

School of Mathematics & Science





Welcome Message by Ms Chao Yunn Chyi Director – School of Mathematics & Science



Dear PFP Students,

Welcome and congratulations on making **SP** your choice polytechnic for the Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP).

In this one-year through-train programme, there will be aplenty opportunities for you to discover your passions and enrich your learning experiences. Regardless of the course you will pursue, PFP@SP is designed to build a strong foundation for your future studies and work.

The Freshman Orientation is a platform to get you to familiarise with polytechnic life and environment via games & activities with your peers and lecturers. Start your SP experience with this fun- filled Freshman Orientation and forge new friendships as you assimilate into our vibrant SP campus life.

Warmest Regards, Chao Yunn Chyi Senior Director, Common Core Cluster / Director, School of Mathematics and Science

Dear freshman,

Welcome to SP! We have many activities in store to make your orientation more enjoyable and meaningful.

Have a wonderful FOP week! 😳

Psst... If you are lost, please approach our information booth located in front of SP Convention Centre (SPCC) for help.

Useful Information





- 1. Complete the "Important things to do before coming to school" on the FOP webpage: https://www.sp.edu.sg/ccas/our-events/freshman-orientation-programme Remember to complete the modules in BrightSpace by their respective due dates.
- 2. Dress code: Tees, long pants/jeans, and covered shoes (compulsory for laboratory tours)

3. Things to bring:

- your student matriculation card (you will need this for entry to SP)
- canned/dried food donation items for SP Cares (bring it on Monday 8th April). CCA points will be awarded
- change of clothes (sports attire for afternoon of Monday 8th April)
- water bottle
- a sweater, if necessary (for air-conditioned places)

4. Read our Student Handbook on the school rules:

https://www.sp.edu.sg/sp/student-services/osc-overview/student-handbook

CCA Carnival	<u>SP Games</u>	SP Cares
Date: 9 & 11 April 2024 Time: 11am to 6pm Venue: Food Court 5 foyer, Sports Arena (SPAR) Walkway and Rockwall Central Plaza, outside Student Development Office	Date: 11 April 2024 Time: 2pm to 6pm Venue: Multi-purpose field, Sports Complex, Poly Centre, Basketball Courts	Date: 8, 9 & 11 April 2024 Time: 10am-5pm Venue: SPCC Foyer Please check your school programme for your SP Cares
Visit our two-day CCA Carnival to explore the CCA booths and sign up for your most favourite CCA! Enrich your student life and make your time in SP memorable! <u>https://www.sp.edu.sg/ccas/our- events/cca-carnival</u>	A series of tele-match games to build camaraderie among freshmen. Do come down to support your school!	activity as a class. https://www.sp.edu.sg/ccas/our- events/sp-cares

8 April 2024 (Monday)

Time	Activity	Class / Course	Venue
9:30 am – 11.30 am	 Registration SP Cares Donation Drive Main FOP programme 	All PFP	LT1A
1pm – 5pm	Ice Breaker GamesAmazing Race		Classrooms, Sports Arena Level 3

Notes:

- As you enter SP from Dover MRT Gateway, you will be greeted by our friendly PFP Student Leaders (with placards) who will direct you to our registration area and to LT1A for the Main FOP Programme. They will be there from 9.00 am – 10.00 am. Please arrive early as it takes about 15 mins to walk from Dover MRT gateway to your FOP venue.
- 2. For Ice Breaker Games venue by class, refer to day 2 schedule

9 April 2024 (Tuesday)

Time	Activity	Class / Course	Venue
		JP01/FT/1A/01	T711
		JP01/FT/1A/02	T712
		JP01/FT/1A/03	T713
		JP01/FT/1A/04	T714
		JP01/FT/1A/05	T731
		JP01/FT/1A/06	T732
		JP01/FT/1A/07	T733
		JP01/FT/1A/08	T734
9am – 12.30pm	 Registration Meet your Personal Tutor Session Library Tour Lab Coat Order 	JP01/FT/1A/09	T735
		JP01/FT/1A/10	T736
		JP01/FT/1A/11	T611
		JP01/FT/1A/12	T612
		JP01/FT/1A/13	T613
		JP01/FT/1A/14	T621
		JP02/FT/1A/21	T622
		JP02/FT/1A/22	T623
		JP02/FT/1A/23	T624
		JP02/FT/1A/24	T625
		JP02/FT/1A/25	T631



Time	Activity	Venue
2pm – 6pm	CCA Carnival (to be visited during students' own free time)	Food Court 5 foyer, Sports Arena (SPAR) Walkway and Rockwall Central Plaza, outside Student Development Office

11 April 2024 (Thursday)

Time	Activity	Venue
11pm – 6pm	CCA Carnival (to be visited during students' own free time)	Food Court 5 foyer, Sports Arena (SPAR) Walkway and Rockwall Central Plaza, outside Student Development Office
2pm – 6pm	SP Games	Multi-purpose field, Sports Complex, Poly Centre, Basketball Courts

The School of Mathematics & Science (MS) offers Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP) and SP Common Core Curriculum (CCC). We offer modules in mathematics, physics, statistics, IT, programming, AI, data science and analytics. We also offer part-time Specialist Diplomas and short courses in data science and analytics. In MS, we strive to build a strong foundation in math and science and equip our students with core skills to thrive in their disciplines and prepare them for lifelong learning and evolving industry needs.

About Polytechnic Foundation Programme

What is **POLYTECHNIC FOUNDATION PROGRAMME (PFP)?**

The PFP is a one-year programme specially designed for the top 'N' Level (Academic) cohort. Instead of continuing with your 'O' Level examinations in Secondary 5, you can join SP as part of this programme to prepare yourself for your pre-selected diploma course. When you enrol in the programme, you get a provisional place in SP, which means that you will need to pass a set of modules in the foundation year in order to progress onto the first year of your diploma course. But not to worry, you will be guided by a dedicated team of SP lecturers who will do their best to help you excel during the foundation year.

For enquiries on Freshman Orientation Programme, please contact :

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1. What is the acronym of my School?

School	Acronym
Media, Arts & Design School	MAD
School of Architecture & the Built Environment	ABE
School of Business	SB
School of Chemical & Life Sciences	CLS
School of Computing	SoC
School of Electrical & Electronic Engineering	EEE
Singapore Maritime Academy	SMA
School of Mechanical & Aeronautical Engineering	MAE
School of Mathematics & Science (Poly Foundation Programme)	MS (PFP)

Please click on > <u>School and Course Information</u> for more information.

2. Where do I go for my lesson?

<u>Venue codes</u>

LT = Lecture Theatre, e.g. LT4A
MLT = Main Lecture Theatre, e.g. MLT8
T = Teaching Block, e.g. T3A
W = Workshop, e.g. W5

Classroom and Office Location

Example 1: **T3**Location : Teaching Block **3**, Level **3**, Room Example 2: **T3A**Location : Teaching Block **3A**, Level **2**, Room Getting to know SP

3. Where is my School Admin Office?

- ABE
 T3A Level 4

 CLS
 T11A Level 6

 EEE
 T14 Level 7

 SB
 T18B Level 7

 SoC
 T19 Level 4

 SMA
 T1A Level 7

 MAD
 T19 Level 4

 MAE
 T18 Level 6

 MS
 T7 Level 4
- 4. Where can I find information on IT Support and Services? Please click on > <u>IT Support and Applications</u>

IT Service hotline: 67721260

- 5. I am an international student, where can I find information to help me settle into SP? Please click on > <u>Resource Information for International Students</u>
- 6. Where can I find information on CCAs in SP? For information on CCA, please click on > <u>CCA Information, Events and Programmes</u>
- 7. I need financial assistance for my studies, where can I find information or assistance? Please click on > <u>Course Fees, Scholarships and Financial Assistance Schemes</u>
- 8. What are the sports and recreational facilities available in SP? Check out the following facilities to take a break from studies or to keep fit :
 - 1. Swimming Pool
 - 2. Gym@Pool
 - 3. Tennis Courts
 - 4. Badminton Courts
 - 5. Squash Courts
 - 6. Basketball Courts
 - 7. Running Track

For more information and booking procedures, please click on > Sports Facilities

9. Be part of Go Green SP

Pledge here to support SP's sustainability efforts

10. SP Campus Map

View our campus map at https://www.sp.edu.sg/map

SP Campus Map

