



### ADMISSION REQUIREMENT

All applicants are required to complete the following before admission to Hwa Chong International School:

- 1) Admission to Year 1 to Year 3 – **English & Mathematics Test**  
Admission to Year 4, IBF and IB1 – **English, Mathematics & Physics Test**
- 2) A one-to-one **interview** between a teacher and applicant  
Interview will be conducted in English, and will last approximately 15 minutes

**Kindly refer to the following page for topics covered in the Admission Tests**

### Admission Test Schedule

Interviews and admission tests are held on every **first Friday of the month**. If the Friday is a public holiday in Singapore, it will be conducted on the following Friday.

Results will be released **7 working days** after the admission test date. Applicants will be notified the status of his/her application via email.

Successful applicants will receive the Letter of Offer and be given **5 working days** (subject to change without prior notice) to consider the Offer.

### ADMISSION REGISTRATION

Please submit the following documents via email to [admin@hcis.edu.sg](mailto:admin@hcis.edu.sg) OR fax to (65) 6464 7060 **at least 7 working days** before the admission test date:

Date of Admission Test	Registration Deadline
Fri, 9 Jan 2015	Fri, 2 Jan 2015
Fri, 6 Feb 2015	Fri, 30 Jan 2015
Fri, 6 Mar 2015	Fri, 27 Feb 2015
Fri, 10 Apr 2015	Thur, 2 Apr 2015
Fri, 8 May 2015	Thur, 30 Apr 2015
Fri, 5 Jun 2015	Fri, 29 May 2015
Fri, 3 Jul 2015	Fri, 26 Jun 2015
Fri, 7 Aug 2015	Fri, 31 Jul 2015
Fri, 11 Sep 2015	Fri, 4 Sep 2015
Fri, 2 Oct 2015	Fri, 25 Sep 2015
Fri, 6 Nov 2015	Fri, 30 Oct 2015
Fri, 4 Dec 2015	Fri, 27 Nov 2015

### PLEASE DO NOT SUBMIT ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS

i	Registration Form	完整填写并签字的报名表格
ii	Singaporean - Copy of NRIC (if applicable) & Birth Certificate	新加坡公民 一身份证 (如有) 及出生证复印件
	Singapore PR - Copy of NRIC (if applicable), Re-entry Permit, Passport & Birth Certificate*	新加坡永久居民一身份证 (如有)、再入境许可、护照及出生证* 复印件
	Foreigner - Copy of Passport, Birth Certificate* & Dependant/ Student/ LTSV/ SV pass	国际学生 一护照、出生证* 及家属准证 / 学生准证 / 长期旅游签证 / 旅游签证复印件
iii	Copy of last academic certificate result obtained (such as PSLE/GCE 'O' Level/IGCSE or other overseas certification*, if applicable)	最高学历证书 (PSLE/ 'O' 水准 / IGCSE / 其它外国毕业证书)* 复印件
iv	Copy of all academic results of the latest 3 academic years*	最近三年的学习成绩单* 复印件
v	Registration Fee <b>SGD321.00<sup>^</sup></b> (non-refundable)	报名费 <b>SGD321.00<sup>^</sup></b> (不可退)

\* Please provide the official translated copy if document is not in English. (\* 若非英文, 请提供官方英文翻译, 如公证)

<sup>^</sup> The amount quoted above is inclusive of 7% Goods and Services Tax (GST). (<sup>^</sup> 包括新加坡 7% 消费税)

### ADMISSION INTERVIEW AND TEST TIMETABLE

Levels: - Year 1, 2, 3, 4 (eligible for the Cambridge IGCSE Programme)  
- IBF, IB1 (eligible for the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme)

Item	Time
Report at Admin Office for Admission Test	8.15 am
English Paper	9.00 am – 10.30 am (1h 30 min)
Mathematics Paper	10.45 am – 12.15 pm (1h 30min)
Interview (approximately 15 minutes per applicant)	2.00 pm – 5.30 pm Timeslot for each applicant will be allocated
Physics Paper (if applicable)	1.15 pm – 2.30 pm (1h 15 min)

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## ADMISSION TEST INFORMATION

### Please note:

1. The use of a dictionary and/or translator of any kind is not allowed.
2. Scientific calculator is allowed for all levels.  
Please bring along all mathematical construction instruments, e.g. curve ruler, set square etc.

## A. ENGLISH

### LOWER SECONDARY

To ensure a fair and accurate assessment of the applicant's linguistic ability, applicants will be tested on:

#### For admission to Year 1/ Grade 7

1. Continuous writing – Minimum word count: 150
2. Comprehension (consisting of multiple-choice questions)
3. Cloze Passage

#### For admission to Year 2/ Grade 8

1. Continuous writing – Minimum word count: 200
2. Comprehension (consisting of multiple-choice questions)
3. Cloze Passage

### UPPER SECONDARY

The admissions test for Upper Secondary English will assess applicants mainly on their essay writing skills. Scripts will be graded for content and language (on the fluency of expression and vocabulary). The paper comprises of:

#### For admission to Year 3/ Grade 9

1. Free Writing – Word Count: Between 300-400 words (choice of narrative, descriptive and expository topics).
2. Reading Comprehension (no summary question)

#### For admission to Year 4/ Grade 10

1. Free Writing – Word Count: Between 350-450 words (choice of narrative, descriptive and expository topics).
2. Reading Comprehension (no summary question)

### PRE-UNIVERSITY

#### For admission to Year 5 (IB1)/ Grade 11

The admissions test for Year 5 of Pre-University Level will assess applicants on their writing skills – Argumentative Writing and reasoning component. Applicants are required to write between 500 – 600 words.

## B. MATHEMATICS

### For Admission to Year 1/ Grade 7

Topics: Arithmetic, Fractions, Decimals, Statistics, Simple Algebra, Geometry, Mensuration, Rate, Ratio and Speed, Percentages

### For Admission to Year 2/ Grade 8

Topics: Number System, Algebra, Number Sequences, Mensuration, Rate, Ratio and Speed, Percentages, Functions and Graph, Statistics, Geometry

### For Admission to Year 3/ Grade 9

Topics: Arithmetic, Use of electronic calculator, Congruence and Similarity, Rate, Ratio and Proportion, Geometry, Algebra, Simultaneous linear Equations, Graphs and Applications, Motion Geometry, Pythagoras Theorem and Trigonometric Ratios, mensuration, Statistics

### For Admission to Year 4/ IBF/ Grade 10

Topics: Number system, Use of electronic calculator, Arithmetic, Graphs and Applications, Algebra, Functions, Surds and Indices, Equations and inequalities, Geometry, Mensuration, Trigonometry, Statistics

### For Admission to IB1/ Grade 11

Topics: Number system, Set notation and language, Use of electronic calculator, Arithmetic, Graphs and Applications, Algebra, Functions, Surds and Indices, Equations and Inequalities, Geometry, Locus, Mensuration, Trigonometry, Statistics and Probability, Vectors in two dimension, Matrices, Transformations

## C. PHYSICS

### For Admission to Year 4/ Grade 10

Measurement, Speed, Velocity and Acceleration, Mass and Weight, Density, Forces (includes Moments, Scalars and Vectors), Energy, Work and Power, Pressure, Simple Kinetic Molecular Model of Matter, Thermal Properties (includes Thermal Expansion, Temperature), Transfer of Thermal Energy, General Wave Properties, Light (includes EM Spectrum), Sound

### For Admission to Year 5/ Grade 11

Measurement, Speed, Velocity and Acceleration, Mass and Weight, Density, Forces, Energy, Work and Power, Pressure, Simple Kinetic Molecular Model of Matter, Thermal Properties, Transfer of Thermal Energy, General Wave Properties, Light, Sound, Simple Phenomena of Magnetism, Electrical Quantities, Electric Circuits, Dangers of Electricity, Electromagnetic Effects, Cathode-Ray Oscilloscopes, Radioactivity, The Nuclear Atom.