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**Subject:** Important Announcement to CEG Poly Graduates (AY2026/27 Intake) - Please read!  
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[\[NUS RESTRICTED\] COURSE REGISTRATION EXERCISE \(ROUND 1 to 3\) FOR SEMESTER 1 OF AY2627.pdf](#)

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**This email is meant for Direct-entry CEG2 Poly Graduates of AY2026/27 intake**

**\*\*\*PLEASE DO NOT DELETE THIS EMAIL AS IT CONTAINS VITAL INFORMATION REGARDING COURSE REGISTRATION \*\*\***

Dear Students,

**Welcome to Sem 1, Academic Year 2026/2027! Kindly take note of the following important announcement:**

**1. Freshmen Welcome / Important Curriculum Talk (17 July, Fri, 10am - 4pm)**

A reminder that the Freshmen Welcome / Curriculum Talk is on 17 July, at 10am at LT7A (Blk EA). There will be an **Important briefing on CEG curriculum at 2pm**, we urged you to attend the Curriculum Talk as we will present important academic issues, including your curriculum, timetabling matters, course planning, etc.

In addition, there is a Curriculum Talk for the CEG AY2025 intake students on 5 Aug (Wed) at 11am at LT15. This talk is optional, you are welcome to join if you wish to find out more on SEP & NOC programmes as there will be invited speakers to talk about these programmes. **Please register at this [link](#) by 24 July, 5pm if you are interested to attend it.**

**Date : 5 Aug 2025 (Wed)**

**Time : 11am-12.30pm**

**Venue : LT15, AS6 level 1**

**2. Course Registration System (CourseReg)**

Please note that Course Registration is done via [CourseReg@EduRec](#) ([myEduRec](#) > Academics > Course Registration). Please take note of the various dates for each course selection round as stated at the [CourseReg Schedule](#) Course Selection **Round 1** starts on **20 July**.

Refer to the CourseReg website <https://nus.edu.sg/coursereg/index.html> for the detailed information. Please look through the [User guide](#) & [Videos](#) on how to use the system.

You are required to make your [Academic Declaration](#) before you can access CourseReg. Please **complete your Academic Plan declaration** (where appropriate) **at least 24 hours before** participating in the CourseReg Exercise. The Academic Plan Declaration page is accessible from **13 July (9am)**. **Please do your declaration by 18 July to be on time for Round 1 selection.** You may refer to the user guide [here](#)

Please be informed that for your Academic Plan Declaration, there is **no need** to declare your CEG 'Specialisation'. You will not be able to select them as they are not configured for your selection. If you did not accept any major/minor upon admission, it is not compulsory to declare any 2nd major/minor especially you are in your first semester & if you are unsure whether to take a 2nd major/minor. Students may declare it in subsequent semesters.

Do check your NUS email account regularly for updates on course and tutorial registrations for the coming semester. **All email correspondences will be sent to your [NUS email only](#) & not to your personal email.**

You should have received an email from CDE Office of Undergraduate Programme (OUP) office, please read the email. See attached for reference.

Freshmen are required to complete **Higher Education (T.H.E.) Programme courses**, on top of completing both Check-in and Onboarding before they are considered to have completed matriculation. A reminder to complete the two e-courses 'A Culture of Respect and Consent' & 'Student Essentials' if you have not do so. Otherwise, you may not be able to access

CourseReg to enrol courses, you will be tag with Negative Service Index (NSI).

THE1001 (A Culture of Respect and Consent) and THE1002 (Student Essentials) must be completed by the stipulated deadlines (i.e. early in the semester), to familiarise students with the expectations of an NUS student early in their higher education journey. Find out more about these 2 courses [here](#).

THE1008 (Applied Generative AI: From Prompting to Evaluation) is mandatory for all undergraduate students from Cohort 2026 onwards and should be completed in their first semester of enrolment. Find out more about the course [here](#). For enquiries, please email [AI-Basic@nus.edu.sg](mailto:AI-Basic@nus.edu.sg).

For the other 3 courses (i.e. THE1003A, THE1004, THE1005), students have the flexibility to complete them at any point during their candidature in the university. Find out more about the T.H.E. Programme [here](#).

### 3. Core courses

Please refer to the Recommended Schedule for CEG students at [https://ceg.nus.edu.sg/wp-content/uploads/sites/4/2026/07/AY2627\\_CEG-Recommended-Schedule-Poly\\_1Jul26.pdf](https://ceg.nus.edu.sg/wp-content/uploads/sites/4/2026/07/AY2627_CEG-Recommended-Schedule-Poly_1Jul26.pdf) [look under Recommended Study Schedule for CEG Students-Students admitted to CEG2 (Poly) in AY2026/27] for the courses you are recommended to take in this semester.

| Course                                                         | Action                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| CS1010                                                         | <b>Preallocated by School of Computing (SOC)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| *MA1301<br>(bridging course)<br>See NOTE 1 below               | Lecture pre-allocated by CDE Office of Undergraduate Programs (OUP)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| *MA1511 & MA1512<br>(only for those not required to do MA1301) | <b>*Select MA1511 &amp; MA1512 in CourseReg (from Round 1, 20 July)</b><br>[Only for Students who possess the relevant certificate, see details & recognized certifications at <a href="https://www.math.nus.edu.sg/ug/prospective/noh2maths/">https://www.math.nus.edu.sg/ug/prospective/noh2maths/</a> ]                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| PC1201<br>(bridging course)                                    | Lecture pre-allocated by CDE Office of Undergraduate Programs (OUP)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| CG1111A                                                        | Lecture & lab pre-allocated by ECE Dept<br><b>**Note: The lecturer will make available admin lecture zoom link in week 0</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| ES1103<br><br>OR<br><br>GE / UE Course                         | [ES1103] <b>Select in CourseReg (from Round 1, 20 July)</b><br>[for students who are required to do QET & scored Band 2 in QET]<br>See details at <a href="https://www.nus.edu.sg/registrar/academic-activities/registration/academic-related-matters/qet">https://www.nus.edu.sg/registrar/academic-activities/registration/academic-related-matters/qet</a><br><br>[GE / UE Course] <b>Select in CourseReg (from Round 2) e.g. GEC courses</b><br><a href="https://nus.edu.sg/coursereg/course_information_undergraduate.html">https://nus.edu.sg/coursereg/course_information_undergraduate.html</a><br><a href="https://www.nus.edu.sg/registrar/academic-information-policies/undergraduate-students/general-education/list-of-courses-approved-under-the-ge-pillars">https://www.nus.edu.sg/registrar/academic-information-policies/undergraduate-students/general-education/list-of-courses-approved-under-the-ge-pillars</a> |

**\*NOTE 1:** Students without A-Level mathematics are required to read MA1301 Introductory Mathematics before they proceed to read higher level mathematics courses. Polytechnic graduates who have completed [special mathematics programmes](#) such as the "Certificate in Engineering Mathematics" or the "Diploma Plus in Advanced Engineering Mathematics" and have submitted the certificate upon admission are not required to read MA1301. You may select MA1511 & MA1512 instead.

Refer to <https://nus.atlassian.net/wiki/spaces/CDE/pages/34887150/Bridging+Courses> for more details. If you have the relevant certificate but did not submit upon admission, please submit your request [HERE](#).

Note that students who are not required to read MA1301 will **not** be given additional Poly exemptions, they need to **take another Unrestricted Elective (UE) of their choice to make-up the 4units shortfall**.

**\*NOTE 2:** Students not taking MA1301, please select both MA1511 & MA1512 as both are 2units courses sharing the same timetable and should be taken in the same semester. E.g. MA1511 (Week 1-6), MA1512 (Week 8-13).

**NOTE 3:** Please select MA1511/MA1512 (for those not required to do MA1301) in CourseReg Round 1 (20 July). See <https://ceg.nus.edu.sg/wp-content/uploads/sites/4/2026/07/CEG1-2610-1.pdf> for reference, create your own timetable using [NUSMods](#). Please try to secure CS1010, PC1201, CG1111A, 'MA1301 or MA1511/MA1512', do not deviate from taking these 4 courses as they are important courses to clear in Sem 1, they are the foundation/pre-requisite to other courses.

**NOTE 4:** Results of QET will be released online on 20 July online [here](#).

- Students who obtain Band 1 will have to take ES1000 followed by ES1103.
- Students who obtain Band 2 will have to take ES1103.
- Students who obtain Band 3 are exempted from these English courses.

More details at <https://www.nus.edu.sg/celc/qualifying-english-test-qet/> Students who are required to take (ES1000/ES1103) English courses may select a sectional group from Round 1 (20 July) onwards. Students not required to do ES1000/ES1103 may select a GEC course (GE courses available from Round 2). Please do not select any GE courses that have timetable clash with your pre-allocated courses.

**NOTE 5 :** CG1111A lecture & lab slot will be pre-allocated by ECE Office/Winnie in Select Courses (Rd 1) and the accompanying CG1111A tut (in weeks 3, 5 & 9) will be allocated AFTER Rd 3. Please do not select other course that clash with your CG1111A allocated slots. **Due to the lab constraint, students are NOT allowed to change the lab group assigned.** If you still persist for whatsoever reason, please look for a mutual swap (WITHOUT timetable clash for both parties involved) then submit CourseReg appeal with the details (i.e. name, student ID and original lab slot - B0# - of both parties involved).

**NOTE 6:** The maximum workload is a total of **23 units** in Sem1 AY26/27. For students in special programmes (E-Scholars, DDP, USP, etc), the maximum workload will be capped at 27 units. Only students in the above listed approved special programmes will be able to select beyond 23 units, but only in Round 3. **Note that the 23 units max workload is strictly enforced by the university for freshmen, no exception will be granted.**

#### 4. Tutorial and Lab Registration

| Course                       | Tutorial                                                                    | Lab                                                                    |
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| MA1301/<br>MA1511/<br>MA1512 | Select tutorial in CourseReg on <b>11 Aug</b> (Round 1 tutorial selection). | No Lab session                                                         |
| PC1201                       | Select tutorial in CourseReg on <b>11 Aug</b> (Round 1 tutorial selection). | No Lab session                                                         |
| CS1010                       | Select tutorial in CourseReg on <b>11 Aug</b> (Round 1 tutorial selection). | Select lab in CourseReg on <b>11 Aug</b> (Round 1 tutorial selection). |
| CG1111A                      | Allocated after Round 3 of CourseReg                                        |                                                                        |

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|  |  | Allocated in Round 1 of CourseReg |
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**\* Lab sessions for CG1111A will be pre-allocated to you. Check your CourseReg for your allocated slot. Please do not select courses that clash with your allocated CG1111A lab slot. Students will be assigned to a specific class B01- B05. Plan your courses/timetable using <https://nusmods.com/timetable/sem-1>**

## 5. Recommended study schedule for Poly graduates

The recommended study schedule for Poly graduates can be found at [https://ceg.nus.edu.sg/wp-content/uploads/sites/4/2026/07/AY2627\\_CEG-Recommended-Schedule-Poly\\_1Jul26.pdf](https://ceg.nus.edu.sg/wp-content/uploads/sites/4/2026/07/AY2627_CEG-Recommended-Schedule-Poly_1Jul26.pdf) (look under Recommended Study Schedule for CEG Students-Students admitted to CEG2 (Poly) in AY2026/27]. Poly graduates may graduate in 3 years given their course exemptions. For students who wish to proceed cautiously may take a slower pace and follow the 3.5 years schedule.

Poly Exemptions will be auto granted to you, there is no need to apply for exemptions. Course Exemptions can be found at:

<https://cde.nus.edu.sg/undergraduate/curriculum-structure/> See section on 'Advanced Placement Credits & Exemptions (Cohorts 2025/2026 onwards)'  
[Freshmen enrolling in AY2025/2026 \(Engineering and Computer Engineering\)](#)

## 6. University Level Requirement (ULR) courses

The enhanced General Education curriculum consists of 6 pillars:

- Cultures and Connections (courses with prefix GEC)
- Communities and Engagement (courses with prefix GEN). You may refer to more details at the resource page [here](#)
- Critique and Expression (fulfil by ES2631)
- Data Literacy (fulfil by GEA1000)
- Digital Literacy (fulfil by CS1010E)
- Singapore Studies (fulfil by CDE2501)

More details can be found at

<https://www.nus.edu.sg/registrar/academic-information-policies/undergraduate-students/general-education/for-students-admitted-from-ay2021-22>

<https://www.nus.edu.sg/registrar/academic-information-policies/undergraduate-students/general-education/faqs-for-students-admitted-from-ay2021-22>

For [UTCP](#) & [RVRC](#) students, please refer to your respective programmes website for the University Level Requirements.

## 7. Important Websites

You can refer to the following websites for important information on:

- Details on Common Engineering courses:

[Wiki page on Pre-allocation and Registration for Common Courses](#)

[AY2025/26 Cohort onwards - CDE Engineering Core Requirements - NUS College of Design and Engineering - Undergraduate Programmes - Wiki.nus](#)

[Level 1000 Common Courses - NUS College of Design and Engineering - Undergraduate Programmes - Wiki.nus](#)

- Details on CEG curriculum can be found at

[CEG homepage](#) and [https://ceg.nus.edu.sg/students/second\\_year/](https://ceg.nus.edu.sg/students/second_year/).

- Information on Course Registration at [https://www.nus.edu.sg/course/reg/using\\_course/reg\\_undergraduate.html](https://www.nus.edu.sg/course/reg/using_course/reg_undergraduate.html)

- Recommended Schedule for CEG students can be found at <https://ceg.nus.edu.sg/students/studyschedule/>

- Innovation & Design Programme (iDP) Curriculum & Recommended Schedule at

<https://cde.nus.edu.sg/idp/academics/overview/>

- Examination timetable at <https://myportal.nus.edu.sg/studentportal/academics/all/examination-directory.html>

- Plan your courses/timetable using <https://nusmods.com/timetable/sem-1>

- ECE Student Website <https://nusu.sharepoint.com/sites/e-Station-Students> (no access yet, do not send us 'Request for Access'. Access for Freshmen should be activated by mid-Aug).

If you have any enquiries on course allocation, you may contact me. For academic advice, kindly contact your Year 1 Academic Coordinator, **Dr Jithin Vachery** ([jithinvachery@nus.edu.sg](mailto:jithinvachery@nus.edu.sg)). For ease of correspondence, please include your name and student number (AXXXXXXX), and retain the email history.

Thank you.

Best Regards,

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