

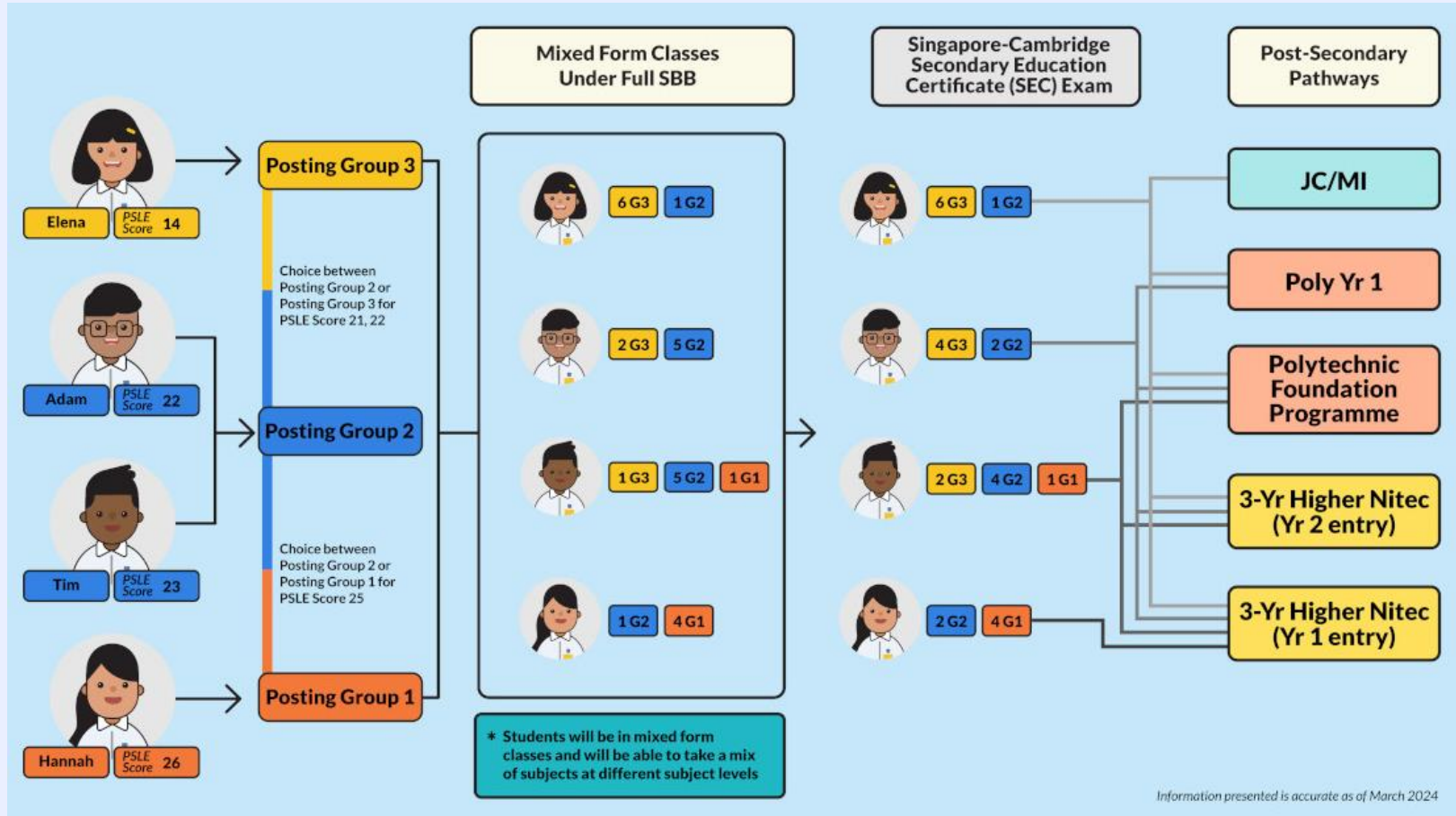
2026 Subject Offering

Parents' Engagement Session
1 August 2025

Programme Outline

Time	Programme
2:50pm – 3:00pm	Check in
3:00pm – 3:40pm	Mass briefing 1) Change in Educational Landscape 2) Tips In Guiding Your Child
3:40pm – 3:50pm	Admin instructions
3:50pm – 5:00pm	Library: Blue and Green stickers Computer Lab 1: Yellow stickers

Change in Educational Landscape



One Common Exam in 2027

Singapore-Cambridge Examination Certificate

- From 2027, the new Singapore-Cambridge Secondary Examination Certificate (SEC) will replace both N- and O-Level examinations.
- All graduating students will sit for the SEC examinations together, at their respective subject levels (G1/G2/G3) and all will get their results in January the following year.

September	Mid – October
Written papers for English Language and Mother Tongue Language i.e. Only 1 exam sitting for all MTL subject levels, including Higher MTL.	Written papers for all other subjects

Tips In Guiding Your Child



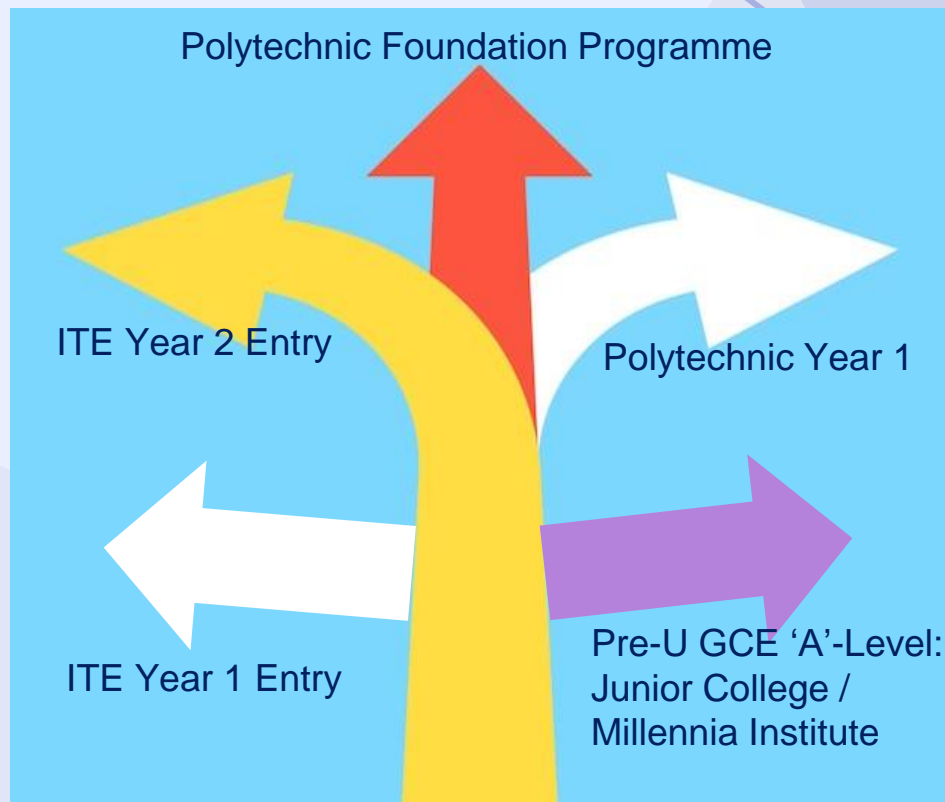
- Who am I?
- Where do I want to go?
- What subjects do I need to choose?

Multiple Post-Secondary Progression Possibilities: from 2028 onwards

Multiple post-secondary possibilities for child to achieve aspirations

Based on combinations of subjects and subject levels they take at the Singapore-Cambridge Secondary Education Certificate exam at Sec 4.

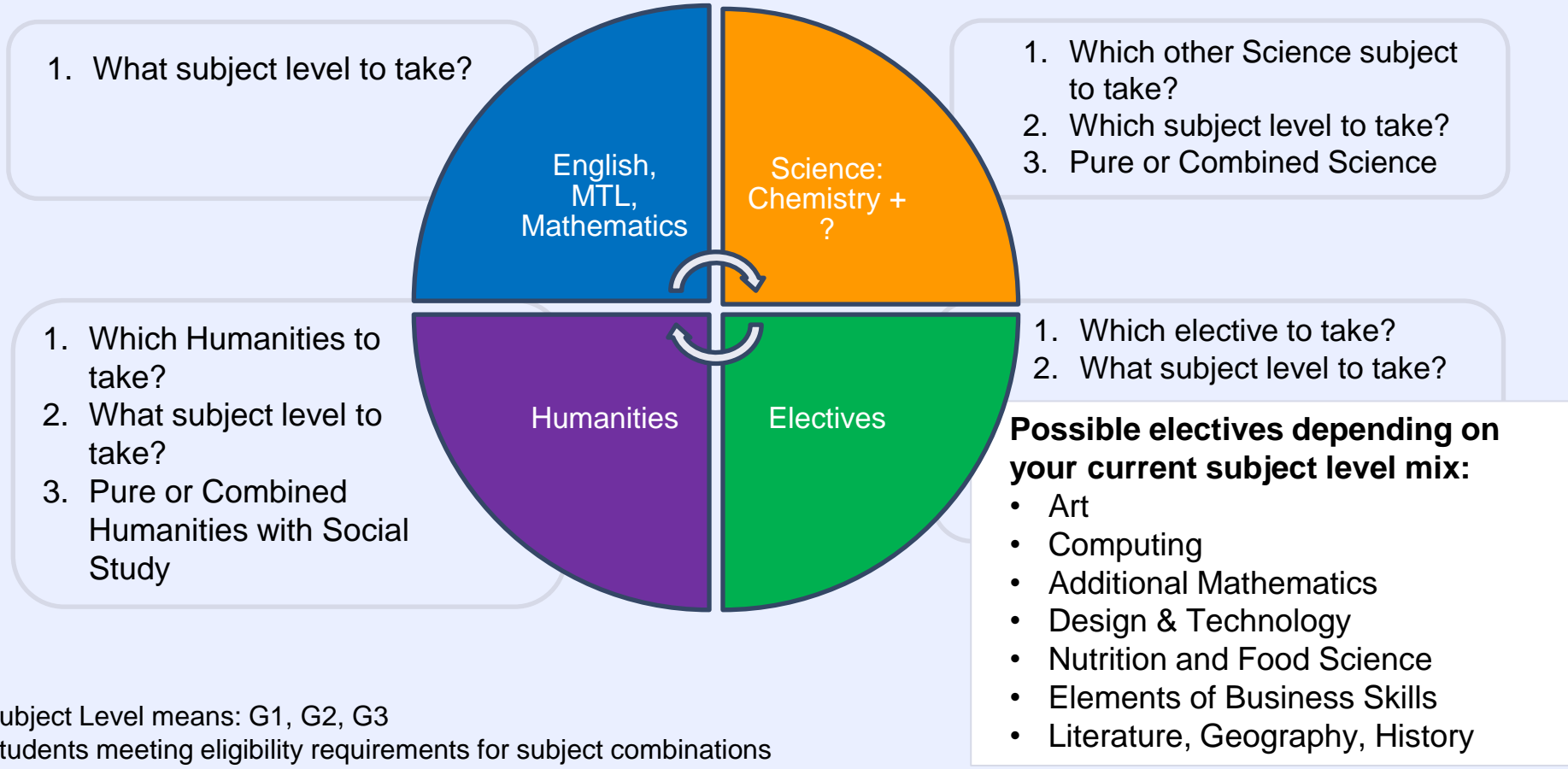
Is There A BEST Path?



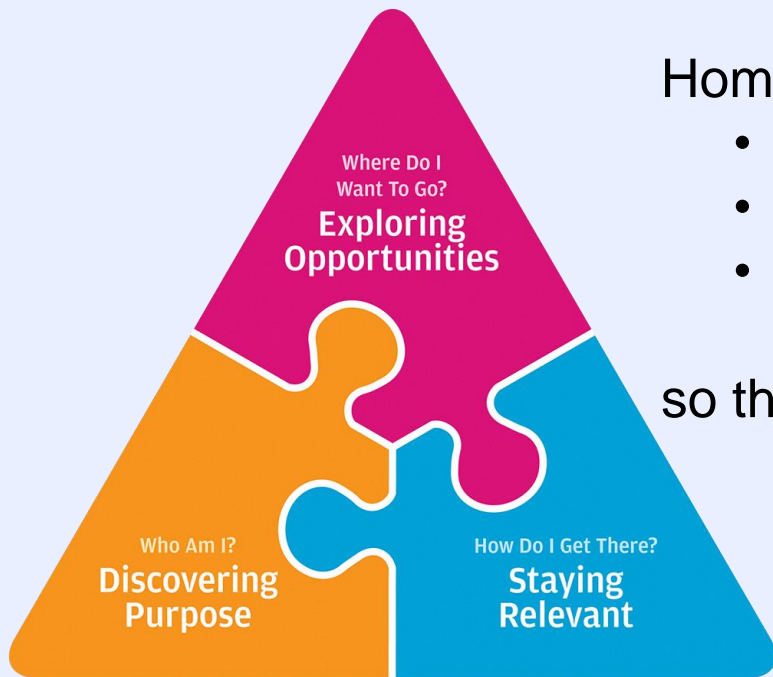
Graduate from Northbrooks Secondary from 2027

What Do Child Need To Choose?

Depending on child's current subject level mix, child selects a combination of 5 to 7 upper secondary subjects



Guiding Child To Select Subject Combination



Home-School Partnership, we guide your child to

- develop their **life purpose**,
- explore **opportunities**, and
- stay **relevant**,

so that they can ***define their own success***

Education & Career Guidance



Question 1: 'Who Am I?'

Values, Interest, Personality,
Strength/Skills, Learning Style,
Purpose



What are your favourite subjects and co-curricular activities? What do you like about them?

What do you think your strength / skills are?
What do your friends and teachers think your strength / skills are?

How would you want to make a difference in our community?



Question 2: 'Where Do I Want To Go?'



What industries and careers you are curious in?

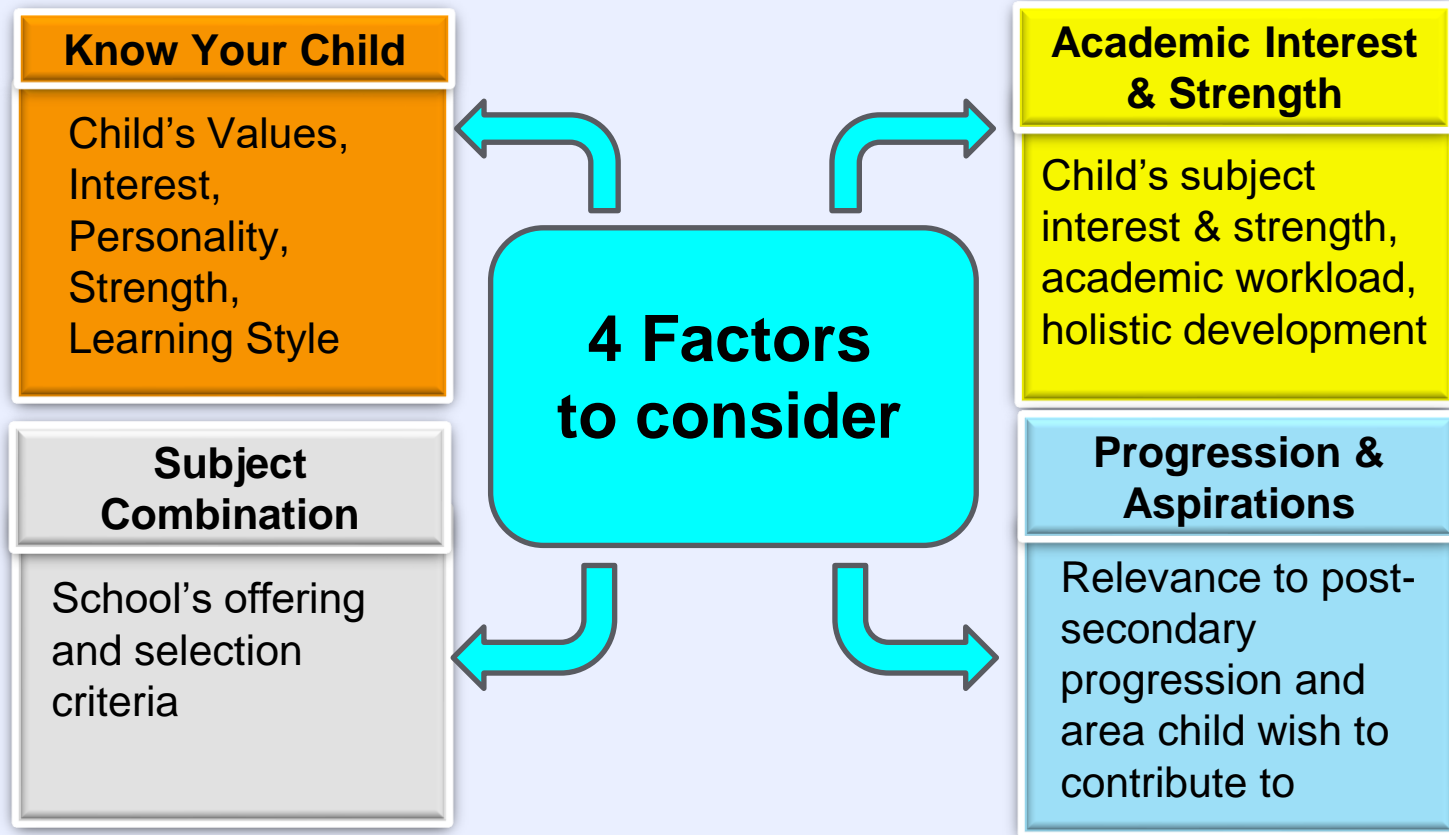
Which are the post-secondary pathways you would like to find out more?

How do you think you can get the relevant experience in the industries or careers you are interested in?

How would you like me to support you?



Factors To Consider In Selecting Subject Combination



Select a subject combination that aligns to your child's Values, Interest, Personality, Strength, aspirations, and learning style, and be open to multiple post-secondary progression possibilities.

Child-Centric Decision

Thriving and chasing his dream in film and video production

Sheraz, Graduate Class of 2024

Interest, strength, aspirations, learning style

Received
N-Level
Results



Re-evaluate
options



Dec 2024

Jan 2025

Mid Jan
2025

Enrolled into
Sec 5 to take
O-level

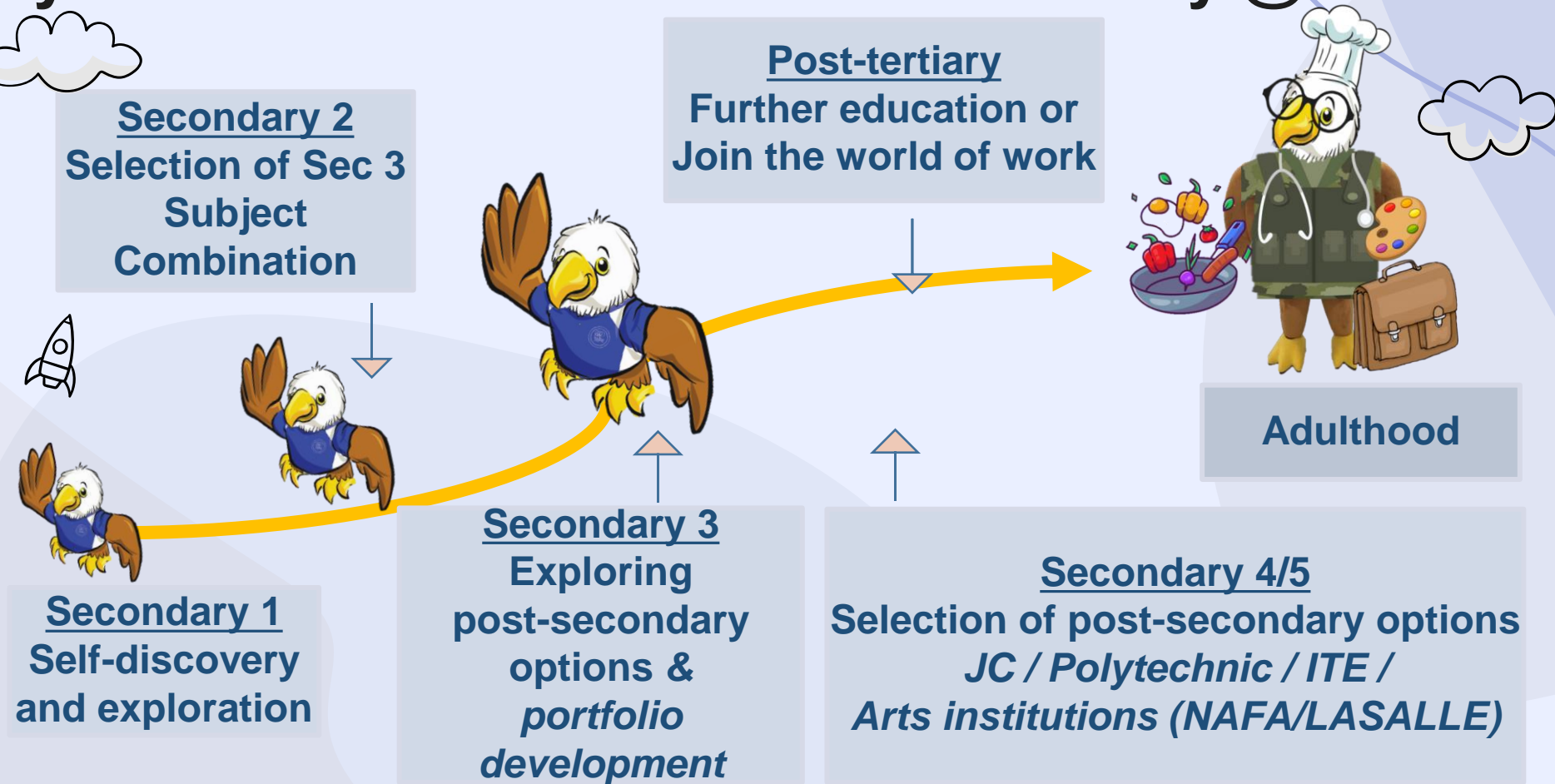
Applied & enrolled into
ITE 3-Year Higher
Nitec in Film & Video
Production



‘My parents slowly gave in as they realised that maybe allowing me to **pursue something I am interested and passionate** about can be a good option **as I can thrive** rather than settle for something that is conventional but risk not doing well.’

- Have a conversation with your child and not imposing on them
- Be open, understand and explore your child's interest and passion
- Give child the freedom to make certain decisions as it is their futures - builds a sense of accountability
- Recognise different students have different learning styles. Not being strong academically in secondary school does not mean they cannot thrive in tertiary education
- Show your support, affirmation and love

My Education & Career Guidance Journey @ NBRSS



Education & Career Guidance Support For Your Child

Every Mon & Wed

★ 1:1 and Small Group
ECG Counselling

★ Workshops

★ Talks

★ Share industries &
education resources

Increase Awareness Of Interest & Strength



Explore Industries and Careers



Right-Sizing Subjects Combination

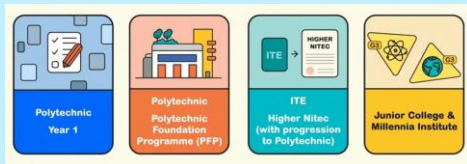


Explore Post-Secondary Plans



Parent-Child ECG Resources

Post-Secondary Pathways under Full SBB



Parents can access the video at <https://go.gov.sg/moe-fsbb-postsec>

Polytechnic Foundation Programme

The PFP is a 1-year diploma-specific programme that offers eligible students a practice-based preparatory pathway to a polytechnic education at one of the five polytechnics.



Figure out what to study or future career goals with On My Way

Learn about the different jobs and industries, connect with schooling seniors and industry professionals and get a taster of various job roles.

Get started →



Leverage the 'MySkillsFuture' portal (Secondary) and 'Discover On My Way' website to explore post-secondary courses, industries and careers. Parents can access the portal at: <https://go.gov.sg/mysfsec> and <https://discover.nyc.gov.sg/omw>

Parent-Child Conversation Starter



This parent resource contains tips and advice on ECG and suggests how parents can support their children throughout their key education stages. Parents can access the soft copy at: <https://go.gov.sg/tips-for-parents>



Follow ECG IG [@explore.ecg!](https://www.instagram.com/explore.ecg) For weekly parenting tips



ECG Padlet for Ms Hwee Hoon, ECG Counsellor contact, appointment link and ECG resources. Parents can access at: <https://go.gov.sg/ecg-resource>

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Breakout Session

Yellow sticker – Computer Lab 1

Blue and Green stickers – Library Hall