

SINGAPORE POLYTECHNIC



Freshman Orientation Programme 2019

School of Mathematics and Science

Welcome Message by **Ms Chao Yunn Chyi**,
Director – School of Mathematics & Science



Dear PFP Students,

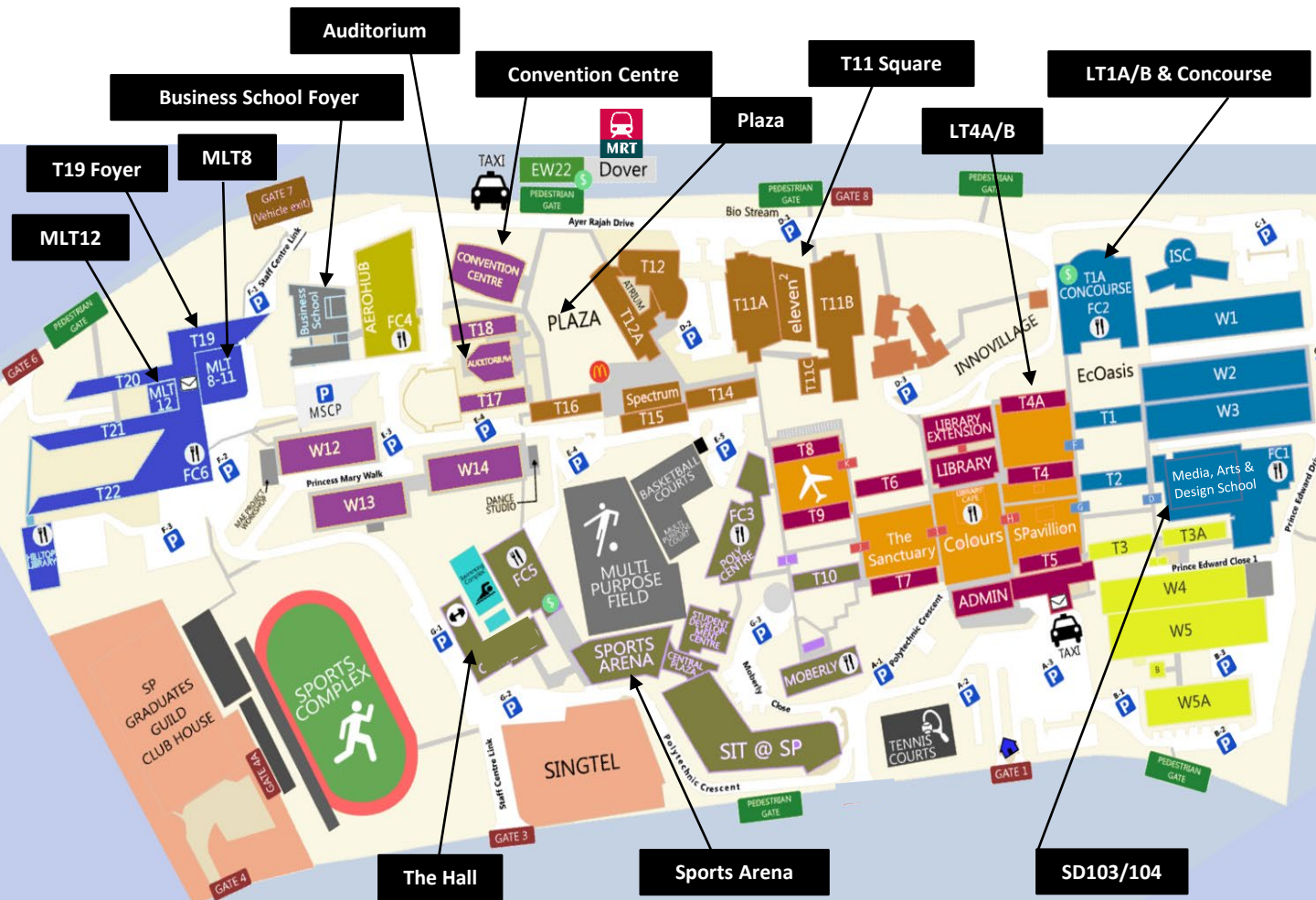
Welcome and congratulations on making **SP** your choice polytechnic for the Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP).

In this one-year through-train programme, there will be aplenty opportunities for you to discover your passions and enrich your learning experiences. Regardless of the course you will pursue, PFP@SP is designed to build a strong foundation for your future studies and work.

The Freshman Orientation Programme (FOP) is a platform to get you to familiarise with polytechnic life and environment via games & activities with your peers and lecturers. Start your SP experience with this fun-filled FOP and forge new friendships as you assimilate into our vibrant SP campus life.

Warmest Regards,
Chao Yunn Chyi
Director, School of Mathematics and Science

Orientation Programme – Main Venues



E-map at <https://www.sp.edu.sg/map>

Day 1

8 April 2019
(Monday)

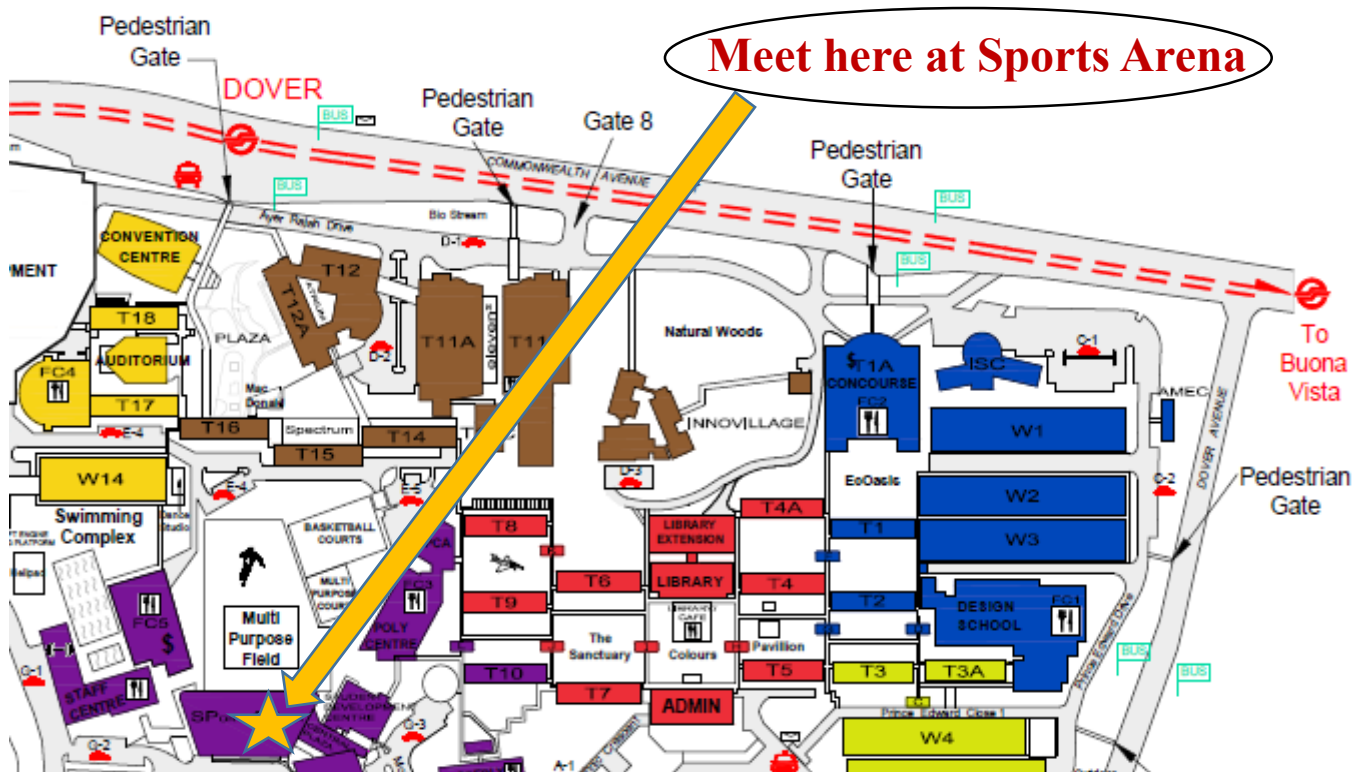
Programme

Time	Activity	Class / Course	Venue
9am – 12pm	Registration and Ice Breaking Games	All PFP	Sports Arena (Level 3)
1.30pm – 5pm	Station Games Debrief	All PFP	SP campus

Sports Attire:

Dark-colored T-shirts, Sports Shoes (No slippers),

Please bring an extra T-shirt



Day 2**9 April 2019
(Tuesday)****Programme**

Time	Activity	Class / Course	Venue
8.30am – 9am	Registration	All PFP	Auditorium
9am – 11am	Freshman Orientation Welcoming Programme	All PFP	Auditorium
11am – 12.20pm	Lunch session and interaction with Principal, Deputy Principals, Academic School Directors	All PFP	Auditorium
12.30pm – 1.30pm	Meet the course chairs sessions	All PFP	T16 & T17 classrooms
1.30pm– 3.00pm	CCA Carnival	All PFP	T11 Square

Time	Programme
8:30 am	Registration of PFP freshmen with student leaders
9:00 am	Private Victory Workshop by DSA
10:00 am	Welcome address by Ms. Chao Yunn Chyi, Director, School of Mathematics and Science (MS)
10:15 am	Welcome address by Mr. Patrick Phang, Course Chair of Polytechnic Foundation Program
10:30 am	ATS Briefing
10:40 am	Library Briefing
10:55 am	Song Performance by PFP alumni (6 th cohort)
11:00 am	Lunch Reception / Interaction with students

Day 3

10 April 2019
(Wednesday)

Programme

Time	Activity	Class / Course	Venue
9am - 10am	PFP Induction Programme	All PFP	LT1A(A) & LT1A(B)
10am – 12pm	Meet the PT session	All PFP	Designated classrooms



Day 4

11 April 2019
(Thursday)

Programme

Time	Activity	Class / Course	Venue
8am – 3pm	SP Flag Day	All PFP	Designated MRT stations



About the School

The School of Mathematics & Science (MS) offers Polytechnic Foundation Programme (PFP) and supports SP courses in mathematics, physics, statistics, analytics, IT, and computing. We also offer part-time Specialist Diploma and short courses in Data Science and Analytics.

In MS, we strive to build a strong foundation in mathematics and science in our students to enable them to master their core disciplines so as to meet the needs of industry and life-long learning.

About Poly Foundation Programme

What is **POLYTECHNIC FOUNDATION PROGRAMME (PFP)?**

The PFP is a one-year programme specially designed for the top 'N' Level (Academic) cohort. Instead of continuing with your 'O' Level examinations in Secondary 5, you can join SP as part of this programme to prepare yourself for your pre-selected diploma course.

When you enrol in the programme, you get a provisional place in SP, which means that you will need to pass a set of modules in the foundation year in order to progress onto the first year of your diploma course. But not to worry, you will be guided by a dedicated team of SP lecturers who will do their best to help you excel during the foundation year.

For enquiries on Freshman Orientation Programme, please contact :

Name: MS General Office (T741)

Telephone: 6879 0395

Email: contactus@sp.edu.sg

Getting to know SP

1. What is the acronym of my School?

School	Acronym
Media, Arts & Design School	MAD
School of Architecture & the Built Environment	ABE
School of Chemical & Life Sciences	CLS
School of Computing	SoC
School of Electrical & Electronic Engineering	EEE
SP Business School	SB
Singapore Maritime Academy	SMA
School of Mechanical & Aeronautical Engineering	MAE
School of Mathematics & Science (Poly Foundation Programme)	MS

Please click on > [School and Course Information](#) for more information.

For PFP

2. What class am I in?

To find your class information, login to [Class Information](#) using your student account provided by SP.

Example of class information: **DBA/FT/1A/01**

Course Code/Full Time/Phase of Study/Class Number

3. Where do I go for my lesson?

Venue codes

LT = Lecture Theatre, e.g. LT4A

MLT = Main Lecture Theatre, e.g. MLT8

T = Teaching Block, e.g. T3A

W = Workshop, e.g. W5

Classroom and Office Location

Example 1: **T334**

Location : Teaching Block **3**, Level **3**, Room **4**

Example 2: **T3A21**

Location : Teaching Block **3A**, Level **2**, Room **1**

Getting to know SP

4. Where is my School Admin Office?

- ABE - T3A Level 4
- CLS - T11A Level 6
- EEE - T14 Level 7
- SB - SP Business School Building Level 7
- SoC - T19 Level 4
- SMA - T1A Level 7
- MAD - Media, Arts & Design School Building Level 1
- MAE - T16 Level 7
- MS - T7 Level 4

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5. Where can I find information on IT Support and Services?

Please click on > [IT Support and Applications](#) and [IT Services](#) (SP Wireless, PC and Notebooks & Student Webmail).

IT Service hotline: 67721260

6. I am an international student, where can I find information and assistance to help me settle into life at SP?

Please click on > [Resource Information for International Students](#)

If you have further queries, you may visit the **Student Service Centre** at T16, Level 1 (near McDonalds).

7. Where can I find information on CCAs in SP?

For information on CCA, please click on > [CCA Information and Programmes](#)

If you have further queries, you may visit the **Dept. of Student Development & Alumni Relations** for assistance.

8. I need financial assistance for my studies, where can I find information or assistance?

Please click on > [Course Fees, Scholarships and Financial Assistance Schemes](#) for information.

If you need further assistance, you may visit the Student Service Centre at T16, Level 1 (near McDonalds), Tel: 6775 1133 or email: contactus@sp.edu.sg

9. What to eat at SP?

Click here > [Food & Retail](#) for a list of options.

Getting to know SP

10. What sports and recreational facilities are available in SP?

Check out the following facilities to take a break from studies or to keep fit :

1. Swimming Pool
2. Gym@Pool
3. Tennis Courts
4. Badminton Courts
5. Squash Courts
6. Basketball Courts
7. Running Track
8. Pool Tables (Student Hub@Moberly)

For more information and booking procedures, please click on > [Sports Facilities](#)

11. Useful Web Links (Some services may require login using accounts provided by SP)

- [Class Information](#)
- [School and Course Information](#)
- [CCA Information and Programmes](#)
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- [Pastoral Care and Counselling](#)
- [Education & Career Guidance](#)
- [Student Handbook](#)
- [SP Library](#)
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