

WHAT'S NEXT?

3 'P's in selecting a course of study

- **PERSONALITY**
- **PRACTICALITIES**
- **PROGRAMME**



4 MAIN TYPES OF OPTIONS

**Sec 5NA
(1 Year)**

**Polytechnic
Foundation Prog (PFP)
(1Yr Foundation, 3 yr Poly)**



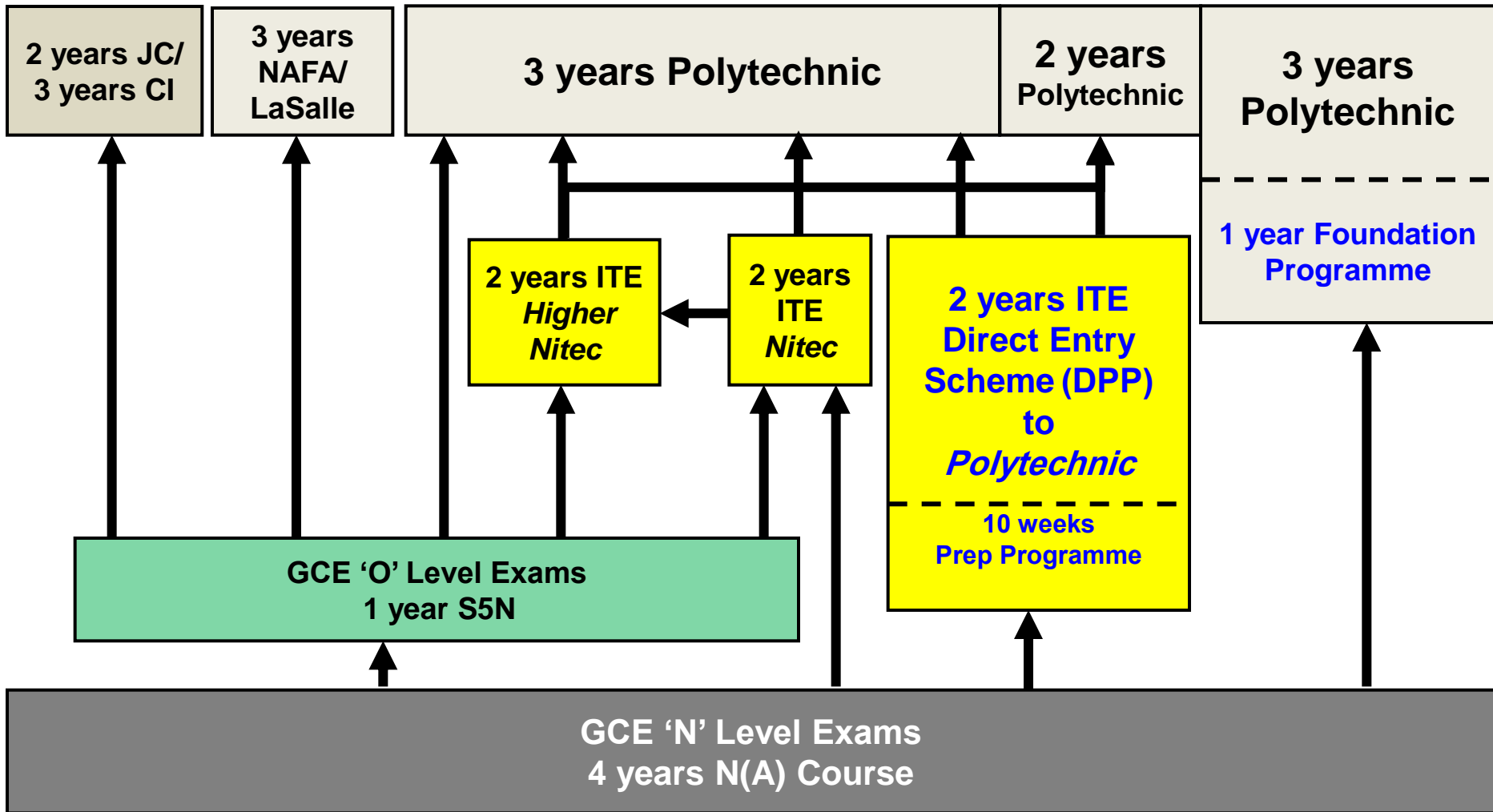
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**ITE (DPP) to
Higher Nitec
(2 Years)**

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(2 Years)**



PATHWAYS for NA Students



5NA OPTION ...



5NA OPTION:

E M B3 ≤ 19

ENGLISH

MATHS

Best 3

- Pass English and Maths
- Best 3 Subjects with \leq Grade 5

75% and above	=	Grade 1: 1 Point
70% - 74%	=	Grade 2: 2 points
65% - 69%	=	Grade 3: 3 Points
60% - 64%	=	Grade 4: 4 Points
50% - 59%	=	Grade 5: 5 Points



Conversion of 'O' Level Grades to NA-Level Grades (For entry into 5N)

School 'O' Level Exam Grade	Mark Range	Converted 'NA' Level Grades
A1, A2, B3	65 – 100	1
B4, C5, C6	50 – 64	2
D7, E8	40 – 49	3
F9	0 – 39	4



Conversion of 'O' Level Grades to NA-Level Grades (For PFP and DES)

'O' Level Grades	Converted 'NA' Level Grades (PFP)
A1, A2, B3	1
B4,C5,C6	2
D7	3

'O' Level Grades	Converted 'NA' Level Grades (DES)
A1, A2, B3	1
B4,C5,C6	2
D7, E8	3



Computation of Aggregate:

Example:

English Language	3 ✓
Maths	3 ✓
Mother Tongue Language	2 ✓
Combined Science	3 ✓
Social Studies / History	5
Art	3 ✓

$$\text{EMB3} = 3 + 3 + 2 + 3 + 3 = 14$$

English Maths [Mother Tongue, Combined Science, Art]



Poly Foundation OPTION ...



POLY FOUNDATION PROGRAMME (PFP) :

E M B 3 ≤ 11

Group 1

**Science-Based /
Technology / Design**

Group 2

**Business-Related /
Media / Humanities**



POLY FOUNDATION PROGRAMME (PFP) :

Group 1 Courses Business-Related/Media/Humanities	Minimum Required Grades
English	2
Mathematics/Additional Mathematics	3
One of the following relevant subjects: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Art- Literature in English- Combined Humanities- Principles of Accounts	3
Any two other subjects excluding CCA	3

Website for PFP - http://pfp.polytechnic.edu.sg/pfp/pfp_eligibility.html



POLY FOUNDATION PROGRAMME (PFP) :

Group 2 Courses Science-Based/Technology/Design	Minimum Required Grades
English	3
Mathematics/Additional Mathematics	3
One of the following relevant subjects: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Design and Technology- Food and Nutrition- Science	3
Any two other subjects excluding CCA	3

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**ITE (DPP) to
Poly Option...**



ITE (DPP) to Polytechnic :

E M B3 ≤ 19

Business & Services¹	Applied Sciences²	Engineering²	Info-Comm Technology²
<p>EL = 3 or better Maths = 4 or better 3 others = 5 or better AND Must meet Cutoff point for each relevant course</p>	<p>EL = 4 or better Maths = 4 or better 3 others = 5 or better AND Must meet Cutoff point for each relevant course</p>		



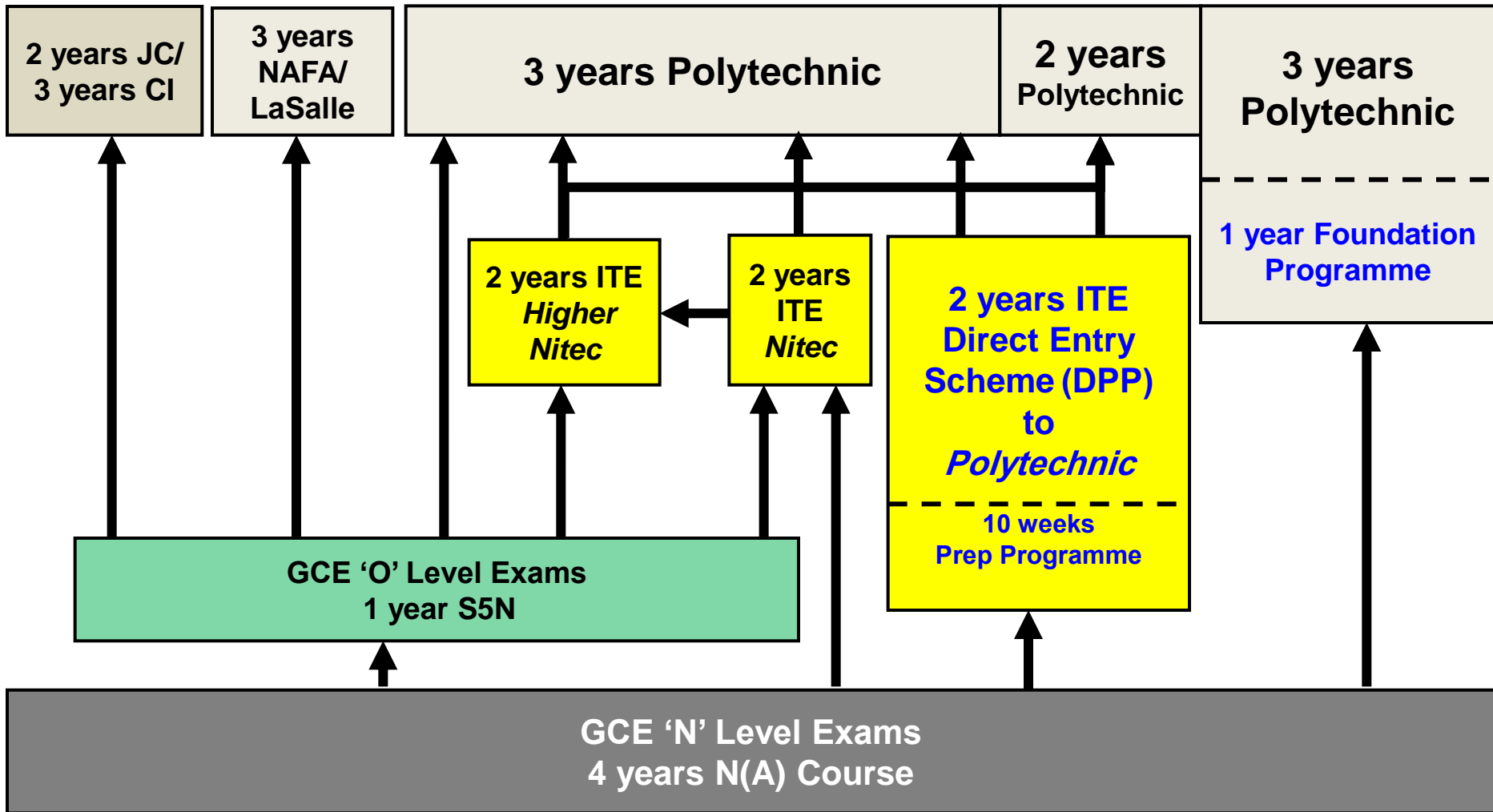
ITE (DPP) to Polytechnic :

GPA Score		Polytechnic Admission	
Business & Services¹			
GPA ≥ 3.0	1st year Polytechnic		
Applied Sciences²	Engineering²	Info-Comm Technology²	
GPA ≥ 2.5	1st year Polytechnic		
GPA ≥ 3.5	2nd year Polytechnic		

(GPA - Grade Point Average)



PATHWAYS for NA Students



ITE Option...



NITEC

(Best 4 subjects, including pre-requisite subjects and bonus points)

Normal (Academic) Grade	ITE Aggregate Points
1, 2	1
3	2
4	3
5	4
U	5



ITE College East

Niche Programmes:

Chemical & Life Science
Nursing & Healthcare
Services
Beauty & Wellness
Business & Entrepreneurship

ITE College West

Niche Programmes:

Culinary & Hospitality
Service Innovation
Land Transport
Security Technology

ITE Programmes

ITE College Central

Niche Programmes:

Creative Design & interactive
Media
Aerospace & Marine Tech
Business & Events Services
Engineering Design



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Best 4 meet cutoff



Different Pathways:

Pathways	Academic Ability	Learning Style	Aspirations
Through-train to O-levels	Strong, potential to qualify for JC/CI	Conceptual	JC/CI and University
Poly Foundation Programme (PFP)	Strong, expected to get ELMAB3 \leq 11 (excluding CCA)*	Blended – conceptual and hands-on	Polytechnic/ University
ITE Direct Entry Scheme to Poly Prog (DPP)	Fairly strong, expected to get ELMAB3 \leq 19 (excluding CCA)*	More hands-on/ applied	Polytechnic
Progression to Sec 5N to do O-level	Can range from strong to fairly strong. Promotion criteria: ELMAB3 \leq 19; and at least grade 5 for all subj used in computing aggregate score	Can range from conceptual to more applied	Either JC/CI or Polytechnic
Taking some 'O' level subj in Sec 4N	Strong in specific areas	N.A.	N.A.



Bonus Points

for Computation of Net Aggregate Scores

Co-Curricular Attainment

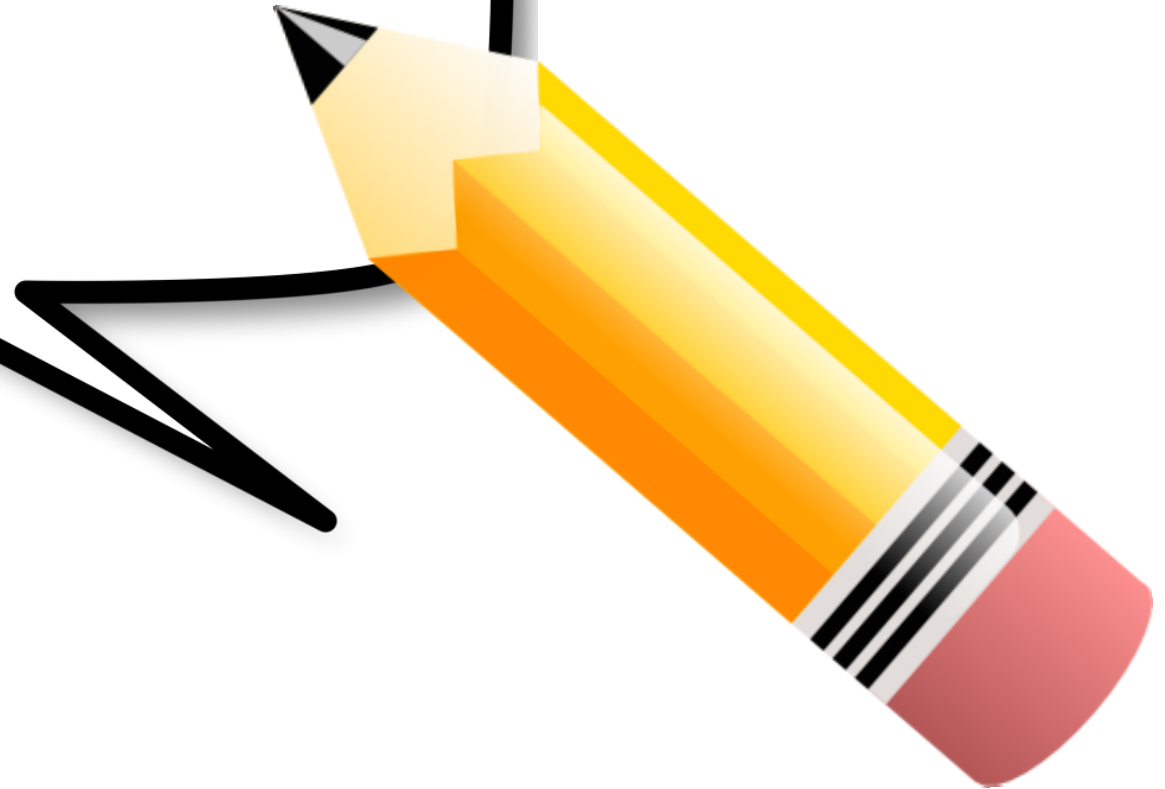
Excellent: 2 points

Good: 1 point

Fair: 0 point



Special Admission ITE



SCAS (Special College Admissions Scheme) - ITE

Eligibility Criteria

Area of Talent	Criteria
Course-related Skills	Exhibited abilities, talents and interest for course applied through awards and/or personal portfolio
Sports	Obtained awards or achievements at national/international levels
Performing and Visual Arts	Obtained awards or achievements at national/international levels
Leadership/Entrepreneurship and Innovation	Obtained awards or achievements at national/international levels or who have held key role/leadership positions in the community

