

Sec 3 PTC ECG Talk EAE Sharing (Early Admission Exercise)

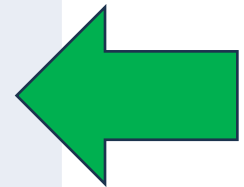
Sec 3 Parent-Teacher Conference



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First batch of students taking 2027 SEC exam

Academic Year (AY)	G3, G2 and G1 students
AY 2026	Sec 3 cohort (current students)
AY 2027	Sec 4 students (current Sec 3 students)
AY 2028 (intake with more options)	2027 Graduates (2027 Sec 4 students)



AY 2028 intake

Poly EAE

ITE EAE

Students taking at least	POST-SEC PATHWAYS							
	3-Year Higher Nitec	2-Year Higher Nitec	NAFA Foundation Programme (NFP)	Arts Institutions	Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP)	Polytechnic Year 1	Millennia Institute	Junior College
5 G3 subjects	✓	✓	NEW ✓	✓	NEW ✓	✓	✓	NEW ✓
4 G3 + 1 G2 subjects	✓	✓	NEW ✓	NEW ✓	NEW ✓	NEW ✓		
5 G2 subjects	✓	✓	✓		✓			
4 G1 subjects	✓	NEW* ✓						

*Students who offer 4 G1 subjects will join Year 1 of Higher Nitec, and may be offered the accelerated pathway if they meet academic requirements during their Year 1 Semester 1 examinations. This pathway will allow them to attain a Higher Nitec in a shorter duration of about two years.

Source: MOE Website



What is EAE?

What is EAE?

- An aptitude-based admissions exercise
- Students to apply for admission to **Polytechnic** or **ITE** prior to taking their end of year SEC examinations.
- Students are selected based on their aptitudes and interest, apart from academic grades
- Students receive **conditional offers** for admission to **Polytechnics** or **ITE** prior to receiving their end of year examination grades
- All 5 **Polytechnics** and 3 **ITE** campuses participate in EAE

Conditional Offer = Minimum Entry Requirement (MERs)

Poly EAE – Accountancy course MERs
 ELR2B2-B **net aggregate: (5 – 12)**

ITE EAE – Accountancy course MERs
 3 years Higher Nitec - ELB3 **net aggregate (2 - 6)**

Subject	Grade
English Language	1-6
Additional Mathematics or Mathematics	1-6
Any one of the 2nd group of Relevant Subjects for the ELR2B2-B Aggregate Type	1-6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art • Business Studies • Combined Humanities • Economics • Geography • Higher Art • Higher Music • History • Humanities (Social Studies, Literature in English) • Humanities (Social Studies, Literature in Chinese) • Humanities (Social Studies, Literature in Malay) • Humanities (Social Studies, Literature in Tamil) • Humanities (Social Studies, History) • Humanities (Social Studies, Geography) • Intro to Enterprise Development • Literature in English • Literature in Chinese • Literature in Malay • Literature in Tamil • Media Studies (English) • Media Studies (Chinese) • Music • Principles of Accounts 	

Subject	Grade
English Language	A-D or 1-5
Any 2 other subjects	A-D or 1-5

MOE Course Finder Website

The screenshot shows the MOE Course Finder website. At the top left is the Ministry of Education Singapore logo. Navigation links include 'Education levels', 'Financial matters', 'Education in SG', 'Newsroom', 'Careers', and 'About MOE'. A search icon is in the top right. Below the navigation is a breadcrumb trail 'MOE > COURSEFINDER >' and a 'Last Updated: 13 Mar 2026' timestamp. A link for 'How to use CourseFinder' is also present. The main heading is 'CourseFinder' with a subtitle 'Explore courses based on aggregate type, score, type of institute and area of interest.' Below this is a search bar with a dropdown menu set to 'Polytechnics' (highlighted with a yellow box) and a search button labeled 'SEARCH'. The search results are displayed in two columns. The left column, titled 'Criteria', has a 'Clear all' link and lists 'Polytechnics' (expanded) with sub-options: Nanyang Polytechnic, Ngee Ann Polytechnic, Republic Polytechnic, Singapore Polytechnic, and Temasek Polytechnic. Below this is '2026 JAE aggregate'. The right column, titled 'Courses in Polytechnics', shows 'Showing 196 courses' and a pagination control '1 of 10'. The first course listed is 'Accountancy' with course code 'S75', a heart icon, and admission types 'DAE, JPAE, Poly EAE, PFP'. It is offered by 'Singapore Polytechnic' with a '2026 JAE ELR2B2-B net aggregate: 5 - 12'.

Source: MOE course finder website

WHO SHOULD CONSIDER EAE

For Graduating students who:

Have a course / industry in mind

Have strong interest & aptitude for the course

Stands a better chance securing preferred course

EAE APPLICATION PROCESS



APPLICATION

- Submit Application



SELECTION

- Interview
- Aptitude test



OFFER & ACCEPTANCE

- Conditional offer if successful
- Must meet MERs

POLY EAE PROCESS

SELECTION

3 components



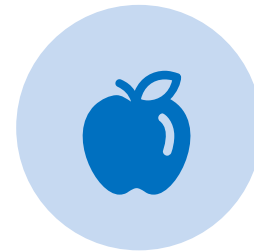
600-character Write-up

- Why do you want to apply for the course?
- How are your talents & skills relevant?
- 1000-words Talent & Achievement



Submit Portfolio

- Provide **evidence** of talents/skills
- e.g. achievements, certificates, sample work



Ace the Interview

- Impress your interviewers

ITE EAE **SELECTION** PROCESS

3 components



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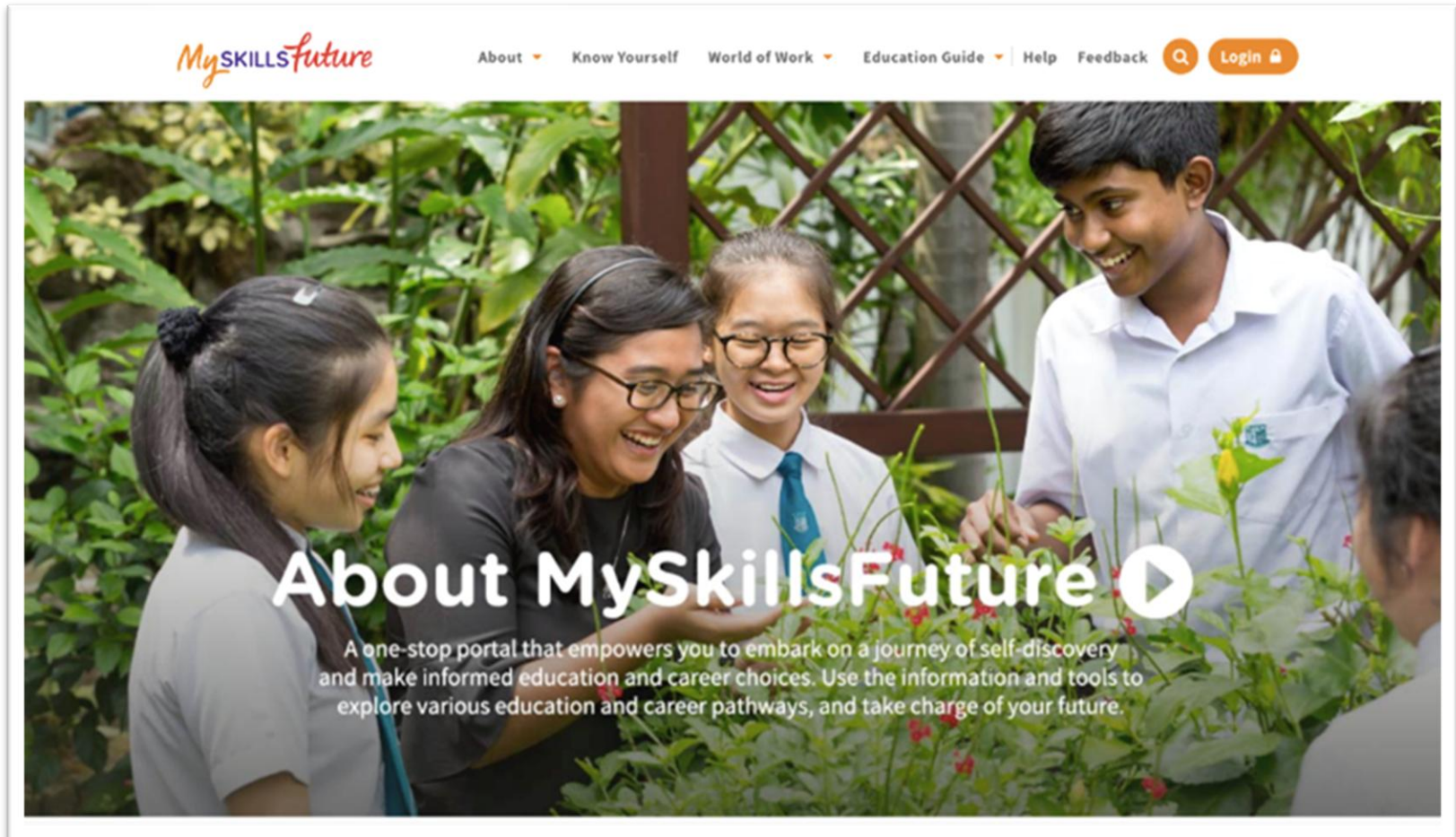
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**How can student explore
careers?**

Understanding Yourself through the MySkillsFuture Portal



The image shows the homepage of the MySkillsFuture portal. At the top left is the logo "MySkillsFuture" in orange and red. To the right of the logo is a navigation menu with the following items: "About", "Know Yourself", "World of Work", "Education Guide", "Help", "Feedback", a search icon, and a "Login" button with a lock icon. Below the navigation menu is a large photograph of four students in school uniforms (three girls and one boy) smiling and looking at a plant in a garden. Overlaid on the bottom half of the photograph is the text "About MySkillsFuture" in white, followed by a play button icon. Below this text is a short paragraph: "A one-stop portal that empowers you to embark on a journey of self-discovery and make informed education and career choices. Use the information and tools to explore various education and career pathways, and take charge of your future."

MySkillsFuture

About Know Yourself World of Work Education Guide Help Feedback Login

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Know Yourself Tools

Home / Know Yourself

Know Yourself

[View My Reflections](#)

Find Out More About Yourself

Discover more about your career interests, skills, work values, and learning styles. These tools are meant to facilitate self-awareness and exploration. You may use them as a guide to plan your education or career. Do speak to your parents, teachers and Education and Career Guidance counsellors if you need further advice.

Career Interests
Get Started!

Skills Confidence
Get Started!

Work Values
Get Started!

Learning Styles
Get Started!


Which tool should I start with?
Every tool here allows you to discover a different aspect

World of Work

MySKILLSFuture About ▾ Know Yourself World of Work ▾ Education Guide ▾

🏠 / World of Work > Singapore Industry Landscape

Singapore Industry Landscape

Select Industry ▾ 

Accountancy	Design	Human Resource
Advertising	Early Childhood Care and Education	Information and Communications Technology
Aerospace	Electronics	Insurance
Agriculture	Energy and Chemicals	Landscape
Air Transport	Energy and Power	Legal
Architecture	Environmental Services	Logistics
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	Finance	Marine and Offshore Engineering
Beauty Services	Food Manufacturing	Media
Biopharmaceuticals Manufacturing	Food Services	


National Youth Council (NYC)

Explore industries

What kind of industries..


- Tourism?
- Esports?
- Healthcare?
- Food Science?
- etc?

Search Industries...




Tourism

Singapore's Tourism sector, progressive and adaptive, drew 330,000 visitors in 2021 despite border restrictions. It's a resilient destination, ideal for gaining global...




esports

The fast-growing esports industry offers roles from Shoutcaster to Manager and Streamer. It's an exciting field for those passionate about gaming, with diverse...




Healthcare

Learn how Singapore's Healthcare workforce makes a positive difference in people's lives amid rising demand.




Food Science

The Food Science industry is innovative and thriving, leading in research and development, ensuring delicious, sustainable, and healthy food solutions for...




Air Transport

The Air Transport industry in Singapore is a global hub, renowned for efficiency, connectivity, and world-class services.




Veterinary

The Veterinary sector in Singapore plays a key role in protecting our local wildlife and domestic animals. Veterinary professionals help safeguard and ensure the welfare an...




Sustainability

The Sustainability industry drives sustainable development through green buildings, technology and urban landscapes.




Sports

The Sports industry in Singapore is vibrant and growing, offering world-class facilities, exciting events, and fostering a strong, active community for athletes!




Social Service

Singapore's Social Service sector provides community services, empowering those in need, and driving positive change.




Retail

Singapore's vibrant retail scene, from local supermarkets to Orchard Road's luxury boutiques and thriving e-commerce, offers a dynamic career in a fast-paced industry...



Real Estate

Singapore's Real Estate sector offers careers in managing diverse properties. It's perfect for those keen on facilitating deals and helping people achieve their property...



Maritime

Singapore's Maritime industry is a dynamic sector with numerous job opportunities, and prior Maritime experience is not necessary.

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National Youth Council (NYC)

A Day in the Life of...


What kind of..

- work?
- skills?
- environment?
- challenges?
- etc?

A Singapore Government Agency Website [How to identify](#)

DISCOVER
on my Way


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Prison Officer

Being a prison officer, Elvis finds meaning in his interactions with inmates, engaging in guided conversations and supporting them on their rehabilitative journey.


Defence Safe World Inclusive World



MedTech Engineer

MedTech Engineer Jae Hann stabilises and automates production of 4D-printed orthopaedic casts: fixing printers, expediting manufacturing, and setting up processes for...

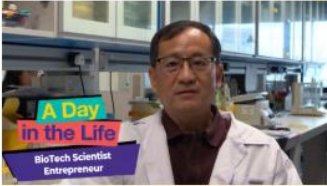
Healthcare Engineering Healthy World Inclusive World



Robotics Engineer

Robotics Engineer Zefan Huang designs and tests autonomous vehicles and robots that aid people with limited mobility.


Engineering Computer Science Informed World Safe World Inclusive World



Scientist Entrepreneur (BioTech)

Scientist Entrepreneurs use research to launch startups - turning lab discoveries into new therapies, like targeted treatments for aggressive cancers that improve patient...


Biopharmaceuticals Manufacturing Healthcare Healthy World Informed World



Research Technician (BioTech)

Ria and Samirah work as Research Technicians in BioTech, focusing on advancing cancer therapeutics. They analyse results to develop new treatments - like using stem cel...


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E-Sports Coach

Coaching an eSports team is more than simply playing games. Watch and find out how eSports Coach Alex supports and helps his team stay at peak performance.


esports Informed World



Actor



Filmmaker



Animator

Source: discover.nyc.gov.sg/omw/Day-in-the-Life

Choosing a course of your Interests : What stirs your interest in a Science course?

- I would like to learn more about the medicines we are exposed to and the chemical processes behind it.
- I had taken part in an activity organised by Singapore National Academy of Science and since then, I have a wish to invent new solar gadgets that can help to improve our way of life without harming the Earth.
- In recent years, my uncle has been leading an unhealthy lifestyle with minimal exercise and poor diet. He is now overweight and has been falling sick more often than usual...



Portfolio

What is a Portfolio?



Organised Collection of Evidence that shows your Accomplishments in/outside of School



Examples of your work that showcases your accomplishments, skills & experiences

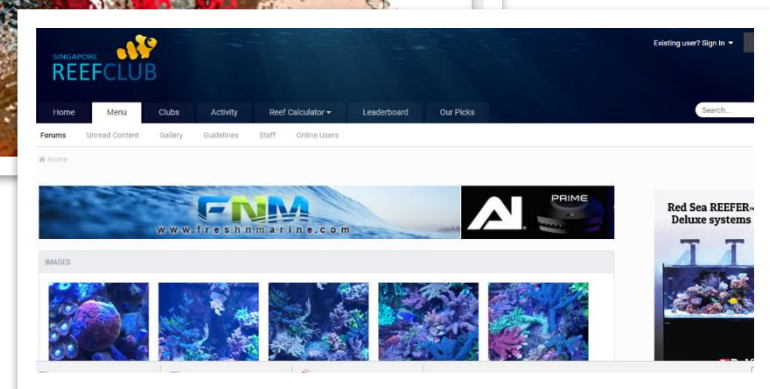
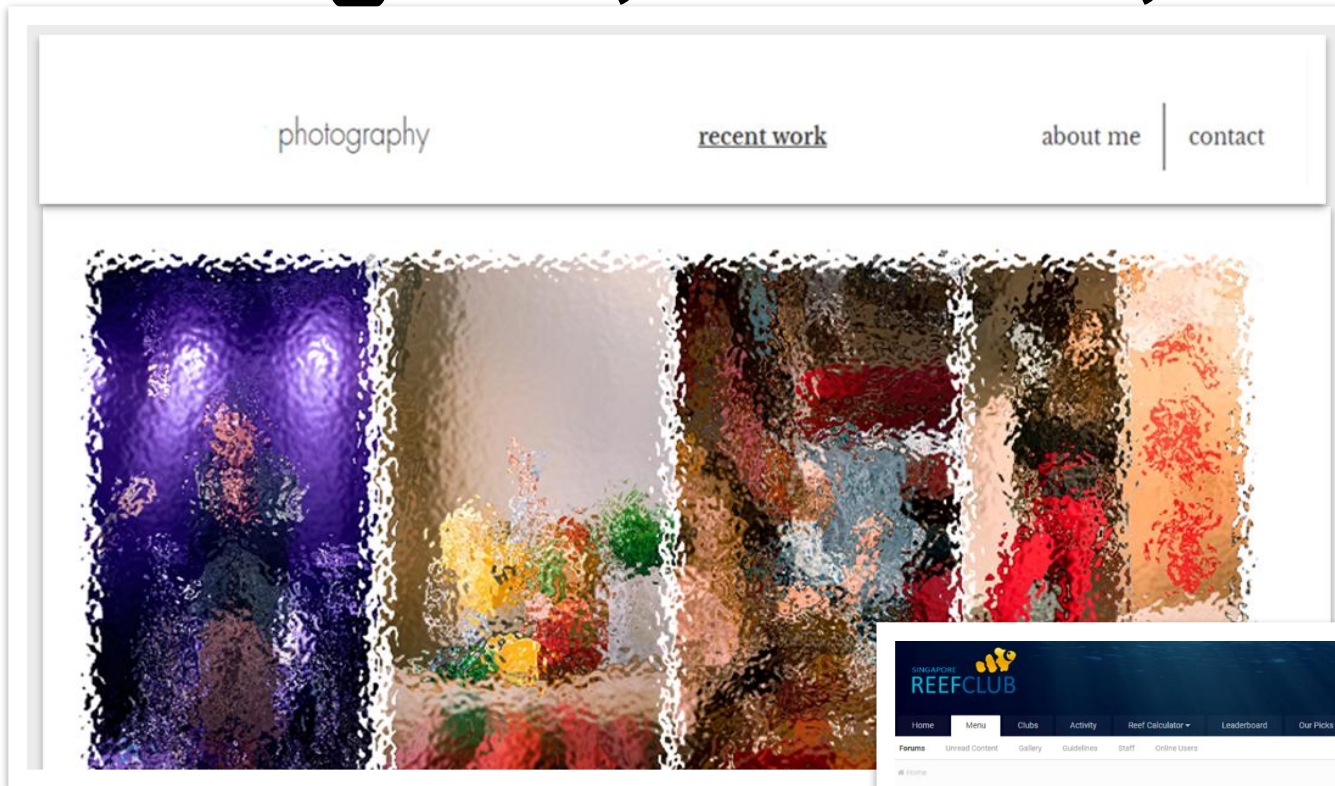


Digital Portfolio (**preferred**)
Hardcopy Portfolio

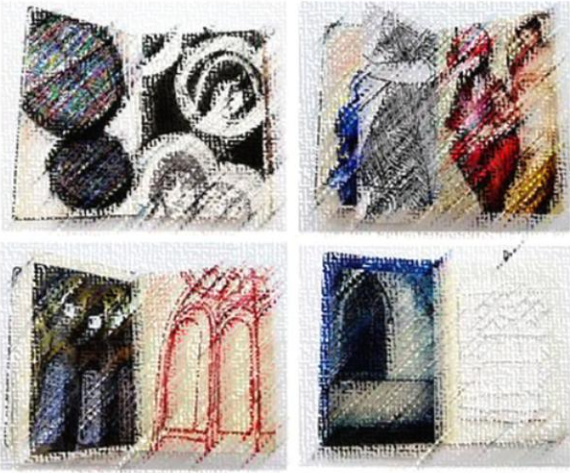
Examples of a Portfolio?

Category	Examples
Academic Achievements	Top in English Language and Geography for Level in 202X
Non Academic Achievements	Edusave Character Award 202X
Leadership Experience	School Council, Prefectorial Board, Key Leadership Roles in CCA
Competitions	International, Regional, National, Zonal
Outside School Activities	Volunteer Work, Part Time Work
Talent - Performing Arts	Portfolio / Grading Certificates
Skills – IT, Language	Websites, App
Enrichments	NYP Course Advising/ApLM/WEP/Experience ITE/VIA/Self Learning

Digital Portfolio Samples : Instagram, Youtube, Blogshop

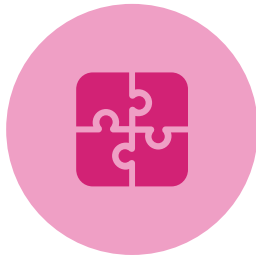


Design Portfolio Samples



Restricted

Organising your Portfolio



- Logical
- Easy-to-read



- Concise
- Clear
- Interesting

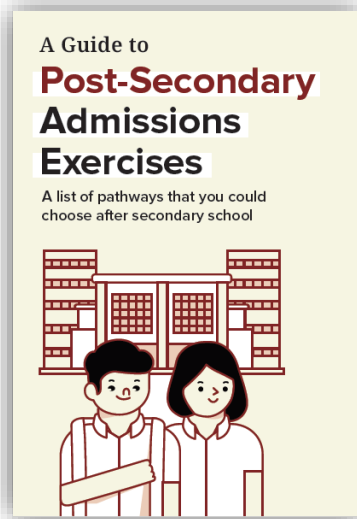


- Experiences
- Interests
- Relevance

Platforms to create digital portfolios?

- Google slides, PowerPoint, PDF
- Websites like:
 - [Wix.com](https://www.wix.com)
 - [Weebly.com](https://www.weebly.com)
 - [Canva.com](https://www.canva.com)
 - [Squarespace.com](https://www.squarespace.com)

Useful Resources

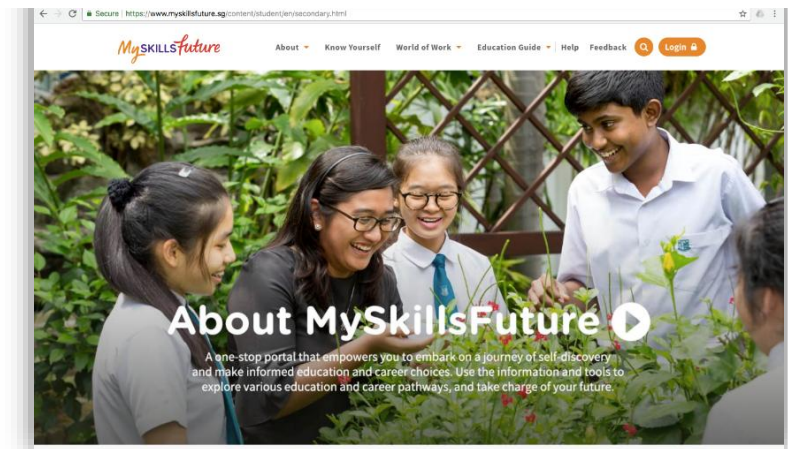


<https://go.gov.sg/post-secondary-exe>

<https://go.gov.sg/post-secondary-exercise-guidebook>



<https://go.gov.sg/myskillsfuture-secondary>



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Education & Career Guidance (ECG) Counsellor Appointment Booking Detail

M Day: Mon or Thurs
A Venue: **ECG Room @ The Sanctuary**
R [BLK E unit E2-03 - connecting BLK D Level 3]
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You may reach me at:
<https://go.gov.sg/mss-ecg-booking> or
Email me: Soong_Xuan_De@schools.gov.sg

Have a chat with your friendly ECG Counsellor!

- Who Am I?
- Where do I want to go?
- How do I get there?



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