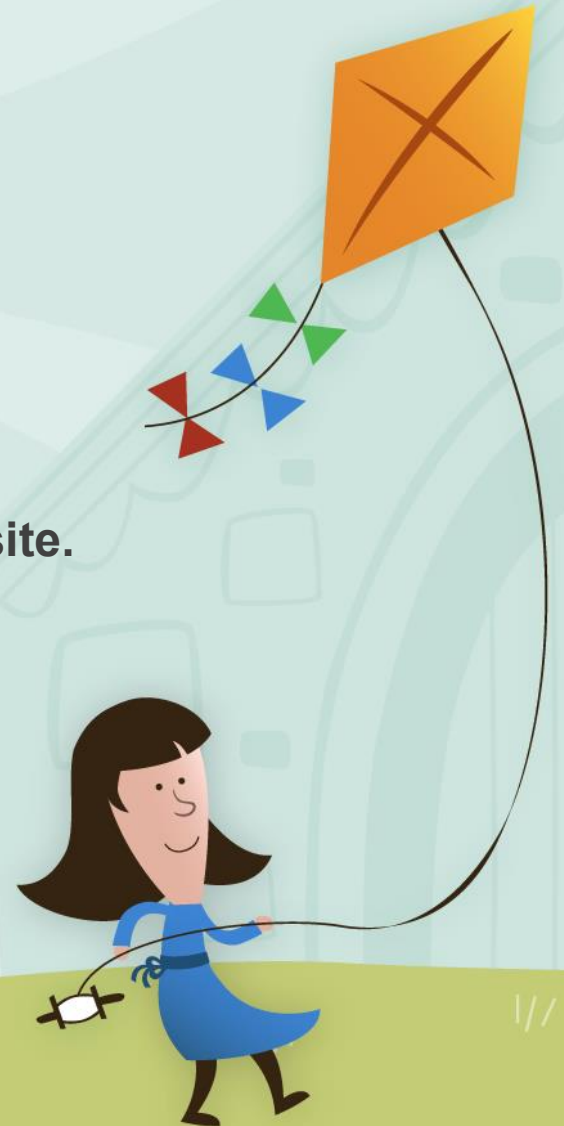


# RMPS P6 PARENTS' BRIEFING

31 January 2020

**Please Note:**  
Presentation slides will be uploaded on our school's website.



# AGENDA

## Part 1

Principal's Address – School's Direction &  
Assessment Matters  
Year Head's Address – Level Programmes

## Part 2

Academic Heads' Address – Curriculum Matters

## Part 3

Meeting the Form Teachers – Class Focus



## Physical

P6 Camp  
Sports and Games Day  
CCA

## Multi-Disciplinary

Multi-Disciplinary Project Work  
Heritage Trails

## Social & Moral

Character Workshops  
Leadership Opportunities  
Make a Mark  
NE Commemorations  
Cyber wellness Etiquette

## Aesthetics

Art – Visual Arts/Artists  
Music - Ukulele  
Recess Recital

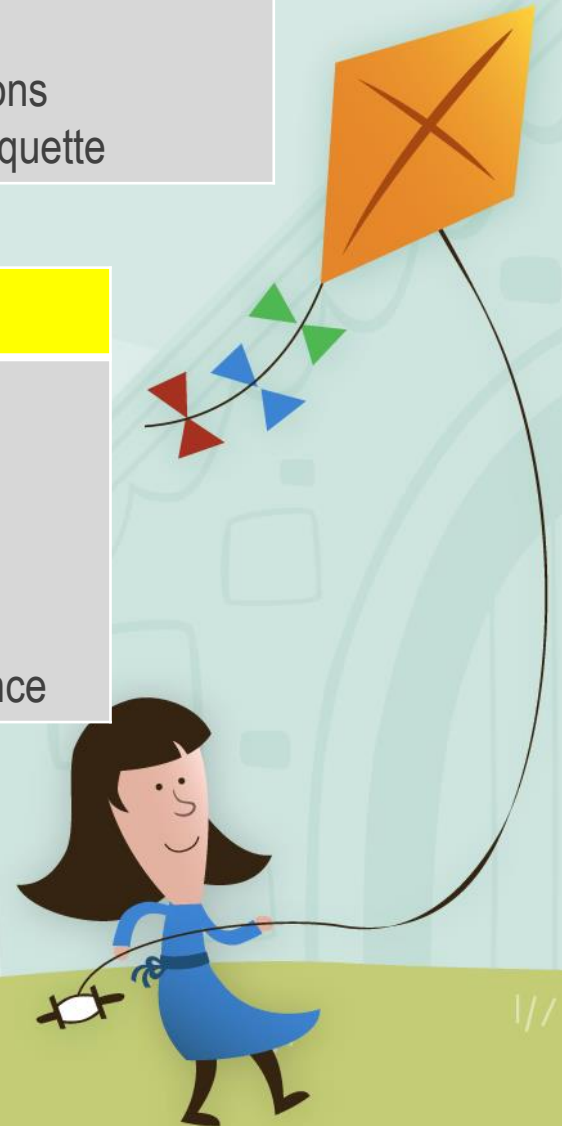
## Health & Safety

Health Talks and Checks  
Safety Talks  
Fire / Lock Down Drill

## Cognitive

Straight from the Heart  
MT Experiential Learning  
MT Fortnight  
Math Alive  
Science In Action  
Third Language Experience

Connect knowledge and skills they have learnt with the real world ensuring an all-round development



# P6 KEY PROGRAMMES







# Cognitive



Multi-Disciplinary Project Work  
(MDPW)

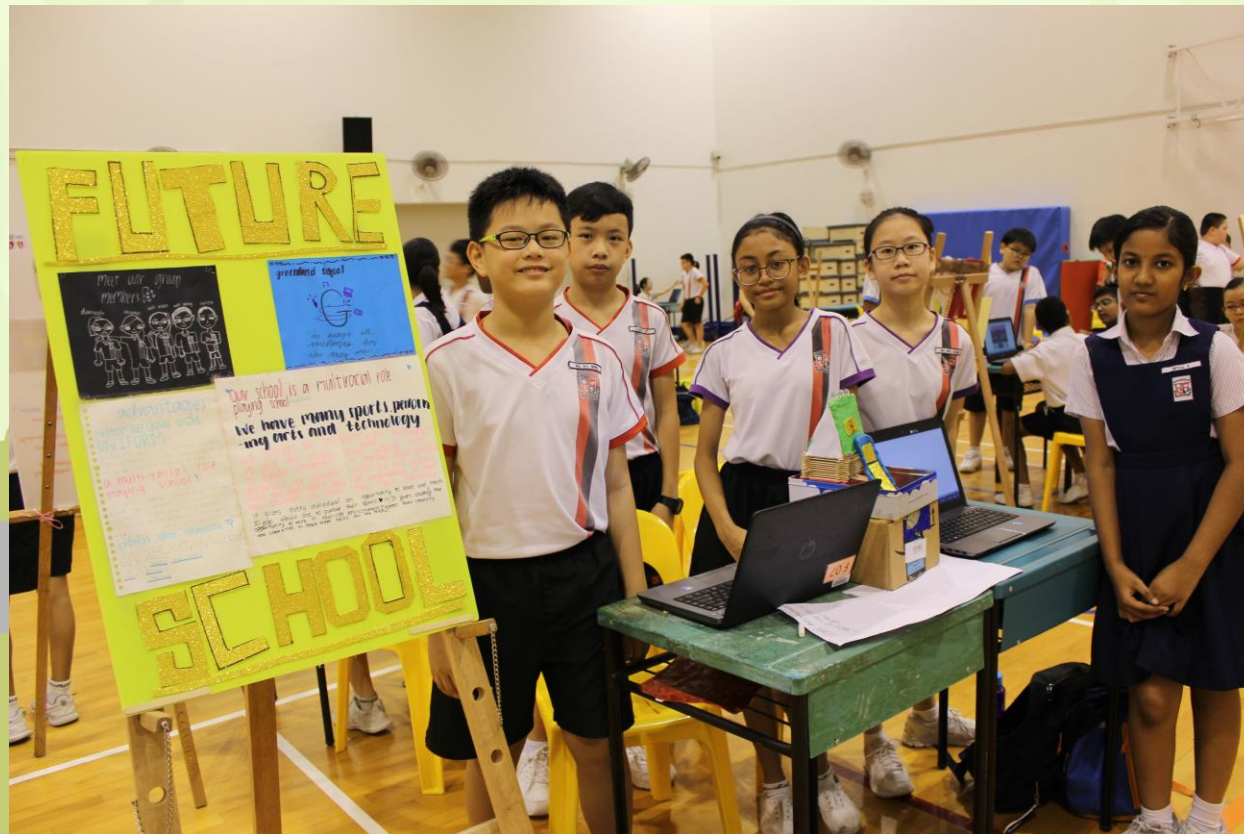


Applied Learning Programme

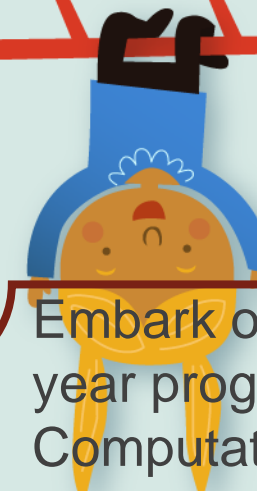
Creative  
solutions

# MULTI-DISCIPLINARY PROJECT WORK (MDPW)

Design  
Thinking  
Process







- Embark on 6 year progressive Computational Thinking integrated with Design Thinking curriculum
- Exposed to real world problems
- Design Thinking Process Through 3D Printing



# Applied Learning Programme



# Physical & Aesthetics



- Music - Ukulele

- P6 Camp

- Art – Visual Arts/Artists

- Recess Recital  
(showcase talents)

- Sports & Games Day  
(track & field, relay games)

- Sports Education  
Programme



# P6 Urban and Cultural Camp - Malacca (3D2N)

- Exposed to civic literacy and put their cross-cultural thinking and understanding to test as they immerse themselves in another culture
- Create opportunities for our students to appreciate and understand the various cultures in Malacca.
- Learn about Peranakan customs, traditions and architecture.
- Prepare our students for the challenges of a globalized world.
- Broaden the experience of our students so that they can appreciate Singapore's growth, development and constraints..



- Apply basic camping skills
- Working cohesively as a team



- Effective communication
- Responsible decision making







Circle Time



Breakfast with Form Teachers



Foster well-being  
in our students  
and develop  
positive  
relationships  
through engaging  
and meaningful  
conversations.

Social &  
Moral





Build confidence  
in students' self-  
image through  
leadership and  
life skills training



**Character Education  
Workshops (FTGP)**

**Social & Moral**



# Education Career Guidance (ECG)

- Serves to build our students' aspiration (schools or career based on interest and strengths)
- My SkillsFuture portal (explore education pathways & careers)
- Learning Journey to Lifelong Learning Exploration Centre to support them in their career exploration
- Career Talk – Invite speakers to share about their careers

Better understanding of the diverse range of occupations and know the relevant educational opportunities to lead to these careers.



# Academic Support Programmes

- Remedial Lessons (for selected group of students) – Tues and Thurs
- June Hols Remedial Lessons – 24.06.2020 & 25.06.2020 (for selected group of students)
- September Hols Remedial Lessons – 10.09.2020 & 11.09.2020 (for selected group of students)
- Term 3 - CCA slots on Mondays will be changed to supplementary programmes
  - Attendance is compulsory

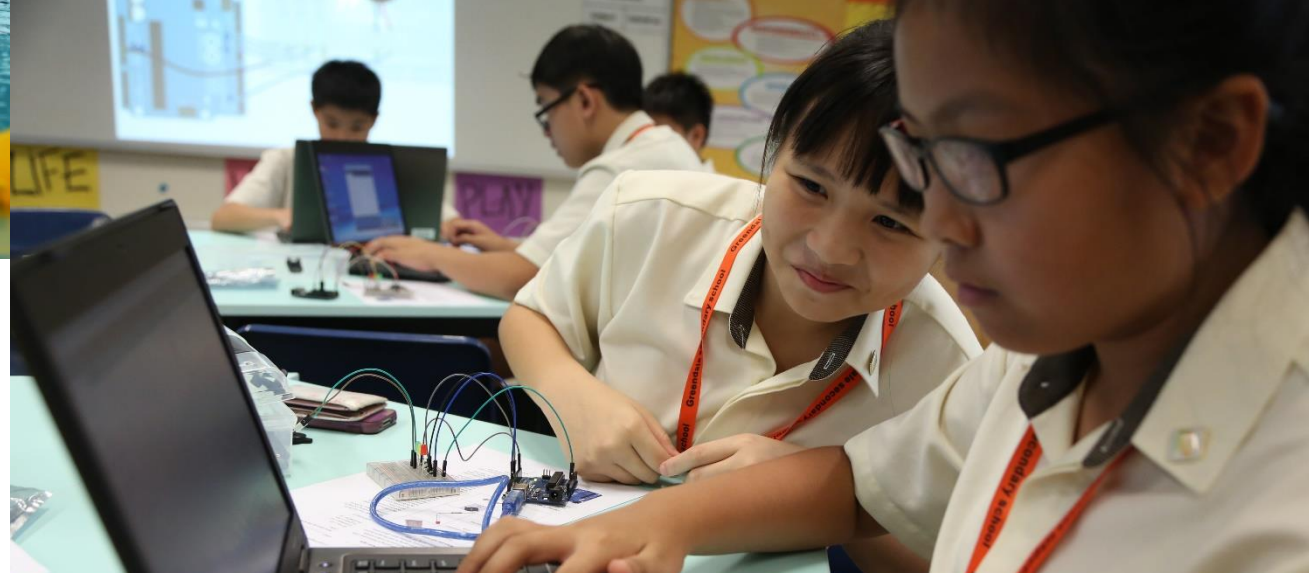
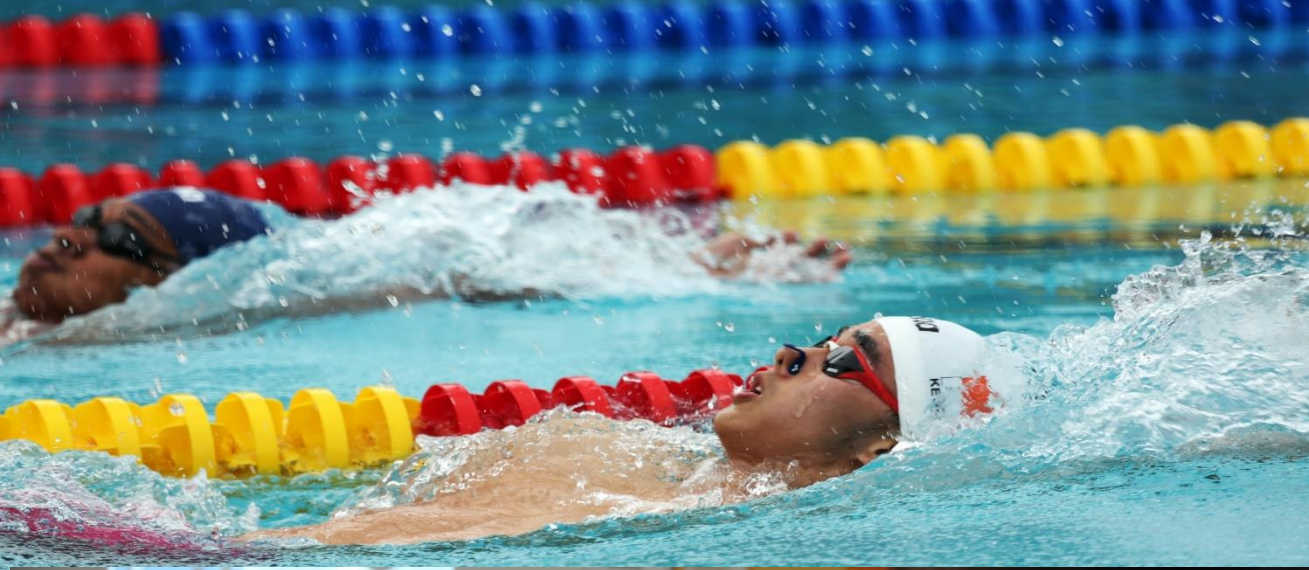




# POST PSLE ACTIVITIES

- Third Language – seed the interest in learning a third language
- Art Experience – Hands-on Art Making
- Sports Education Experience - Archery
- Graduation Day
- Financial Literacy





# Direct School Admission for Secondary Schools (DSA-Sec)

# Features of the DSA-Sec Portal

## 1. Centralised online applications

- Applications will be centralised across all participating secondary schools
- The form will be **easy to fill** – you only have to key in contact details and your school and talent choices  
Optional: The portal will also allow you to indicate any non-school-based achievements and activities related to the talent areas you applied for.
- You **do not need to submit testimonials or hardcopy documents** to the secondary school during application.

## 2. Application using Singpass

- Parents can access the Portal via their SingPass login. Only one parent's SingPass login is required.
- Parents who are unable to access their SingPass can approach the primary school for assistance.

## 3. No application fees

- No fees charged for DSA-Sec application and selection.
- We encourage all students who are passionate about and committed to developing particular talents to apply, regardless of family backgrounds.



# Features of the DSA-Sec Portal

## 4. Making choices in the DSA-Sec portal

- Through the portal, you can easily identify schools that offer programmes for your child's talent area.
- You can indicate up to three choices. For each choice, you will need to choose a secondary school and a talent area from that school.
- The order of the choices does not matter during application.
- Of the three choices, up to two choices may be used to apply to the same school, for two different talent areas of that school. This is to cater to your child's multiple interests, and allow your child to choose different schools which can develop his/her strengths and interests.
- You and your child are encouraged to **consider your choices carefully**, and manage the time and effort participating in multiple trials and interviews.

**Note.** Students can apply separately to School of the Arts and Singapore Sports School, on top of the DSA-Sec choices made through the DSA-Sec Portal.

# Examples of Possible Choice Combinations

| EXAMPLE 1                  | Talent(s)              | School(s)           | Your child can apply to <u>up to three different schools</u> , with no restrictions on the talent areas.                 |
|----------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|--|
|                            | Choir                  | School A            |  |
|                            | Choir                  | School B            |  |
|                            | Choir                  | School C            |  |
| EXAMPLE 2                  | Talent(s)              | School(s)           | If your child chooses two areas in one school, he/she can apply to <b>two different schools only</b> ,                   |
|                            | Choir                  | School A            |  |
|                            | String Orchestra       | School A            |  |
|                            | Choir                  | School B            |  |
| EXAMPLE 3<br>(Not allowed) | Talent(s)              | School(s)           | Your child cannot use all three choices on one school. He/she can leave the third choice blank or choose another school. |
|                            | Choir                  | School A            |  |
|                            | String Orchestra       | School A            |  |
|                            | <del>Mathematics</del> | <del>School A</del> |  |

Apply for DSA-Sec through DSA-Sec Application Portal.

Rank your offers, if you receive offers from multiple schools

June - August

Late-November

May - June  
(4 weeks)

Late-October

Shortlisting and selection by secondary schools. Each secondary school has different selection criteria for its categories and programmes. Schools will inform you of the selection outcome **by Aug.**

You will know whether you have been allocated to a school through the DSA-Sec, at the same time you receive your PSLE results.



# Things to note for Successful Applicants

- A student who indicates his/her preference for a school which had given him/her a Confirmed Offer will be guaranteed a place in the school, provided that he/she is eligible for the course (e.g. Express) which is offered by the school.
- Successful applicants will not be allowed to make any school choices during the Secondary One Posting Exercise. They are expected to honour the commitment to the posted DSA school for the duration of the programme admitted to.

# Things to note for Unsuccessful Applicants

- Unsuccessful DSA applicants or pupils who do not participate in the DSA Exercise must indicate their school choices(exercise 6 choices) at the Secondary One Posting Exercise by submitting their S1 Option Form (given together with PSLE results) through their primary schools or via the S1 internet System.
- These pupils will be able to opt for their preferred schools, including the schools that had not been able to offer them a place under the DSA Exercise.

Please note:

- NUSHS, SOTA, SST & SSP do not participate in the S1 Posting Exercise.
- **Interested students can only apply through the DSA Exercise .**

Refer to the following for more details:

<https://beta.moe.gov.sg/secondary/dsa/>



# Integrated Programme (IP) Yr 1 to Yr 6

- Provides a six-year Secondary and Junior College (JC) education for academically-strong students who can benefit from a broader learning experience
- Students **do not need to take the GCE O-Level examination**

## Schools offering a 6 year programme leading to the A-Levels

- Catholic High School
- Cedar Girls' Secondary School
- CHIJ Nicholas Girls' School
- Dunman High School
- Hwa Chong Institution
- Nanyang Girls' High
- National Junior College
- Raffles Girls' School
- Raffles Institution
- River Valley High School
- Singapore Chinese Girls' School
- Temasek JC
- Victoria School

## Schools offering a 6 year programme leading to International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma

- **Anglo Chinese School(I)**
- **Methodist Girls School**
- **Saint Joseph's Institution**
- **SOTA**
- **Singapore Sports School**



NUS HIGH SCHOOL offers a 6 year diploma  
leading to programme leading to NUS High  
School Diploma

<https://beta.moe.gov.sg/secondary/courses/express/integrated-programme/>

# Which school should my child apply to?

- Look for a school with **programmes that match your child's strengths and interests**
  - Schools are looking out for students whose interests and talents they can develop further.
  - Learn more about the secondary school's **pace of learning** and overall range of programmes
- **Get the latest information** about what each school offers by:
  - Visiting schools' websites
  - Attending schools' Open Houses to also experience their environments and cultures
  - Visiting the MOE's DSA-Sec website (will be updated around April 2020)

# DSA – Support From School

- Dissemination of information on DSA – list of participating schools, their ALP and LLP and dates of open house (P5 & P6)
- Portfolio building (P5 & P6) – contents of portfolio
- Secondary School Fair will include P5 students and will be conducted mid March (better informed of schools' talent areas)
- Briefing on DSA matters and application (P5 & P6)
- Interview preparation for DSA applicants (P6)





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# THANK YOU

