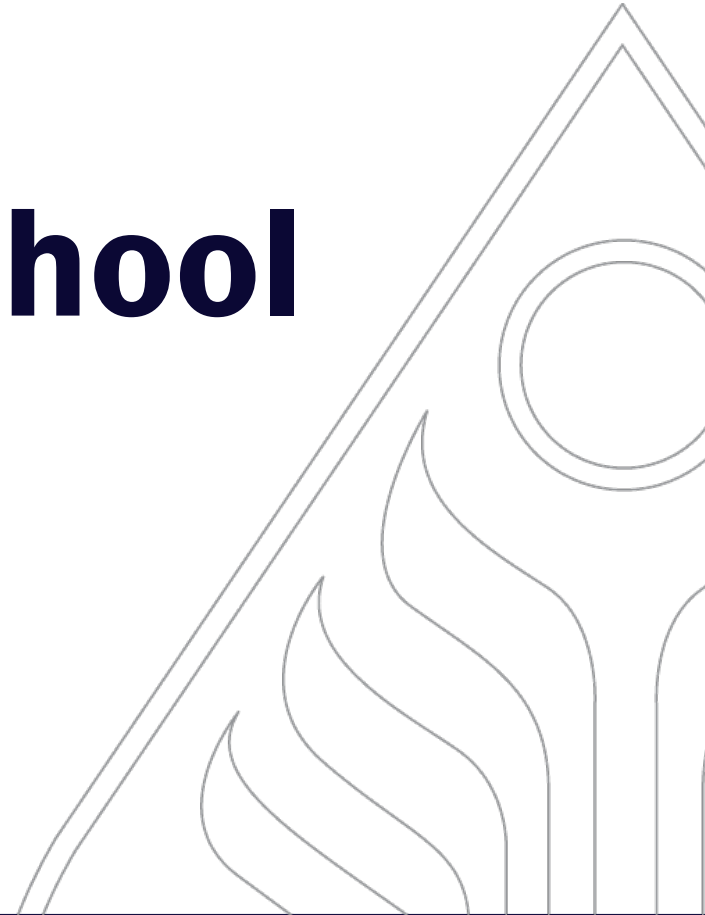


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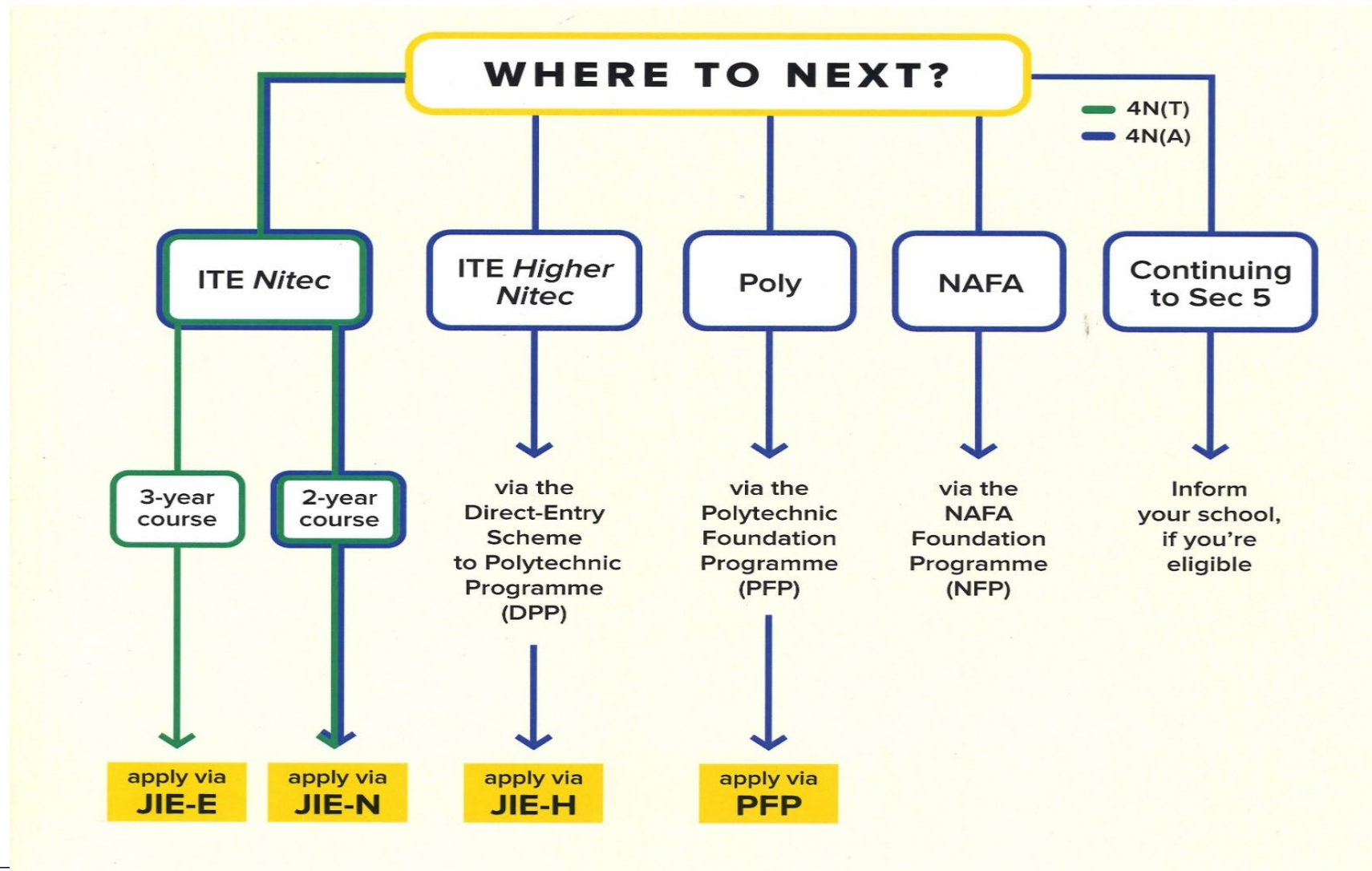
Pathways for 4NA students



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Post Secondary Pathways for GCE N-Level



Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP)

- The Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP) is a **one-year programme** that offers a practice-oriented curriculum taught by polytechnic lecturers, to better prepare polytechnic-bound N(A) students for entry into the relevant Polytechnic Diploma courses. This is an alternative to the Sec 5 year. PFP students are given **provisional places in diploma programmes, subject to them passing all modules in the one-year PFP**. The requirement to pass all modules ensures that students continue to work hard during their PFP year and are well prepared for polytechnic studies. Students who apply effort should have no difficulties in meeting the requirement.
- The PFP caters to students of the Sec 4N(A) cohort in the preceding year. The PFP will have about **1,500 places set aside each year**. It will be offered by all five Polytechnics. **More than 80% of Polytechnic Diploma** courses will be offered under the PFP.



Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP)

- Eligibility criteria

- EMB3 aggregate between ≤ 12

Group 1 (Applied sciences, design, engineering, IT courses)		Group 2 (Business, humanities courses)	
English Language	Grade 1 - 3	English Language	Grade 1 - 2
Mathematics		Mathematics	Grade 1 - 3
One of the relevant subjects: - D&T or F&N - Science		One of the relevant subjects: - Art - Geography / History - Literature in English - Principles of Accounts	
2 other subjects		2 other subjects	



Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP)

You can find details of the Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP) for N(A) students at

<https://pfp.polytechnic.edu.sg/PFP/index.html>



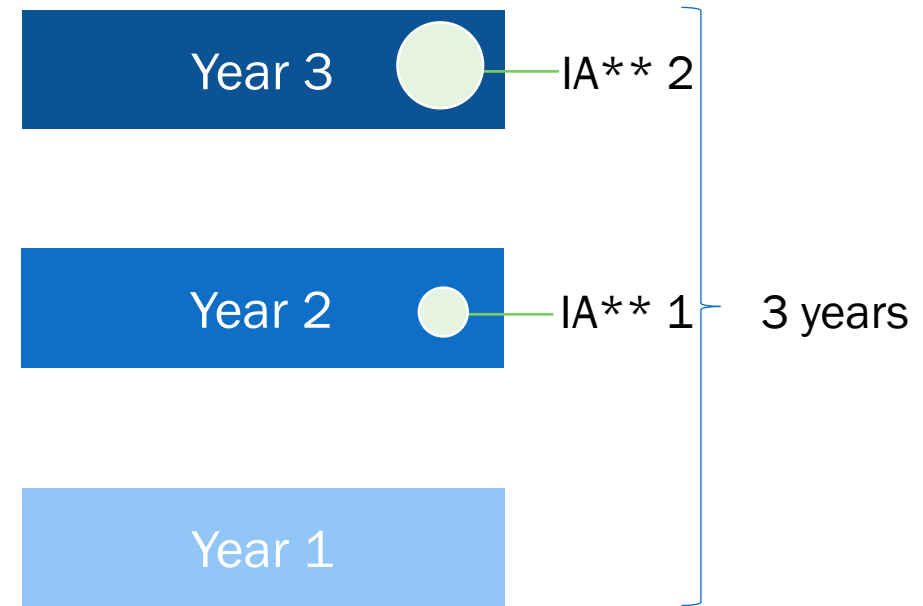
ITE has redesigned the curriculum to offer all students a 3-year curriculum, with most students achieving a Higher Nitec at the end of their time in ITE

Current ITE curricular structure



N(A) and N(T) student entry point

Enhanced ITE curricular structure



N(A) and N(T) student entry point



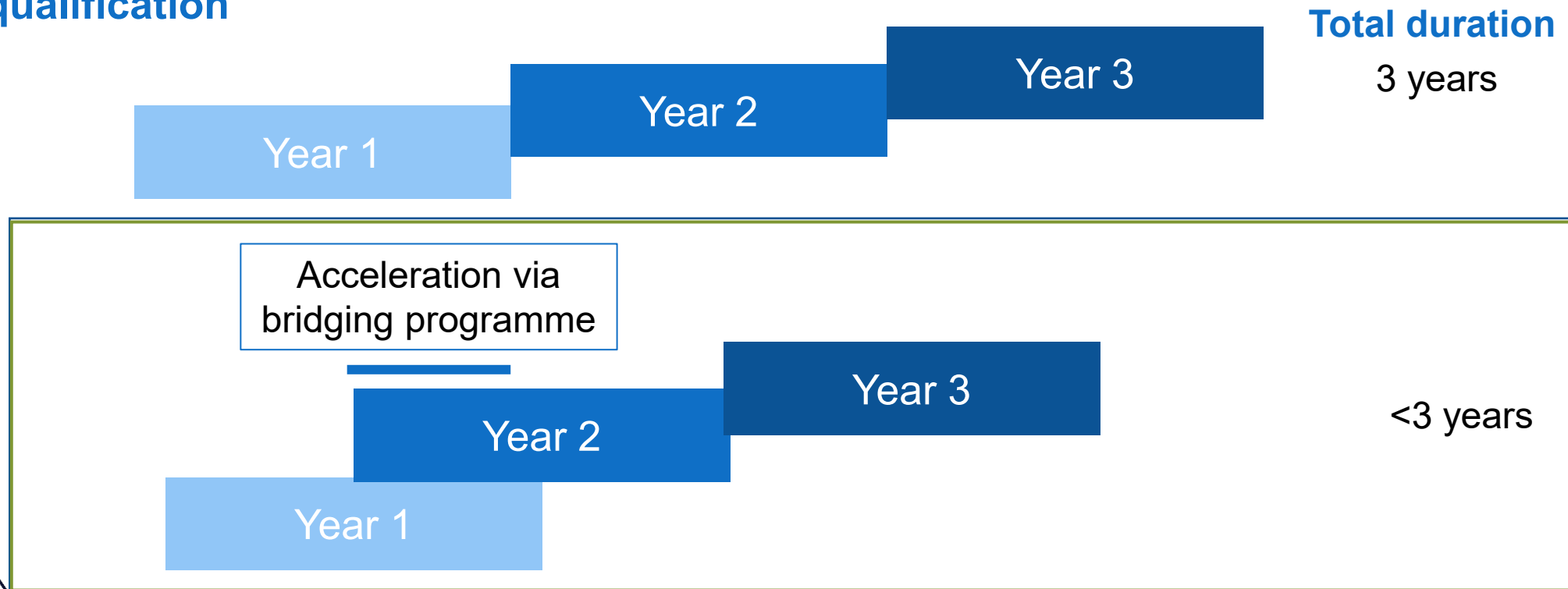
* In the current ITE curricular structure, Nitec graduates can proceed to Higher Nitec Year 2 if they meet the entry requirements

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Flexibility under the enhanced curricular structure

Students do well in Semester 1 of Year 1 may be identified for an accelerated pathway to complete the Higher Nitec course in less than 3 years

You will also be supported in your learning to help you achieve the Higher Nitec qualification



For students identified for acceleration



Some courses will move to the new structure first

The 16 courses on the right will move to the new structure first

These courses will take on the new structure from the 2022 intake (that's potentially you!)

Other ITE courses will move to the new structure in phases after 2024

Spend a few moments to consider if your favourite courses from ITE are here!

Remember your choice!



Current Nitec course which will be mapped to a three-year Higher Nitec course from AY2022 (i.e. no longer available for application in May 2021 EAE and Dec 2021 JIE)	Higher Nitec course that students who enrol in AY2022 under the enhanced curricular structure would graduate with in AY2024
Business and Services	
Nitec in Business Administration	Higher Nitec in Accounting
Nitec in Fitness Training	Higher Nitec in Sport Management
Engineering	
Nitec in Electronics, Computer Networking & Communications	Higher Nitec in Electronics Engineering
Nitec in Electronics & Internet of Things	
Nitec in Microelectronics	
Nitec in Security Technology	Higher Nitec in Security System Integration
Info-Communications Technology	
Nitec in Infocomm Technology	Higher Nitec in IT Systems & Networks
	Higher Nitec in Cyber & Network Security
	Higher Nitec in Business Information Systems
Nitec in Web Applications	Higher Nitec in IT Applications Development

ITE Early Admissions Exercise

- ITE EAE is an aptitude-based admissions exercise that allows students to apply and receive conditional offers for admission to ITE based on their aptitude and interest, prior to receiving their final GCE N- examination results. It allows ITE greater flexibility in selecting students on a broader measure of criteria other than academic grades, thus allowing a wider range of talents to be recognized.
- Application usually starts after the mid year exams. After which, students may need to attend try-outs, interviews, etc., during the June holidays.
- Even when offer is accepted, the student still need to meet the minimum requirements, and must pass all subjects.



You can apply for all ITE courses (regardless whether they will move to the new structure first) through ITE EAE

The ITE EAE begins in May 2021. You can start to prepare for the application!

Process	2022 Intake	
	Start	End
Application phase	Thu 27/5/2021	Wed 2/6/2021
Shortlisting phase	Thu 3/6/2021	Mon 21/6/2021
Selection (interview) phase	Tue 22/6/2021	Tue 27/7/2021
Offer & acceptance phase	Mon 23/8/2021	Fri 27/8/2021
Withdrawal phase	Mon 30/8/2021	Fri 3/9/2021

More information at <https://www.ite.edu.sg/admissions/full-time-courses/nitec/early-admissions-exercise>



<https://go.gov.sg/iteeaeay2021>



2021 ITE JIE Aggregate Points

ITE	Course	Aggregate (based on best 4 subjects)
East	Applied Food Science	9
	Nursing	13
	Opticianry	14
	Logistics Services	10
Central	Business Services	7
	Fitness Training	7
	Infocomm Technology	7
	Aerospace Avionics	8
West	Retail Services	10
	Electrical Technology (Lighting & Sound)	9
	Hospitality Operations	7
	Pastry & Baking	15



2021 ITE Aggregate Points

Current Nitec course which will be mapped to a three-year Higher Nitec course from AY2022				Higher Nitec course that students who enrol in AY2022 under the enhanced curricular structure would graduate with in AY2024 (Aggregate based on EMB3)			
Business and Services							
	ITE Central	ITE East	ITE West		ITE Central	ITE East	ITE West
Nitec in Business Administration	6	7	7	Higher Nitec in Accounting	10	11	10
Nitec in Fitness Training	7	14	15	Higher Nitec in Sport Management	*Not updated in 2021		
Engineering							
	ITE Central	ITE East	ITE West		ITE Central	ITE East	ITE West
Nitec in Electronics, Computer Networking & Communications	11	15	16	Higher Nitec in Electronics Engineering	13	15	15
Nitec in Electronics & Internet of Things	-	13	-				
Nitec in Microelectronics	15	-	-				
Nitec in Security Technology	-	-	13	Higher Nitec in Security System Integration	*Not updated in 2021		
Info-Communications Technology							
	ITE Central	ITE East	ITE West		ITE Central	ITE East	ITE West
Nitec in Infocomm Technology	6	16	5	Higher Nitec in IT Systems & Networks	10	11	12
				Higher Nitec in Cyber & Network Security	-	10	10
				Higher Nitec in Business Information Systems	-	10	-
Nitec in Web Applications	8	17	17	Higher Nitec in IT Applications Development	10	11	11



Direct-Entry-Scheme to Polytechnic Programme (DPP)

- The Direct-Entry-Scheme to Polytechnic Programme (DPP) is one of the two Normal (Academic) through-train pathways that were launched in 2013. It allows Secondary 4 N(A) students to be admitted directly into a 2-year Higher Nitec programme at the Institute of Technical Education (ITE) without having to sit for the O-Level examinations or undergo a Nitec programme.
- If the student successfully complete the course with the **minimum required Grade Point Average (GPA)**, he or she is **guaranteed** a place in a polytechnic diploma course mapped to his or her choice Higher Nitec course.



Direct-Entry-Scheme to Polytechnic Programme (DPP)

- The table shows the minimum GPA for the various courses

Higher Nitec Courses	For Progression to 1st Year of Relevant Polytechnic Diploma Course*	For Progression to 2nd Year of Relevant Polytechnic Diploma Course*
Applied Sciences #	Raw <i>Higher Nitec</i> GPA ≥ 2.5 (excluding CCA bonus points^)	N.A.
Engineering and Info-Communications Technology #	Raw <i>Higher Nitec</i> GPA ≥ 2.5 (excluding CCA bonus points^)	Raw <i>Higher Nitec</i> GPA ≥ 3.5 (excluding CCA bonus points^)
Business & Services	Raw <i>Higher Nitec</i> GPA ≥ 3.0 (excluding CCA bonus points^)	N.A.

- Successful applicants will enrol in ITE in January for a 10-week preparatory course, before joining the Higher Nitec course in April



Direct-Entry-Scheme to Polytechnic Programme (DPP)

- Eligibility criteria
 - EMB3 aggregate between 13 - 19

	Applied sciences, engineering or info-communications technology courses	Business & services or hospitality courses
English Language	Grade 1 - 4	Grade 1 - 3
Mathematics	Grade 1 - 4	Grade 1 - 4
3 other best subjects	Grade 1 - 5	Grade 1 - 5



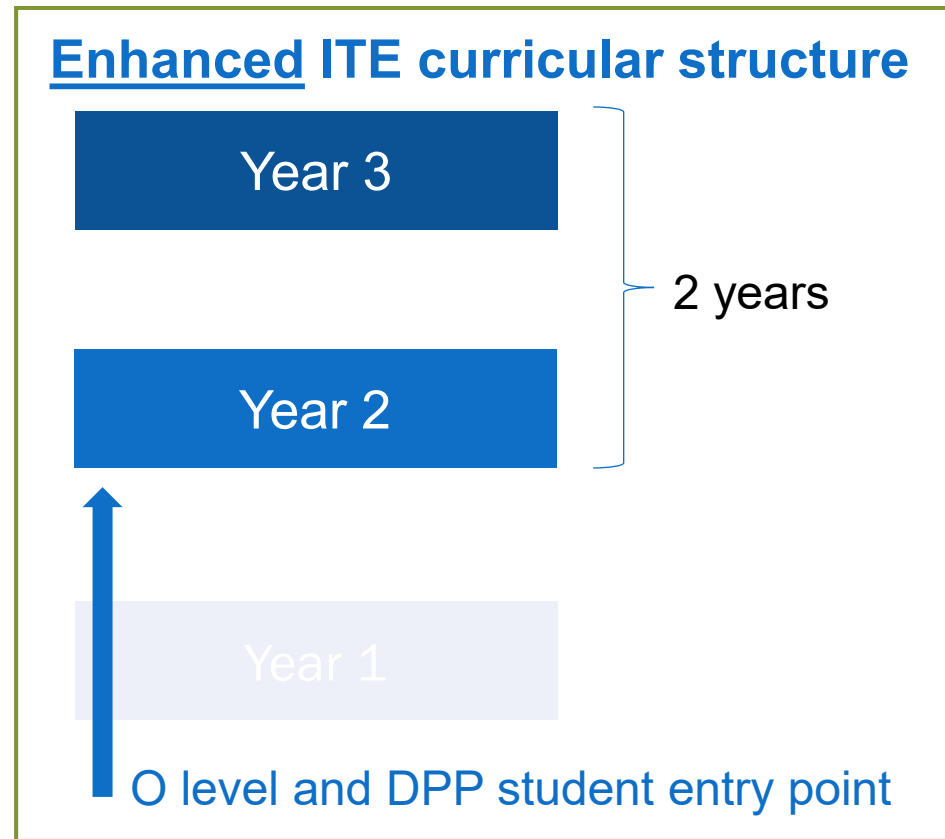
DPP students will continue to attain a Higher Nitec in two years

If you qualify for DPP, you can continue to attain a Higher Nitec qualification in 2 years!

Current ITE curricular structure



Enhanced ITE curricular structure



Direct-Entry-Scheme to Polytechnic Programme (DPP)

- Mapping of Higher Nitec courses to Polytechnic Diploma courses

Higher Nitec DPP Course ^[2]	Mapped Polytechnic Courses for articulation from Higher Nitec DPP Course	Offered by	Minimum Qualifying GPA ^[3]	
			Year 1 Entry ^[4]	Year 2 Entry ^[5]
Applied Sciences				
Chemical Technology	Biologics & Process Technology	NYP	2.5	-
	Chemical & Pharmaceutical Technology	NYP	2.5	-
	Common Engineering Programme	NYP	2.5	-
	Nanotechnology & Materials Science	NYP	2.5	-
	Applied Chemistry (<i>Previously known as Materials Science</i>)	RP	2.5	-
	Environmental & Marine Science	RP	2.5	-
	Pharmaceutical Science	RP	2.5	-
Engineering				
Civil & Structural Engineering Design	Architecture	NYP	2.5	-
	Experiential Product & Interior Design	NYP	2.5	-
	Industrial & Operations Management	RP	2.5	-
	Sustainable Built Environment	RP	2.5	-
	Architecture	SP	2.5	-
	Civil Engineering	SP	2.5	-
	Architectural Technology & Building Services (<i>Previously known as Green Building & Sustainability</i>)	TP	2.5	-
	Integrated Facility Management	TP	2.5	-

- You can refer to the below mentioned link for further information on the matching of courses for DPP
- <https://www.ite.edu.sg/docs/default-source/admissions-docs/full-time/publications/admission-booklet/gce-n-admission-booklet-2021.pdf>

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Thank You

and have a nice day

