

# Cluster Schools CCA Collaboration 2024 (For Secondary One Students 2024)

## Synopsis

Co-curricular Activity (CCA) is a key component of students' holistic education. Through CCA, students discover their interests and talents. CCAs also provide platforms for students to develop their character, learn values, social emotional competencies and other relevant skills to prepare them for future challenges.

CCAs bring students from diverse backgrounds together. By learning and interacting with one another, students develop friendships and deepen their sense of belonging to the school and community.

In order to offer a broader range of CCAs to cater for diverse student interests, the Secondary One Students in 2024 are able to select <u>one</u> of the following CCAs that are offered by the cluster schools as one of their CCA options\* in their CCA option form, subject to availability. This collaboration encourages students from different schools to interact and collaborate, fostering a sense of community beyond their immediate school environment.

Loyang	CCA 1	CCA 2
View Secondary	Girl Guides	Boys Brigade
School		
	The Girl Guides aim to be the voice of girls and young women who influence issues they care about and build a better world.	Aligned with the mission of the Boys' Brigade and our school's core values, the Boys' Brigade (BB) 17th Singapore Company runs engaging programmes to
	The Girl Guides develop girls and young women to their fullest potential as responsible citizens of the world.	develop our Boys into gracious and responsible leaders, imbued with a heart for adventure and community service. Activities focus on inculcating an
	Girl Guide activities are designed to prepare them to be independent and handle challenges with a sense of confidence.	adventurous and a rugged spirit include kayaking, rock climbing, abseiling and archery.
	Loyang View Girl Guides Company has consistently achieved the Puan Noor Aishah (PNA) Gold Award since 2016.	Annual key events include an overnight camp and hike where Boys experience communal living and develop timeless values like teamwork. The annual participation in BB Share-a-Gift project is an avenue for service and care. Loyang View Boys Brigade Company has consistently achieved the JMF Gold award since 2015.



Pasir Ris Crest Secondary School

#### CCA 1

Fencing

#### CCA 2

#### St John Brigade (SJB)



Founded in 2001, PRCS Fencing Club aims nurture respectful, to responsible, and disciplined young men and women. Supported by a team of dedicated coaches, the training regime at PRCS Fencing Club goes beyond the blade to help our fencers discover what they are gifted at. While the development of skills, agility and coordination are important, PRCS Fencing Club also firmly believes character building will help realise the full potential of all PRCS fencers.

## **CCA Training and Highlights**

Every training session begins with a mass warm-up, followed by intensive mass footwork and hand-drills under the coaches' instruction. Coaches also engage in one-to-one training with our fencers or pit them against one another to further hone their skills.

#### **Expectations of CCA**

We expect 100% commitment from every selected fencer who chooses Fencing as their choice CCA. All Sec 1 fencers should be adequately skilled in their assigned weapon and ready for their first competition towards the end of the year. Selection for representation in competitions is carried out by the teachers and coaches. We select students based on their consistency in training, skills, attitude and conduct. All students are expected to possess the drive to achieve in all competitions.



SJB aims to develop its cadets into well-rounded individuals who exhibit traits such as responsibility, empathy, communication skills, and the ability to inspire and guide others. The cadets apply the five key leadership practices from the Leadership Challenge model (developed by James Kouzes and Barry Posner) as they participate in CCA activities to develop and strengthen their leadership competencies.

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The cadets will learn life-saving skills such as first aid knowledge and the practical use of the Automated External Defibrillator (AED) to render assistance and help save lives as they will be the first in line to do so at home, in school and the community. The cadets have opportunities to attend first aid certification courses which are recognised world-wide.

Our CCA programme also includes other learning opportunities, such as Values in Action (VIA) projects, learning journeys and Education and Career Guidance (ECG) talks.

### **Expectations of CCA**

No prior skills and knowledge are required. SJB cadets are expected to be well with no serious medical conditions (due to some training being physically demanding), disciplined, committed and responsible.

**CCA Schedule** 

School	CCA Days	Timing
Loyang View Secondary School	Thursdays and selected Saturdays (Girl Guides and Boys Brigade)	From 1500hrs to 1800hrs
Hai Sing Catholic School	Tuesdays, Thursdays and selected Saturdays (St John Brigade)	From 1500hrs to 1800hrs
Pasir Ris Crest Secondary School	Tuesdays and Thursdays (St John Brigade)	Monday: From 1430 hrs to 1730 hrs Tuesday: From 1530 hrs to 1730
	Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays (Fencing)	Thursday: From 1445 hrs to 1745