



GAN ENG SENG SCHOOL

SHARING ON CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

5 JAN 2024, FRIDAY

THE FOCUS

- Purpose of CCA
- Intent and Domains of LEAPS 2.0
- Parental Support



HOLISTIC DEVELOPMENT OF GESSIANS

A holistic education provides students with a broad and deep foundation for life-long learning.

- More than just the academic areas.
- Develop values and life skills
- Discover strengths, interests and talents.





COMPULSORY FOR ALL

- CCA participation is compulsory at the secondary school level.
- In GESS, students participate in ONE CCA and are given opportunities in
 - Leadership
 - Courses, Camps, Competitions
 - Community Services

ATTENDANCE (PARTICIPATION)

- ❑ 100% attendance in ALL years, including graduating year.
- ❑ Training Days
 - Tuesday : 3.00pm to 5.30pm
 - Friday : 2.00pm to 5.30pm
 - Saturday : based on HQ schedule
- ❑ CCA Suspension during Examinations (end of the Year) and celebrations of important events
- ❑ Graduating students will step down in month of May in their examination year.



4 YEAR COMMITMENT

- ❑ Students are strongly encouraged to remain in the **SAME CCA** for 4/5 years.
 - Deepen the mastery of skills
 - Grow in Leadership appointments/skills
 - Attain Level 4 in LEAPS 2.0 Participation Domain



REQUEST FOR CHANGE

- ❑ Students who are keen to experience a different CCA may
 - Opt for a change at the beginning of each academic year in Sec 1 and 2 only.
 - Successful re-allocation depends on vacancies.
 - Because of the change in CCA, the level of attainment in Participation Domain will be at Level 3. (except due to medical reasons)





THE UNIFORMED GROUPS

- ❑ Strongly encourage students to join the Uniformed Groups.
 - Structured curriculum by UG HQ
 - Leadership appointments
 - Discipline and resilience

UNIFORMED GROUPS: Forging Resilience & Discipline



Girls' Brigade



Dragon Scouts



Boys' Brigade



National Police Cadet Corps



National Cadet Corps



St John Brigade

Basketball



Table Tennis



**PHYSICAL
SPORTS:**
Teaming up
for victory



Canoe Sprint Team



Football



Cross Country

PERFORMING ARTS:

Where talent takes centre stage



Modern Dance



School Choir



Marching Band



English Drama

S4 Centre-Based CCA Sports Climbing:

- New CCA from Jan 2024
- Collaboration with Outram Secondary School & CHIJ St Theresa Convent
- Opportunities for competition and skills development.
- Attainment of Climbing certifications

**Need Parental Consent
(See next slide)**



THIS WILL BE POSTED ON PARENT'S GATEWAY

- If your child wishes, kindly complete form.
- We need the info for planning (eg consent, transport etc).

SPORTS CLIMBING

Trial on 17 Jan, Wed
Submit by 8 Jan, Mon



<https://go.gov.sg/gess-sportclimbing2024>

CANOEING

Trial on 16 Jan, Tue & 19 Jan, Fri
Submit by 14 Jan, Sun.



<https://go.gov.sg/gess-canoe2024>

PLS TAKE A PICTURE OF THIS SLIDE

CCA ORIENTATION & TRIAL FOR SEC 1 COHORT

Dates	Activity
12 Jan, Fri	CCA Orientation
16 Jan, Tue	CCA Trial (All CCA except Sport Climbing)
17 Jan, Wed	CCA Trial (Sport Climbing only)
19 Jan, Fri	CCA Trial (All CCA except Sport Climbing)
22 Jan, Mon	Online CCA Registration
31 Jan, Wed	Allocation of CCA
02 Feb, Tue -Fri	1st Training
2 Feb, Tue to 5 Mar, Tue	Training
8 Mar, Fri	Confirmation of CCA

(DETAILS CAN BE FOUND ON CLASS NOTICEBOARD)



LEAPS GRADING SCHEME 2.0

Comprises 4 Domains namely

- Leadership,
- Achievements,
- Participation (Attendance) and
- Service

How can we do well?

- Students ensure Attendance
- Teachers provide opportunities

DOMAIN : LEADERSHIP

- Recognises students' leadership development.
- Assume leadership responsibilities
(eg Chairperson, Prefects, Sports Leaders, Peer Support Leaders, Sergeant in UG, Captains, President of Clubs etc) and
- Attain National Youth Achievement Award (NYAA) Silver at Sec 4.



DOMAIN : ACHIEVEMENTS

- Provide opportunities to showcase their talents as well as benchmark their level of mastery.
- Represent GESS or other organisations (endorsed by school) in competitions, festivals or their equivalent



DOMAIN : PARTICIPATION

- Recognises student Attendance in school-based Co-curricular Activities (CCA)
- Ensure good attendance over 4 years in SAME CCA



DOMAIN: SERVICE

- ❑ Recognizes development as a socially responsible individual who contributes to the well-being of others.
- ❑ Participate in Values-in-Action (VIA) in school, CCA and beyond.



BEGIN WITH THE END IN MIND

GESSIONS OF EXCELLENCE, STANDING AND SIGNIFICANCE

- ❑ Excellence in CCA = Character Development + Social-emotional Learning competencies
- ❑ Bonus points to higher institute of learning (desired courses via JAE, PFP, DPP, EAE)

CCA KEY ACHIEVEMENTS



PHYSICAL SPORTS

2nd Team Award, C Division Boys, National Inter-schools Cross Country Championship 2023

3rd Team Award, C Division Girls, National Inter-schools Canoeing Championship 2023



CLUBS

Entrepreneur Club (Participation, Greenwave Environmental Care Project)

CCA KEY ACHIEVEMENTS



UNIFORMED GROUPS

Boys' Brigade (Gold, JM Fraser Award), Girls' Brigade (Gold, Company's Award), NCC (Distinction, Unit Recognition Award), NPCC (Gold, Unit Overall Proficiency Award), Scouts (Gold with Honours Pennant, Frank Cooper Sands Award), SJB (Gold, Corps Achievement Award)



PERFORMING ARTS

Choir, Dance, Drama and Military Band (Accomplishments, SYF Arts Presentation 2023)
Military Band (Champion, Open Stage Concert Band Competition 2023)

- **PURPOSE AND INTENT**
- **COMPULSORY FOR ALL**
- **ATTENDANCE (100%)**
- **4 YEARS COMMITMENT**
- **LEAPS 2.0 (LEADERSHIP, ACHIEVEMENTS, PARTICIPATION AND SERVICE)**

