

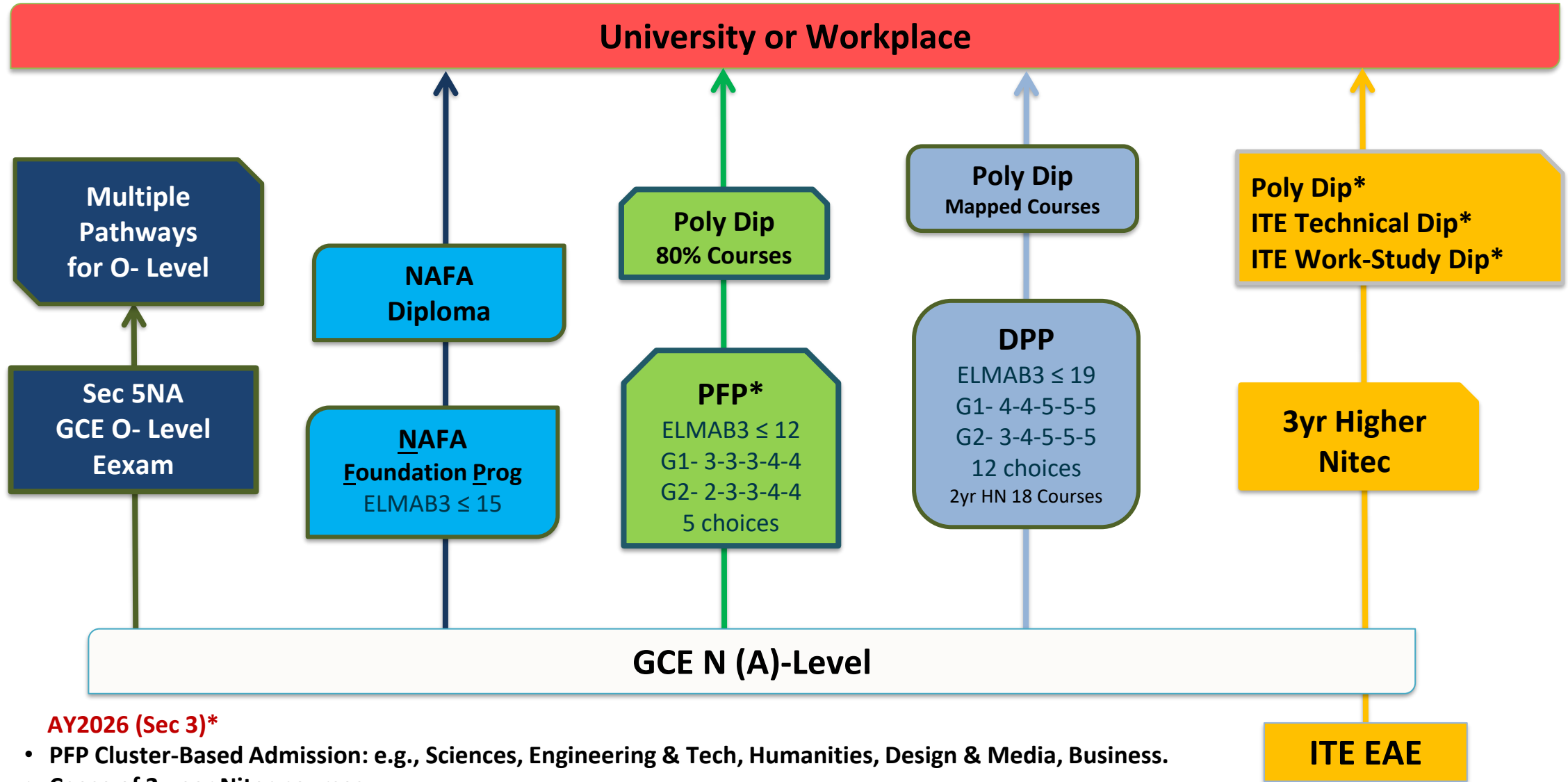
Sharing on Progression Pathways

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HOD CCE

Post-Secondary Options

Adult Learner Scheme



AY2026 (Sec 3)*

- PFP Cluster-Based Admission: e.g., Sciences, Engineering & Tech, Humanities, Design & Media, Business.
- Cease of 2-year Nitec courses

Post-Secondary Options

For Pupils on the *Normal (Academic) course*,
4 options

using GCE 'N' level results

a) Sec 5 GCE 'O' Level
Programme

b) Polytechnic Foundation
Programme (PFP) at Poly
1 year foundation → poly course

Promoted to Sec 5N(A)

(a) **ELMAB3** (English Language, Mathematics and best three other subjects) of 19 points or less; and

(b) at least an **N(A)-level grade 5** for all subjects used in the computation of ELMAB3

Minimum Requirement

- Must satisfy the following

PFP (Polytechnics Foundation Programme)

ELMAB3 Gross aggregate score		12 points or better
English Language		Grade 3 or better (Group 1 Course) Grade 2 or better (Group 2 Course)
Mathematics / Additional Mathematics		Grade 3 or better
Best 3 Subjects	Any One relevant subject (based on Group 1 or 2)	Grade 3 or better
	Any two other subjects	Grade 4 or better

Minimum Requirement

- Must satisfy the following

DPP (Direct-Entry-Scheme to Polytechnic Programme)

ELMAB3 Gross aggregate score	19 points or better
Applied sciences, engineering or info-communications technology course	<u>English Language</u> : Grade 4 or better <u>Mathematics / Additional Mathematics</u> : Grade 4 or better <u>3 other best subjects, excluding CCA</u> : Grade 5 or better for each subject.
Business & services or Hospitality	<u>English Language</u> : Grade 3 or better <u>Mathematics / Additional Mathematics</u> : Grade 4 or better <u>3 other best subjects, excluding CCA</u> : Grade 5 or better

Cut-off point for Polytechnic Courses for 2023

Examples of Polytechnic Courses	ELR2B2 range
Biomedical Science (NP)	3 to 7
Environmental & Water Technology (NP)	6 to 15
Business Studies (NP) Specialisations: Entrepreneurship; Human Capital; Marketing	3 to 8
Aerospace Engineering (NP)	9 to 18
Optometry (NP)	6 to 13
Early Childhood Development (NP)	5 to 23

For Students Taking SBB Subjects

O-Level Grade	N(A)-Level Grade
A1-B3	1
B4-C6	2
D7	3
E8	4

Please refer to Direct-Entry-Scheme to Polytechnic Programme (DPP) Portal @ <https://pfp.polytechnic.edu.sg/PFP/index.html> for full range of courses and subject specific minimum entry requirements

Early Admission exercise



**What is the Early
Admissions
Exercise (EAE)
about?**

Early Admission exercise

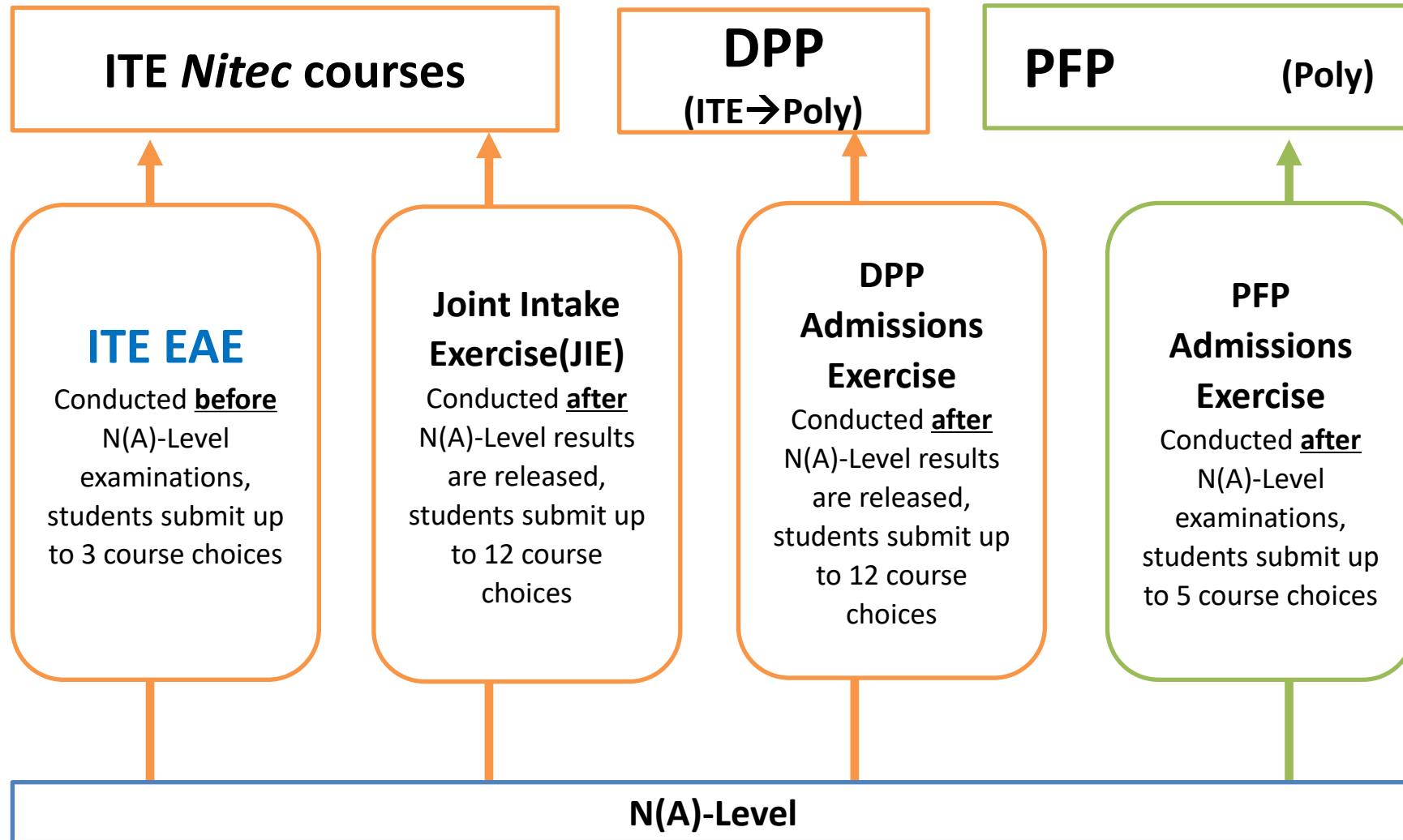
- ❑ Opportunity to seek admission to the post secondary education institutes (ITE, Polytechnics and JCs) before N and O level examinations
- ❑ Based on a diverse range of academic and non-academic achievements talents, aptitude and interest

Early Admission exercise



**What options
are there?**

Early Admission exercise



Early Admission exercise



**Increased
Opportunities**

Early Admission exercise

1 More places
available

2 Greater flexibility in
the selection criteria
based on your
abilities and interests

3 Lesser emphasis
on academic
performances

Early Admission exercise



**Things You
Should Know**

Early Admission exercise

- 1 It's for those who have *aptitudes* and *interests* in specific fields of study
 - Focus on **course-specific aptitudes and interests**
 - But, non-course-specific achievements, e.g. sports, performing arts, leadership, are also considered
- 2 Assessed through different modes
 - E.g. interviews, aptitude tests, showcasing your portfolio, depending on the course you apply for
- 3 Take place *before* N-Level exams
 - If your child's application is successful, he/she will be given a **conditional offer** before he/she take the N- Level exams

Early Admission exercise

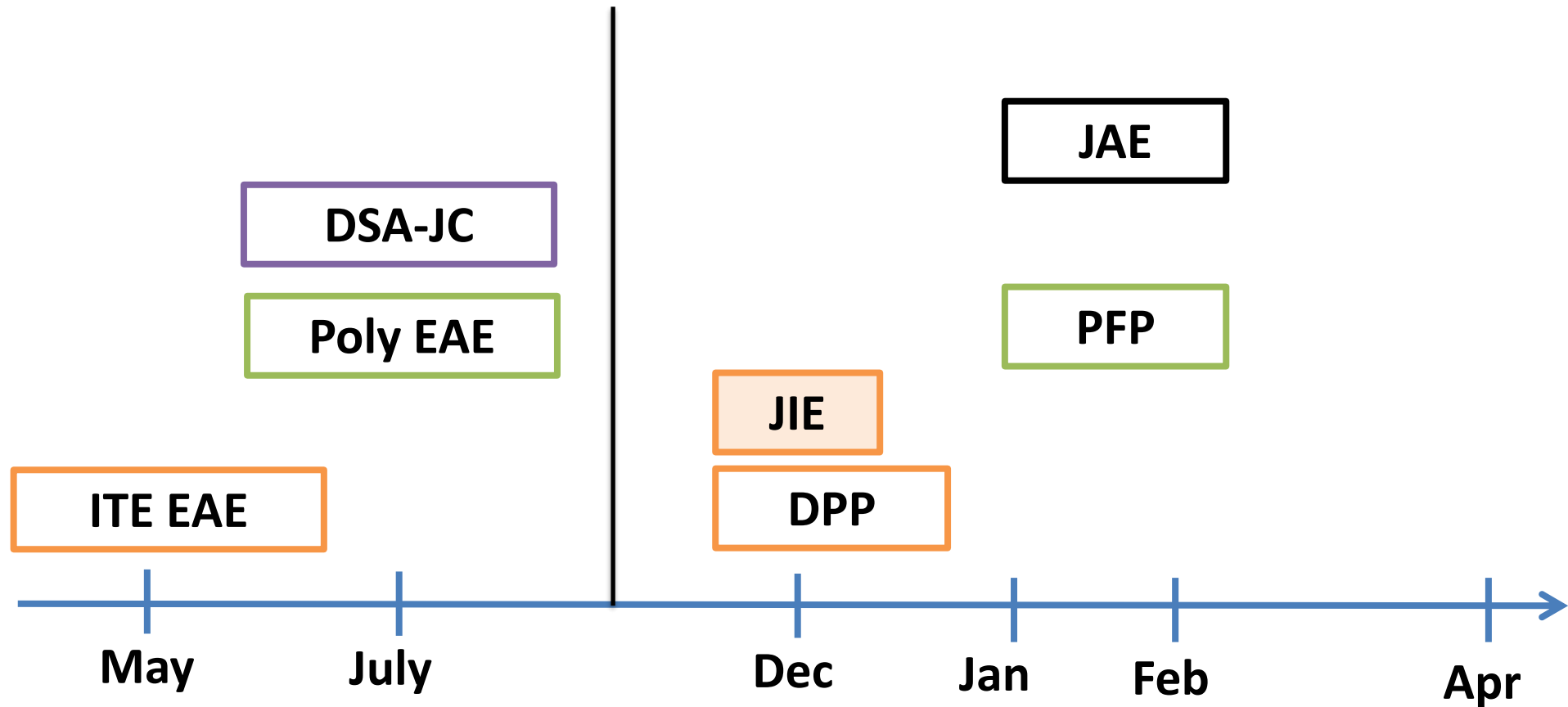
4 Still have to meet the minimum entry requirements

- **ITE:** Most *Nitec* or *Higher Nitec* courses have **subject-specific minimum entry requirements**

(...or your child's offer will be revoked)

5 But your child won't have to compete for admission to the PSEIs strictly on the basis of how well he/she does academically compared to everyone else

Early Admission exercise



Supporting your child



**Things You Could
Do Before Your
Child Apply**

Supporting your child

Explore your child's interests and develop his/her strengths

Support him/her to research on the courses he/she is interested in and related careers in the sector

Prepare early for the application

What is most
important right
now?

Resources

Explore post-secondary
courses offered by
Polytechnics and ITE:
CourseFinder



[https://www.moe.gov.sg/
coursefinder](https://www.moe.gov.sg/coursefinder)

Explore school info on
JC/MI
(CCA, subjects, prog):
SchoolFinder

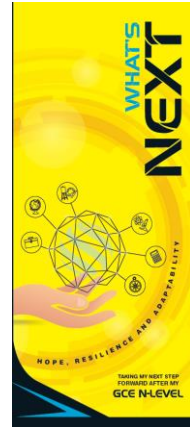


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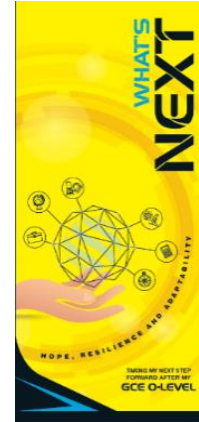
Supporting your child



Leverage the *Education Guide* feature in the MySkillsFuture portal <https://go.gov.sg/MySFSec> to help your students plan their next step forward after their secondary education.



This ECG pamphlet <https://go.gov.sg/whats-next> helps to scaffold the decision-making process for students at key education stages. Assist your students in the exploration of the interactive microsite.



This parent resource contains tips and advice on ECG and how parents can support their children throughout their key education stages. Parents can access the soft copy at: <https://go.gov.sg/ecgparentguide>.

Important Points

There is keen competition for places in post-secondary institutions, entry requirements shared are only minimum requirements

Building a strong foundation is essential

We encourage all JSS-ians to...

Programme	Grades	Points
'N' Level (NA)	1-2	1
	3	2
	4	3
	5	4
	U	5

Target for JSS students:
ELMAB3 = 11 points and below

We encourage all JSS-ians to...

Develop a system of habits:

- ☐ Consistent review and revision
- ☐ Timely help seeking
- ☐ Readiness for & receptiveness to feedback
- ☐ Self-management: physical and socio-emotional well-being
- ☐ Reasonable usage of mobile devices
- ☐ Attendance & punctuality

We encourage all JSS-ians to...

Participate fully in all Education and Career Counselling sessions and experiences planned by the school

Consult MOE ECG counsellor assigned to the school, Mr Russell Cheong, and HOD/CCE, Mr Stanley Tan. You may also approach your respective Level Heads.

Come chat with Mr Russell



Make an appointment through:

1) through this weblink

(<https://go.gov.sg/ecg-Russell>)

2) Scan the QR code

3) Email:

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