



# **PREPARATORY COURSE FOR ADMISSION TO GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS (PRIMARY 2 - 5)**

**COURSE BROCHURE**





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### Objectives

To enable 7 – 12 years old international students who wish to enrol in Singapore Government Primary Schools, achieve school enrolment standard in English and Mathematics to attend AEIS (Admissions Exercise for International Students). Classes are conducted in small groups by qualified and experienced local teachers, in order to help students excel in the AEIS Examination and gain admission into local Primary schools.

### Duration

**6 months (Full-time course).** There are the following **two terms each year**:

- **Term One:** 1 Nov - 30 Apr (**Intake:** Nov & Feb)
- **Term Two:** 1 May - 31 Oct (**Intake:** May & Aug)

Students can choose to attend the full course of both terms. There will be no lessons conducted during public holidays and school holidays.

**Lesson Time:** Monday to Friday (9am to 4pm)

- **English** - 9 am to 12 pm
- **Mathematics & English** - 1 pm to 4 pm

**Course Modules:**

- AEIS English:
  - P2 - P3 CEQ A2 Key for Schools
  - P4 - P5 CEQ B1 Preliminary for Schools
- AEIS Mathematics

### Pre-requisites

**Age:** 7 – 12 years old

**Academic Level:** One level of education below the enrolment level.

**Language Proficiency:** At least a Pass in English that is one level below the enrolment level; or Pass SCI's English placement test for the enrolment level.

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### Mode of Assessment

**Internal Assessment:** Placement test, end-of-term examinations, homework assignments.

**External Assessment:**

- Cambridge English Qualification (CEQ) test
- AEIS (Admissions Exercise for International Students) or S-AEIS (Supplementary Admissions Exercise for International Students)

### Course Completion

- Local students (Singaporean & PR) and students with Dependent Pass - at least **75% attendance** and not absent from class for more than **7 days in a row**.
- International students (Student's Pass holders) - at least **90% attendance** and not absent from class for more than **7 days in a row**.

## Course Fee

ITEMS	CHARGES
Application Fee	\$500.00 (For those who need student's pass)
GST	\$40.00
<b>Total Application Fee*</b>	<b>\$540.00*</b>
Course Fee	\$9,350.00
Material Fee	\$500.00
Examination Fee	\$300.00
FPS Admin Fee	\$150.00
Medical Insurance Fee	\$100.00
Uniform (3 Pcs)	\$75.00
GST	\$838.00
<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>\$11,313.00</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$11,853.00</b> (inclusive of GST, exclusive of International Students Service Fee)

\*Application fee is not refundable. For students who do not require student's pass, the application fee is \$216

- **International Students Service Fee of \$540** includes the following: Arrangement of accommodation, airport pick-up, sending to hostel, sending to school for the first time, sending for medical checkup (students who are 15 years old and above), collection of Student Pass at ICA, opening of bank account, purchasing of public transport card, familiarising Singapore's environment.

## Fee Protection Scheme (FPS)

To comply with the requirements of CPE Singapore, SCI has implemented a "FPS Insurance Account" with "Etiqa Insurance Berhad" as assigned by CPE.

For more information on FPS, please visit:

[https://www.tpgateway.gov.sg/resources/information-for-private-education-institutions-\(peis\)/protection-of-course-fees](https://www.tpgateway.gov.sg/resources/information-for-private-education-institutions-(peis)/protection-of-course-fees)

## Information to be provided by the applicant

1. One copy of the duly completed student enrolment application form
2. Photocopy of student's passport (first page)
3. Two passport-sized photographs of the student (white background)
4. Parents' passport photocopy (first page) / parents' NRIC photocopy
5. The following notarized documents with English translation:  
(To be prepared first. After the approval of student's pass, relevant information will have to be provided according to ICA's requirements)
  - Notarized copy of the student's birth certificate
  - Notarized copy of the student's highest educational certificates (students who are currently studying may request the school to produce a verification letter before the notarization)
  - Notarized copy of the student's transcripts (students who are currently studying may request the school to produce a verification letter before the notarization)

**\*Students holding China passport** are also required to submit a notarized copy of the student's or his/her parents' bank account (savings period must be longer than 3 months, and must have more than RMB150,000 in the account).



## Applicants should know

1. The application fee of \$540 or \$216 is non-refundable and non-transferable.
2. After paying the application fee, the school will verify if the student fulfils the admission requirements before issuing a Letter of Offer. Students are then required to pay the outstanding fees.
3. ICA will request for an Issuance Fee of \$60 - \$90 upon the approval of student pass.
4. MOH Singapore has introduced diphtheria and measles vaccination requirement as pre-requisite for foreign-born children applying for long-term immigration passes to Singapore.
  - i) If parent provide the complete document (Photocopy of original Immunisation and Vaccination records, notarized copy of English translated Immunisation and vaccination record), and completed Vaccine Registration Form, and SCl do the submission, SGD35.00 will be applied for this service.
  - ii) If parent provide the complete document (Photocopy of original Immunisation and Vaccination records, notarized copy of English translated Immunisation and vaccination record) and SCl assist in completing Vaccination Registration Form in Singapore, and do the submission, SGD89 will be applied for this service.
  - (iii) If parent only provide the photocopy of the original Immunisation and Vaccinations record, and SCl assist on document translation and notarization, and completing the Vaccination Registration Form in Singapore, and do the submission, SGD237.50 will be applied for this service.
5. The relevant Cambridge English Qualification (CEQ) test must be taken within 12 months before the month of submission of their AEIS Math exam application. Meet or exceed the required Cambridge English Scale (CES) score (listed below) in the CEQ test before they apply to take the AEIS-Primary Mathematics test appropriate for their age.
  - a. Ages 7 to 7+: Take the CEQ A2 Key for School test with a score of 100 or higher.
  - b. Ages 8 to 8+: Take the CEQ A2 Key for School test with a score of 120 or higher.
  - c. Ages 9 to 9+: Take the CEQ A2 Key for School test with a score of 130 or higher.
  - d. Age 10 to 10+: Take the CEQ B1 Preliminary for Schools test with a score of 140 or higher.
  - e. Age 11 to 11+: Take the CEQ B1 Preliminary for Schools test with a score of 140 or higher.
6. External exam fee:
  - CEQ A2 Key for Schools English: \$410.40
  - CEQ B1 Preliminary for Schools English: \$453.60
  - AEIS/S-AEIS Math exam: \$340
  - Service fee for examination registration \$108
7. Local students (Singaporean & PR) and international students who do not need to apply for a student's pass, and have already possessed their own medical insurance, they have an option not to purchase the medical insurance from the school, but are required to submit the purchased insurance documents to the school.
8. Payment methods: Cheque/Telegraphic Transfer (TT)/NETS/Cash. For every remittance, an extra \$30 must be added for bank commission.