

# CCA Orientation Briefing 2024 (Parents)



## **What are CCAs for?**

**Our CCAs aim to develop the students' potential outside of the academic field in the following ways:**

- Provide for physical, social and mental development
- Cultivate desirable values and attitudes
- Inculcate a sense of belonging in school
- Provide opportunities for the development of leadership skills and competencies.
- Cultivate lifelong interests and skills
- Develop healthy lifestyles

# How many CCA sessions are there per week?

- Depending on the CCA selected, the no. of days range from 1 to 3 days.
- The number of days are carefully calibrated to allow enough time for the students to learn their skills well.
- Do keep in mind that your daughter's CCA should be selected based on your daughter's interests, rather than purely on the number of days.
- Interest more important than lesser days.

**Every student must  
participate in at least one  
school-based CCA  
throughout the student's 4  
or 5-year stay in the  
school.**

# Challenges

## **CCAs will take up some of their time.**

It is a good opportunity to learn time management skills, as well as learning how to prioritise the things that need to be done.

## **CCAs will be challenging for them.**

A great chance to develop a Growth Mindset. Encourage them to do their best and persevere on.

## **Some may experience new activities, failure, difficulties.**

Nothing worthwhile ever comes easy. Anything that is easy, is not worthwhile.

## **75% of students achieve an Excellent Grade and 2 Bonus points,**

Students in UGs, Sports and Performing Arts are more likely to gain 2 bonus points

## **What do they need to achieve these 2 bonus points?**

Refer to the student e-handbook.

I will do a briefing for the level later in the year.

Short summary: Attend all CCA sessions, contribute to their CCAs, participate in competitions, do their best

## How can these bonus points be used?

Hit qualifying mark for the type of institution or programme first, then used to differentiate applicants

For example, your daughter would like to get into a course in ITE, Poly or JC that has a cut-off of 15 points.

She scores 15 for your 'N' or 'O' Levels - The lower the better. Similar to the ALs

If she achieves an 'Excellent' for her LEAPS, she can make use of her 2 bonus points. She ends up with 13, instead of 15.

- Good = 1 bonus point

# CCAs offered in CHIJ? (Sports and Games)

Badminton

Basketball

Bowling

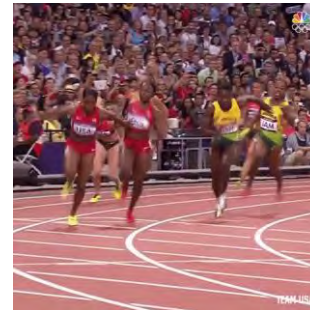
Netball (Sch Team)

Netball Recreational Club

Rhythmic Gymnastics

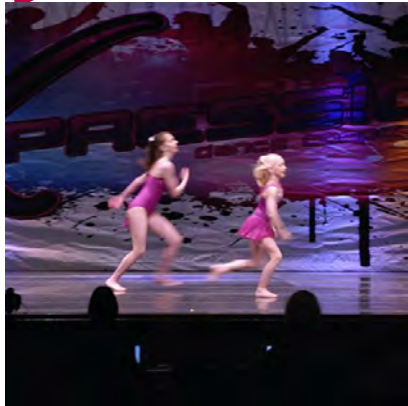
Tennis

Track and Field





# CCAs offered in CHIJ? (Visual & Performing Arts)



Arts Alive!  
Choir  
Concert Band  
Guitar Ensemble  
IJ Dance Ensemble  
IJ Theatre



# CCAs offered in CHIJ? (Uniformed Groups)



Girl Guides

Red Cross Youth

National Cadet Corps  
(Sea)



# CCAs offered in CHIJ? (Clubs & Societies)



Automation and Robotics Club (ARC)  
Debating and Oratory Society

iGROW@IJ

IJ Media Club

IJ Youth Mission

Chinese Cultural Society (华艺社)

Legion of Mary (2nd CCA only)



# What did your daughter experience at each CCA booth?

- The opportunity to ask questions about the CCA or experience some activities that the CCA may involve.
- Even if they were not interested in the activities, they had the opportunity to find out what their classmates will be doing in their CCAs.

# Different CCAs have different entry requirements

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Be sure to know, plan and attend the  
trials/auditions.

**If they did not pass the trial, IT IS VERY VERY  
UNLIKELY you will be allocated to that CCA.**  
**(except for Arts Alive and Media Club)**

| Sports and Games            | Visual & Performing Arts  | Uniformed Groups             | Clubs and Societies                  |
|-----------------------------|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Badminton *                 | Arts Alive! @   | Girl Guides +                | Automation and Robotics Club (ARC) * |
| Basketball *                | Choir *   | Red Cross Youth +            | Chinese Cultural Society (华艺社) #     |
| Bowling *                   | Concert Band +  | National Cadet Corps (Sea) + | Debating & Oratory Society *         |
| Netball (Sch Team) *        | Guitar Ensemble +   |                              | IJ Media Club @                      |
| Netball Recreational Club * | IJ Dance Ensemble *   |                              | iGrow@IJ #                           |
| Rhythmic Gymnastics *       | IJ Theatre *  |                              | IJ Youth Mission #                   |
| Tennis *                    |   |                              | Legion of Mary (2nd CCA)             |
| Track and Field *           |   |                              |                                      |
|                             | * these CCAs require <b><u>ALL</u></b> students to pass trials/auditions.<br>+ these CCAs conduct trials/auditions, but students are NOT required to pass the trials/auditions<br>@ these CCAs require <b><u>SOME</u></b> students to pass trials/auditions<br># these CCAs do not require any trials/auditions |                              |                                      |

# CCA Trials and Auditions Results

[tinyurl.com/CHIJCCATrial2024](https://tinyurl.com/CHIJCCATrial2024)

Only can be seen through moe.edu.sg email address.

Will also be printed out and placed outside the Hall by 22 January 2024 (Monday).

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|----|--|-------|---|-------|
| 1  | Netball Recreational   |       |   |       |
| 2  | <b>Confirmed Offers</b> (Number of names should at least match the MAXIMUM intake) |       | <b>Waiting List</b> (Number of names should be at least 25% of MAXIMUM allowable) |       |
| 3  | Name   | Class | Name  | Class |
| 4  | 1  |       | 1   |       |
| 5  | 2  |       | 2   |       |
| 6  | 3  |       | 3   |       |
| 7  | 4  |       | 4   |       |
| 8  | 5  |       | 5   |       |
| 9  | 6  |       |   |       |
| 10 | 7  |       |   |       |
| 11 | 8  |       |   |       |
| 12 | 9  |       |   |       |
| 13 | 10   |       |   |       |
| 14 | 11   |       |   |       |
| 15 | 12   |       |   |       |
| 16 | 13   |       |   |       |
| 17 | 14   |       |   |       |
| 18 | 15   |       |   |       |



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|    | A  | B  | C     | D | E   | F     | G |
|----|--|--|-------|---|---|-------|---|
| 1  |  | <b>Arts Alive!</b>   |       |   |   |       |   |
| 2  |  | <b>Confirmed Offers</b> (Number of names should at least match the MAXIMUM intake) |       |   | <b>Waiting List</b> (Number of names should be at least 25% of MAXIMUM allowable) |       |   |
| 3  |  | Name   | Class |   | Name  | Class |   |
| 4  | 1  |  |       | 1 |   |       |   |
| 5  | 2  |  |       | 2 |   |       |   |
| 6  | 3  |  |       | 3 |   |       |   |
| 7  | 4  |  |       |   |   |       |   |
| 8  | 5  |  |       |   |   |       |   |
| 9  | <b>5 spaces in CCA (out of 15) reserved for portfolio submission</b> |  |       |   |   |       |   |
| 10 | Remainder of students will be allocated by ballot.                   |  |       |   |   |       |   |
| 11 |  |  |       |   |   |       |   |
| 12 |  |  |       |   |   |       |   |



|    | A  | B   | C       | D  | E    | F     | G |
|----|----|---|---------|--|------|-------|---|
| 1  |    | <b>Concert Band (NEED NOT PASS TRIAL TO JOIN CCA)</b>                                     |         |  |      |       |   |
| 2  |    | <b><u>Confirmed Offers</u></b> (Number of names should at least match the MAXIMUM intake) |         | <b><u>Waiting List</u></b> (Number of names should be at least 25% of MAXIMUM allowable) |      |       |   |
| 3  |    | Name  | Class   |  | Name | Class |   |
| 4  | 1  | BEATRIZ TANIWAN   | 1 Clare | 1  |      |       |   |
| 5  | 2  |   |         | 2  |      |       |   |
| 6  | 3  |   |         | 3  |      |       |   |
| 7  | 4  |   |         | 4  |      |       |   |
| 8  | 5  |   |         | 5  |      |       |   |
| 9  | 6  |   |         | 6  |      |       |   |
| 10 | 7  |   |         | 7  |      |       |   |
| 11 | 8  |   |         | 8  |      |       |   |
| 12 | 9  |   |         | 9  |      |       |   |
| 13 | 10 |   |         | 10   |      |       |   |
| 14 | 11 |   |         |  |      |       |   |
| 15 | 12 |   |         |  |      |       |   |
| 16 | 13 |   |         |  |      |       |   |
| 17 | 14 |   |         |  |      |       |   |
| 18 | 15 |   |         |  |      |       |   |
| 19 | 16 |   |         |  |      |       |   |
| 20 | 17 |   |         |  |      |       |   |



Tennis ▾

Track and Field ▾

Arts Alive ▾

**Band ▾**

Choir ▾

Dance ▾

Theatre ▾

Start of trials/CCA Selection period

CCAs that require trials

CCAs  
that don't  
require  
trials

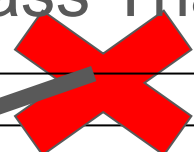
Attend trials

Passed Trial

Did not  
pass Trial

Did not pass Trial  
(Arts Alive & Media Club)

Submission of 6 CCA Choices



# Things to take note of when making CCA Choices:

- She must attend the necessary trials / auditions.
- Look at the [Trials Results](#) before she makes her choices. Confirmed Offer vs Waiting List. If she is NOT on these lists, it is unlikely that she will be allocated to that CCA.
- Choose **6 different choices**. Those with less than 6 different choices will be allocated last.
- Choose the CCAs that she will be **staying in for 4 or 5 years**. It should be an activity that she knows she will enjoy.

# Frequently Asked Questions

What if my child/ward is a DSA student?

You will not need to submit your 6 choices, but still attend the CCA Orientation to understand your classmates' CCAs. An opportunity for you to try something new too.

Do we need to attend both days of trials/auditions?

Students only need to attend either one of the trials/auditions.

# Any questions?

