Parent Briefing on Secondary 3 NT Subject Combination

- Ensure your Zoom profile name is in the following format, for identification purposes: "Child's/Ward's Class"_Parent of "Child's/Ward's Name".
- Do not record, take photos during the briefing. All materials used will be published on the school's website.
- Thank you for waiting. Meanwhile, you might want to view the subject videos in the school website and enter your questions using the QR quotes below:
- https://go.gov.sg/jvssubjectcombi2023









Parents' Briefing on Secondary 3 NT Subject Combination

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Criteria for Promotion to Sec 3 NT

		Criteria
Sec 2 Normal (Technical)	Transferred to 2 Normal (Academic)	 Met minimum attainment level <u>and</u> Minimum of 70% in the overall percentage of all subjects combined
	Promoted to 3 Normal (Technical)	At least Grade 5 or better in • 2 subjects, one of which should be English or Mathematics
	Retained at 2 Normal (Technical)	Has not met minimum attainment level Note: Below maximum age



What does your child need?

"Failure is an opportunity to grow"

GROWTH MINDSET

"I can learn to do anything I want"

"Challenges help me to grow"

"My effort and attitude determine my abilities"

"Feedback is constructive"

"I am inspired by the success of others"

"I like to try new things" "Failure is the limit of my abilities"

FIXED MINDSET

"I'm either good at it or I'm not"

"My abilities are unchanging"

"I don't like "I can either do it, to be challenged" or I can't"

"My potential is predetermined"

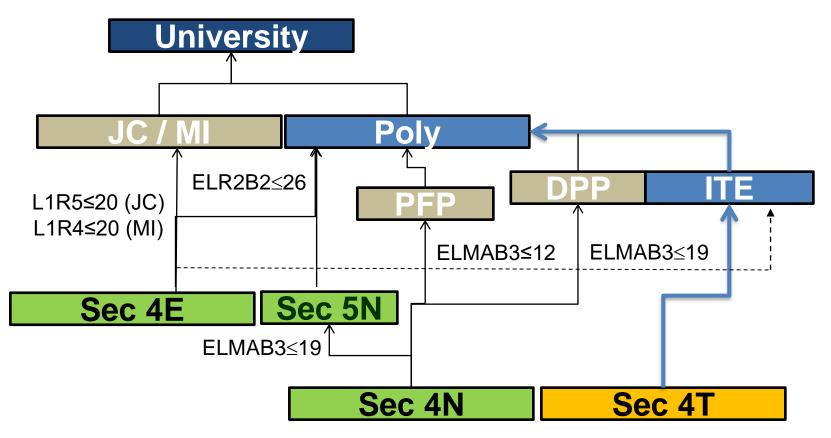
"When I'm frustrated, I give up"

> "Feedback and criticism are personal

"I stick to what I know"



Post-Secondary Education Pathways



Note: some courses have additional specific subject requirements



Progression opportunities for Sec 4 N(T)

Sec 4 N(T) students have the following progression opportunities:



*Nitec*Courses



Transfer to Sec 4 N(A)

- To be eligible, students must satisfy the minimum entry requirements of the specific course.
- A strong foundation in literacy, numeracy and reasoning would ensure students are better prepared for these progression pathways.
- Therefore, students are encouraged to deepen their knowledge in English, Mathematics and Science.

Posting to Nitec Courses

- Posting is based on merit and subject to vacancies in open competition.
 - Based on aggregate of the best <u>4 GCE 'N' Level subjects</u>, including pre-requisite subjects and bonus points (where applicable); and
 - Met course-specific entry requirements.
- Many Nitec courses require a pass in subjects such as English,
 Mathematics and Science good foundation in these subjects is critical to students performing well in the corresponding Nitec courses.
- Doing well in these subjects in secondary school, especially at the higher level, will position students better to perform well in ITE.

Signal to your child:

Start laying <u>Strong Foundations</u> for academic learning <u>NOW</u>.





2024 Subject Combinations (NT : SET / Art)

	Combination	Combination	Combination
Subject	T1	T2a	T2b
1	English Language	English Language	English Language
2	Mother Tongue	Mother Tongue	Mother Tongue
3	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics
4	Computer Applications	Computer Applications	Computer Applications
5	Science	Science	Science
6	Smart Electrical Technology (SET)	Art	Nutrition and Food Science

Criteria for Cross Stream Subjects (by invitation only)

For Normal (Technical) Students (SBB)

Subject	Criteria
English (NA)	Overall ≥ 60% and EL ≥ 60%
Mother Tongue (NA)	Overall ≥ 60% and MT ≥ 60%
Mathematics (NA)	Overall ≥ 60% and MA ≥ 60%
Science (NA)	Overall ≥ 60% and SC ≥ 60%

For Normal (Technical) Students (non-SBB)

Subject	Criteria
English (NT)	Overall ≥ 60% and EL ≥ 85%
Mother Tongue (NT)	Overall ≥ 60% and MT ≥ 85%
Mathematics (NT)	Overall ≥ 60% and MA ≥ 85%
Science (NT)	Overall ≥ 60% and SC ≥ 85%



Workflow of Subject Allocation Exercise

Mid Oct

Release of End-of-Year results

End Oct

 Submission of online Google form for Subject Combination Selection

Early Nov Release of outcomes via email



Considerations for Subject Allocation Exercise

- ☐ Students' choice(s)
- Students' overall results in Sec 2
- Subject and/or option criteria
- Teachers' feedback and recommendations
- Electives offered are subjected to the number of students choosing that particular elective and availability of school resource
- Subject combination is subjected to number of eligible students and availability of school resource



Multiple Pathways



Who am I?

- Your strength
- Your interest & passion

Where am I going?

- Career direction, if any
- Have good knowledge of the Poly / ITE course requirements

How do I get there?

Wise Subject Combination Choices (Be realistic)



