

# Welcome Back!

#### Class of 2023



# **Celebrate Efforts**

The O-Level is a culmination of years of hard work and perseverance.

Let's celebrate our efforts regardless of the results.

Let's mark the end of the academic year by reflecting together on all our previous successes in school and the challenges we have overcome!



REALIZE THAT YOU ARE NOT ALONE, THAT WE ARE IN THIS TOGETHER AND MOST IMPORTANTLY THAT THERE IS HOPE.

Deepika Padukone



# **Think Opportunities**

- As you await your GCE O-Level results, there are some possibilities:
  - You are happy that your results meet your expectations,
  - □ You are overjoyed that your results exceed your expectations, or
  - □ You are worried/upset because your results fall short of your expectations.

Many pathways and opportunities!



Remember that everyone's learning journey is different but we can each have a fulfilling outcome!

# No matter the circumstances, there is always a way forward.

- Stop any unhelpful thoughts or actions that would make you more upset.
- Inhale deeply and exhale slowly using 10 counts as you relax your muscles. Acknowledge your emotions.

Stop

Think

- Think through the different options that are available for you. Keep things in perspective.
- Remember that the O-Level is just one part of your life journey and not the destination.

- Approach a trusted adult and seek his/her help. Have a conversation with this person about what would be best for you.
- Make a decision based on your options and take action.

When you receive your results, you may feel overwhelmed by emotions.

Managing these emotions well will allow you to stay calm and make rational decisions.

# Reaching out for help is a sign of strength, not weakness.

If you have any concerns or are not coping, do reach out to someone you trust and speak with them. It could be a parent, teacher, School Counsellor or a friend that you can talk to.



## **Admission Exercises**

# Things to note



#### Admissions Exercises for O-Level Students





#### Source: A Guide to Post-Secondary Admissions Exercises

# JOINT ADMISSIONS EXERCISE 2024 (JAE 2024)

### **Registration Matters**

For Admission to Junior Colleges, Millennia Institute, Polytechnics and Institute of Technical Education You will receive an **email** on your **eligibility** to participate in the JAE.

If you are eligible, the same email will include Form A which has:

- Your gross aggregate scores for JC, MI, polytechnic and ITE aggregate types.
- The JAE courses that you are eligible for. Learn about the admission criteria for the different types of institutions and their courses.



# What if you are eligible for JAE but do not receive the email with Form A?

**Download** it on JAE-IS during the JAE application period.

(JAE 2024)

# **JAE Registration**

Registration for courses under the JAE should be submitted <u>online</u> through the JAE-Internet System (JAE-IS) <u>www.moe.gov.sg/jae</u> using <u>Singpass</u>

JAE registration period is from
 4.00 pm 11 Jan 2023 (Thursday) to
 4.00 pm 16 Jan 2023 (Tuesday)



# What if you cannot log in to JAE-IS using Singpass?

Visit <u>https://www.moe.gov.sg/jaeto</u> find out more how to resolve the issue.

Applicants can find more information on the following MOE websites:

• JAE website for more details on the JAE <u>www.moe.gov.sg/jae</u>

 SchoolFinder for details of the offerings by and previous entry score ranges for JCs and MI

www.moe.gov.sg/schoolfinder

 CourseFinder for courses offered by the polytechnics and ITE, based on aggregate type and area of interest <u>www.moe.gov.sg/coursefinder</u>

#### 20XX Joint Admissions Exercise

#### (JAE 2024)

### Sample of

#### Form A



SINGAPORE

Please apply you	r course choices by DD/MM/YYYY, 04:00 PM.		Subject an grade base examinatio
School Code			
Address	#11 -11 SINGAPORE 1111111		
Name Address	000884-3005 : TEST NAME 111 : 111 BUKIT BATOK EAST AVENUE 1	Centre Index No.	: 2222222217

#### Your 20XX GCE O-Level Examination results:



Aggregate types and scores

ENGLISH LANGUAGE = A1, HIGHER CHINESE = A1, CHINESE = B3, MATHEMATICS = A2, ADDITIONAL MATHEMATICS = A1, PHYSICS = B3, CHEMISTRY = B4, HUMANITIES (SOCIAL STUDIES, HISTORY) = A1, LITERATURE IN ENGLISH = B3

CCA = EXCELLENT

#### Your aggregate scores:

JC	MI		Polyte	ITE				
L1R5	L1R4	ELR2B2-A	ELR2B2-B	ELR2B2-C	ELR2B2-D	ELB4-A	ELR1B3-B	ELR2B2-C
11	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8

#### Your eligible courses:

- You meet the entry requirements for the below courses and are eligible to apply. However, a place in the course is not guaranteed as admission is based on merit, your choices and available vacancies.
- Course codes and descriptions can be found in www.moe.gov.sg/jaecourses.
   Courses

#### JC/MI:

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C28 C54	C29 C62	C30 C65				C35 C71	C36 C72	C41 C75	C42 C80		C47 C89	C49 C93	C50 C94	C51 C96	



# **Before accessing JAE-IS**

- Students are advised to complete the JAE worksheet before accessing JAE-IS to register your choices.
- Completion of the JAE Worksheet will enable applicants to register more smoothly online.
- You are strongly advised to make full use of the 12 choices, where applicable. The choices should be listed in the order of preference and cannot be repeated.

#### 2024 JOINT ADMISSIONS EXERCISE WORKSHEET

This JAE worksheet is provided to assist you before you do your online course application.

#### (A) Personal Particulars

Please fill in your personal particulars and update them as necessary in the online system.

NRIC/FIN :	
lame :	
Nobile Number* :	
Contact Number :	
Email Address <sup>^</sup> :	

\*Your posting result will be sent via SMS to a valid Singapore mobile number. \*Your JAE verification slip, which captures your submitted course preferences, will be sent to this email address.

#### (B) Course Preference

- You can apply for courses which you meet the eligibility criteria. Please refer to your Form A for course eligibility.
- Course codes and descriptions can be found in <u>www.moe.gov.sg/jaecourses</u>.
- · You are strongly advised to make full use of the 12 choices, where applicable.

Choice Order	Course Code	Choice Order	Course Code
1 <sup>st</sup>		7 <sup>th</sup>	
2 <sup>nd</sup>		8 <sup>th</sup>	
3 <sup>rd</sup>		9 <sup>th</sup>	
4 <sup>th</sup>		10 <sup>th</sup>	
5 <sup>th</sup>		11 <sup>th</sup>	
6 <sup>th</sup>		12 <sup>th</sup>	



# Other points to note (1)

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- JCs and MI offer a variety of subjects and different subject combinations. They may also set their own school-based criteria for subjects offered, based on professional and student-centric considerations.
- Posting to an Arts, Science or Commerce course does not guarantee that students will be able to offer their preferred subject combinations.
- Students should check the website of the respective JCs and MI for more details on the subject combinations offered in the Arts, Science and Commerce courses and school-based criteria for subjects offered.



# Other points to note (2)

### **D** Polytechnic/ ITE

- Beyond academic requirements, students should note that some polytechnic/ ITE courses may require students to meet non-academic requirements, such as passing of medical examinations, in order to comply with industry requirements.
- These requirements can also be found in the full listing of 2024 JAE courses document (under respective institution) and students are advised to take these requirements into account when making their choices.

### **Key Events and Dates**

ACTIVITY	DATE	REMARKS
Application Period	11 Jan 2024 (4.00 pm) to 16 Jan 2024 (4.00 pm)	
Release of Application Results	1 February 2024 (9.00 am)	<ul> <li>SMS, if you have provided a local mobile number in your application.</li> <li>JAE-IS, which you can access using your Singpass.</li> </ul>
Acceptance of Offer (JC/ MI)	Report to JC/ MI <u>on next working day</u> after posting results release	
Acceptance of Offer (Polytechnic)	2 February 2024 Receive an enrolment email or card containing instructions on enrolment process, sent to your residential address by end February 2024.	
Acceptance of Offer (ITE)	Receive an enrolment email with enrolment instructions by end February 2024.	Required to accept the course offer online at <u>www.ite.edu.sg</u> by the date stated in the email.
Reporting to School (for JC/ MI only)	2 February 2023	If students are unable to report to their posted JC or MI on the first day of school due to valid reasons, they should contact their posted school directly to confirm that they are taking up the place, and the school will reserve the place for them.

### **Appeal/ Transfer after Posting Results Release**

Please note that students must report to the institution they are posted to or accept the course offer online while waiting for the result of their appeal/transfer application.

#### To JC/MI

To appeal for a place in a JC or MI, visit the school website to find out about the appeal process and timeline. Use <u>SchoolFinder</u> to find the school's contact.
Note that students who wish to appeal for a place in the JC/MI must meet
(i) the minimum entry requirements for admission to JC/MI and
(ii) the net L1R5/L1R4 aggregate score of the lowest ranked student who is admitted to the course in that JC/MI in the 2023 JAE.

### **Appeal after Posting Results Release**

Please note that students must report to the institution they are posted to or accept the course offer online while waiting for the result of their appeal/transfer application.

#### **To Polytechnic/ ITE**

1 February 2024 (Thursday), 9.00 am to 6 February 2024 (Tuesday), 4.00 pm.

Appeal <u>online</u> through a combined polytechnic & ITE Higher Nitec appeals portal at <u>JAE Online Appeal Portal</u>,

You may submit an appeal application for up to six polytechnic diploma and/or ITE 2year *Higher Nitec* courses, where:

- You have met the course's minimum entry requirements, and
- Your aggregate score is equal to or better than that of the last student successfully posted into the course in the 2024 JAE.

### **Release of JAE Appeal Results**

Please note that students must report to the institution they are posted to or accept the course offer online while waiting for the result of their appeal/transfer application.

The result of your appeal will be released on **21 February 2024 (Wednesday)**, **9.00am.** 

You will receive an email and SMS notification to log into this portal to view your appeal outcome.

Access <u>https://jaeappeal.edu.sg/</u> portal to check on the outcome of your appeal by **27 February 2024 (Tuesday), 12.00pm**.

### **Release of JAE Appeal Results**

Please note that students must report to the institution they are posted to or accept the course offer online while waiting for the result of their appeal/transfer application.

#### **To Polytechnic/ ITE**

- If you are offered a place in a <u>polytechnic diploma course</u>, you will receive further instructions on how to complete your enrolment from the respective polytechnic by post or email.
- If you are offered a place in a <u>2-year Higher Nitec course</u>, you will receive a separate email from ITE with login instructions by **21 February 2024 (Wednesday)**. You will need to log into <u>www.ite.edu.sg</u> to accept your offer between **21 February 2024 (Wednesday)**, **9.00am and 23 February 2024 (Friday)**.

Note: If you have previously accepted a 2-year *Higher Nitec* course offer between 1 February 2024 and 6 February 2024, and are offered a place in another 2-year *Higher Nitec* course, there is no need to accept your appeal offer as your course status will be updated automatically. You will be able to check your course status at <u>www.ite.edu.sg</u>.

### **Release of JAE Appeal Results**

Please note that students must report to the institution they are posted to or accept the course offer online while waiting for the result of their appeal/transfer application.

#### **IMPORTANT NOTES**

- Do consider your appeal carefully. If you already have a JAE posting to a polytechnic or ITE 2-year *Higher Nitec course*, <u>your original posting will be automatically revoked if</u> your appeal is successful. If your appeal is unsuccessful, your original posting will be retained.
- If you change your mind after submitting an appeal, you will need to withdraw your appeal by **6 February 2024 (Tuesday), 4.00 pm**.
- Please log in only if you are the rightful NRIC/FIN holder. Each applicant has a maximum of 10 failed login attempts. If you exceed the maximum number of failed login attempts, your account will be locked. You will need to contact us at <u>help@jaeappeal.edu.sg</u> for further assistance.

# Thinking About Your Next Step



#### Use 3 Key ECG Questions To Help You Get Started

## Who am I?

The more I know about myself, the better my decisions.

# Where do I want to go?

There are many pathways with opportunities for continuous learning and recognition.

# How do I get there?

Be resilient, explore various pathways and be open to possibilities.

### **Sources of ECG Support**

Making informed decisions is important for successful transition from school to further education.

Speak with your teachers and ECG Counsellor in school, besides your parents, on the possible pathways.



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#### ECG Counselling Support @ Damai

In School/Online with our Damai Sec School ECG counsellor *Mr Edwin Khong* 

> 12 Jan (Fri), 15 Jan (Mon) and 16 Jan (Tues)

Have a chat with your Education & Career Guidance Counsellor (ECGC)

I would like to talk about my education and career pathways...

You can book an appointment with our ECGC!

How do I do that?

Just scan the QR code below! 😃



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#### Speak to an ECG Counsellor @ MOE

**MOE ECG Centre** offers counselling services to GCE O-Level students

Make a counselling appointment with the ECG Centre @ MOE (Grange Road) through <u>https://go.gov.sg/moe-ecg-centre</u>. Or call 68311420

From now till Thursday, 18 January 2024, Weekdays: 9.00am to 5.00pm Saturdays: 9.00am to 12.00pm



### What's Next – A Quick Guide





#### https://go.gov.sg/whats-next-olevel



## **MySkillsFuture Student Portal (Secondary)**

Visit <u>https://go.gov.sg/MySFSec</u> for more information on post-GCE O-Level options.

https://go.gov.sg/mysfsed





Everyone has a set of unique attributes. The more you know about what you value, what you are interested in, and what you are good at, the more likely you will be able to make good choices in your education and career explorations.



### **Resources to help students make informed decisions**

Explore different jobs and industries with <u>On My Way</u> (OMW). Find out if your career goal and educational pathway match your interests, values and ambitions. <u>https://www.nyc.gov.sg/omw/home</u>



**KNOW IT ALL** 

provides consolidated information about different jobs and industries - key responsibilities, skills, career paths and more!



A Day in the Life of a Food Technologist

#### DAY IN THE LIFE

takes you into the lives of different professionals and gives you a glimpse of their jobs and what it entails through the medium of videos.



on my way

#### TASTER PROGRAMMES

are micro-experiences of different job roles that allow you to get a taste of working life and help you decide what to study to achieve your career aspirations!

### **Post- Secondary Education**



Learn more about the admissions exercises and programmes

https://moe.gov.sg/postsecondary/overview



Learn more about the post-secondary education institutions

https://www.moe.gov.sg/p ost-secondary/admissions

### The O-Level is not the destination. It is part of your education journey.



No matter what the results are, you must remember that your results do not determine who you are or how successful you will be in the future!

### Support is readily available for you.

There are other hotlines and chats available if you are more comfortable seeking help using these platforms. Scan the QR code below for a helpful

resource.



SOS provides round-the-clock emotional support for those in distress, thinking of suicide or affected by suicide.
Call: 1767 Whatsapp: 9151 1767
(24-hour Care Text)

#### **Community Health Assessment Team**

**(CHAT)** provides personalised and confidential mental health checks and consultation for youths. To speak with a youth support worker, you can:

Visit: CHAT Hub at \*SCAPE, #05-05 Call: 6493 6500/ 6501 Email: CHAT@mentalhealth.sg

mindline.sg is an online platform that provides tools, tips and resources to help you manage your health and wellbeing. Find out more at: www.mindline.sg



**TOUCHline** is a helpline to provide youths with emotional support and practical advice.

Call: 1800-377 2252 Monday- Friday (Excluding Public Holidays): 9am – 6pm

**Carey** is an online platform by Care Corner that provides free mental health check-ins with mental health professionals. Find out more at: https://carey.carecorner.org.sg/

**eC2** is an e-Counselling Centre where you can talk to a trained counsellor about the issues you are facing, right where you are.

Chat with a counsellor at: www.ec2.sg Monday – Friday (Excluding Public Holidays): 10am – 12pm & 2pm – 5pm

### Provision of internet access and printers for JAE application

The *library* will have laptops and printers for students who do not access to these resources.

Book a date and time to use them.

Time : 9.00 am to 4.00 pm daily

Dates: Friday 12 Jan, Monday 15 Jan, Tuesday 16 Jan 2024 up to 3.30 pm (JAE application closes at 4.00 pm)



Scan this QR code to book your slot



# DAMAI SECONDARY SCHOOL ALUMNI





## **BE AN ALUMNI**

An opportunity to 'give back' to the school

 Share your learning experiences (tertiary institutions) to inspire your juniors

