

## Exemptions for Intake AY2023<sup>^</sup>

Exemptions for freshmen are normally granted by the Dean's Office prior to the commencement of SMU studies. Depending on the grades attained, students holding the same qualifications may be granted different exemptions.

Students who do not wish to accept the exemptions granted will have to note that the decision cannot be reversed once they enroll for the course. If the grade obtained for the course is not ideal or if the student lost interest halfway, any request for course drop will not be approved. The grade obtained will count towards the overall GPA.

The exemption criteria for students with GCE A/O Level, students with diploma from a polytechnic in Singapore as well as students with SAT/IB Diploma/NUS High School Diploma are indicated below. Exemptions for students with other types of qualifications will be assessed on a case-by-case basis.

1. A Level Courses (Old Syllabus)
2. A Level Courses (H1/H2/H3 Syllabus)
3. O Level Courses
4. Courses from Local Polytechnics
5. SAT
6. International Baccalaureate
7. NUS High School
8. Integrated Programme

The total number of exemptions that may be granted to any student in the area of Free Electives (FE) is capped at **3 course units**. This may include exemptions that are directly-mapped to specific SMU courses, or general exemptions granted based on excellent pre-university grades.

### Note for LLB only:

- LLB double degree students should be given exemptions for those courses under their secondary degree, if they meet the exemption criteria.
- LAW106 Legal Research & Writing is deemed equivalent to COR1100 Writing and Reasoning. Therefore, LLB students will not be required to take COR1100 even if they do not meet the minimum grade for General Paper (or minimum score for SAT I - Critical Reading and Writing) because they are substituting it with LAW106. LLB students who subsequently transfer to another programme will be granted an exemption for COR1100 Writing and Reasoning if they have passed LAW106 Legal Research & Writing.

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## 1. A LEVEL COURSES (OLD SYLLABUS)

Level	Course	Grade Required	Exemption
AO	Include languages <sup>^</sup> Exclude Project Work	A	1 course in FE
	General Paper	A	Writing and Reasoning
A	Includes languages <sup>^</sup> Includes Principles of Accounting and Management of Business	A B	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
	Mathematics	A	Calculus AND 1 course in FE
	Mathematics	E and above <sup>#</sup>	Calculus

<sup>#</sup>BSc(Econ) students, at least grade 'B' and above.

<sup>^</sup>Course codes in Appendix B..

## 2. A LEVEL COURSES (H1/H2/H3 SYLLABUS)

### 2.1 Courses Offered by MOE

Level	Course	Grade Required	Exemption
H1	Include languages <sup>^</sup> Exclude Project Work	A	1 course in FE
	General Paper	A	Writing and Reasoning
H2	Includes languages <sup>^</sup> Includes Principles of Accounting and Management of Business	A B	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
	Mathematics	A	Calculus AND 1 course in FE
	Mathematics	E and above <sup>#</sup>	Calculus
	Knowledge and Inquiry (taken in place of GP)	A	Writing and Reasoning AND 1 course in FE
		B	1 course in FE
	Computing	A	IS111 Intro to Programming <sup>##</sup> /CS101 Programming Fundamentals I <sup>###</sup> AND 1 course in FE
B		1 course in FE	
H3	Includes languages	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
	Mathematics	Distinction	Calculus AND 1 course in FE
	Mathematics	Merit	Calculus

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<sup>##</sup>BSc(IS) students

<sup>###</sup>BSc(CS) students

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### 2.2 Courses Offered by Local Universities

Students who have taken H3 courses offered by NUS/NTU/SMU will be deemed to have taken the corresponding H3 courses offered by MOE, and are subjected to the same subject area limit as the corresponding H3 courses offered by MOE (refer to section 2.1).

#### 2.2.1 Courses Offered by NUS

Course	Corresponding H3 Subject	Minimum Grade	Exemption
<b>Mathematics &amp; Science</b>			
Molecular Genetics	Biology	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Biodiversity	Biology	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Essential Physical Chemistry	Chemistry	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Modern Physics	Physics	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Fundamental Concepts of Mathematics	-	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Linear Algebra	-	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Science Research	Science Research	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
<b>Humanities &amp; the Arts</b>			

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Course	Corresponding H3 Subject	Minimum Grade	Exemption
Managerial Economics	Economics	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Geopolitics: War and Peace	History	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Economy and Space	Geography	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Urban Land Use and Development	Geography	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Literary Criticism	Literature in English	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE

### 2.2.2 Courses Offered by NTU

Course	Corresponding H3 Subject	Minimum Grade	Exemption
<b>Mathematics &amp; Science</b>			
Molecular Biology	Biology	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Organic Synthesis & Mech	Chemistry	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Contemporary Physics	Physics	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Semiconductor Physics & Devices	Physics	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Numbers & Matrices	-	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
Science Research	Science Research	Distinction Merit	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE

### 2.2.3 Courses Offered by SMU

Course	Corresponding H3 Subject	Minimum Grade	Possible Exemption
<b>Humanities &amp; the Arts</b>			
H3 Game Theory	-	Merit	1 course in Economics Major** OR 1 course in FE

\*\* The Economics Major exemption, if granted, will count towards the limit for credit transfer (currently maximum of 2 CUs). Hence such students can only transfer another EM from their external study (e.g. exchange).

## 3. O LEVEL COURSES

Course	Code	Grade Required	Exemption
Additional Mathematics	4018/4038/4047/4049/O06	B3	Calculus

Note: No Calculus exemption will be granted for BSc(Econ) students with O Level Additional Mathematics.

## 4. COURSES FROM LOCAL POLYTECHNICS

Diploma cGPA	Possible Exemption	Note
< 3.600	No exemption	-
3.600 to 3.649	1 course in FE	-
3.650 to 3.699	2 courses in FE	-
>= 3.700	3 courses in FE	-
Not Applicable	Calculus	Depends on specific poly course(s) & results
>=3.800	1 course in IS Financial Technology Track Elective	
	1 course in IS Digitalisation and Cloud Solutions Track Elective	
	1 course in Sociology Elective^^	
	Financial Accounting	
	Management Accounting	

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	Introductory Statistics	
	Introduction to Psychology^	
	Social Psychology^	
	Industrial & Organisational Psychology^	
	Cognitive Psychology^	
	Developmental Psychology^	
	Health Psychology^	
	Psychology of Individual Differences^	
	Abnormal Psychology^	
	Aging and Cognition^	
	Understanding Societies	
	Psychology Research Methods I^	
	Business Law	
	Company Law	
	Analytics Foundation	
	Foundation of Cybersecurity	
	Introduction to Programming	
	Web Application Development I	
	Data Management	
	Business Process Analysis & Solutioning	
	Interaction Design & Prototyping	
	Geographic Information Systems for Urban Planning	
	Programming Fundamentals I	
	Social Analytics and Applications#	
	Data Mining and Business Analytics#	
	Operating Systems & Networking	

^Students have to be exempted from PSYC001 Introduction to Psychology before they can be granted for another psychology course. Psychology Major exemption is capped at a maximum of 2 CUs (inclusive PSYC001).

^^Students have to be exempted from SOCG001 Understanding Society before they can be granted for another sociology course. Sociology Major exemption is capped at maximum of 2 CUs (inclusive of SOCG001).

#Only 1 exemption can be used to fulfil each Track Requirement

Specific Polytechnic Diploma/courses eligible for exemption:

Exemption Course	Basis for Exemption	Polytechnic	Minimum Grade	Minimum Poly cGPA
Calculus	Mathematics for Business MS1381	Singapore Poly	B	Not applicable
	Business Mathematics MS8711 AND Calculus MS8712 (both must be taken)		B	
	MS5126 Mathematics I(B) and MS5226 Mathematics IIB (both must be taken)		B	
	Mathematics for Business (MS838M)		B	
	Further Mathematics (MS837M/MS8179/EP0604)		B	
	Calculus BM0299, EGC/EGD/EGE/EGF/EGH/EGJ/EGK/EGM/EGR170, EGM107/EGDF09/EGDF11/EGDF12/EGDF13/EGDF17/EGDF19/EGDF20/EGDF22/EGDFPA/EGDF94	Nanyang Poly	B	
	Engineering Math 1B/Math 1B and Engineering Math 2A/Math 2A (both must be taken)		B	
	Calculus (CACM2) from Diploma Plus in Certificate in Advanced Computing Mathematics	Ngee Ann Poly	B	
	Additional Mathematics (ADDM/007877) from Diploma Plus in Certificate in Quantitative Methods & Economics		B	
	Applied Mathematics 1 (93APM1) and Applied Mathematics 2A (93APM2A) (both must be taken)		B	
	Mathematics 11MATH(12479)		B	
	Business Calculus BLO1002	Temasek Poly	B	
	Computing Mathematics I AND II (both must be taken)		B	
	A114 Mathematics II (offered from AY2009)		B	

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	Note : A111/A112 Computing and Mathematical Method 1/2 (offered before AY2009) and All3 Mathematics are not acceptable.	Republic Poly		
	Mathematics for Engineering (E114)		B	
	<b>Two</b> Computing Mathematics Note: The course "IT1821 Mathematics 1" from Nanyang Poly can be accepted as one of the two required computing mathematics courses.	Any	B	
	<b>Two</b> Engineering Mathematics	Any	B	
1 course in IS Financial Technology Track Elective	Analytics for Financial Services (IT3351)	Nanyang Poly	A	3.80 and above
	Diploma in Financial Informatics		Not Applicable	
	Banking & Financial Products	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
	Banking Technology & Operations		A	
	Corporate Banking Application and Processes		A	
	Financial Analysis & Modelling		A	
	Retail Banking Application and Processes		A	
	Risk Management		A	
	Technologies for Financial Industry		A	
	Diploma in Financial Informatics (Banking and Finance)		Not Applicable	
	Diploma in Financial Informatics	Singapore Poly	Not Applicable	
	Banking Processes and Automation (CFI2C11)	Temasek Poly	A	
	Core Banking and Financial Businesses (CFI1C10)		A	
	Derivatives and Structured Products (CFI2E05)		A	
	Distributed Ledgers and Blockchain (CFI2E07)		A	
	Financial Analytics (CFI3E01)		A	
	FinTech Innovations (CFI2C12)		A	
	Fixed Income and Equities Processing (CFI2C08)		A	
	Foreign Exchange and Money Market Processing (CFI2P14)		A	
	Mobile Banking (CFI3E02)		A	
	Portfolio Performance Management (CFI3E03)		A	
	Risk and Governance (CFI3C01)		A	
	Wealth Management (CFI3C02)		A	
Diploma in Financial Business Informatics	Not Applicable			
Financial and Banking Applications (C363)	Republic Poly	A		
Financial and Banking Applications II (C364)		A		
1 course in IS Digitalisation and Cloud Solutions Track Elective	Diploma in Information Technology - Prescribed Elective (Enterprise Cloud Computing)	Nanyang Poly	Not Applicable	3.80 and above
	Diploma in Multimedia & Infocomm Technology (Cloud Infrastructure & Services)			
	Diploma in Information Technology - Area of Interests (Cloud Computing)	Ngee Ann Poly		
1 course in Sociology Elective	GEM2000 Sociology of Ageing	Temasek Poly	A	3.80 and above
	S204 Sociology of Sports & Leisure	Republic Poly	A	
Financial Accounting	(Principles of Accounting BA207Y/Z or Business Accounting BA0275) and (Financial Accounting BA1232/BA0253/BA1260) (both must be taken)	Singapore Poly	A	3.80 and above
	Introduction to Financial Accounting 3INFA and Fundamentals of Financial Accounting 3FFA and Intermediate Financial Accounting 2IFA and Advanced Financial Accounting 1AFA (all must be taken)	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
	Fundamentals of Financial Accounting 11FFA and Intermediate Financial Accounting 11IFA and Advanced Financial Accounting 1AFA (all must be taken)		A	

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	(Accounting for Assets BM0002 or Introduction to Financial Accounting BM4104 or Principles of Financial Accounting BM4112) and (Principles of Accounting BM0003 or Intermediate Financial Accounting BM4105) and (Business Accounting BM0127 or Advanced Financial Accounting BM4106) and Published Financial Statements & Consolidation	Nanyang Poly	A	
	Financial Accounting 1 BAF1003 and Financial Accounting 2 BAF1004 and Company Accounting BAF2011 (all must be taken)	Temasek Poly	A	
	Business Accounting BAF1010 and Financial Accounting BAF1012 and Company Accounting BAF2011 (all must be taken)			
Management Accounting	Cost Accounting BA1231 and Management Accounting BA1243 or BA188Y/Z (both must be taken)	Singapore Poly	A	3.80 and above
	Cost and Management Accounting BA1262 and Advanced Cost and Management Accounting BA1263 (both must be taken)		A	
	Cost Accounting 2COST and Managerial Accounting 3MA (both must be taken)	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
	Cost Accounting BM0121 and Management Accounting BM0259/BM4110 (both must be taken)	Nanyang Poly	A	
	Cost and Management Accounting 1 BAF2004/BAF1011 and Cost and Management Accounting 2 BAF2005 (both must be taken)	Temasek Poly	A	
	Managerial Accounting 1 BAF3011 and Managerial Accounting 2 BAF3012 (both must be taken)		A	
Introductory Statistics	Business Statistics [3BSTA(005246)/2BSTA(003274)/4BSTA(003605) /1BSTA(002929)/6BSTA(007358)/8BSTA(008537) 9BSTA(009735)/78BSTA(012378)]	Ngee Ann Poly	A	3.80 and above
	Statistical Theory for Business (BM0011) and Statistical Methods for Business (BM0012) (both must be taken)	Nanyang Poly	A	
	Business Statistics (BM3034)		A	
	Business Statistics (BLO1001)	Temasek Poly	A	
	Statistics for Business (BA0150)/Business Statistics (MS1100)	Singapore Poly	A	
Introduction to Psychology	GPS1001 Foundation Psychology A and GPS1002 Foundation Psychology B (both must be taken)	Temasek Poly	A	3.80 and above
	GPS1001 Foundation Psychology			
	GPS1190 General Psychology			
	MD7107 Introduction to Psychology	Singapore Poly	A	
	1INTPSY Introduction to Psychology	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
	HS1096 Introduction to Psychology	Nanyang Poly	A	
Social Psychology	GPS2005 Social Psychology	Temasek Poly	A	3.80 and above
	MD7103 Social Psychology	Singapore Poly	A	
	2SOCIPS Social Psychology	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
	B223 Social Psychology	Republic Poly	A	
Industrial & Organisational Psychology	GPS1004/GPS3013 Industrial & Organisational Psychology	Temasek Poly	A	3.80 and above
	1INDORG Industrial & Organisational Psychology/ Organisational Behaviour & Development	Ngee Ann Poly	A	

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	B337 Industrial-Organisational Psychology	Republic Poly	A	
Cognitive Psychology	GPS2017 Cognitive Psychology	Temasek Poly	A	3.80 and above
	1COGPSY Cognitive Psychology/1COGBEH Cognition & Behaviour	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
Developmental Psychology	GPS2007 Developmental Psychology	Temasek Poly	A	3.80 and above
	1LIFEPS Lifespan Psychology	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
	Development across the Lifespan: Embracing Diversity & Inclusivity		A	
	MD7109 Key Issues in the Lifespan	Singapore Poly	A	
	MD712Y/Z Lifespan Psychology		A	
Psychology Research Methods I	Introduction to Research Methods and Statistics and Research Methods for Social Services	Ngee Ann Poly	A	3.80 and above
Health Psychology	1HEALTH Health Psychology/Health Behaviour and Management	Ngee Ann Poly	A	3.80 and above
	GPS2010 Health Psychology	Temasek Poly	A	
	S244 Health Psychology	Republic Poly	A	
Psychology of Individual Differences	1PERSID Personality and Individual Differences	Ngee Ann Poly	A	3.80 and above
Understanding Societies	Fundamentals of Sociology	Ngee Ann Poly	A	3.80 and above
	GEM1009 Introduction to Sociology	Temasek Poly	A	
Ageing and Cognition	GEM2013 Psychology of Ageing	Temasek Poly	A	3.80 and above
Abnormal Psychology	GPS3003 Abnormal Psychology	Temasek Poly	A	3.80 and above
	2ABNPSY Abnormal Psychology/Introduction to Abnormal Psychology	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
Business Law	Business Law BM0742	Nanyang Poly	A	3.80 and above
	Business Law (BLAW)	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
	Business Law BA0400	Singapore Poly	A	
	Legal Aspects of Business BLM2005	Temasek Poly	A	
	Law of Contract BLM2004		A	
	Business Law B205	Republic Poly	A	
Company Law	Company Law BM0254/Company Law & Practice BM4022	Nanyang Poly	A	3.80 and above
	Company Law and Secretarial Practice (CLSP)	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
	Company Law BA1028	Singapore Poly	A	
	Company Law for Business BLM3009/ Company Law BLM2009	Temasek Poly	A	
Analytics Foundation	Business Analytics (ST2227)	Singapore Poly	A	3.80 and above
	Predictive Analytics (ST2322)		A	
	Predictive Analytics 1(BA2217) and Predictive Analytics 2 (BA2215) (both must be taken)		A	
	Diploma in Information Technology (Data Science & Digital Analytics)		Not Applicable	
	Diploma in Applied AI and Analytics	Nanyang Poly	A	
	Business Analytics & Visualization Project (ITP315/ITP232)		A	
	Predictive Modelling (IT2335)		A	
	Diploma in Business Intelligence & Analytics		Not Applicable	
Diploma in Information Technology-Specialization in Business Analytics and Visualization		Not Applicable		

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	Data Analytics (CIA1C10)	Temasek Poly	A		
	Data Mining Concepts and Techniques (CIA2C05)		A		
	Predictive Analytics (CIA2C07)		A		
	Predictive and Prescriptive Analytics (CIA2C11)		A		
	Diploma in Big Data & Analytics		Not Applicable		
	Diploma in Big Data Management & Governance		Not Applicable		
	Diploma in Business Intelligence & Analytics		Not Applicable		
	Predictive Analytics	Ngee Ann Poly	A		
	Diploma in Financial Informatics – Financial Analytics Option		Not Applicable		
	Diploma in Data Science		Not Applicable		
	Diploma in Information Technology – Area of Interests (Data Science & Analytics)		Not Applicable		
	Diploma in Information Technology – Area of Interests in Business & Data Analytics		Not Applicable		
Foundation of Cybersecurity	Diploma in Infocomm Security Management	Singapore Poly	Not applicable	3.80 and above	
	Diploma in Cybersecurity & Digital Forensics/ Diploma in Cybersecurity & Forensics	Nanyang Poly			
	Diploma in Information Security				
	Diploma in Information Technology – specialization in Systems & Network Security				
	Diploma in Information Technology Prescribed Elective (CyberSecurity)				
	Diploma in Infocomm & Security				
	Diploma in Infocomm & Security (Systems & Network Security)				Temasek Poly
	Diploma in Cybersecurity & Digital Forensics				
	Diploma in Cyber & Digital Security				
	Diploma in Digital Forensics				
	Diploma in Cybersecurity & Digital Forensics	Ngee Ann Poly			
	Diploma in Information Security & Forensics				
Introduction to Programming	C++ Applications Development (ID: IT2128)	Nanyang Poly	A	3.80 and above	
	Data Structures & Programming Techniques (ID: IT1506)		A		
	Data Structures and Algorithms		A		
	Object-Oriented Analysis, Design & Project (ID: ITP211)		A		
	Object-Oriented Programming & Project (ID: ITP112/ITP192)		A		
	Object-Oriented Programming (ID: IT1331/IT1576)		A		
	Object-Oriented Programming (ID: IT2754)		A		
	Object-Oriented Programming & Project (ID: ITP162/ITP182)		A		
	Principles of Computing (ID: IT1753)		A		
	Programming Essentials/Programming Essentials & Project (ID: IT1111/IT1321/IT1523/IT1623/ITP151)		A		
	Object-Oriented Programming 6 (EG1738)		A		
	Object-Oriented Analysis & Design (EG2748)		A		
	Java Enterprise Development (EG3752)		A		
	Mobile Application Development (EG3755)		A		
	Mobile Applications Development & Project (ITP231)		A		
	Diploma in Infocomm & Media Engineering		Not applicable		
	Assembly Language & Python		Ngee Ann Poly		A
	C++ Programming	A			
	Full-Stack Development	A			

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	Fundamentals of Programming		A	3.80 and above
	Object Oriented Analysis & Design		A	
	Object-Oriented Programming		A	
	Programming I		A	
	Programming II		A	
	Advanced Java Programming (ID: ST0316)	Singapore Poly	A	
	Data Structures and Algorithms (ID: ST0218)		A	
	Data Structures and Algorithms in C++ (ID: ST0296)		A	
	Fundamentals of Programming (EP0301/ST0502)		A	
	Java Programming (ID: ST1009/ST2403/ST2404/ST2408)		A	
	Programming Fundamentals (ST1012)		A	
	Programming in Python and C (ST2411)		A	
	Programming Using Perl and C (ID: ST2614)		A	
	Structured Programming (ID: ET00083) and Program Design (ET0700) (both must be taken)		A	
	ASP.NET Web Programming (ID: ESE3006)		Temasek Poly	
	Computer Programming for Problem Solving (ID: ESE1006)	A		
	Data Structures and Algorithms (ID: CIT1C14)	A		
	IOT Application Development (ID: CMC2C16)	A		
	Object-Oriented Programming (ID: CIT1C06/ ESE2004)	A		
	Problem Solving and Programming (ID: CIT1C05)	Republic Poly	A	
Data Structures and Algorithms (C306)	A			
Introduction to Programings (C105)	A			
Object Oriented Programming (C208)		A		
Web Application Development I	Enterprise Web & Project (ID: ITP251)	Nanyang Poly	A	3.80 and above
	Interactive Web Design & Project (ID: ITP152)		A	
	Internet Application Development (EG1744)		A	
	Web Applications Development & Project (ID: ITP111/ITP191/ITP271)		A	
	Web Applications Development/Web 2.0 Application Development (ID: IT1507/IT1524/IT1624/ITP161/ITP191/ITP271/EG3779/EG3779)		A	
	Web Design & Development (EG2739)		A	
	Developing Web Applications (from Diploma in Financial Informatics/Information Technology)	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
	Secure Software Development 1 (from Diploma in Information Security & Forensics)		A	
	Web Development (13WDEV)		A	
	Web Application Development	Singapore Poly	A	
	Enterprise Application Development (ID: ST0291)		A	
	Web Applications Development (ID: ST0217/ ST2220)		A	
	Dynamic Web Application and Development (ID: CIT2P44)	Temasek Poly	A	
	Web Programming (ID: CIT1C09)		A	
	Advanced Web Application Development (ID: C273/C286)	Republic Poly	A	
Web Application Development (ID: C203/C236)	A			
Data Management	Diploma in Business Intelligence and Analytics	Nanyang Poly	Not applicable	3.80 and above
	Diploma in Cybersecurity & Digital Forensics			
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	Diploma in Infocomm & Media Engineering			
	Diploma in Information Security			
	Diploma in Information Technology			
Diploma in Multimedia & Infocomm Technology				

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	Diploma in Cybersecurity & Digital Forensics	Ngee Ann Poly	Not applicable	3.80 and above
	Diploma in Financial Informatics			
	Diploma in Information Technology			
	Diploma in Information Security & Forensics	Singapore Poly		
	Diploma in Infocomm Security Management			
	Diploma in Information Technology	Temasek Poly		
	Diploma in Big Data & Analytics			
	Diploma in Big Data Management and Governance			
	Diploma in Business Intelligence & Analytics			
	Diploma in Cyber and Digital Security			
	Diploma in Cybersecurity & Digital Forensics			
	Diploma in Computer Engineering			
	Diploma in Digital Forensics	Republic Poly		
	Diploma in 3D Interactive Media Technology			
	Diploma in Business Information Systems			
Diploma in Digital Design and Development				
Diploma in Financial Technology	Republic Poly			
Diploma in Infocomm Security Management				
Diploma in Information Technology				
Business Process Analysis & Solutioning	Business Process Modelling & Simulation (ID: IT2561)	Nanyang Poly	A	3.80 and above
	Enterprise Business Processes	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
	Business Process Modelling & Development (BPMD)	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
	Enterprise Business Processes (ID: ST2219)	Singapore Poly	A	
	Business Process Management (ID: CF11C11)	Temasek Poly	A	
	Systems Modelling and Simulation (ID: ESZ3002)		A	
	Diploma in Business Process & Systems Engineering	Republic Poly	A	
Business Process Modeling (ID: C356)	Republic Poly	A		
Interaction Design & Prototyping	Application Usability Design (IT1572)	Nanyang Poly	A	3.80 and above
	Principles of UX Design & UX Design Methods & Technique (IT1165 & IT2162) (both must be taken)		A	
	UX Design for Multi-Devices (EG1762)		A	
	Diploma in Multimedia & Infocomm Technology (UX Design & Engineering)	Ngee Ann Poly	Not Applicable	
	Designing User Experience / Diploma in Immersive Media (DUX)		A	
	Human Computer Interaction (CIM1C07)	Temasek Poly	A	
	User Experience and Interface Design (CGE1C11/CIT1C19)	Temasek Poly	A	
	User Experience	Ngee Ann Poly	A	
	Design for User Interaction (ST0277)	Singapore Poly	A	
Geospatial Analytics for Urban Planning	Geospatial Analytics (IT3358)	Nanyang Poly	A	3.80 and above
	Geospatial Visualisation (IT3161)		A	
	Diploma in Information Technology-specialization in Geospatial and Mobile Innovation	Nanyang Poly	Not Applicable	
	Geospatial Visualisation (ST0294)	Singapore Poly	A	
Programming Fundamentals I	Diploma in Cybersecurity & Digital Forensics	Nanyang Poly	Not Applicable	3.80 and above
	Diploma in Cybersecurity & Forensics			
	Diploma in Information Security			
	Diploma in Cybersecurity & Digital Forensics	Ngee Ann Poly		
	Diploma in Financial Informatics			
	Diploma in Information Technology			
Diploma in Network Systems & Security				

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Exemption Course	Basis for Exemption	Polytechnic	Minimum Grade	Minimum Poly cGPA
	Diploma in Computer Engineering	Singapore Poly		
	Diploma in Infocomm Security Management			
	Diploma in Information Technology			
	Diploma in Big Data & Analytics	Temasek Poly		
	Diploma in Big Data Management and Governance			
	Diploma in Cyber and Digital Security			
	Diploma in Cybersecurity & Digital Forensics			
	Diploma in Digital Forensics			
Social Analytics and Applications	Social Media Analytics (IT3355)	Nanyang Poly	A	3.80 and above
Data Mining and Business Analytics	Data Mining and Business Analytics (CDA2CO2)	Temasek Poly	A	3.80 and above
Operating Systems & Networking	ST2412 Linux Administration & Security and ST1010: Network Fundamentals (both must be taken)	Singapore Poly	A	3.80 and above

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## 5. SAT/IELTS/TOEFL/ACT/Cambridge English

Component	Score Required	Exemption
SAT Evidence-based Reading and Writing	At least 720 for Evidence-Based Reading and Writing	Writing and Reasoning
IELTS	Component scores of at least: Reading 8 and Writing 8	
TOEFL	Component scores of at least: Reading 29 and Writing 30	
ACT Reading and Writing	Composite score of at least 32 with component scores of at least: Reading 34. For writing scores reported on a 2 – 12 scale, minimum score is 9.	
Cambridge English C1 Advanced	Component scores of at least: Reading 200 and Writing 200	

*Note: This is only applicable for students who are admitted under the International student category.*

## 6. International Baccalaureate Diploma

Level	Course	Grade Required	Exemption
Higher Level	All (includes languages)	7 6	2 courses in FE 1 course in FE
	Psychology	7	Introduction to Psychology AND 1 course in FE
	Social and Cultural Anthropology	7	Understanding Societies AND 1 course in FE
	English A1 English A: Language and Literature	7	Writing and Reasoning AND 1 course in FE
	Mathematics Mathematics: Analysis and approaches Mathematics: Applications and interpretation	7 4 to 6#	Calculus AND 1 course in FE Calculus
Standard Level	Mathematics Mathematics: Analysis and approaches Mathematics: Applications and interpretation	5 and above	Calculus
		No Exemption for BSc(Econ) students	

#BSc(Econ) students, at least 5 and above.

## 7. NUS High School Diploma

For NUS High School students who have taken EL5102, EL5101 and EL6103, EL5102 will supersede the EL5101 and EL6103 results for Writing and Reasoning exemption consideration.

Subject	Subject Overall CAP Required	Exemption
EL5102 English for Academic Purposes	A- and above	Writing and Reasoning
EL5101 Language in Society II AND EL6103 Language in Society III	A- in both EL5101 and EL6103	Writing and Reasoning
EL5131 Critical Reading and Writing II: The Global Connection AND EL6131 Critical reading and writing III: Emerging issues in a changing world	A- in both EL 5131 and EL 6131	Writing and Reasoning
Mathematics	2.00 and above	Calculus
Any Arts Courses	4.00 and above	2 courses in FE
	3.00 to 3.99	1 course in FE
Any Science Courses	4.00 and above	2 courses in FE
	3.0 o 3.99	1 course in FE

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**8. Integrated Programme**

For Nanyang Girls' High School, Temasek Junior College, CHIJ St. Nicholas

<b>Course</b>	<b>Grade Required</b>	<b>Exemption</b>
Integrated Mathematics 1 Integrated Mathematics 2 (both must be taken)	B and above	Calculus

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