



2018 DIRECT SCHOOL ADMISSIONS SECONDARY (DSA-SEC) EXERCISE FOR ADMISSION TO SEC ONE IN 2019

A. 2018 DSA-Sec for Admission to Sec One in 2019

1. Areas for DSA Application: Theatre, Debate or Netball

- CHIJ St Joseph's Convent's Applied Learning Programme (ALP) is *The Art of Communication through Theatre and Debates*.

2a) Students who would like to seek entry into CHIJ SJC via DSA (Theatre and/ Debates) would demonstrate a flare for theatre and/or debates. The following is a typical student profile for interested Theatre/Debates applicants:

Student Profile

- A **high level of confidence** when conversing about social issues. Interested applicants would demonstrate a **genuine interest** in current affairs or national, community issues and are able to **articulate their thoughts in a clear and organized manner**.
- Experiences in either debates and/or theatre. This means that candidates have had **experience related to debating and acting in productions**, especially in the presence of an unfamiliar audience.
- Possess a **strong command of the English Language** as reflected in candidates' **written and oral communication**.
- Keen to adapt to the **academic rigor** and SJC's school climate which focuses on the pursuit of excellence in all facets of education,
- To be fully able to embrace the values-centric approach to development in SJC, applicants must **uphold high standards of behaviour**.

2b) Students who would like to seek entry into CHIJ SJC via Netball would demonstrate a passion and aptitude for the game. The following is a typical student profile for interested Netball applicants:

- Applicant has **represented her primary school and competed skillfully in various youth Netball competitions**
- Applicant has a **rigorous standard of personal fitness**



Audition and Interview

- Applicants will perform a short dramatic monologue as part of the audition process (dramatization). A choice of monologues to select from will be provided to applicants.
- Oral presentation during the interview process.
- Students interested in applying for DSA through netball must prepare for a trial audition to demonstrate their proficiency in netball skills. Applicants are also required to produce documents indicating their experience in netball.

Useful but not compulsory

- Achievements at national competitions/ internationally recognized certification (Drama and Debates)/ Participation and level of representation in school/public performances.
- Evidence of participation in theatrical productions, netball matches and other platforms which require a display of dramatic and oratory skill or netball, sporting prowess.

B. Application Procedure

3. The application form may be downloaded [here](#). Hardcopies are available from SJC's General Office during office hours (Mon-Friday, 9-5pm).

Student Applicants are to complete these forms in their own handwriting. Please do not type. Typed applications will be rejected.

4. Please attach the following supporting documents to the application form:
 - Result slips for **both** Primary 5 (Mid-year and End-of-year Examinations) and Primary 6 (Mid-year Examination)
 - Portfolio/ Certification/ Co-Curricular Activities records
 - Other relevant supporting documents



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5. Applications are to reach the school by **Thursday, 5 July 2019, 5pm.** Please send to:

CHIJ St Joseph's Convent
62 Sengkang East Way
Singapore 548595
(Attn: **Direct School Admission**)

Applicants will be short listed for an audition and interview scheduled on the following dates:

Audition dates:

Wednesday, 25th July 2018

Thursday, 26th July 2018

Applicants will be informed of the time and venue at least **5 working days prior to the date.**

6. All applicants will **be** notified by **Thursday, 30 August 2018** of their results.