

Supporting Your Child's ECG Journey

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Changing World of Work



The Future of Work : Will Our Child Be Prepared?



Source : <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=59d3UZTUFQ0>

Workplace Has CHANGED



“It is a concern that more young people than before appear to be **picking their dream job** from a **small list** of the most popular, **traditional occupations**, like teachers, lawyers or business managers.

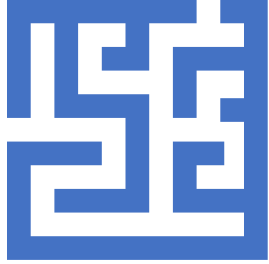
The surveys show that too **many teenagers** are **ignoring** or are **unaware** of **new** types of **jobs that are emerging, particularly as a result of digitalization**”.

- Andreas Schleicher

*OECD Director for Education and Skills

*Organisation for Economic Cooperation & Development

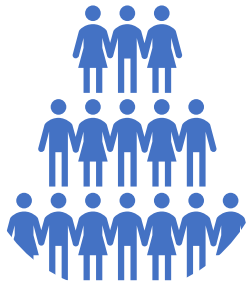
Top Skills Needed In 2025



Problem-solving



Self-management



**Working with
people**






**Technology use
and development**

**Farewell, job title.
Hello, skill set.**

Businesses' top 10 skill priorities for 2027

1.  Analytical thinking	6.  Curiosity and lifelong learning
2.  Creative thinking	7.  Technological literacy
3.  AI and big data	8.  Design and user experience
4.  Leadership and social influence	9.  Motivation and self-awareness
5.  Resilience, flexibility and agility	10.  Empathy and active listening

Type of skill

 Cognitive skills  Self-efficacy  Technology skills  Working with others

Source

World Economic Forum, Future of Jobs Report 2023.

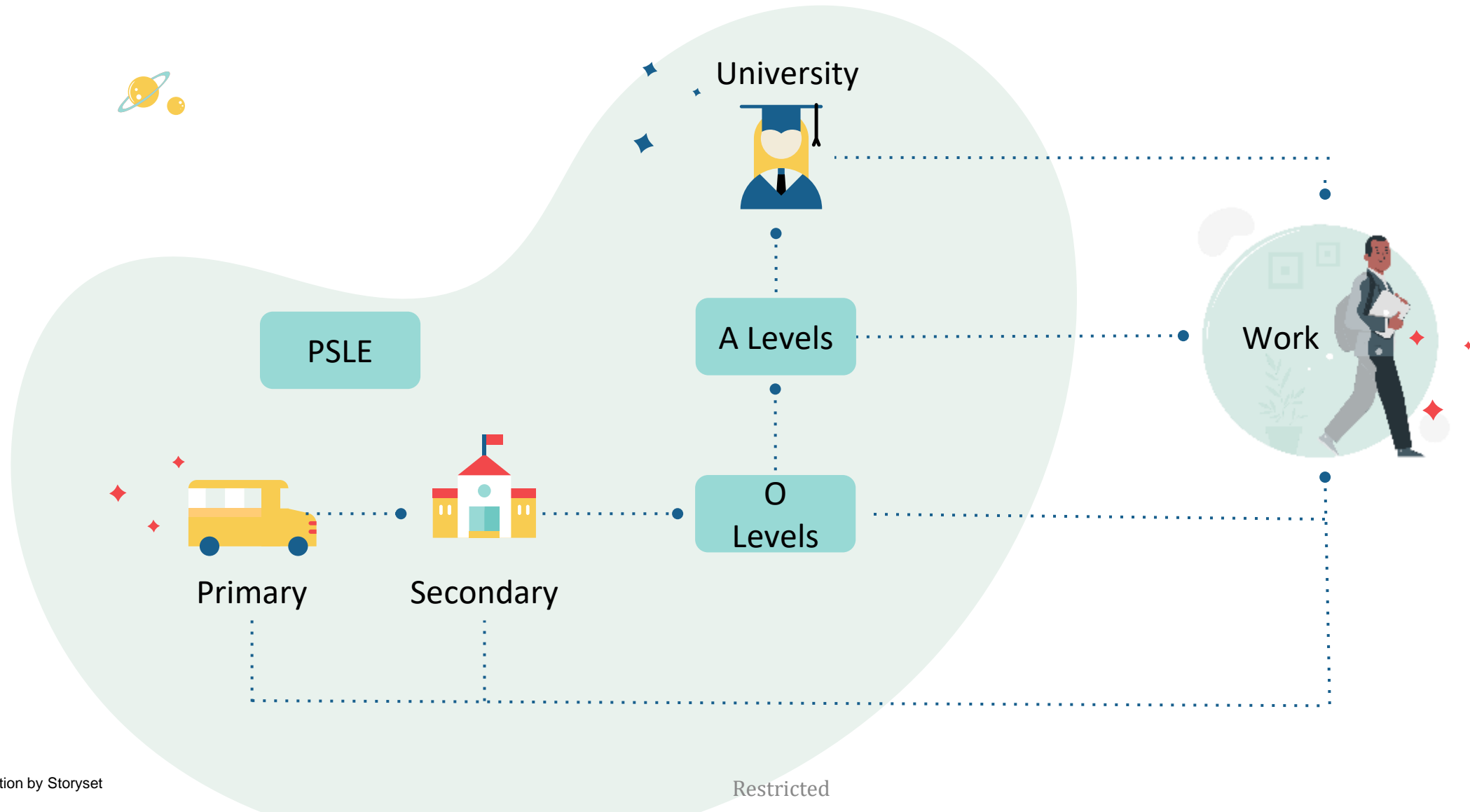
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The skills which organizations will prioritize in workforce development initiatives from 2023 to 2027

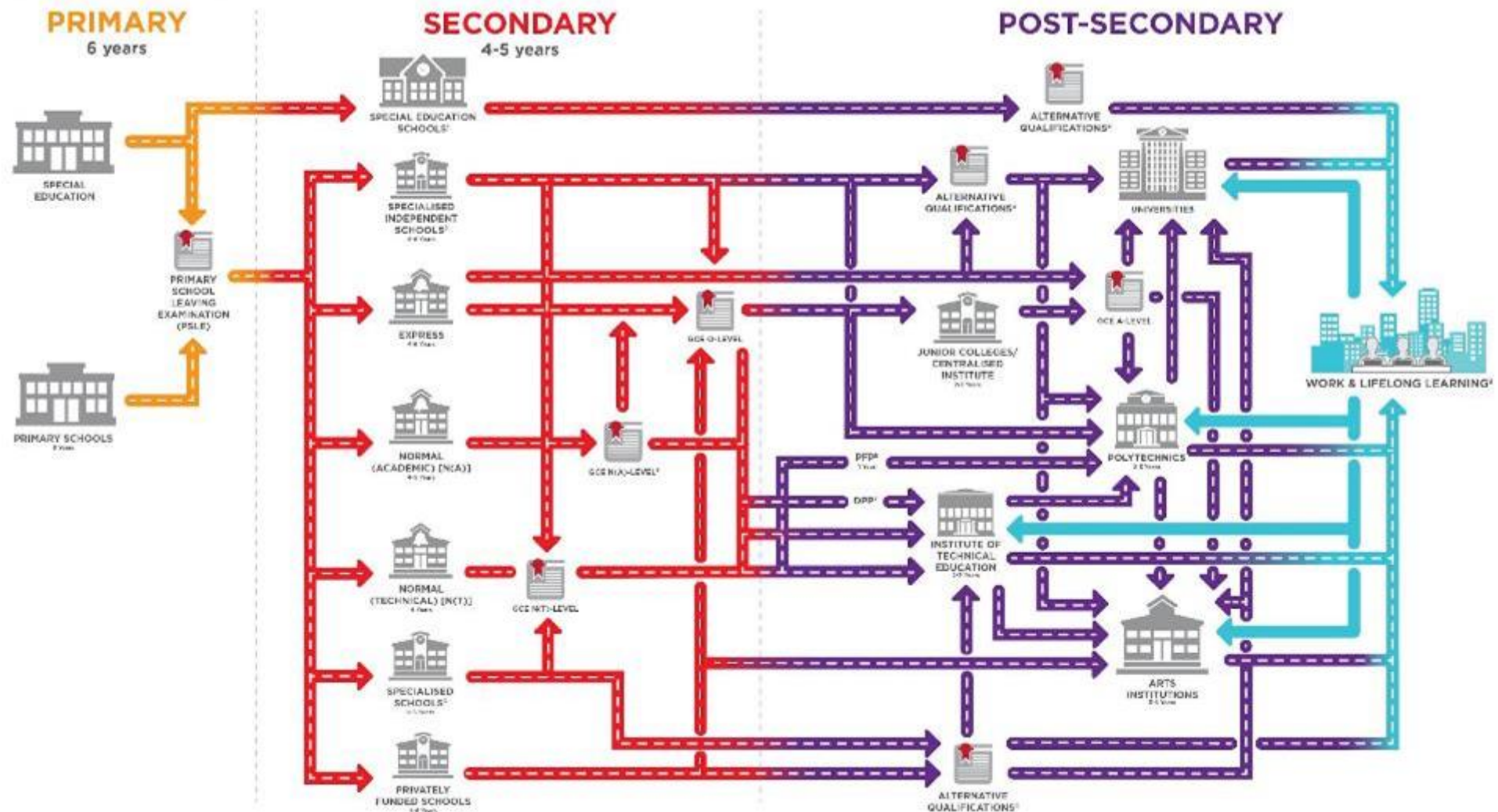


Changing Education Landscape

Education Pathway used to be Simple



Today, the Education Landscape is Dynamic



Some Changes in the Education Landscape

Revised PSLE Scoring System	Full Subject-Based Banding	Post-Secondary Landscape	IHL Landscape
New Achievement Levels scoring system	Implementation of Full Subject-Based Banding in all Secondary Schools by 2024	Expanding CEP [^] offerings by Polytechnics New ITE curriculum from 2022; shortened route to Higher Nitec Offering of ITE Work-Study Diplomas Shorter Polytechnic Diplomas for A-Level Students A-Level curriculum to be revised	Expanding Aptitude-Based Admissions at Autonomous Universities Inter-disciplinary learning in Institutes of Higher Learning Offering of IHL Work-Study Degrees Establishing New University of the Arts

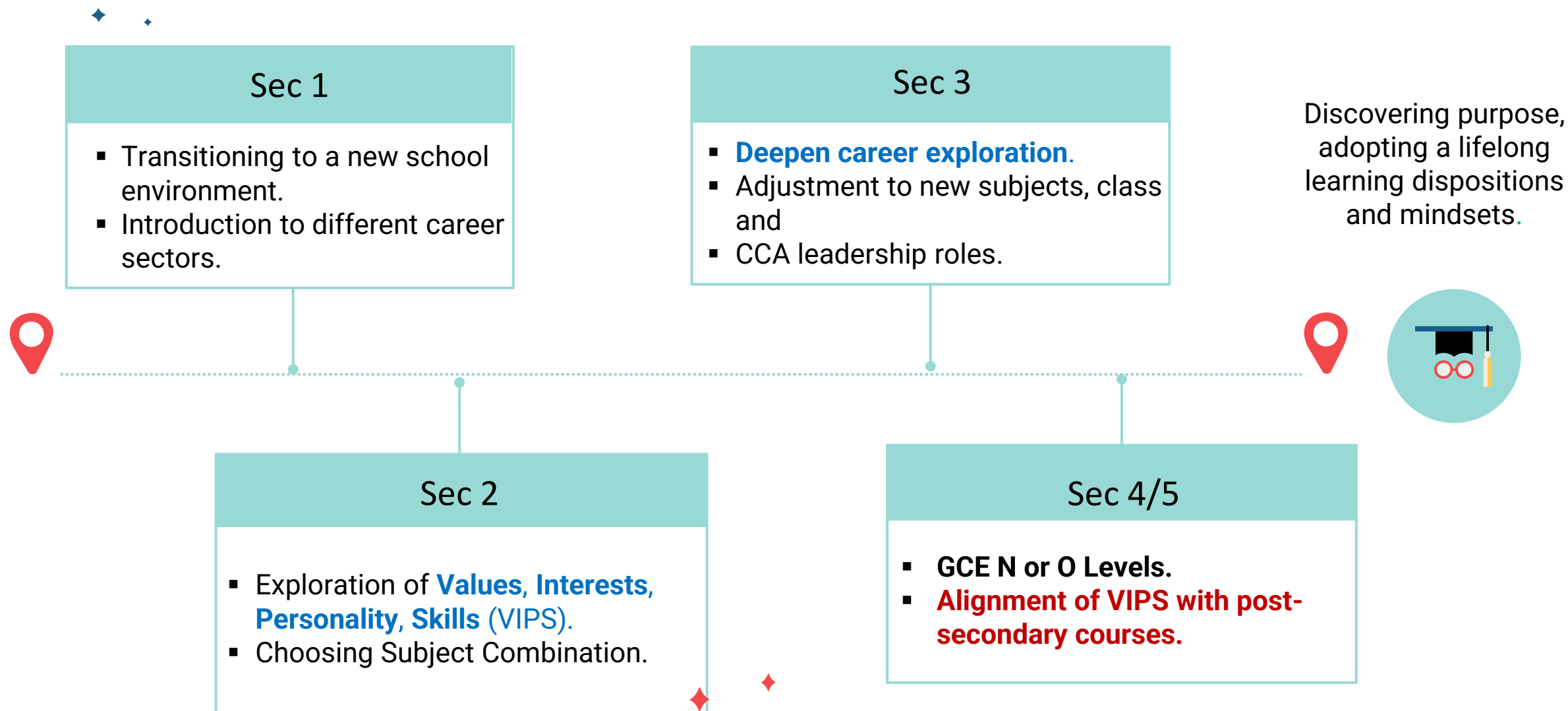
*IHL : Institute of Higher Learning
^CEP : Common Entry Programme



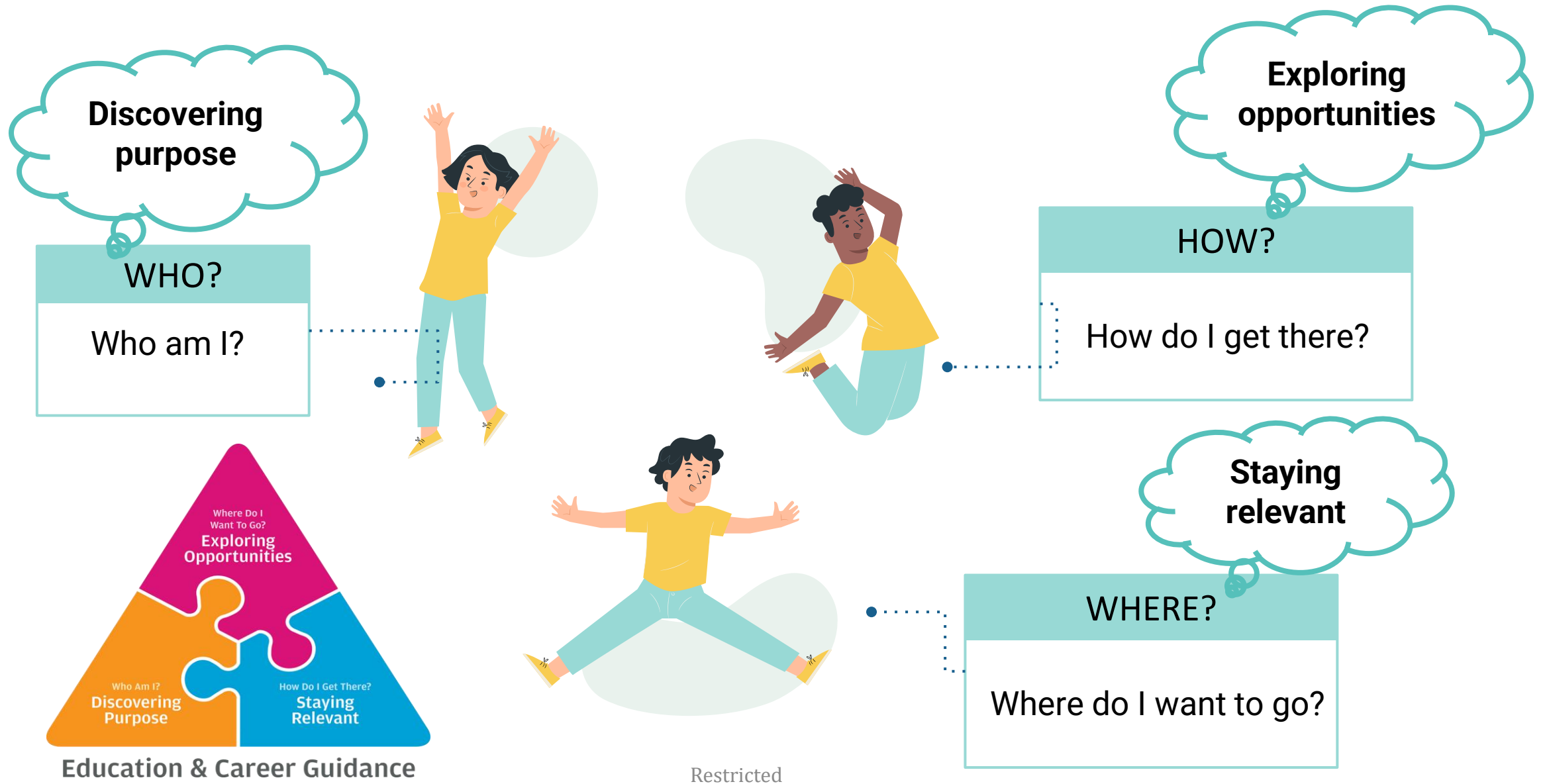
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Your Child's ECG Journey in School



The 3 ECG Questions to Guide Our Child



How Can Parents Support Your Child?

1. Discovering Purpose

- Guide your child to make informed decisions and own them
- Understanding their Values, Interests, Personality, Skills, and Strengths

2. Exploring Opportunities

- Encourage your child to find out more about education pathways and the world of work, and exploring Education and Career Pathways with them

3. Staying Relevant

- Embrace lifelong learning and develop your child's future-ready skill by encouraging them to continuously pursue opportunities for learning



Polytechnics draw students from secondary schools, JCs and ITE through multiple pathways



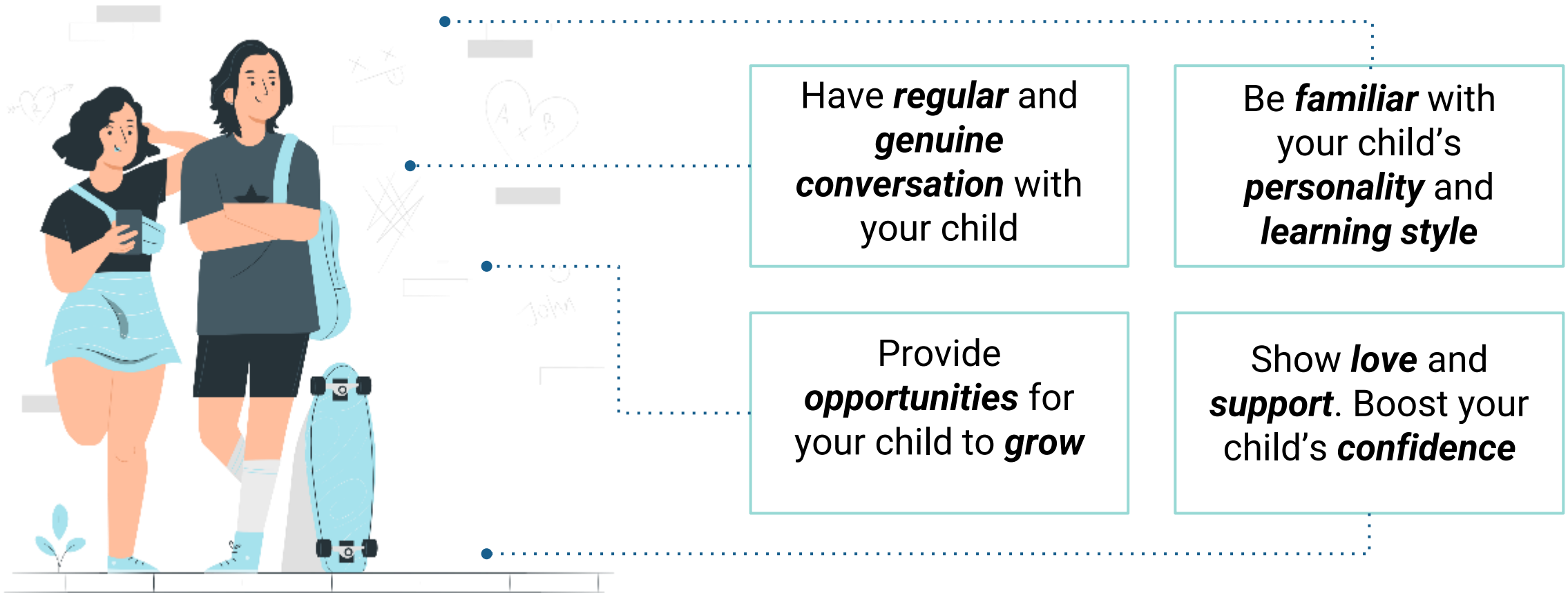
Ngee Ann Polytechnic's open house on Jan 4. In 2023, around 21,100 students enrolled into full-time diploma courses across the five polytechnics here. PHOTO: NGEEN ANN POLYTECHNIC

Straits Times, 7 January 2024

Parent Jared Tan, 45, a business development manager, said he was initially unhappy his son wanted to study business in Singapore Polytechnic, instead of heading to a JC.

“I went to the open houses, saw the latest figures and all the offerings from polytechnics and came away with a changed mindset, and I am confident that if my son wants to go to university, **he will be able to do so.**”

Students and parents interviewed said the higher number of polytechnic graduates making it to the local universities is another reason why the polytechnics remain popular. Currently, about **one in three polytechnic graduates** every year goes on to matriculate at universities here, up from around one in four in 2015.



Supporting Your Child's Aspirations

Parenting Tips on ECG Conversation

<https://go.gov.sg/ecg-parent-guide>



Need someone to talk to about your Child's Education and Career journey?

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- Email : woo_wai_yeng@schools.gov.sg
- Book an appointment : <https://go.gov.sg/bds-ecg>



Useful Resources Links

MySkillsFuture Student Portal (Secondary)	https://go.gov.sg/MySFSec
A Guide to Post-secondary Admissions Exercises (JAE, JIE, DSA-JC, Poly EAE, ITE EAE, DPP, PFP, NFD)	https://www.moe.gov.sg/-/media/files/post-secondary/a-guide-to-post-secondary-admissions-exercises.pdf
CourseFinder (Explore courses offered by ITE and Polytechnics)	https://www.moe.gov.sg/coursefinder
SchoolFinder (Explore information on JCs)	https://www.moe.gov.sg/schoolfinder
What's Next (After N-level)	https://go.gov.sg/whats-next-nlevel
What's Next (After O-level)	https://go.gov.sg/whats-next-olevel
Post-Secondary Education	https://go.gov.sg/postsecondary
Tips on Coping with Transition through Upper Secondary/ Post-Secondary Education	https://go.gov.sg/transitionsupportel
What's Next (After A-Level)	https://go.gov.sg/whats-next-alevel
Overview of Post Secondary Education Institutions (Including autonomous universities, arts institutions, government-affiliated educational institutes and polytechnics)	https://go.gov.sg/overview-pseis
Journeying with our Children, supporting their Aspirations	https://go.gov.sg/ecg-parent-guide



**Any
Questions**

THANKS!