



ST. PAUL'S COLLEGE
聖保羅書院

SENIOR STUDIES (F.4-F.6)

Information session for F.3 parents and students

13th November 2020



Senior Secondary Curriculum, and F. 4 Streaming

1. Senior Secondary Curriculum Structure
2. Subject Allocation Procedure
3. Consideration of Dropping an Elective Subject
4. Application Procedures and Deadline

Presentation files & booklets can be downloaded from:
College website (www.spc.edu.hk)

-> Curriculum

-> Senior Secondary



1. SENIOR SECONDARY CURRICULUM STRUCTURE

	A	B	C	D	E	F
Core	English, Chinese, Liberal Studies, Mathematics (Core / Core + M1 [2 groups] / Core + M2 [2 groups])					IAL Curriculum
Elective Subjects (X1/X2/X3)	中國歷史 1 class (30)	中國文學 1 class (30)	ERS 1 class (30)	Geography 1 class (30)		
	History 1 class (30)	Music 1 class (30)	Visual Arts 1 class (30)	BAFS 1 class (30)		
	Biology 2 classes (60)	Physics 2 classes (60)	ICT 2 classes (40)			
	Chemistry 3 classes (90)	Economics 3 classes (90)				
OLE	Music, Physical Education, Visual Arts, Religious Studies					



Academic Structures in the Past Two Years

ACADEMIC STRUCTURE (2019-2020 F.4)

X ₁	Chemistry / Economics / Physics / Geography / BAFS / 中國文學 / VA
X ₂	Chemistry / Economics / Biology / Physics / 中國歷史 / ERS
X ₃	Chemistry / Economics / Biology / History / Geography / ICT

ACADEMIC STRUCTURE (2020-2021 F.4)

X ₁	Chemistry / Economics / Biology / Physics / BAFS / 中國文學
X ₂	Chemistry / Economics / Physics / 中國歷史 / Geography / VA
X ₃	Chemistry / Economics / Biology / ERS / History / ICT



OTHER LEARNING EXPERIENCES

**Community
Service**

Leadership

**Career-related
Experiences**

**Moral and Civic
Education**

**Physical
Development**

**Aesthetic
Development**

Form 4

- Paul's Challenge
- Service Learning

Form 5

- Leadership role

Form 6

- Student Learning Profile (SLP)
- Other Experiences and Achievements (OEA)



2. Subject Allocation Procedure: *How does it work?*

- Students rank the Elective Subjects and Mathematics Extended Modules according to their preferences
- A computer software programme is used to generate an academic structure that can highly accommodate students' preferences
- Allocation of Elective Subjects according to students' final order of merit in F.3
- Allocation of Mathematics (Core only / Core + M1 / Core + M2) according to students' mid-year and final Mathematics examination results



Satisfaction Rates in the Past Three Years

Academic Year	Satisfaction Rate for First Three Choices
2018-2019 F.4 <i>(HKDSE only)</i>	84.2%
2019-2020 F.4 <i>(HKDSE only)</i>	86.2%
2020-2021 F.4 <i>(HKDSE only)</i>	89.0%



3. CAN I DROP AN ELECTIVE?

(REFER TO PAGE 22 AND PAGE 30 OF THE HANDBOOK)

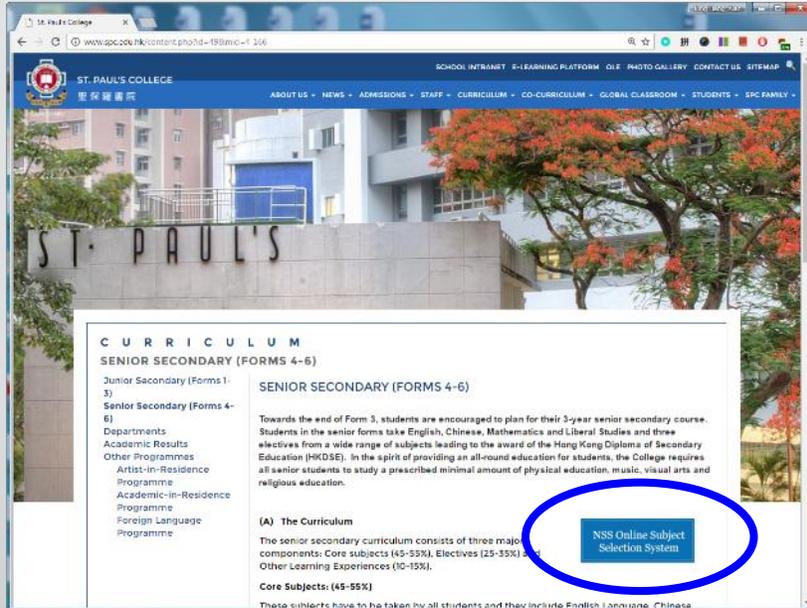
- Form 4: There is no provision for students to drop an elective and enrol in another elective.
- Form 5: Subject to the Principal's approval, students can drop an elective subject if they cannot cope with the workload. **Application should be made before the F.4 summer vacation starts.**



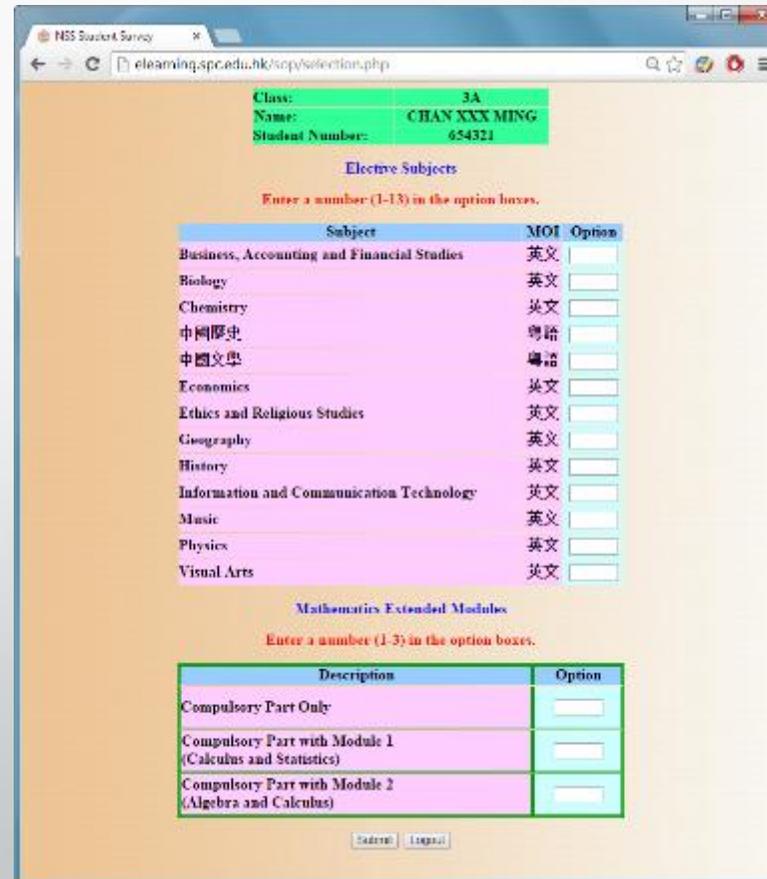
APPLICATION TO WITHDRAW AN ELECTIVE SUBJECT / A MATHEMATICS EXTENDED MODULE

Application submitted before	Effective from
End of term in F.4	beginning of F.5
5 school days after the F.5 parents' day	March in F.5
End of term in F.5	beginning of F.6

4. APPLICATION PROCEDURES AND DEADLINE



<http://elearning.spc.edu.hk/sop/>



The screenshot shows the 'NSS Student A Service' website. The user's details are displayed in a green box: Class: 3A, Name: CHAN XXX MING, Student Number: 654321. Below this, there is a section for 'Elective Subjects' with a prompt to 'Enter a number (1-13) in the option boxes.' A table lists various subjects with their respective MOI (Medium of Instruction) and an option box.

Subject	MOI	Option
Business, Accounting and Financial Studies	英文	<input type="text"/>
Biology	英文	<input type="text"/>
Chemistry	英文	<input type="text"/>
中國歷史	粵語	<input type="text"/>
中國文學	粵語	<input type="text"/>
Economics	英文	<input type="text"/>
Ethics and Religious Studies	英文	<input type="text"/>
Geography	英文	<input type="text"/>
History	英文	<input type="text"/>
Information and Communication Technology	英文	<input type="text"/>
Music	英文	<input type="text"/>
Physics	英文	<input type="text"/>
Visual Arts	英文	<input type="text"/>

Below the table, there is a section for 'Mathematics Extended Modules' with a prompt to 'Enter a number (1-3) in the option boxes.' A table lists the modules with their descriptions and option boxes.

Description	Option
Compulsory Part Only	<input type="text"/>
Compulsory Part with Module 1 (Calculus and Statistics)	<input type="text"/>
Compulsory Part with Module 2 (Algebra and Calculus)	<input type="text"/>

At the bottom of the page, there are 'Search' and 'Logout' buttons.

- ▶ Refer to Page 25 to Page 29 of the Handbook
- ▶ Remember to observe the deadlines



IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

(REFER TO PAGE 25 OF THE HANDBOOK)

Date	Particulars
28 th May 2021	Online system opens
29 th June 2021 (3:00pm)	Deadline for submission of choices
2 nd July 2021	Printout of choices for reference
8 th July 2021	Distribution of report sheets



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