S’PORE DISCOVERY CENTRE
20TH ANNIVERSARY

PRIMARY EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMES 2016
TO SHARE THE SINGAPORE STORY AND INSPIRE A DESIRE TO CONTRIBUTE TO SINGAPORE’S FUTURE.
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Dear Educators, NE and CCE practitioners and Partners,

Thank you for your continued support of our school and outreach programmes, especially your valuable feedback on pilot projects and suggestions which have helped to make NE learning more engaging for our students and teachers. In addition, SDC has worked with MOE, schools, organisations (both government and private) and community partners on various partnership projects, aimed at creating an authentic learning environment to make NE more relevant for our students.

We wish to thank everyone for their strong support of our exciting year-long SG50 calendar of events such as Total Defence Day cum SAF50 Exhibition, IFD Exhibition “Deepening International Friendships”, SG50 Exhibition “#My Singapore, Ours To Create” and the Golden Jubilee weekend celebration, SG50 School Assembly Show, special school and public programmes, travelling exhibitions as well as the Primary 6 cohort’s NE Experience. Your participation has made our Singapore’s Jubilee celebrations both special and memorable!

2016 will be another exciting year ahead as SDC will be celebrating our 20th Anniversary! We wish to invite you, your teachers and students to support our efforts to share the Singapore Story and inspire a desire to contribute to Singapore’s future, as we journey together beyond SG50. Look out for a host of exciting programmes lined up for everyone!

SDC continues to be committed to support schools in NE / CCE learning by being a one-stop NE Centre. All our 2016’s NE programmes and special exhibitions will continue to be closely aligned with MOE’s curriculum. Schools can look forward to NE Commemorative Exhibitions and programmes which will be available exclusively at SDC such as the Total Defence Day (TDD) 2016 Exhibition based on the theme “Together We Keep Singapore Strong”, jointly put up by SDC and Nexus / MINDEF and supported by our partners such as SCDF. Another unique experience will be the International Friendship Day (IFD) 2016 Exhibition where students will be invited to join us to celebrate and learn more about the ASEAN community. There will also be our Racial Harmony Day (RHD) / National Day (ND) and Year-End Exhibition and programmes and a series of outreach and public programmes.

As part of our school engagement efforts, SDC will continue to offer programmes which support CCE values and 21st century skills as well as provide opportunities for student / teacher attachments and collaboration projects to showcase your students’ talents and share their NE learning experience. Standing committees and CCA groups can book not only our programmes but also our facilities to support their events such as teambuilding, staff retreats, competitions, annual camps, etc.

We hope that you will continue to make SDC your preferred NE partner and look forward to your continued support of our programmes and to working together to enrich your students’ and teachers’ learning experience.

Best wishes and warmest regards,

Lowrence Chua
Executive Director
Singapore Discovery Centre Limited
SPECIAL EXHIBITIONS

Total Defence Day Exhibition [February – March]
SDC in collaboration with Nexus (MINDEF), will feature a special exhibition to highlight how together we can all keep Singapore strong. This exhibition will reaffirm the attitudes and values that contribute to Total Defence, and help us to be strong as a nation and as a people. It is with this solidarity and strength that have brought the nation to where we are today and will bring us forward into the next 50 years.

The exhibition aims to promote awareness and understanding of the threats and challenges in the world around us and reminds us that peace and security cannot be taken for granted, especially in the light of international and regional instabilities and terrorism. It will showcase inspiring and heartwarming stories on how everyone can play a part in the defence of Singapore and how we can come together to defend the nation together and show our commitment to keep Singapore strong.

Besides the special exhibition, there will be exciting displays from various TD partners. SDC will also be collaborating with Singapore Civil Defence Force (SCDF) to bring in their vehicular displays, interactive stations as well as organise engaging learning programmes for students at all levels, which will be available only at SDC and ARMS during TDD.

International Friendship Day Exhibition [April – June]
Soar above tree canopies, careen around a live volcano, hover above rice terraces and weave through gleaming skyscrapers. Come join us at the S’pore Discovery Centre to celebrate the ASEAN Spirit as we appreciate the rich cultures and explore the wealth of ASEAN through a drone’s eye views!

In this special exhibition co-curated with our ASEAN embassies and various partners, students will learn more about the unique cultures of our neighbours as well as the economic potential of the region. Students will embark on an exciting journey to learn and discover the rich diversity as well as commonalities across the ASEAN region through engaging and interactive exhibits, including the Embassy Showcase. They will also find out more about the aspirations of the people from different walks of life, including ASEAN youth through special displays and interactive activities. Students will also explore how Singapore and our youth can play a role to promote a strong ASEAN community.

Racial Harmony Day / National Day Exhibition [July – September]
Explore and discover what it means to be Singaporean beyond our different ethnic cultures and heritages; and reflect on the impact of our values, shared memories and common experiences to our national identity, since the independence of Singapore. What makes us all so different and yet the same in one united Singapore? Plumb into the depths of what makes us uniquely Singaporean in this fun and engaging special exhibition, which will be complemented by various exciting learning activities where students will be invited to commemorate RH Day and also to celebrate our National Day together as one people.

Year-End Exhibition [October – December]
Celebrate 20 years of edutainment with SDC! Walk down the memory lane with us in this special Year-end exhibition and find out more about how we embrace our mission to share the Singapore Story and inspire a desire to contribute to Singapore’s future. Understand more about how we share the past, discuss the present and highlight the future, where everyone has a part to play and how we can show our commitment to shape Singapore’s future together.
CENTRE VISIT
SDC and / or ARMS Guided Tours + SAFTI Bus Tour

Duration
3 hours (inclusive of break)

Cost
$1 per pax (Member Schools)
$2 per pax (Non-Member Schools)

SDC Guided Tour
What makes Singapore tick? What are some of our nation’s challenges and aspirations? Come to SDC to find out! Spanning a myriad of themes, guided tours at SDC lead visitors through a multi-sensory experience that engages the hearts and minds! Students will walk away with the knowledge of how and why Singapore is a success today.

SAFTI Bus Tour
Students will hop onto our SAFTI bus and view first-hand the SAFTI Military Institute. The bus tour will take students around the 88-hectare training ground for officers-to-be, offering a unique glimpse into the life of an officer cadet.

ARMS Guided Tour
Ever wondered what our Army was like in the past? Interested in learning about our Army’s operational experience and capabilities?

The exhibits highlight the humble beginnings of our Army and the numerous operations it has conducted, including the declassified SQ117 rescue operation. A multi-sensory experience awaits visitors in the Object Theatre where they will experience what our Army is capable of today.

Programme Highlights
• SDC Guided Tour
• SAFTI Bus Tour
• Army Museum Guided Tour
NATIONAL EDUCATION (NE) COMMEMORATIVE DAYS
Total Defence Day (TDD)

Learning Objectives
1. To understand how the 5 pillars of Total Defence contribute to building a strong, safe and cohesive nation that is able to overcome any crisis.
2. To strengthen students’ sense of pride towards Singapore’s growth over the past 50 years and inspire confidence to contribute to her defence.

Duration
January–March 2016
3 hours (inclusive of break)

No. of Participants
Cohort visits are highly recommended

Cost
$4 per pax (Member Schools)
$5 per pax (Non-Member Schools)

TD Defenders fall-in! At SDC, students will be treated to an exciting line-up of activities:

TD Mission Stations
Team up and embark on a mission to learn more about how the 5 pillars of TD have contributed towards the nation’s defence against current and future threats. Through completing a series of engaging learning stations, students will develop a greater appreciation for TD and be inspired to do their part to defend our nation.

SCDF Special Showcase and Vehicular Display
Experience up-close the roles and capabilities of the Singapore Civil Defence Force (SCDF) through a special showcase and exclusive vehicular display. Students will get to participate in interactive activity stations and learn valuable skills that will aid them during times of crisis.

Short Film Screening
Be thrilled and inspired by a gripping short film that tells of the valiant efforts of our nation’s security agencies in overcoming a national crisis. Students will view the film and reflect on the importance of being prepared to face challenges.

Programme Highlights
- TDD 2016 Special Exhibition
- SCDF Special Showcase and Vehicular Display
- Short Film Screening
- TD Mission Stations
NATIONAL EDUCATION (NE) COMMEMORATIVE DAYS
International Friendship Day (IFD)

Learning Objectives
1. To understand the need to foster friendship and solidarity among ASEAN countries.
2. To appreciate Singapore's engagement efforts in strengthening relations with its neighbours through maintaining regional peace and promoting economic development of the countries in ASEAN.
3. To instil the importance of integration and cross-cultural skills.

Duration
April–June 2016
3 hours (inclusive of break)

No. of Participants
Cohort visits are highly recommended

Cost
$4 per pax (Member Schools)
$5 per pax (Non-Member Schools)

Come celebrate International Friendship Day at SDC through these programmes!

ASEAN Bazaar
Explore different facets of ASEAN’s diverse cultures through shopping! Students will be treated to a fun and unique experience at our ASEAN bazaar where they get to soak in the sights, smells and sounds of the cultural buzz that surrounds them. Through this programme, students will reflect upon the uniqueness and connectedness of ASEAN communities.

State Craft
Craft a grand strategy and lead your nation to victory! Role playing as governments of different nation-states, students have to work together in overcoming various global challenges while competing to realise their secret national goals.

Through this fun and intense game based lesson, students will learn how the spirit of friendship can be nurtured amidst crisis.

Artisan’s Hut
Some of the world’s richest and most intricate weaving traditions were born in Southeast Asia. Through this hands-on station, students will discover their inner artist and gain deeper appreciation of ASEAN’s cultural wealth.

Programme Highlights
- IFD 2016 Special Exhibition
- Game-based learning
- Immersive ASEAN cultural experience
NATIONAL EDUCATION (NE) COMMEMORATIVE DAYS
Racial Harmony Day / National Day (RHD / ND)

Learning Objectives
1. To learn and appreciate how the different races and religions exist in multicultural and multiracial Singapore.
2. To share the cultures and heritage of Singapore by highlighting what makes Singapore unique.
3. To affirm our sense of commitment towards Singapore and how we can contribute to the future of Singapore.

Duration
July–September 2016
3 hours (inclusive of break)

Cost
$4 per pax (Member Schools)
$5 per pax (Non-Member Schools)

SDC has a line-up of exciting educational programmes for schools:

Discovery Race
Students will learn and discover the different Singaporean ways in which they can play a part in the society. They will be grouped in teams and learn important racial harmony values by going through hands-on activities during this race!

Singapore Stories Film 2016
Students will get to watch the latest series of Singapore Stories Film under the joint project between SDC and Temasek Polytechnic (TP) students. These films have incorporated subtle NE messages and CCE values. Students will be able to reflect on the learning values based on the characters’ portrayal and themes covered.

Cross Cultural Understanding / Valuing Ethnic Diversity Programme
Through gallery-based activities that explore cultural diversities, students will learn to appreciate the commonalities and differences amongst us. Students of higher learning abilities will be engaged in open discussions, where they will develop a heightened awareness of their own attitudes and become sensitized to issues such as stereotypes and prejudice.

Programme Highlights
- Singapore Short Films
- Cross Cultural Understanding / Valuing Ethnic Diversity Programme
- RHD / ND 2016 Special Exhibition
Learning Objectives
1. To provide opportunity for students to have fun and learn through discovery.
2. To excite and inspire students to create new visions of the future of Singapore through a variety of flight-inspired programme.

Duration
October–November 2016
3 hours (inclusive of break)

No. of Participants
Cohort visits are highly recommended

Cost
$4 per pax (Member Schools)
$5 per pax (Non-Member Schools)

“Take Flight” features SDC’s signature Play@SDC concept, where students will be inspired to discover the potential of our tiny island as we work towards fulfilling our Smart Nation vision in the future.

Mission-based Challenge
Explore SDC’s Permanent Exhibits Gallery and Army Museum of Singapore in a mission-based challenge. Students will work in teams to help secure the future of Singapore. Part of this classified mission will also get students to experience the thrill of flying a drone for the first time!

Flight Contest
Get down to folding and flying your own paper planes and compete in a contest to see which paper planes has the longest airtime and can fly the longest distance. At this station, students will be inspired to literally aim for the sky as they learn simple techniques and the physics behind folding the ultimate paper planes.

Craft-making
From learning the simple craft of making the traditional wau bulan (kite-making) and understanding its evolution in modern times, students will learn to appreciate and be inspired by both traditional and technologically-advanced means of flying simple toys like the kite.

Programme Highlights
- Inter-disciplinary learning
- Pilot drones and other cutting edge toys
- Special Exhibition
NE AMBASSADORS BADGE
Bronze Badge

Learning Objectives
1. To build self-confidence and teamwork.
2. To improve communication skills.

Duration
6 hours (exclusive of break)

No. of Participants
Min 30 pax / Max 40 pax

Cost
$40 per pax (Member Schools)

Students who attend this first-tier programme will be introduced to the 6 NE Messages through SDC’s highly interactive and educational exhibits. Besides a tour of SDC, students will also be experiencing the engaging exhibits at the Army Museum of Singapore that will tell the story of the Singapore Armed Forces.

Students will also learn important 21st Century Competencies like public speaking and how to be an effective communicator. CCE values will also be incorporated.
S’pore Discovery Centre Educational Programmes

NE AMBASSADORS BADGE
Silver and Gold Badges — NE Gallery Docent Track

Learning Objectives
1. To improve research and writing skills.
2. To promote guiding and communication skills.
3. To build self-confidence.

Duration
6 hours (exclusive of break)

No. of Participants
Min 30 pax / Max 40 pax

Cost
[SILVER] @ SDC — $40 per pax
(Member Schools)
[SILVER] @ School — $60 per pax
(Member Schools)

[SILVER] — $20 per pax
(Member Schools)

SILVER BADGE
(Pre-requisite: NE Ambassadors Bronze Badge)
Students will learn through a hands-on and practical session on how to do basic research, script-writing and guiding. Through this programme, students will be able to learn and hone 21st century skills such as communication and information skills.

Students are encouraged to attain the Gold certificate by getting them to demonstrate their guiding skills as they lead their peers through an exhibition, upon completion of their training. CCE values will also be incorporated.

GOLD BADGE
(Pre-requisite: NE Ambassadors Silver Badge)
This is the highest level for the NE Ambassadors Programme. It aims to encourage students to attain the Gold Certificate by getting them to put into practice what they have learnt at the Silver level.

They will have to choose an exhibition gallery of their choice (either in SDC or in their school’s gallery), do some research and write a tour script.

Students will be assessed accordingly. CCE values will also be incorporated.

Programme Highlights
SILVER BADGE
- Scripting & Guiding Practice
- Guiding Assessment by SDC Staff

GOLD BADGE
- Rehearsals & Guiding Practice
- Guiding Assessment by SDC Staff
Learning Objectives
1. To improve writing and communication skills.
2. To build teamwork.

Duration
6 hours (exclusive of break)

No. of Participants
Min 30 pax / Max 40 pax

Cost
[SILVER] — $60 per pax (Member Schools)
[GOLD] — $20 per pax (Member Schools)

SILVER BADGE
(Pre-requisite: NE Ambassadors Bronze Badge)
Students will be able to enhance their visual literacy as they learn about the importance of images as a means to communicate messages.

A professional will guide students on basic photography skills and knowledge to create layouts for newsletter and articles. This will be useful for students, who are involved in school’s newsletters / magazine, or their project work. CCE values will also be incorporated.

GOLD BADGE
(Pre-requisite: NE Ambassadors Silver Badge)
This is the highest level for the NE Ambassadors Programme. It aims to encourage students to apply what they have recently learnt from the Silver level. Consultation will be provided by SDC staff to ensure the students are on the right track and help them improve their skills. CCE values will be incorporated.

Programme Highlights
SILVER BADGE
• Hands-on with digital cameras (which will be provided)
• Shaping a news story
• Photojournalism project with facilitation

GOLD BADGE
• Consultation with SDC Staff
• Assessment of photojournalism project by SDC Staff
Learning Objectives
1. To promote understanding and appreciation of Singapore’s history and heritage.
2. To promote creative thinking and project management skills.
3. To improve writing and communication skills.

Duration
6 hours (exclusive of break)

No. of Participants
Min 30 pax / Max 40 pax

Cost
[SILVER] @ SDC — $40 per pax (Member Schools)
[SILVER] @ School — $60 per pax (Member Schools)
[GOLD] — $20 per pax (Member Schools)

SILVER BADGE
(Pre-requisite: NE Ambassadors Bronze Badge)
An exclusive programme jointly developed by SDC and Heritage Conservation Centre (HCC), students will view museum artefacts at HCC and learn about our nation’s treasures. They will also be tasked to put up a mini exhibition, exercising 21st century skills such as creative thinking and project management.

Students are encouraged to attain the Gold Certificate by getting them to plan and develop an exhibition of their choice in their school’s heritage or NE gallery. CCE values will also be incorporated.

GOLD BADGE
(Pre-requisite: NE Ambassadors Silver Badge)
This is the highest level for the NE Ambassadors Programme. It aims to encourage students to hone their skills in exhibition planning, time and project management skills and to apply what they have learnt at the Silver Level. CCE values will also be incorporated.

Programme Highlights
SILVER BADGE
- Special Visit to Heritage Conservation Centre
- Exhibit Development & Presentation

GOLD BADGE
- Consultation with SDC Staff
- Exhibit Development & Presentation
- Exhibit Assessment by SDC Staff
**JUNIOR CIVIL DEFENCE LIONHEARTERS PROGRAMME**

**Public Speaking & Communications Track**

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**Learning Objectives**

1. To help students understand the importance of public speaking and communications.
2. To teach students some valuable techniques to be a confident and effective public speaker.

**Duration**

3 hours (inclusive of break)

**No. of Participants**

Min 30 pax / Max 40 pax

**Additional Information**

Upper Primary

**Cost**

- $12 per pax (Member Schools)
- $15 per pax (Non-Member Schools)

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A collaboration between the Singapore Civil Defence Force (SCDF) and S’pore Discovery Centre, the Junior Civil Defence Lionhearters programme aims to equip students with the necessary knowledge and skills to engage their peers in basic fire safety, first aid and national education.

Through this fun and engaging programme, students will learn to appreciate the art of public speaking and gain confidence to share their knowledge with peers.

**Programme Highlights**

- Crisis Simulation Shows
- Hands-on activities and demonstrations

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JUNIOR CIVIL DEFENCE LIONHEARTERS PROGRAMME
New Media Engagement Track

Learning Objectives
1. To help students understand the power of New Media and how it can influence people.
2. To allow students to have better appreciation of photography, learn how to take great photos and use them as a communication tool.

Duration
3 hours (inclusive of break)

No. of Participants
Min 30 pax / Max 40 pax

Additional Information
Upper Primary

Cost
$17 per pax [Member Schools]
$20 per pax [Non-Member Schools]

This exciting and engaging programme is specially developed to meet IT-savvy students’ interests and needs today.

It aims to teach students the meaning of New Media and how it can be harnessed to impart messages like basic fire safety, basic first aid and emergency preparedness.

Programme Highlights
- Experiential learning with digital cameras
- Usage of blogs as a type of New Media
INTER-DISCIPLINARY PROGRAMMES (ENGLISH-SOCIAL STUDIES)
My Friends And My Neighbourhood

Learning Objectives

1. To enable students to relate to the places around them and recognise their significance in shaping their experiences.
2. To develop teamwork through simple group activities.
3. To understand how the use of common spaces can bridge diversity among people of different cultures and backgrounds.

Duration

3 hours (inclusive of break)

No. of Participants

Max 32 pax per class

Additional Information

Recommended for Primary 1 & 2

Cost

$280 per class (Member Schools)
$560 per class (Non-Member Schools)

Through storytelling and team-based activities, students will discover their identity in relation to the places around them and learn how to relate to other people of different races and religions. Students will also learn about the common spaces that we share in the neighbourhood and how such places provide a platform for friendships to develop.

Programme Highlights

- Engaging tour of SDC’s Permanent Exhibits Gallery (PEG)
- Fun and creative learning through games and accompanying craft kits for each student
Learning Objectives

1. To enable students to understand and explore the Singapore identity.
2. To develop reading and viewing skills along with comprehension skills and strategies, strengthened by exposure to the multimodal environment.
3. To develop a sense of belonging to one’s community and country.

Duration

3 hours (inclusive of break)

No. of Participants

Max 32 pax per class

Cost

$280 per class (Member Schools)
$560 per class (Non-Member Schools)

Drawing relevance from the Primary 3 and 4 English and Social Studies Syllabuses, students will be engaged through a series of team-based activities and a guided exploration of the centre’s permanent exhibits.

This will help the students pull together the evergreen and emerging values that define Singapore as a nation across time and discover what makes up the unique identity of a Singaporean.

The exposure of students to the multimodal permanent exhibits where they can hear the past, see the present and touch the future Singapore will inspire a desire to be an active contributor to Singapore.

Programme Highlights

- SDC Guided Tour
- Hands-On Experience
- Team-based Activities
- Inter-disciplinary Learning
OUTREACH PROGRAMME
Assembly Roadshows

Learning Objectives

Total Defence Day
1. To strengthen the belief of everyone playing a part in defence, and coming together to defend the nation.
2. To highlight how values such as responsibility and resilience can be applied in our daily lives.

Racial Harmony Day / National Day
1. To appreciate and understand the importance of racial and religious harmony.
2. To explore how we can contribute to achieve a future that we desire.

Duration
30 minutes per show

Cost
$750 per show (Member Schools)
$950 per show (Non-Member Schools)
Note: Member schools are entitled to a complimentary roadshow on condition that a minimum of 300 students are committed to participate in selected programmes in SDC within that membership year.

Join us in our entertaining and empowering performances as we reaffirm the values that have brought Singapore this far over the last 50 years and more importantly, the values that reside within each and every Singaporean to take Singapore forward.

Total Defence Day
Embracing the theme “Together We Keep Singapore Strong”, this assembly programme aims to appeal to Singaporeans’ sense of conviction, shared beliefs as well as a collective commitment to Total Defence. Students will appreciate the importance of self-reliance and be invoked to think about issues such as future threats and challenges and how they can do their part through Total Defence.

Racial Harmony Day / National Day
Showcasing the multi-faceted aspects of our inclusive Singapore society today, this interactive performance also aims to inspire students to consider their roles in building a bright future for Singapore into the next 50 years. Join us for a meaningful RHND celebration through this upbeat and entertaining piece.

Programme Highlights
- A Resource Kit will be included for schools to use upon booking the show
Learning Objectives

1. To facilitate discussion of NE Messages / social issues / current affairs.

Cost

- $300 per title / $270 per title for purchasing more than 2 titles (Member Schools)
- $350 per title / $270 per title for purchasing more than 2 titles (Non-Member Schools)

Our Singapore Story Poster Series will be a useful education resource to engage students about NE and CCE. It consists of various thematic mounted posters that are available for schools to order to complement their NE and CCE curriculum. With the use of visual stimuli such as photographs, the series will value-add to educators by providing them with opportunities to discuss pertinent current issues in Singapore. This mounted posters resource will also be further supplemented with lesson packages i.e. worksheets that can be used for teaching and learning in the classroom.

Some Themes will include

OUTREACH PROGRAMME
Outdoor Trail: Past, Present, Future

Learning Objectives
1. To promote better understanding of Singapore’s rich cultural heritage and how this is relevant today.
2. To foster better community integration and racial harmony.

Duration
3 hours (inclusive of break; does not include travelling duration)

No. of Participants
Min 30 pax (1 bus)

Additional Information
Primary School

Cost
$600 per bus (Member Schools)
$700 per bus (Non-Member Schools)

Explore the paths tread by our forefathers as we go on a quest to uncover the secrets behind the conserved buildings that have stood the test of time. At the same time, discover about cultural practices brought here by our ancestors that are still present. Students will get to appreciate the curious blend of the past and the present found in our ethnic enclaves today.

Choice of Venues (Please choose 2):

Chinatown (Kreta Ayer)
• Kong Chow Wui Koon (Clanhouse)
• Chinatown Heritage Centre (Shophouses & 5-foot way)
• Sri Mariamman Temple

Kampong Glam
• Malay Heritage Centre (Old Royal Palace)
• Sultan Mosque
• Bussorah Street (Former Kampong Kaji)

Jurong
• Dragon Kiln
• Nanyang University Heritage Centre
• SAFTI
• Tuas Tua Pek Kong Temple

Programme Highlights
• Visiting of cultural enclaves in Singapore
• Learning about how cultural practices and buildings are still relevant, and how they may evolve in the future
COMPETITIONS
N.E. Race

This N.E. Race is set to be a truly amazing, fun-packed and multi-dimensionally challenging race for students as they traverse across Singapore! Students will be tasked to decipher ambiguous clues, solve mind-bending puzzles and complete elaborate challenges at various stations across our island — as they strive to retrieve enough information to arrive at the finishing point. Teams will not only stand chances to win prizes; they will also gain a great sense of accomplishment and deeper understanding of Singapore’s culture and history.
STAFF RETREAT PROGRAMME

Learning Objectives
1. To learn more about and renew commitment to Singapore through interaction with the exhibits in the Permanent Exhibits Gallery (PEG) and the Army Museum (ARMS).
2. To renew commitment to each other, through team-based activities and interaction among staff.

Duration
3 hrs + 3hrs (optional)

No. of Participants
Max 150 (60min)

Cost
$40–60 (Member Schools)
$45–65 (Non-Member Schools)
*Note: Cost of Programme will change if additional components are selected

Programme Highlights
This programme aims to provide staff with a place to relax and enjoy one another’s company, away from the usual school scene. Staff can also choose from the following components to meet the school’s need for the retreat. (additional)
- Staff Discovery Race
- SAFTI Bus Tour
- Guided Tour — SDC & ARMS Guided Tour

Take some time out and conduct your school’s Staff Retreat with the S’pore Discovery Centre (SDC)! SDC has put together a special Staff Retreat package, which includes the rental of venue as well as catering arrangements. The planning of your Staff Retreat will be a breeze. Get immersed in the Singapore Story with your staff today!
S'pore Discovery Centre Educational Programmes

HONOUR THE PAST.
L.I.V.E THE PRESENT.
INSPIRE THE FUTURE.
Learning Objectives
1. To understand and appreciate the conditioning that soldiers undergo in Basic Military Training (BMT).
2. To better appreciate the role of the Army and be more ready to contribute or support the Army.

Duration
3 hours (inclusive of break)

No. of Participants
Max 88 pax per class

Additional Information
Primary School

Cost
$300 per class (Member Schools)
$600 per class (Non-Member Schools)

In a decade from now, the current cohort of male primary school pupils will be required to serve the country by joining National Service. The majority will serve in the Army and contribute to the nation’s military defence. This programme will allow young participants to have a better understanding of Basic Military Training (BMT) and the capabilities of some equipment used in the Army. Pupils will better appreciate the role of the Army and be more ready to contribute or support the Army when their turn comes.

Programme Highlights
• Experience The Standard Obstacle Course
• Fun group workout using the 5 Basic Exercises (BX)
• Hands-on with the army’s personal kit’s equipment
• Explore the fundamentals of field discipline or drill and command.
CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Special Exhibitions

JAN
- Total Defence Day Special Exhibition

FEB
- Total Defence Day School Programme

MAY
- International Friendship Day Special Exhibition
- International Friendship Day Festival
  Special Weekend
  28 to 29 May

JUN
- International Friendship Day Special Exhibition
- SingaROAR!
  (Children’s Season Programmes)
- 25 June 2016 YOUTHphoria 2016
- Youth Entrepreneurs Competition (YEC) 2016

SEP
- Racial Harmony Day / National Day Special Exhibition

OCT
- Year-End Special Exhibition
- Year-End Post Exams Programme

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For latest updates and more information on SDC events and programmes:
PLANNING YOUR VISIT TO SDC / BOOKING OF PROGRAMMES

Prior bookings are compulsory for schools who intend to visit SDC. It is recommended that schools should enquire and book at least one month ahead of the intended date of visit to avoid disappointment.

Please note that the Permanent Exhibits Gallery (PEG) and school programmes are very popular with students, especially during peak periods such as post-exams or NE Commemorative Days.

Our friendly Account Manager(s) will be happy to advise you with suitable programmes and assist with the booking process. Kindly contact them to make a reservation.

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*COMPLIMENTARY Bus Transport to SDC for Educational Programmes visits. Applicable for selected group bookings. Terms & Conditions apply.
YOUTHphoria is SDC’s signature event for youth by youth. SDC works closely with students from different tertiary institutions to plan various activities in line with the annual YOUTHphoria event theme. Students from various ITEs and Polytechnics get to showcase their talents in entertainment arts through dance and music jamming. In conjunction with this event, students are also able to support their peers in the Youth Entrepreneurs Competition (YEC), organised in support of MOE’s Values in Action (VIA). The YEC provides an excellent platform for youths to gain authentic learning experience, where they get to hone their social entrepreneurial skills.
PUBLIC PROGRAMMES

In support of MOE’s ‘Family Time’ initiative, here in SDC, we endeavour to engage a diverse range of audience by fostering an awareness and understanding of the Singapore Story through creative and innovative programmes especially for the NE Commemorative Days.

From interactive workshops, to cultural shows and performances as well as fun hands-on craft activities, parents get to partner children and experience educational programmes that not only inculcate values for the young ones, but also provide meaningful opportunities for families to bond. Most of our programmes are FREE for everyone to enjoy, and workshops are at very affordable prices. So come visit our centre with your families and friends and take part in our programmes in your leisure time.

Programme Highlights

- IFD Festival
- SingaROAR! (Children’s Season)
- Interactive hands-on craft activities

Check out our website for updates of exciting events and public programmes:
Interactive hands-on craft & family-bonding activities