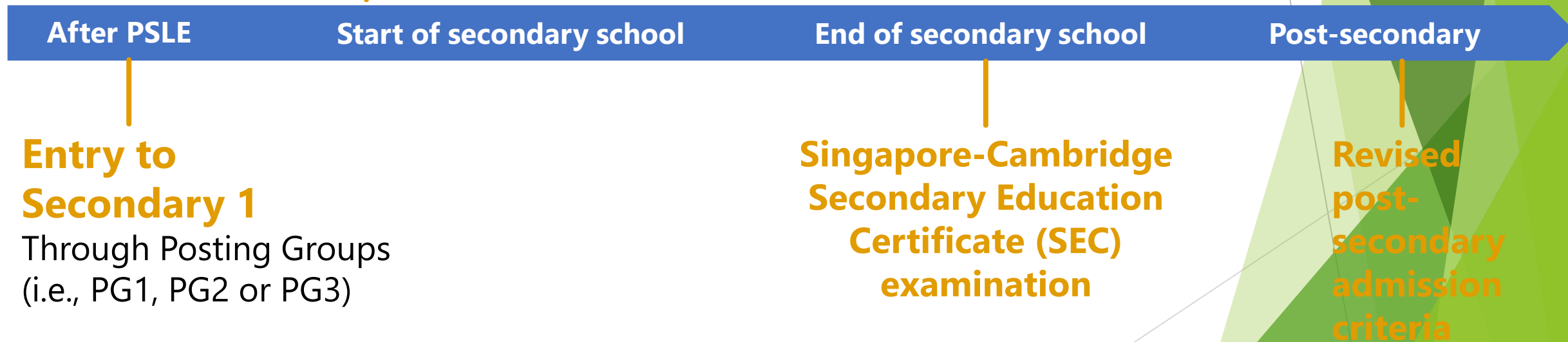


Overview of Full SBB

Secondary school experience

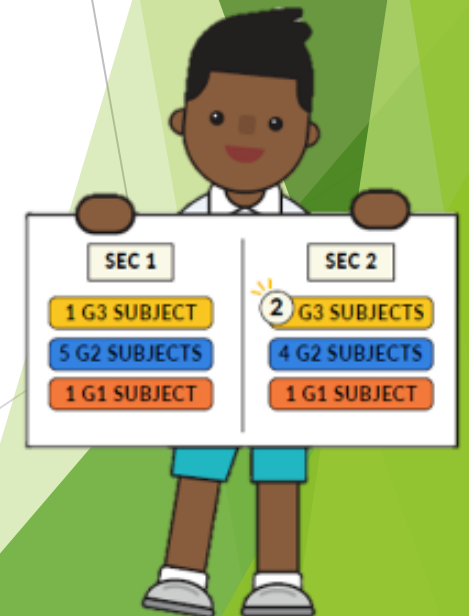
1. Mixed form classes upon entering secondary school
2. Common curriculum subjects at lower secondary
3. Subjects to be offered at G1, G2 or G3, mapped from the standards of the N(T), N(A) and Express subject levels respectively
4. Greater flexibility to offer subjects at various subject levels
5. Shift away from stream-based subject offerings



Subject Levels under Full SBB

- Students are required to take compulsory subjects at G1, G2 or G3.
- Subject level at the start of Secondary 1 is based on their PSLE Score and indicated by Posting Groups.

PSLE Score	Posting Groups	Indicative level for most subjects at start of Secondary 1
4 – 20	PG3	G3
21 and 22	PG2 or PG3	G2 or G3
23 and 24	PG2	G2
25	PG1 or PG2	G1 or G2
26 – 30 (with AL 7 in EL and MA)	PG1	G1



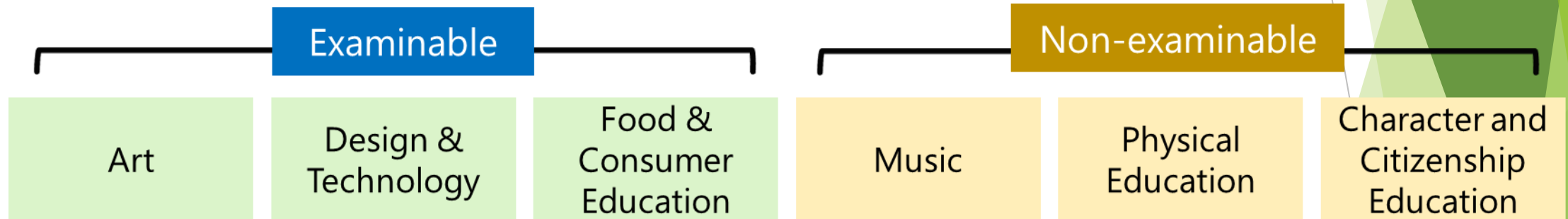
Curriculum Guidelines

Intent:

w.e.f. 2024 Sec 1 cohort

Ensures that students have a strong foundation in lower secondary

- Students are required to take **English Language, Mathematics, Science, Mother Tongue Languages, Humanities and Common Curriculum subjects** in lower secondary



- At the start of Sec 1, students will offer **English Language, Mathematics, Science, Mother Tongue Languages, Humanities subjects** at the **subject level** (i.e. G1, G2 or G3) determined by their PSLE Score
 - Eligible students may offer the subject(s) at a more or less demanding level

Offering Subjects at a More Demanding Level

Intent:

Enable greater customisation based on students' interests, strengths and learning needs

w.e.f. 2024 Sec 1 cohort

- Eligibility criteria to take subjects at a more demanding level, at the start of Sec 1:

<u>PSLE subjects</u> (English Language, Mathematics, Science, Mother Tongue Languages)			
Indicative level of most subjects at start of Sec 1	PSLE Standard grade	PSLE Foundation grade	Option to offer subject at
G1	AL 5 or better	-	G3 / G2
	AL 6	AL A	G2
G2	AL 5 or better	-	G3

<u>Higher Mother Tongue Languages</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AL 1/AL 2 in Mother Tongue Language; or • Distinction/Merit in Higher Mother Tongue Language

w.e.f. 2026 Sec 1 cohort

Note: Students will take Humanities subjects at the subject level corresponding to their indicative level of most subjects at start of Sec 1

Full Subject-Based Banding (fSBB)

- Eligible students from PG 1 and 2 can offer English Language, Mother Tongue Languages, Mathematics and Science at a more demanding level based on their PSLE Achievement Level (AL) for each of these subjects. These students will receive an offer letter via Parents Gateway by **22 Dec 2025 (Monday) at 10.00am.** Parents should accept or reject the offer directly on the Parents Gateway app by **26 Dec 2025 (Friday) at 6.00 pm.**
- As we will need to allocate students into form classes and subject classes by the first day of school, late replies will not be considered. If no reply is received, the offer is deemed as not accepted.
- Should you have queries, please email Mr. Richmond Ang at Richmond_ang_dy@moe.edu.sg.
- ***Eligibility***
 - Option to take subject at G3 level - AL5 or better in a Standard level subject
 - Option to take subject at G2 level - AL6 or better in a Standard level subject
OR AL A in a Foundation level subject

Offering MTL at a Less Demanding Level

Intent: Students with difficulties coping with the subject have the option to offer MTL at a less demanding level based on their performance at the PSLE.

- Eligibility criteria to take subjects at a less demanding level, at the start of Sec 1:

Indicative level of most subjects at start of Sec 1	PSLE Standard grade	PSLE Foundation grade	Option to offer subject at
G3	AL 6	AL A	G2
	AL 7-8	AL B-C	G1 or G2
G2	AL 7-8	AL B-C	G1

Note: Students who have met the above PSLE MTL grade criteria can choose to offer MTL at-level if they prefer.

Students who wish to offer MTL at a less demanding level must email Mr. Richmond Ang at Richmond_ang_dy@moe.edu.sg by **26 December 2025 (6.00pm).**