



GUIDELINES FOR YEAR PLACEMENT

Age of Student on Sept 1	DCIS Programme Grade	Equivalent grade in other educational systems								
		U.K. and U.K. international schools	Singapore	USA/ Canada	Australia	New Zealand	Japan	China	Korea	Malaysia
Lower Primary – EYFS and Key Stage 1										
3	Nursery	Nursery	Pre-school	Nursery	Pre-school	Kindergarten	Kindergarten		Kindergarten	Nursery
4	Reception	Reception	Kindergarten 1	Junior K	Pre-school	Kindergarten	Kindergarten	Kindergarten	Kindergarten	Kindergarten
5	Year 1	Year 1	Kindergarten 2	Kindergarten	KG/Prep	Year 1	Kindergarten	Kindergarten	Kindergarten	Kindergarten
6	Year 2	Year 2	Primary 1	Grade 1	Year 1	Year 2	Grade 1	Year 1	1 st Grade	Standard 1
Upper Primary – Key Stage 2										
7	Year 3	Year 3	Primary 2	Grade 2	Year 2	Year 3	Grade 2	Year 2	2 nd Grade	Standard 2
8	Year 4	Year 4	Primary 3	Grade 3	Year 3	Year 4	Grade 3	Year 3	3 rd Grade	Standard 3
9	Year 5	Year 5	Primary 4	Grade 4	Year 4	Year 5	Grade 4	Year 4	4 th Grade	Standard 4
10	Year 6	Year 6	Primary 5	Grade 5	Year 5	Year 6	Grade 5	Year 5	5 th Grade	Standard 5
Secondary School - Key Stage 3 and 4										
11	Year 7	Year 7	Primary 6	Grade 6	Year 6	Year 7	Grade 6	Year 6	6 th Grade	Standard 6
12	Year 8	Year 8	Secondary 1	Grade 7	Year 7	Year 8	Grade 1	Year 1	1 st Grade	Form 1
13	Year 9	Year 9	Secondary 2	Grade 8	Year 8	Year 9	Grade 2	Year 2	2 nd Grade	Form 2
14	Year 10	Year 10	Secondary 3	Grade 9	Year 9	Year 10	Grade 3	Year 3	3 rd Grade	Form 3
15	Year 11	Year 11	Secondary 4	Grade 10	Year 10	Year 11	Grade 1	Year 1	1 st Grade	Form 4
Secondary School - Sixth Form										
16	Year 12	Year 12	Secondary 5	Grade 11	Year 11	Year 12	Grade 2	Year 2	2 nd Grade	Form 5
17	Year 13	Year 13	Tertiary	Grade 12	Year 12	Year 13	Grade 3	Year 3	3 rd Grade	Form 6