

School of Science Orientation 2012 Briefing

17 Aug (Fri) Main Round Offer results announced

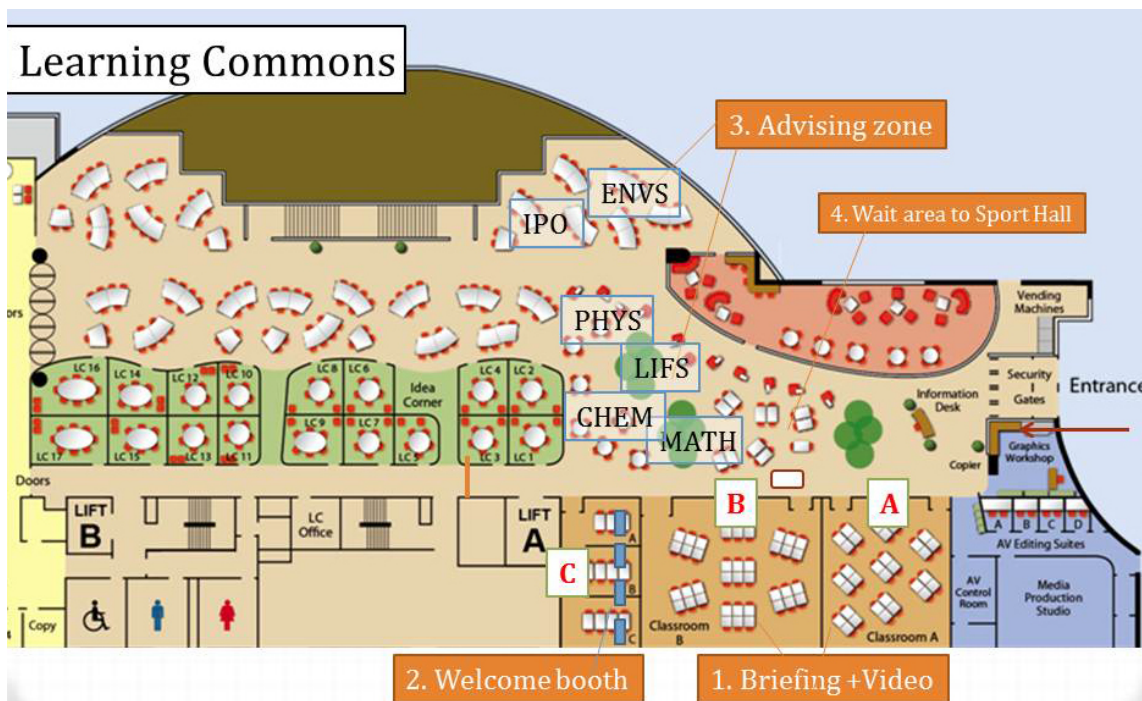
Target: DSE high achievers

We may contact DSE high achievers and ask if they would like to meet with our faculty members to know more about their desired major.

20 Aug (Mon) School Induction Part I

Target: ~ 460 Local JUPAS Students

Time	Activity	Venue
9:30am – 4:30pm <i>(faculty members can take turns to participate, please sign up your preferred timeslot in the attached file)</i>	A. Program Registration	Art Hall
	B. School Academic Advising Session <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Students will attend a briefing session and watch a video introducing the BSc 4Y curriculum They will then change ITSC password and learn about the other induction activities at the Welcome booth. After that, they will go to the Advising Zone to learn about different Majors. <p>(Six advising zones [MATH, CHEM LIFS, PHYS, IPO & ENVS] will be set up in the open area of the Library Learning Commons (LG1). Each dept/div/prog will have <u>TWO representatives</u> in their corresponding zone area. Each zone will have <u>two tables</u> for putting leaflets and other material.)</p> <p>Your Role: A representative of your Dept/Div/Prog</p> <p>Your Duties: To answer questions about the program/curriculum/course details</p>	Learning Commons Classroom A, B, C and the open area <i>(Please refer to the floor plan* below)</i>
	C. Health and Fitness Assessment	Sports Hall



* Floor plan of the Learning Commons

22 Aug (Mon) School Induction Part II

Target: ~ 460 Local JUPAS Students

Session	Time	Activity	Venue
AM	9:00am – 10:20am	A. Course Selection Induction - Students will learn about the pre-requisites of different majors and the school requirement (choose 2 out of the 3 science subjects: CHEM, LIFS and PHYS)	LTB
	10:30am – 11:30pm <i>You will be assigned to either AM/ PM session only.</i>	B. Meet with your Advisees - You will be assigned to <u>18-25</u> advisees (the final list will be sent to you by <u>20 Aug</u>) - <u>2-3</u> Peer mentors will be there to help you Your Role: An advisor of the school. Your Duties: You can take this chance to know more about your advisees and their academic aspirations.	Classrooms
	11:30am – 1:25pm	C. Course Selection Workshop A, B, C and D - In each workshop, there will be <u>60</u> students - They will use a course selection platform to plan their study for Fall term. The data will then be submitted to ARR for course pre-registration.	Learning Commons
PM	1:30pm – 2:50pm	D. Course Selection Induction <i>(Same arrangement as part A in the AM session)</i>	LTB
	3:00pm – 4:00pm	E. Meet with your Advisees** <i>(Same arrangement as part B in the AM session)</i>	Classrooms
	4:00pm – 5:55pm	F. Course Selection Workshop E, F, G and H <i>(Same arrangement as part C in the AM session)</i>	Learning Commons

Other Orientation/Advising Activities

4 Sept (Tue) School Induction Part III

Target: ~520 students (Local and non-local)

Time	Activity/Target students	Venue
10:00 – 1:00pm	Make-Up School Induction Part I & II and Science for Success Induction/ <u>NON-JUPAS and NON LOCAL STUDENTS</u>	LTF
11:00 – 1:00pm	Science for Success Induction/ <u>JUPAS STUDENTS</u>	LTA+ LTG
1:00pm- 2:30pm	Lunch/ <u>ALL STUDENTS</u>	LG7
2:30pm – 5:40pm	MAGNET* Party/ <u>ALL STUDENTS</u> - Our peer mentors will organize some games and activities for the new students	Sports Hall

*MAGNET-Make A Great NET, a peer mentoring program in School of Science

5 Sept: Course Registration Station

A station will be set up at the learning commons (Classroom A) from 9am-5pm to help students with problems in course registration.

5 Sept onwards: Pre-major faculty advisor advising sessions

Appointment system: Students can make appointment with their pre-major faculty advisors through the advising website: <http://advise.science.ust.hk> (website will be ready on 10 Aug)

1. 10-22 Sept Add/Drop period

- **Advising hours:** 2 hours per week (since add/drop is the peak period)
- **The duration of each advising session open for student booking:** 30 mins
- **Please let us know your preferred timeslot:**
 - Example: Mon: 2:30-3:00, Tue: 4:00-4:30, Wed: 10:00-11:00 (2 sessions)
 - Or Mon: 2:00-4:00 (4 sessions)
- **You can revise your timeslot one week in advance by letting us know**
- **Your roles and duties:**
 - ◆ To approve add/drop request from your advisees through SIS
 - ◆ To discuss with your advisees if you notice any big problems
 - ◆ To advise students in major/course selection

2. 22 Sept onwards

- **Advising hours:** 1 hours per week
- **The duration of each advising session open for student booking:** 30 mins
- **Please let us know your preferred timeslot:**
 - Example: Mon: 1-2pm

- You can revise your timeslot one week in advance by letting us know

- Your roles and duties:

- ◆ To advise students in major/course selection

Oct-Nov: Major of the week

The advising office will cooperate with different dept/div/prog to organize information session, activities such as major lunch, mini lecture or fun day to let students to know more about different majors.

Your roles: you may represent your dept/div/prog to participate in any of the above events.