

# EDUCATION **OUTSIDE** THE **CLASSROOM**

CCAs, MUSIC, ACSIS SPORT &  
SWIMMING PROGRAMMES

2022/23 SEASON

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# EDUCATION OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM PROGRAMME

## SEASON THREE

### HERE ARE THE ACTIVITIES YOU CAN DO AT NEXUS:

- THE **MUSIC ENSEMBLES** RUN IN SEMESTERS
- **AC SIS SPORTS** AND **CCAs** RUN IN SEASONS
- **SWIMMING SQUADS** RUN THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

Please contact the relevant member of staff with any enquires regarding these activities. These can be found on the back page of this booklet.



## KEY DATES

DATE	ACSIS SPORTS	CCAS
Wednesday 15 February	5pm: Sign up opens	
Monday 20 February	Sport training begins	
Wednesday 22 February		5pm Phase 1 sign up opens
Friday 24 February	Sign ups close	
Tuesday 28 February		12 noon Phase 1 sign up closes and allocations are made
Thursday 2 March		12 noon Phase 2 sign ups open
Friday 3 March		12noon: Phase 2 sign ups close and final allocations are made.
Friday 3 March		5pm: Allocated activities can be seen in the Activities Portal
Monday 13 March		CCAs begin
Friday 12 May	Season ends	
Friday 9 June		Season ends

## MUSIC ENSEMBLES

Music Ensembles started in January and continue this semester. For more information, please contact [music@nexus.edu.sg](mailto:music@nexus.edu.sg)



# ACSIS SPORT PROGRAMME

## WELCOME TO NEXUS SPORT

Season 3 is up and running. Thank you for your sign ups.

Here is a link to the current programme.

**SEASON 3 SPORTS**

### ACSIS SITE

The Athletic Conference of Singapore International Schools (ACSIS) has a useful and comprehensive website. If you would like to view the sports offered across Season 3, please feel free to take a look sometime.

[www.acsis.sg/acsis](http://www.acsis.sg/acsis)



### **When did training begin for ACSIS Season 3 Sports?**

AC SIS Season 3 sport training began on Monday 20 February and will follow the schedule presented below. The advertised days and times will then become the regular training days for these teams.

### **Will everyone play matches?**

All learners who sign up for a sport team will be given the opportunity to train with the squad on the regular training day. However, if sign-up numbers are large, team selection for fixtures will be done on a weekly basis. Fixtures will start from **Monday 6 March**.

### **When do Season 3 CCAs start?**

Season 3 School CCAs start on **Monday 13 March** and sign ups open on **Wednesday 22 February**.

### **And what about music ensembles?**

Ongoing Semester 2 music ensembles will continue at their current day.

If your child is new to Nexus, they may still be able to join an ensemble. Please contact [music@nexus.edu.sg](mailto:music@nexus.edu.sg) for more information.



# NEXUS SWIMMING

## **What to do if you would like to get involved.**

If you are new to Nexus and would like to be considered for the Nexus Swim Team, you will need to undertake a trial. Please email Ms. Larisa Mogutova ([mogutova.l@nexus.edu.sg](mailto:mogutova.l@nexus.edu.sg)) and Mr. Dhill Anderson-Lee ([lee.dh@nexus.edu.sg](mailto:lee.dh@nexus.edu.sg)) to arrange a suitable time.

## **Expectations for the swim trial:**

1. Your child must be able to perform at least three recognisable strokes (for example front crawl, butterfly, breaststroke ) and have the endurance to swim 100 meters non-stop.
2. Your child must have an appropriate swimsuit, swim cap and goggles.

I look forward to working with the learners and coaches to grow swimming at Nexus.

**Ms. Larisa Mogutova**  
**Director of Aquatics**

# DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S INTERNATIONAL AWARD

We offer the Duke of Edinburgh's International Award at Bronze Level.

Learners may register for the Bronze Award in Year 10. We support learners to select appropriate activities for the relevant Skill, Physical Recreation and Voluntary Service sections of the Award.

Our CCA will continue on Thursdays, starting 2 March 3.30 - 4.30pm.

Please see our Parent Zone for further details about the award.

**Andy Jefferson**  
**EOTC & DoFE International Award Coordinator**

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# CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES (CCAs)

**KEY DATES & TIMES: THERE ARE TWO PHASES FOR CCA SIGN-UPS.**

## **Phase One**

The [SchoolsBuddy activities portal](#) opens at **5pm Wednesday 22 February**.

The Portal will close at **12noon on Tuesday 28 February** and activities will be allocated.

## **Phase Two**

The Portal will then reopen at **12 noon on Thursday 2 March**, where additional choices can be made. Phase Two will close at **12noon on Friday 3 March**. This is when all remaining CCA places will be allocated.

**SEASON THREE RUNS FROM 13 MARCH 2023 TO 9 JUNE 2023**

## **BEFORE SIGNING UP FOR CCAS**

If you have signed up for an ACSIS sport team check carefully to ensure that the sessions do not clash.

## **KEY INFORMATION**

### **CCA GATHERING POINT**

Primary learners will be directed to the relevant activity meet up points. Secondary learners should go directly to the location of their activity. The location information can be found on the SchoolsBuddy platform.

### **PICK UP POINT**

After CCAs in the afternoon, learners can be picked up from the Level 2 Eco Cafe, outside the Learner Services office. Younger learners who are taking the CCA bus will be taken to the bus bay by the CCA teacher.

Please note that parents, guardians, helpers and SUPERVISED siblings may wait in the eco cafe to collect a learner whilst a CCA or Nexus run sports training event is in session after school.





# CHOOSING YOUR CCA

A PDF overview of activities offered in CCA season 3 can be [found here](#). Alternatively, please make your selections directly on SchoolsBuddy.

Please select CCAs that your child will commit to for the whole season.

The system randomly allocates places and there is no advantage to selecting early in this process. Due to the length of the school day CCAs are not available for Nursery learners.

Kindergarten learners will be allocated up to 2 CCAs.

Year 1 learners will be allocated up to 3 CCAs.

All learners from Year 2 upwards will be assigned up to a maximum of 5 CCAs, depending on the popularity of the CCAs.

Learners from Year 5 upwards should make their own choices **with parental guidance**.

**Parents will not be able to do this through their own portal login.**

Please note that your child may not get all the choices he / she signs up for.



## TRANSPORTATION

At the end of CCAs, learners can take the 4.35pm door-to-door activities bus for an additional charge. To ensure a place on this services for the first week of CCAs, you must email Tong Tar, call 6261 5537 or [register here](#). More contact details are available at [www.nexus.edu.sg](http://www.nexus.edu.sg) in the Parent Zone. Parents who are picking up learners at 4.30pm can meet their child at the Eco Cafe on level 2.

## COSTS

Many CCAs are offered free of charge; if there is a cost associated with the CCA this is indicated. Payments for CCAs should be made once your child receives confirmation of a place on this activity. All payments should be made online (see below). Please note that all CCA payments should be completed by **24 March 2023** (end of week 2 of CCAs). Learners will only be able to attend their CCA in week 3 if payment has been made in full. Please note that all CCA choices will be taken as final at the end of week 2. You will be billed for the whole season for all paid CCAs your child is registered for at the end of week 2. Please be aware that if your child is absent or a paid CCA is cancelled by the school due to unforeseen circumstances e.g. haze or adverse weather, there will be no 'make-up' class or reimbursement. This also applies to school residential trips and day camps.

If the COVID-19 guidelines change during the season resulting in us cancelling a paid CCA, we will do our absolute best to recover the cost from our providers. However, this is not guaranteed and the school will not be held liable to repay the cost of the CCA.

## HOW TO PAY?

Please pay through the SchoolsBuddy activity platform once allocations have been confirmed.

## KEY CONTACTS

### CCA Enquiries

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### Bus Enquiries

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