DSA & EAE APPLICATIONS 2025

15 FEBRUARY 2025

Education & Career Guidance

APTITUDE-BASED ADMISSIONS

DSA JC

EAE Poly

EAE ITE

Where Do I Want To Go?
Exploring Opportunities

Who Am I?
Discovering Purpose

How Do I Get There?
Staying Relevant
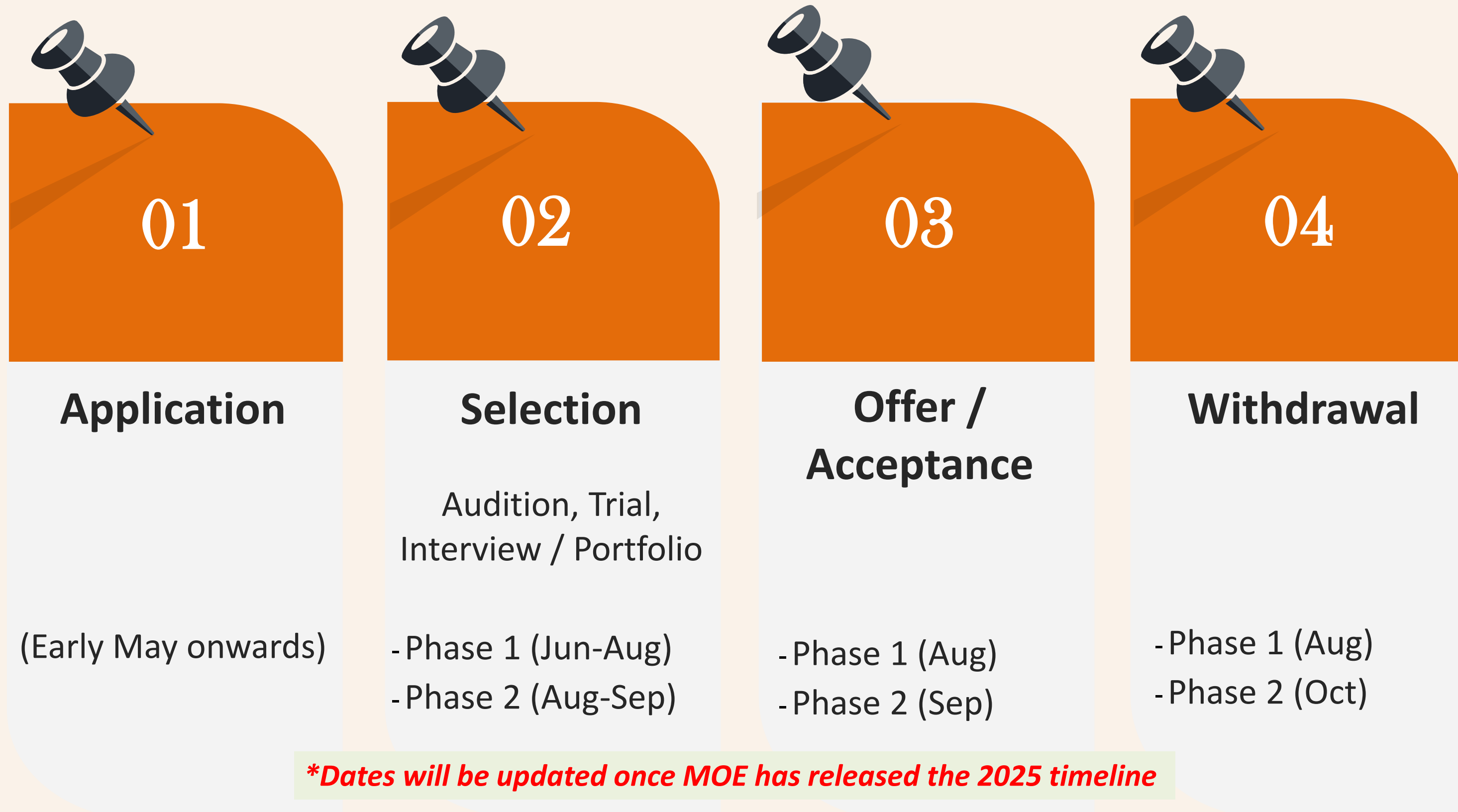
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OVERVIEW OF DSA-JC

❖ Refer to participating schools' websites for specific details as each school's requirements varies

❖ Some possible talent areas:-
  o Sports (e.g. Top 4 finish in zonal inter-school competitions) OR
  o Performing Arts (e.g. SYF participation and awards received) OR
  o Leadership (e.g. school-wide leadership or record of effective leadership) OR
  o Debate (e.g. national or zonal competitions) OR
  o Academic (e.g. science research, mathematical Olympiads or proficiency/achievements in art/music/languages)

❖ Interviews and/or Selection trials may be conducted*
  o Trials and Auditions are conducted either In-Person or Online; refer to participating JC for details

❖ *Some schools may require 2 rounds of interviews: 1 individual and 1 group*

DSA JC PROCESS

01

Application

(Early May onwards)

02

Selection

Audition, Trial, Interview / Portfolio

- Phase 1 (Jun-Aug)
- Phase 2 (Aug-Sep)

03

Offer / Acceptance

- Phase 1 (Aug)
- Phase 2 (Sep)

04

Withdrawal

- Phase 1 (Aug)
- Phase 2 (Oct)

*Dates will be updated once MOE has released the 2025 timeline

HOW TO APPLY?

- The student can apply directly to individual schools.

- Check the individual schools' websites for more details as the application period, procedures and selection criteria differ from school to school.

DSA-JC APPLICATION FORM DETAILS

- Photo
- Personal Particulars
- Parent's Information

- Personal Statement
- Reasons for applying to the JC
- Intended Subject Combination

- Academic Results
  - Sec3 EOY
  - Sec4 MYE
  - Sec4 Term1/CA1 Results
  - Certified True Copies

- CCA Records, Awards
- Testimonials, Coach / Teacher's recommendations
- Character Reference (1 - 2)
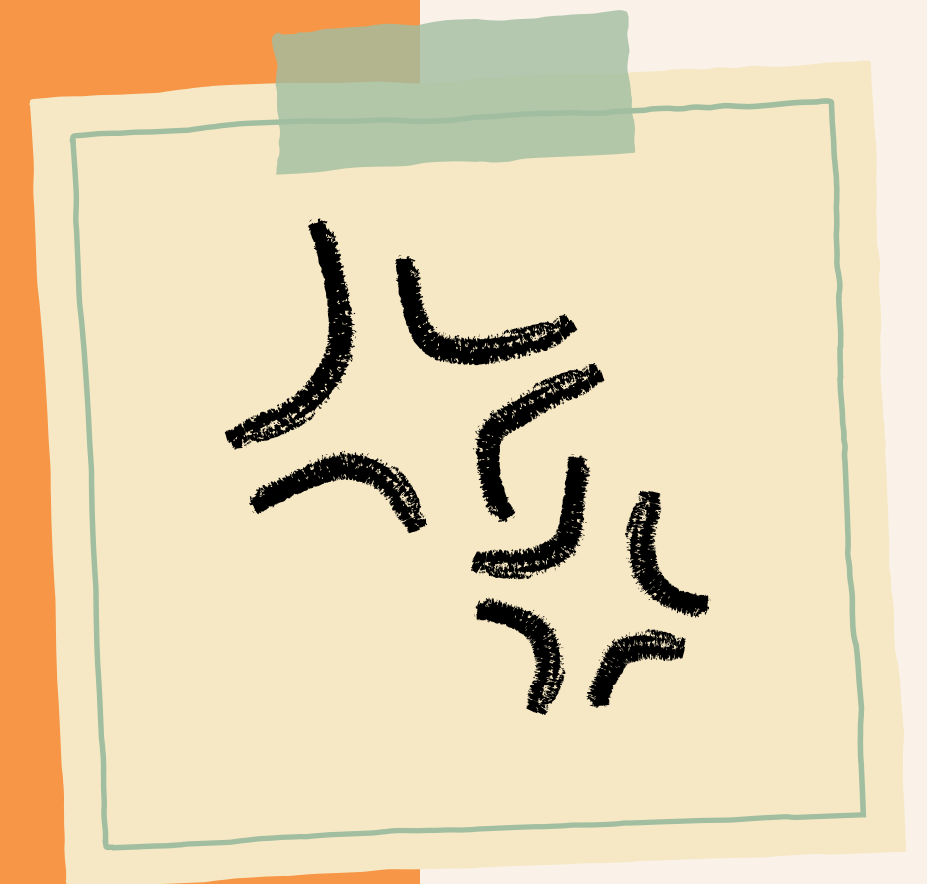
DSA-JC CONDITIONAL OFFER

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  - Eligibility Criteria of **L1R5 ≤ 20** &
  - Requirements on **Core Subjects**

- Student must commit to their chosen school for the duration of the programme.

Aggregate score computation for JC courses

ⓘ L1R5 gross aggregate score
= First Language (L1)+ Relevant Subject 1 (R1) + R2 + R3 + R4 + R5

L1R5	Subjects
L1	English or Higher Mother Tongue Language
R1	Any 1 best-scoring subject from Humanities
R2	Any 1 best-scoring subject from Mathematics or Science
R3	Any 1 best-scoring subject from Humanities, Mathematics or Science
R4, R5	Any 2 best-scoring subjects except Religious Knowledge

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Grade requirements for specific subjects

Subject	Grade
English Language	1-6
Any 1 Mathematics • Mathematics • Additional Mathematics	1-7
Any 1 Mother Tongue Language (MTL) • **MTL:** Chinese, Malay, Tamil • **MTL approved by MOE in lieu of an official MTL (MTL-in-lieu):** Arabic, Bengali, Burmese, French, German, Gujarati, Hindi, Japanese, Punjabi, Thai, Urdu	• **MTL or MTL-in-lieu:** 1-7 • **Higher MTL:** 1-8 • **'B' Syllabus:** Merit or Pass Note: There is no Higher level or 'B' Syllabus for MTL-in-lieu.

DSA-JC WORKSHOP

Conducted **by ECGC, Ms. Yi Ling**

BE NEXT-LEVEL READY:

ECG Counsellor will be organizing DSA-JC Workshop to help students prepare for their applications in April.

Portfolios
• Useful Resources and Links

Things to Bring:

• PLDs
• Write-ups & Portfolio
(Optional - only if you have
started preparing)

DSA-JC ENGAGEMENT WORKSHOPS

Organised **by the JCs**

- Junior Colleges and Millenia Institutes will organize and conduct DSA Engagement Workshops for students to attend to help them with their DSA applications.

- Workshops will take place in May.

- Check out the JCs/MI school websites for their workshop's information.

EAE-POLY

EAE-POLY PROCESS

01

Application

Write-up

3ʳᵈ week of Jun

02

Selection

Aptitude-Test/
Interview / Portfolio
Interviews

Jul to Aug

03

Offer & Acceptance

Sep

04

Withdrawal

Sep/ Oct

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MINIMUM ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (MER)

ELR2B2 is 26 points or better

EL = English

R2 = Relevant subjects

B2 = Best 2 subjects

Courses	Course Code	Aggregate Type	Net ELR2B2 Range for Previous (2023) JAE	Minimum Entry Requirements	
Tourism & Resort Management [With a choice of 1-year JobReady Programme or Business Digitalisation Track or 1-semester Tourism Startup Internship Project in the final year]	N72	ELR2B2-B	10 to 15	Subject a) English Language b) Mathematics (Elementary/Additional) c) Any one of the 2nd group of Relevant Subjects for the ELR2B2-B Aggregate Type	Grade 1-6 1-6 1-6
ENGINEERING					
Aerospace Engineering ② ③ ⑤ **Specialisations:** • Avionics • Mechanical	N65	ELR2B2-C	9 to 18	Subject a) English Language b) Mathematics (Elementary/Additional) c) Any one of the following subjects:	Grade 1-7 1-6 1-6
Biomedical Engineering ② ③ ⑤	N60	ELR2B2-C	6 to 11	• Biology • Biotechnology • Chemistry • Computing / Computer Studies • Design & Technology • Electronics / Fundamentals of Electronics	
Common Engineering Programme ② ③ ⑤ At the end of the first year, students will opt for Diploma courses from one of the following tracks:	N71	ELR2B2-C	7 to 24	• Physics • Science (Chemistry, Biology) • Science (Physics, Biology) • Science (Physics, Chemistry)	
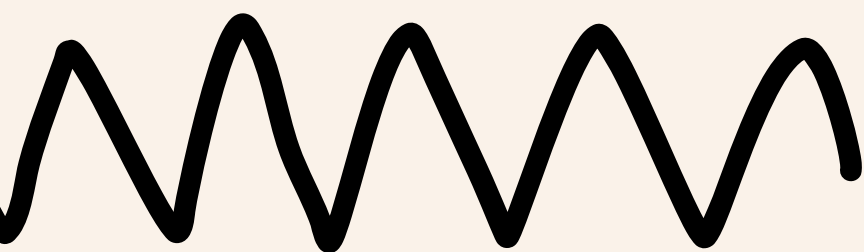
AGGREGATE TYPE EXPLAINED

Poly courses are categorised into 4 group types:

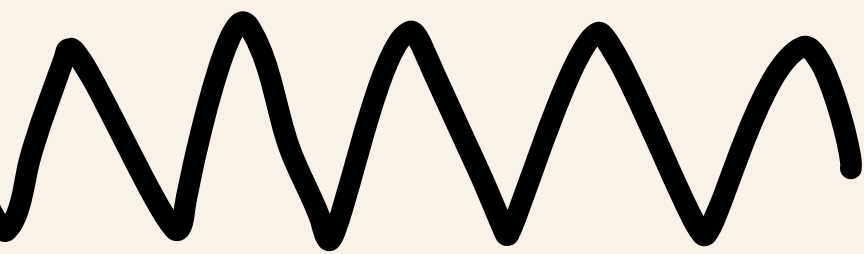Type A – Humanities, Language related

Type B – Business related

Type C – Engineering, Science, InfoComm related

Type D – Design and media related

For the full list of aggregate types,

visit https://www.moe.gov.sg/post-

secondary/admissions/jae/polytechnics

ELR2B2-A	Subjects
EL	English Language
R2 (1st Group of Relevant Subjects)	Any 1 best-scoring relevant subject: • 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

R2 (2nd Group of Relevant Subjects)	Any 1 best-scoring relevant subject: • Additional Mathematics • Art • Business Studies • Chinese • Combined Humanities • Creative 3D Animation • Design & Technology • Design Studies • Economics • Elementary Mathematics • Food & Nutrition/Nutrition & Food Science • Geography • Higher Art • Higher Chinese • Higher Malay • Higher Music • Higher Tamil • 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

HOW TO APPLY?

- The student can submit application at a **centralized portal**: https://eae.polytechnic.edu.sg/

- Check the individual poly websites for more details on EAE Application Guide

EAE POLY WORKSHOP

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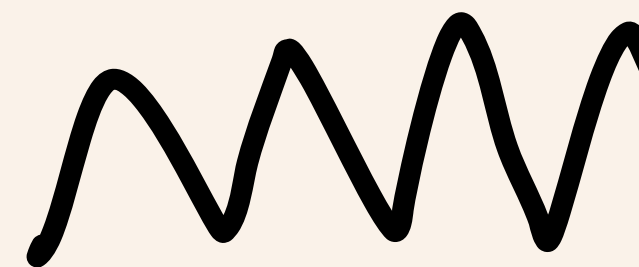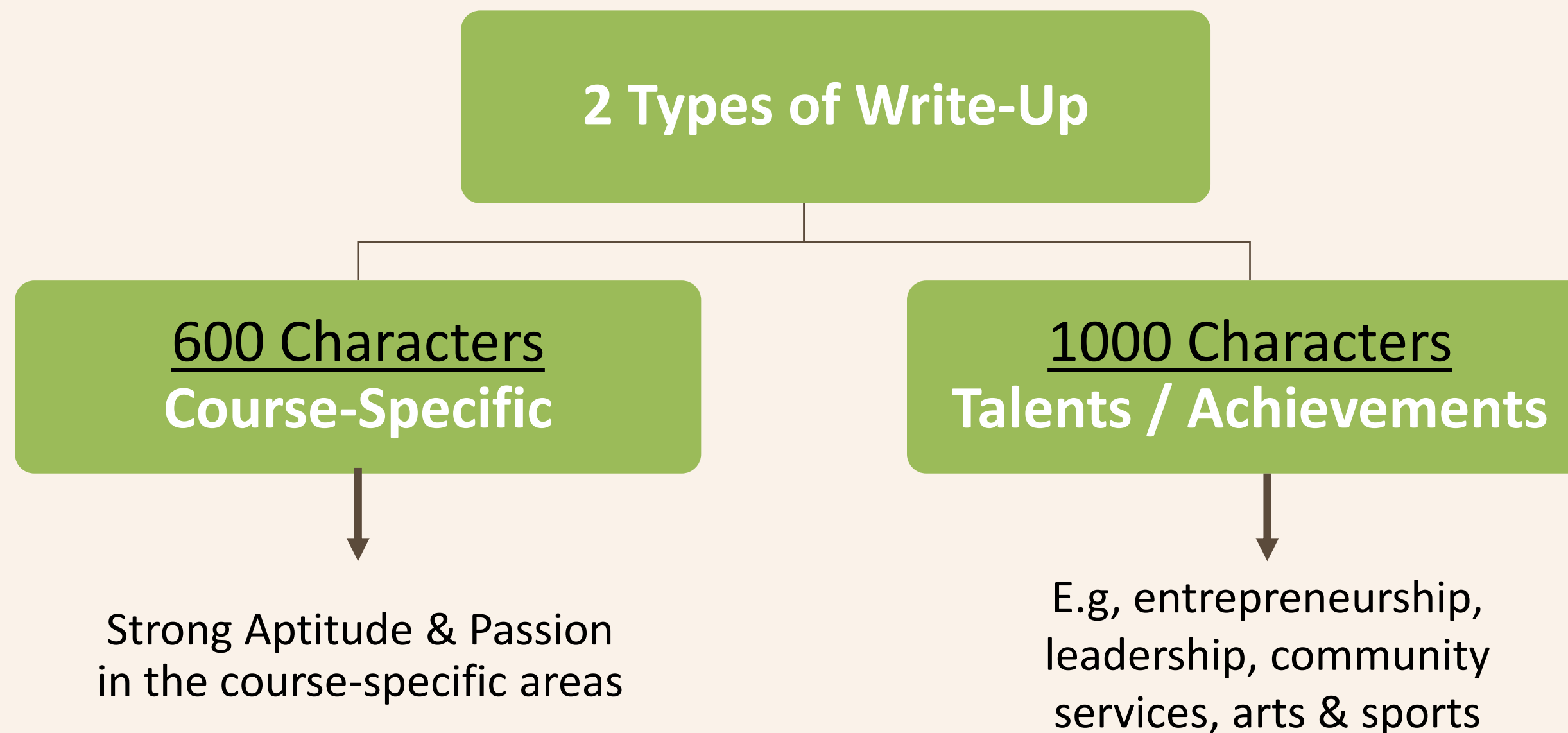
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EAE POLY WORKSHOPS

Organised by the polytechnics

- All polytechnics will organize and conduct EAE Preparation Workshops for students to attend to help them with their EAE-Poly applications.

- Workshops will take place in May/June.

- Check out the polytechnic websites for their workshops' information.

ONLINE APPLICATION WRITE-UP

2 Types of Write-Up

**600 Characters
Course-Specific**

**1000 Characters
Talents / Achievements**

Strong Aptitude & Passion
in the course-specific areas

E.g, entrepreneurship,
leadership, community
services, arts & sports
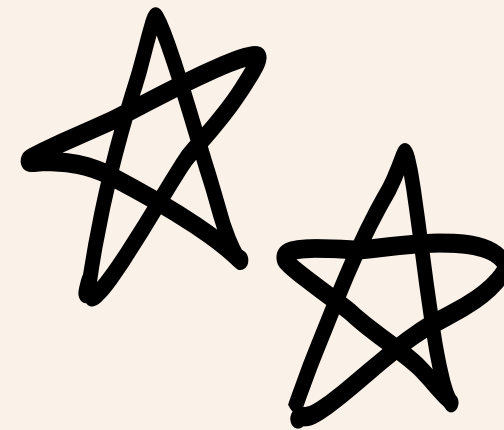
PORTFOLIO – WHAT TO INCLUDE

Category*	Examples
Academic Achievements	Top in English Language and Geography for Level in 2021
Non-Academic Achievements	Edusave Character Award 2023
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 – eg. Arts	Art pieces, written articles, grading certificates, record of performance
Skills – IT, Language	Created websites, mobile application, foreign language proficiency certificates
Recommendation letters / Testimonials	From teachers, employers

*To fill in details as relevant as possible to their course application. If an example used is not directly linked to the course of application, it will be helpful to add in a brief description on the learning points achieved through the event/example and link it to the course of application.

EAE-POLY CONDITIONAL OFFER

- If the student has received a conditional offer, he/she **must indicate acceptance of the posting** by the deadline **<u>via the EAE portal</u>**.

- If the student changes his/her mind after accepting the posting, he/she must withdraw by submitting online at the EAE portal by the withdrawal deadline.
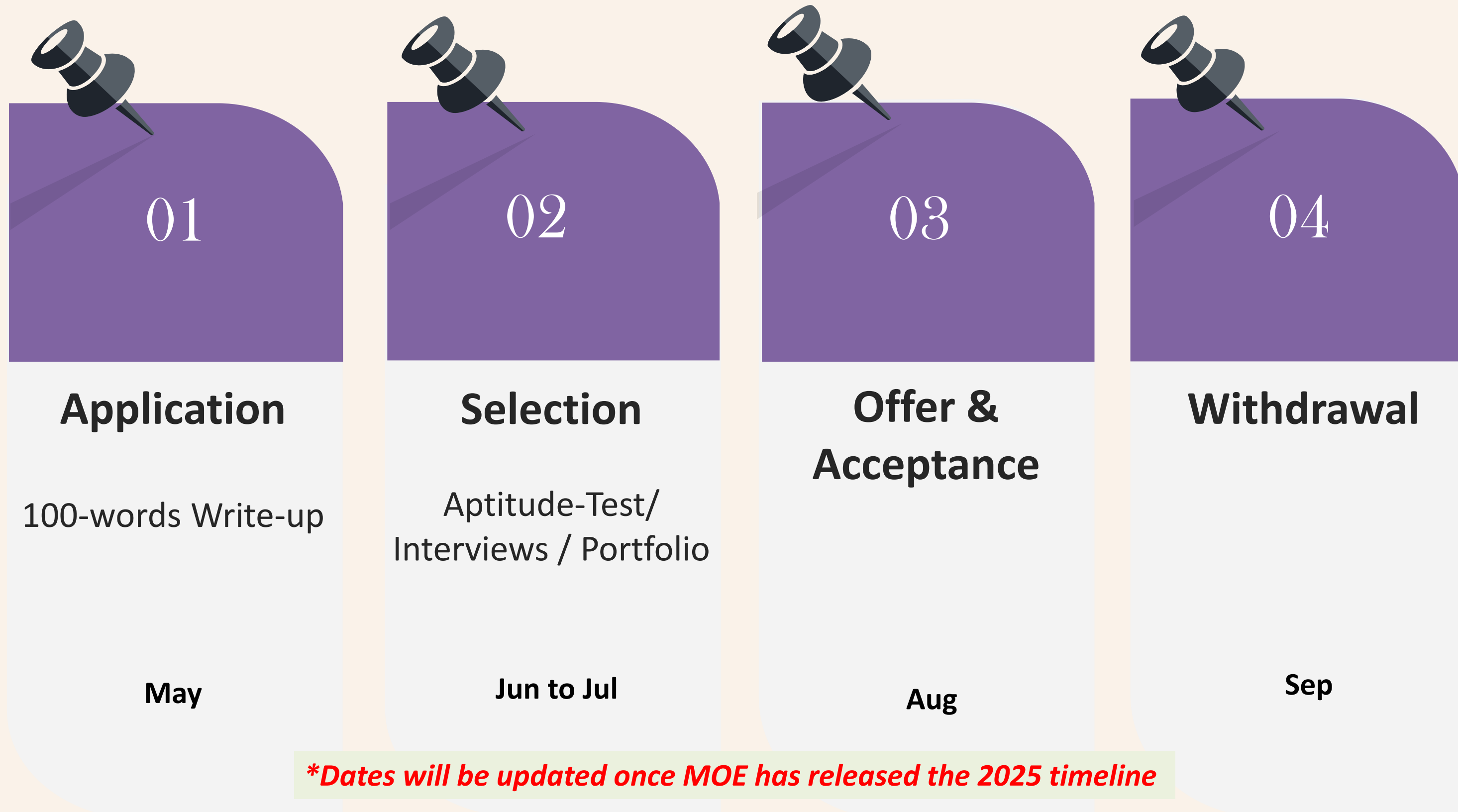
EAE-ITE

EAE-ITE PROCESS

DSA JC | EAE Poly | **EAE ITE**

01

Application

100-words Write-up

May

02

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Interviews / Portfolio

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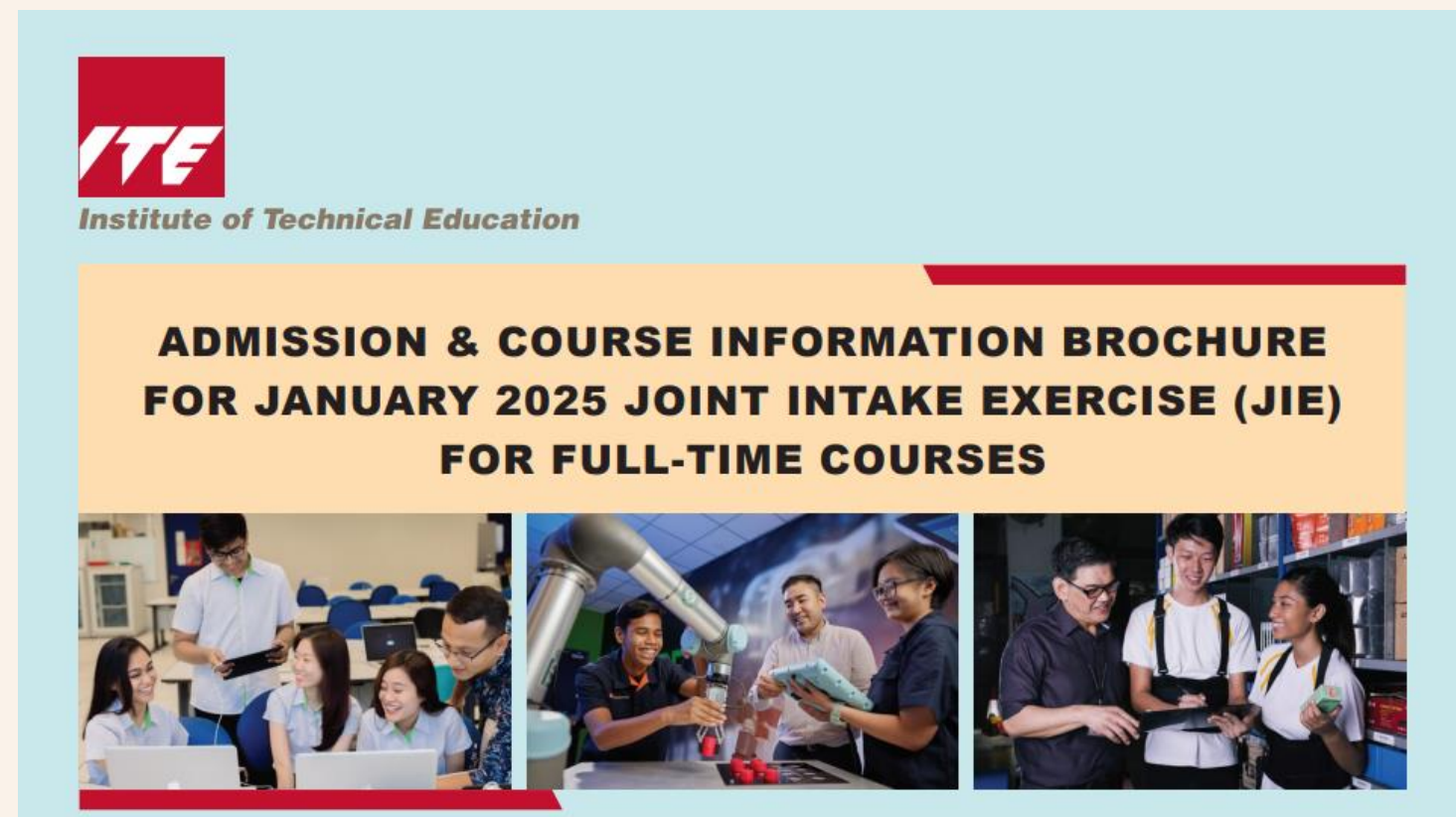
Sep

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EAE-ITE COURSES

Resources:

(1) GCE N Levels JIE Admissions Brochure (2025 Intake)

(2) 3-Year Higher Nitec Courses on ITE Website

ITE website:

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3-Year *Higher Nitec* Courses by School	Course Code	Co... C...
APPLIED & HEALTH SCIENCES		
Applied Food Science ②⑦ NEW	HF3FS	CE-
Bio-Chemical Technology ⑦ NEW	HF3BC	CE-
Chemical Process Technology ②⑦ NEW	HF3CP	CE-
Community Care & Social Services ③⑦ NEW *Applicants have to pass a prescribed medical examination.*	HF3SS	CE-
Opticianry ④⑦ NEW	HF3OP	CE-
Nursing ①⑤⑦ NEW *In view of the nature of work and demands in the healthcare industry, applicants should possess a caring attitude and a resilient mindset with good interpersonal skills. Shortlisted applicants have to attend an interview on-campus scheduled on* **Tue 26 Dec 2023 or Wed 27 Dec 2023** *and pass a prescribed medical examination.*	HF3NS	CE-
BUSINESS & SERVICES		
Accounting ⑦	HF3AC	CC- CE- CW
Business Administration ⑦ NEW	HF3BA	CC- CE- CW
Event Management ⑦ NEW	HF3EV	CC-

2-Year *Nitec* Courses by School	Course Code	College Code	2023 JIE 'N' ITE Aggregate Point (based on 4 subjects)	Minimum Entry Requirements
ENGINEERING				
Aerospace Avionics ①②⑦ *In view of the nature of work in maintenance, repair & overhaul activities, applicant should possess good work attitudes, safety awareness, a sense of responsibility and a strong interest for aviation. Shortlisted applicants have to attend an interview and aptitude test on-campus scheduled on* **Tue 26 Dec 2023 or Wed 27 Dec 2023.**	NFAAZ	CC-AM	13	3 GCE 'N' Passes (Grade A-D or Grade 1-5) in Mathematics and two other subjects **Or** 2 GCE 'O' Grades (Grade 1-8) in any two subjects
Aerospace Technology ①②⑦ *In view of the nature of work in maintenance, repair & overhaul activities, applicant should possess good work attitudes, safety awareness, a sense of responsibility and a strong interest for aviation. Shortlisted applicants have to attend an interview and aptitude test on-campus scheduled on* **Tue 26 Dec 2023 or Wed 27 Dec 2023.**	NFATZ	CC-AM	16	
Electrical Technology (Lighting & Sound) ②⑦	NFELL	CE-SM CW-CK	15 15	
Electrical Technology (Power & Control) ②⑦	NFELP	CE-SM CW-CK	16 15	
Aerospace Machining Technology ⑦	NFAMZ	CC-AM	15	3 GCE 'N' Passes (Grade A-D or Grade 1-5) in Mathematics or Science* and two other subjects **Or** 2 GCE 'O' Grades (Grade 1-8) in any two subjects
Digital & Precision Engineering ⑦	NFDPE	CC-AM	16	
Mechatronics & Robotics ②⑦	NFMCR	CC-AM CW-CK	16 15	
Rapid Transit Technology ②⑦	NFRTZ	CW-CK	15	* Mobile Robotics, Smart Electrical Technology, Mechanical Design & Automation, IoT Applications and Mobile Web Applications subjects can be used in lieu of Science for admission to these *Nitec* courses

COURSE-SPECIFIC SKILLS

Course-Specific Skills & Qualities for ITE EAE Applications

https://www.ite.edu.sg/docs/default-source/full-time-intake-pages-content/full-time-intake-exercises/eae/ite-eae-course-specific-skills-and-qualities-eae.pdf?sfvrsn=f710ad0e_2

ITE EAE (2025 Intake)
Full-Time 3-Year *Higher Nitec* Courses & Entry Requirements

GCE 'N' / GCE 'O' Level students can apply for the following full-time 3-year Higher National ITE Certificate (*Higher Nitec*) courses.

3-Year *Higher Nitec* Courses By School	Course Code	College Code	Minimum Entry Requirements
HEALTH SCIENCES			
Community Care & Social Services ②③ *Successful students who are enrolled into the course have to pass a prescribed medical examination.*	HF3SS	CE-SM	3 GCE 'N' Passes (Grade A-D or Grade 1-5) in Mathematics or Science* and two other subjects **Or** 2 GCE 'O' Grades (Grade 1-8) in any two subjects
Opticianry ②④	HF3OP	CE-SM	* Mobile Robotics, Smart Electrical Technology, IoT Applications, Mechanical Design & Automation, Mobile Web Applications subjects can be used in lieu of Science for admission to these 3-year *Higher Nitec* courses
Nursing ②③⑤ *Successful students who are enrolled into the course have to pass a prescribed medical examination.*	HF3NS	CE-SM	3 GCE 'N' Passes (Grade A-D or Grade 1-5) in English Language, Mathematics and one other subject **Or** 2 GCE 'O' Grades (Grade 1-8) in any two subjects
BUSINESS & SERVICES			
Accounting ②	HF3AC	CC-AM CE-SM CW-CK	
Business Administration ② Specialisations: • Financial Services: CC-AM, CE-SM • Human Resource: CC-AM, CE-SM, CW-CK	HF3BA	CC-AM CE-SM CW-CK	
Customer Experience ② (NEW)	HF3CX	CW-CK	

Source: ITE

GET READY BEFORE APPLYING

1. **Personal particulars**
   – Contact details (email address/mobile phone/home address)

2. **School Information**
   – College code (e.g. ITE CC)

3. **Write-up**
   – 100-word write-up for **each** course (up to 3 courses)

4. **Talents & Achievements**
   – CCA awards , Community Service, Leadership positions, Sports or Arts awards

5. **Portfolio**
   – Course-specific Skills & Qualities
   – Soft copies of results, certificates, etc. (pdf or jpg)

WRITE-UP & TALENTS/ ACHIEVEMENTS

Write-Up

100-word
Course-Specific

Talents & Achievements

CONFIRMATION OF CONDITIONAL OFFER

- Meet the Minimum Entry Requirements (MERs) for the course you have been offered under ITE EAE.

- The MERs for each course can be found in the
  - ITE website
  - JIE Booklet

EAE ITE WORKSHOP

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INTERVIEW PREPARATION WORKSHOP

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After June Holidays

1-hr Interview Preparation Workshop

To be covered:
- *How to prepare for an interview*
- *Common Interview Questions*
- *How to ace an interview*

Stage	DSA JC	EAE Poly	EAE ITE
Application Period	Starts early May (check individual JC websites for application periods)	3rd week of June	3rd week of May
What to prepare and submit?	• Personal Statement (word-limit varies from JC to JC, only required for some JCs) • Prepare Portfolio (only required for some JCs)	• 600-**characters** write-up per course • 1000-**characters** write-up on talent/achievements (optional) • Prepare Portfolio	• 100-**words** write-up per course • Prepare Portfolio
How to Apply?	Apply directly to individual JCs	Submit application at centralized portal: https://eae.polytechnic.edu.sg	Submit application at centralized portal: https://istudent.ite.edu.sg/psp/csprd/?cmd=login
Selection (Interview/ Portfolio Presentation/ Aptitude Tests)	Jun to Sep	Jul to Aug	July
Outcome	Aug/Sep	Sep	Aug
Offer Acceptance/ Withdrawal Stage	Aug to Oct	Sep to Oct	Sep

THANK YOU