

## DIRECT SCHOOL ADMISSION (DSA) EXERCISE FOR 2019 INTAKE

Zhonghua Secondary School invites all current Primary Six students (or equivalent) to apply for admission to our school in the academic year of 2019 through the Direct School Admission (DSA) exercise. We offer talented Singaporeans and foreign students who fulfil the minimum criteria for secondary school admission, and have talent and attained outstanding achievements in one or more of the following:

DSA Category	Criteria	Selection Requirement
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Sports</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Badminton (Girls)</li> <li>2. Basketball (Girls)</li> <li>3. Table Tennis (Boys)</li> <li>4. Volleyball (Boys)</li> </ol>	<p><b>Candidates should have:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Performed well at the trial and interview</li> <li>· Participated in primary school competitions (e.g. Zonal/National Competitions)</li> <li>· Attained other outstanding achievements or standards in the specified sports</li> </ul>	<p><b>Only <u>shortlisted</u> candidates will be invited to attend the Selection Trials.</b> Shortlisted candidates will be contacted by the respective CCA teachers to attend a Selection trial. Candidates are to wear appropriate sports attire, and bring their own game equipment (if applicable).</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Performing Arts</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Chinese Orchestra</li> <li>2. Choir</li> </ol>	<p><b>Candidates should have:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Performed reasonably well at the audition and interview.</li> <li>· Outstanding achievements in Band, Chinese Orchestra and Choir e.g. at Singapore Youth Festival (SYF) Arts Presentation and/or external</li> </ul>	<p><b>Only <u>shortlisted</u> candidates will be invited to attend the Auditions.</b> Shortlisted candidates will be contacted by the respective CCA</p>

<p>3. Symphonic Band</p>	<p>performances.</p> <p>For each of the Performing Arts CCA, please click on the link below for information on Performing Arts auditions.</p> <p><a href="#">Link to Criteria</a></p>	<p>teachers to attend an audition.</p> <p>Candidates are to refer to the pre-requisites and audition requirements.</p>
<p><b><u>Others</u></b></p> <p>1. Computer Programming</p>	<p><b>Candidates should have:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Performed well for their test involving skills such as logical thinking, problem solving, pattern recognition and generalization.</li> </ul> <p>During the selection test, students will be asked to demonstrate their skills through a series of tasks done on the computer using the Scratch Programming Tool.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Participated in primary school competitions (e.g. Olympiad in Informatics, Maths or Science, Coding competitions, etc.).</li> </ul>	<p><b>Only <u>shortlisted</u> candidates will be invited to attend the Selection Test.</b></p> <p>Shortlisted candidates will be contacted by the respective teachers to attend a selection test.</p>

## Application Process

Interested P6 students who are currently studying in **MOE Schools**:

- Please click on [Link to Application Form](#) to submit your online application.

For candidates who are currently **NOT** studying in MOE Schools:

- Please obtain a **REGISTRATION NUMBER** from MOE Customer Service Centre (CSC) in order to apply for DSA
- After obtaining the Registration Number, please click on [Link to Application Form](#) to submit your online application.

All application forms must be submitted online to Zhonghua Secondary School website by **6 July 2018 (Friday)**.

## **Selection Process**

Candidates who are further shortlisted from the selection trials or auditions will be invited to attend **an Interview**. We will notify all **shortlisted candidates** via a phone call/email of the interview date and time **by 17<sup>th</sup> August 2018**. **Only shortlisted candidates who are attending the interview are required to submit a photocopy of the following documents at the interview:**

These supporting documents include:

- ✓ Primary 5 End-of-Year Examination results
- ✓ Primary 6 Mid-Year Examination results (SA1)
- ✓ Latest NAPFA test results (applicable for sports only)
- ✓ Any other supporting certified true copies of testimonials, certificates or portfolio of achievements

Please note that once the child/ward is successfully allocated a place in Zhonghua Secondary School, he/she **will not** be allowed to participate in the Secondary One Posting Exercise, and **will not** be allowed to transfer to another school after the release of the PSLE results.

For more information on the DSA process, you may also refer to the MOE webpage at this url:  
<http://www.moe.gov.sg/education/admissions/dsa-sec/>

<p><b><u>Schedule for DSA Interview (Only for shortlisted candidates)</u></b>  <b>Term 3 Week 8-9</b>  (13 Aug Mon to  17 Aug Fri)</p>	<p>DSA Interview</p>	<p>Interview panel (School leaders)</p> <p>SH PE/CCA</p> <p>PAG Coordinator</p> <p>CCA Teacher ICs &amp; Computer teacher)</p>	<p><b><u>DSA Interview dates from 3pm:</u></b></p> <p><b>13 Aug</b> (Sports – Badminton/Basketball)</p> <p><b>14 Aug</b> (Sports – Table Tennis/Volleyball)</p> <p><b>15 Aug</b> (PAG – CO/Band)</p> <p><b>16 Aug</b> (PAG -Choir/Guzheng)</p> <p><b>17 Aug</b> (Computing)</p>
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