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Session!***

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Secondary 3 Subject Combination

- All the subject combinations offered will allow your child to **progress to post-secondary education.**
- Hence, choose the subject combination that best aligns with your child's **strengths, interests, well-being and aspirations**

Subject Allocation Process

Students would be allocated based on:

- **Merit** (overall performance across subjects)
- **Vacancy** (availability in the subject combination)
- **Choice** (student preference)

Subject Allocation Process

- If there is high demand for a particular course, places will be allocated **according to the order of merit**.
- Meeting the eligibility criteria for a particular course **does not guarantee** placement in that course.
- Allocation will be based on the **Overall Results for the year** and not solely on the End-of-Year Examination results.

Weighting of Assessments

Subject	Term 1 WA1	Term 2 WA2	Term 3 WA3	Term 4 EYE
FCE	30%	70%	-	-
D&T	-	-	30%	70%
All others	15%	15%	15%	55%

Subject Combination

Number of Subjects

Students will take:

- Total number of subjects: **6 to 7**
- Compulsory subjects + Elective(s)

Key Considerations in choosing subjects

1. Impact on Curriculum Time & Joy of Learning

- ✓ Fewer subjects means more curriculum time for EL, Math and Science
- ✓ Helps students build a stronger foundation in core subjects and grow in confidence

1. Impact on Student Performance & Well-Being

- ✓ A more manageable subject load reduces stress and increases enjoyment in learning
- ✓ Improves overall aggregate scores and strengthens chances of securing a place in their desired courses

Key Considerations in choosing subjects

3. Impact on Sustainability

- ✓ All courses run for 2 years, and subject combinations are finalised upon allocation – mid-course changes are not possible
- ✓ Choose a combination that your child can manage comfortably and has the potential to excel in

A. Compulsory Subjects

- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- Mother Tongue Language (unless exempted)
- Combined Humanities (G3/G2)

B. Science Options

Pure Science (G3)

- Chemistry and Biology
- Chemistry and Physics

Combined Science (G3/G2)

- Science (Chemistry/Physics)
- Science (Chemistry/Biology)

C. Combined Humanities (G3/G2)

Social Studies with

- Geography Elective
- History Elective
- English Literature Elective (G3 only)

D. Electives

G3	G2	G1
Art		
Nutrition and Food Science		-
-	Design & Technology	-
Principles of Accounts		-
• Additional Maths • Pure Geography	-	

Subject-Specific Performance Criteria

1. **Additional Mathematics:** Should obtain **at least B3** in G3 Math
2. **Pure Sciences:** Should obtain **at least B3** in G3 Science
3. **Pure Geography:** Should obtain **at least B3** in G3 Geography
4. **Social Studies with Literature:** Should obtain **at least B3** in G3 EL

Subject Combination (Mostly G3)

Subject Combinations (Mostly G3)

[3] SECONDARY 3 G3 SUBJECT COMBINATIONS							
	Subject 1	Subject 2	Subject 3	Subject 4	Subject 5	Subject 6	Subject 7
A	English Language	Mother Tongue Language	Mathematics	Social Studies with Geography or History or Literature Elective	Chemistry	Biology or Physics	Additional Mathematics
B					Science (Chemistry, Biology) or Science (Chemistry, Physics)	Pure Geography or Additional Maths	
C						Principles of Accounts	
D						Art or Nutrition & Food Science or Music*	

G3 Combination A (7 Subjects)

Subject 1	English Language
Subject 2	Mother Tongue Language
Subject 3	Mathematics
Subject 4	Social Studies with Geography or History or English Literature
Subject 5	Pure Chemistry
Subject 6	Pure Physics or Pure Biology
Subject 7	Additional Mathematics

G3 Combination B (6 Subjects)

Subject 1	English Language
Subject 2	Mother Tongue Language
Subject 3	Mathematics
Subject 4	Social Studies with Geography or History or English Literature
Subject 5	Combined Science (Chemistry with Biology or Physics)
Subject 6	Pure Geography or Additional Mathematics

G3 Combination C (6 Subjects)

Subject 1	English Language
Subject 2	Mother Tongue Language
Subject 3	Mathematics
Subject 4	Social Studies with Geography or History or English Literature
Subject 5	Combined Science (Chemistry with Biology or Physics)
Subject 6	Principles of Accounts

G3 Combination D (6 Subjects)

Subject 1	English Language
Subject 2	Mother Tongue Language
Subject 3	Mathematics
Subject 4	Social Studies with Geography or History or English Literature
Subject 5	Combined Science (Chemistry with Biology or Physics)
Subject 6	Art or Nutrition and Food Science

Subject Combination (Mostly G2)

Subject Combinations (Mostly G2)

[3] SECONDARY 3 G2 SUBJECT COMBINATIONS						
	Subject 1	Subject 2	Subject 3	Subject 4	Subject 5	Subject 6
A	English Language	Mother Tongue Language	Mathematics	Social Studies with Geography or History Elective	Science (Chemistry with Biology) or Physics)	Principles of Accounts
B						Art or Design & Technology or Nutrition & Food Science

G2 Combination A (non-coursework)

Subject 1	English Language
Subject 2	Mother Tongue Language
Subject 3	Mathematics
Subject 4	Social Studies with Geography or History
Subject 5	Combined Science (Chemistry with Biology or Physics)
Subject 6	Principles of Accounts

G2 Combination B (coursework)

Subject 1	English Language
Subject 2	Mother Tongue Language
Subject 3	Mathematics
Subject 4	Social Studies with Geography or History
Subject 5	Combined Science (Chemistry with Biology or Physics)
Subject 6	Art or Design & Technology or Nutrition & Food Science

Subject Combination (Mostly G1)

Subject Combinations (Mostly G1)

[3] SECONDARY 3 G1 SUBJECT COMBINATIONS

Subject 1	Subject 2	Subject 3	Subject 4	Subject 5	Subject 6
English Language	Mother Tongue Language	Mathematics	Science	Computing	Art or *G2 Design & Technology or *G2 Nutrition & Food Science

G1 Coursework Combination

Subject 1	English Language
Subject 2	Mother Tongue Language
Subject 3	Mathematics
Subject 4	Science
Subject 5	Computing
Subject 6	Art or G2 design & Technology or G2 Nutrition & Food Science

**Upper Secondary Guidelines
for Subject Level Offering –
More Demanding Level (MDL)
& Less Demanding Level (LDL)**

Guidelines for the Offering of MDL & LDL

- Students performing well at their current subject levels in Secondary 2 are encouraged to continue at the same level in Upper Secondary
- Students who pass their MDL subject may continue at MDL
- Students scoring 75% and above may be offered the option to take the subject at MDL
- Requests to take subjects at LDL will be assessed on a case-by-case basis

**All the above are subject to manpower considerations.*

Downward Grade Mapping

Grade mapping to aggregate scores across subjects offered at different subject levels for post-secondary progression

Downward Grade Mapping Table from G3 to G2 to G1		
G3	G2	G1
A1, A2, B3	1	A
B4, C5, C6	2	A
D7	3	A
E8	4	B
9	5	C
	6	D
		E

POLYTECHNIC PATHWAY

- One 'Best' [B] subject can be fulfilled at G2 or G3 as part of the ELR2B2 aggregate score
- The net aggregate cut-off will be adjusted from 26 points to 22 points.
- Each course may have course-specific minimum entry requirements (MERs).

ELR2B2	
Subjects	Subject Level
English Language (EL)	G3
2 Relevant subjects (R2)	
One of the [B] subjects	
2 nd [B] subject	G2 (G3 subjects to be mapped to G2 grade)

Grade Mapping Table from G3 to G2	
G3	G2
A1, A2, B3	1
B4, C5, C6	2
D7	3
E8	4
9	5
-	6

PFP PATHWAY

- For students taking G3 subjects, or a combination of G2 and G3 subjects
- All subjects will be mapped to the **G2** level.
- The minimum required G2 grades are shown in the table below.

Subject specific requirements for PFP	
G2 subjects	New grade requirement
English Language	3
Mathematics	3
Relevant Subject	3
Two “Best” Subjects	4

Grade Mapping Table from G3 to G2	
G3	G2
A1, A2, B3	1
B4, C5, C6	2
D7	3
E8	4
9	5
-	6

ITE PATHWAY

ADMISSIONS TO ITE YEAR 1

- ITE aggregate score will be computed based on four **G1** subjects
- G3 and G2 grades will be **mapped to G1** based on the grade mapping table

Grade mapping table (G3 to G2 to G1)			ITE Aggregate score
G3	G2	G1	
A1-B3	1	A	1
B4-C6	2	A	
D7	3	A	
E8	4	B	2
9	5	C	3
-	6	D	4
-	-	E	5

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Secondary 3 Subject Combinations

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2027 Secondary 3 G2 Combinations

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2027 Secondary 3 G1 Combinations

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Schedule for 2026 Secondary 2 Students

Term / Wk	Description
T3W5 to W6	CCE Lesson (Pathways + Learning to calculate aggregate score)
T3W6 (03 Aug)	AYH Talk
T3W7	CCE Lesson (I have a dream + MySF "Skills Confidence")
T3W8 (18 Aug)	Elective Subject Briefing by IP HODs
T3W8 (21 Aug)	Briefing for Parents
T3W9 to W10	CCE Lesson (My Skills Quest)
21 Oct to 27 Oct	Subject Combination Exercise
04 Nov (Wed)	Release of Subject Combination + Start of Appeal
08 Nov (Sun)	End of Appeal
16 Nov (Mon)	Release of Appeal Results



Post-Briefing Feedback Survey



<https://tinyurl.com/2026s2parentfeedback>



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