



## COMMONWEALTH SECONDARY SCHOOL

### Nurturing Champions of Today and Leaders of Tomorrow

7 January 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians

#### CCA matters Sec 1 Students

All Secondary 1 students will be participating in the Co-Curricular Activities (CCA) Selection Exercise at the end of February. To better prepare students for the selection exercise, the school will be conducting a CCA Open House, Immersion Programme and Auditions for all Sec 1 students.

The objectives of these programmes are to:

1. Help students understand the importance of participating in CCAs
2. Provide students with an understanding of CCA policies and its Scoring System (LEAPS 2.0)
3. Equip students with a detailed knowledge of the various CCAs offered by the school so that they can make a more informed decision when selecting their CCAs.

#### *CCA Open House*

The CCA Open House will be held on **Tuesday, 15 January 2019** and **Friday, 18 January 2019** for all Sec 1 students. Details of the CCA Open House are as follows:

Date	Time	Programme
15 Jan 2019 (Tuesday)	3.15 pm – 3.40 pm	Briefing on CCA Policy and CCA Grading System (LEAPS 2.0) Venue: Indoor Sports Hall
	3.45 pm – 5.45 pm	Guided Tour to CCA (Compulsory) Venue: Blocks D and E
18 Jan 2019 (Friday)	2.15 pm – 2.25 pm	Assemble for Guided Tour Venue: Indoor Sports Hall
	2.30 pm – 5.00 pm	Guided Tour to CCA (Compulsory) Venue: Blocks D and E

#### *Auditions for selected CCA*

Auditions for Performing Arts CCAs will be conducted on 22 and 25 January. Attendance is compulsory for all girls on both days. Boys are only required to attend the audition on 25 January. Auditions for all other CCAs are optional. Please refer to **Annex A** for the audition schedule.

#### *CCA Immersion*

We have also planned a three weeks CCA immersion programme from 29 January to 19 February so that students are given the chance to try out the various CCAs offered by the school. Students will be given more information with regards to the CCA immersion after the CCA Open House.

#### *Selection of CCA*

Students will select their CCAs through an online portal from **5pm on Tuesday, February 19**. They have until **10 pm on Wednesday, 20 February** to submit their choice of CCAs. Allocation of CCAs will be based on students' choice and their audition results.

Thank you.

*Yours sincerely,*  
Mr Ng Boon Kiat  
Principal

## CCA Audition Schedule

S/No	CCA	Date	Time	Reporting Venue	Attire
1	Badminton (Optional – Boys & Girls)	11 Jan (Fri)	3.00 pm – 5.00 pm	School Hall	PE Attire Students are to bring their own rackets
2	Basketball (Optional – Boys Only)	8 Jan (Tue)	3.00 pm – 5.30 pm	Indoor Sports Hall	PE Attire
3	Netball (Optional – Girls Only)	11 Jan (Fri)	2.30 pm – 4.30 pm	Indoor Sports Hall	PE Attire
4	Soccer (Optional – Boys Only)	8 Jan (Tue)	3.00 pm – 5.30 pm	School Field	PE Attire Soccer boots & Shin Pads Goalkeeper Gloves (if necessary)
5	Cross Country (Optional – Boys & Girls)	8 Jan (Tue)	3.45 pm – 5.45 pm	Canteen (Near Bookshop)	PE Attire Running Shoes
6	Bits & Atoms (Optional – Boys & Girls)	21 Jan (Mon)	3.00 pm – 5.30 pm	D.space	Uniform
7	Performing Arts CCAs <b>(Compulsory)</b> – Girls Only)  Performing Arts CCAs <b>(Compulsory)</b> – Boys & Girls)	22 & 25 Jan (Tue & Fri)	Tue: 3.15 pm – 6.00 pm <b>(Compulsory)</b> – Girls Only)  Fri: 2.15 pm – 6.00 pm <b>(Compulsory)</b> – Boys & Girls)	Auditorium	PE Attire
8	New Media (Optional – Boys & Girls)	24 Jan (Thu)	3.30 pm – 5.30 pm	New Media Studio	Uniform

*For sports CCA auditions on 8 & 11 Jan, students who wish to audition for more than 1 sports CCA are to inform the teacher in charge of the various CCAs at the beginning of the session. Arrangements will be made for the student to attend other CCA audition(s).*