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Subject: Sem 1, AY26/27 - Advisory for CEG4 students to read more TEs

Dear CEG4 students (bcc'ed)

We noted that you have taken/passing zero or one (only) CEG technical electives hosted by CS/ECE so far.

We strongly encourage you to take more TEs before graduation, which will help to strengthen your core expertise that sets you apart in a competitive job market.

Please take some time to explore [our course offerings via NUSMods](#), and proceed to select/secure course next week. We look forward to seeing you in more of our CS/ECE classes.

Regards

On behalf of [Joint Academic Committee](#) overseeing CEG

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From: Winnie Chua <cegcwn@nus.edu.sg>
Sent: Friday, 17 July 2026 8:30 am
Subject: Important CourseReg Announcements for CEG4 Students - Sem 1, AY26/27

This email is intended for CEG4 students from AY23 intake.

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d) General Education (GE) and Unrestricted Elective (UE)

Students who wish to read GE and/or UE must ensure that the timetables of these courses do NOT clash with the timetable (lect, tut, lab AND exam) of their cores.

Please refer to [GE webpage \(AY21 intake onwards\)](#) for more details. You can Select Course for these GE and/or UE from Round 2 or Round 3.

ii. For UE (40 units), you are encouraged to read courses hosted by CS/ECE that are listed as Technical Electives (TEs) under the [six CEG concentrations](#). If you fulfil the respective CS/EE-coded course's pre-requisite(s), you may Select Course from Round 2 or Round 1 onwards, respectively. Note: IF any timetable clash, please give higher priority to core courses.

Cut and paste from [CEG AY21 TE page](#),

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AY2021/22 intake and after: CEG students are highly recommended to read more technical electives and use/count them towards fulfilling Unrestricted Elective (UE). To achieve depth, you should read at least 8 units of depth electives. While there is no necessity, students may opt to focus on a particular concentration. To do so, a student should read at least 16 units of technical electives from the same concentration e.g. 1B+3D or 2B+2D, of which at least 8 units should be read at NUS. Students will have to ensure that they have read the prerequisite course(s) of the depth courses. ..."

Please note that reading at least 16 units of TEs in the same concentration does NOT constitute formal requirements for '[specialisation](#)', so it will NOT be reflected in the transcript or degree scroll. Nonetheless, to encourage students to read courses listed under the six CEG concentrations, students who passed at least 16 units of TEs (with at least 8 units of Depth TEs) from the same concentration will be awarded a certificate *upon request*. Please look out for the email blast in your graduating semester (in March or Sept) and respond by the stipulated deadline.

If you are unable to secure a TE in Round 2 or 1, you may:

- a. try again in subsequent round, and/or
- b. submit appeal - Type: Unable to secure course - from 6 Aug.

Please do not email course's host department or me to appeal/request for pre-allocation of CS/EE-coded TEs; not possible. Please be flexible in your choice of TEs.