-ended questionnaire surveys – how to interpret responses using measures of frequency including counts and percentages</li> <li>• How to interpret responses using measures of central tendency including mean, mode and median</li> <li>• Mental maps <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ How maps represent reality</li> <li>○ How features and labels are drawn or added</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Patterns and relationships Visualizing positive and negative correlations using scatter plots and best-fit lines</li> </ul>
Term 3 Wks 6 – 7	<u>Key Question</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How to present findings?</li> </ul>	<u>Learning Outcome(s)</u> Students will learn and understand:

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How maps can represent spatial information</li> <li>using graphs such as pie charts and bar graphs to show distributions</li> <li>photographs and texts e.g. use of satellite and aerial images to display spatial information use of colour-coded quotations and word clouds to represent qualitative analyses</li> </ul>
Term 3 Wk 8 – 9	<u>Key Question</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What is plate tectonic theory?</li> </ul>	<u>Learning outcomes</u> Students will learn and understand: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Earth's internal structure consists of core, mantle and crust, including continental and oceanic crusts</li> <li>explains how forces within Earth drives global plate movements</li> <li>Convection currents</li> <li>Slab-pull force</li> </ul> <u>Skill Focus</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Annotate and label earth's internal structure</li> <li>With an annotated diagram, explain how convection currents and slab-pull force lead to tectonic plate movement</li> </ul>
	<u>Key Question</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How does seafloor spreading support the plate tectonic theory?</li> </ul>	<u>Learning outcomes</u> Students will learn and understand: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Seafloor spreading</li> <li>Evidence from age of rocks</li> <li>Evidence from limited sediment accumulation</li> </ul> <u>Skill Focus</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Data Response Questions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describe and explain data</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Term 3 Wk 10	<u>Key Question</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How does magnetic striping support the plate tectonic theory?</li> </ul>	<u>Learning outcomes</u> Students will learn and understand: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Magnetic striping</li> <li>Evidence from rock composition</li> <li>Evidence from rock patterns</li> </ul> <u>Skill Focus</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Data Response Questions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describe and explain data</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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Term 4 Wks 1-3	EOY Revision	
4-5	End of Year Examination	
6	Script-checking	

*\*All information is correct at the time of publication and may be subjected to change.*