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Supporting Students with
Special Educational Needs:
S.H. Ho College's Experiences

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Positive learning environment for SEN Students at SHHO

- Students with special educational needs (SEN)
- Hearing impairment
- Mental & physical disabilities
- Learning difficulties
- Need extra support for their studies

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College Lift at SHHO

Formal College Education

- GESH1010 Orientation and Outreach
- GESH4010 Work and Productive Life

Informal College Education

- Full Residence
- Communal Dining
- Student Activities
- Mental Well-being Program

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Holistic approach for SEN Students

- Campus Tour before Admissions
- Orientation before Move-in plan
- College Life at SHHO

1 Full Residence

- 2 Communal Dining
- 3 College General Education
- 4 College Activities

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Campus Tour before Admissions

S.H. Ho College Campus Tour (student & family)

- Chan Chun Ha Hall
- Ho Tim Hall & Lee Quo Wei Hall
- Ho Sin Hang Hall (Dining Hall)
- Dean of Students' Office
- Like Reading Room
- Routes to other parts of the College campus
- Routes to other parts of the University campus

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Campus Facilities for SEN Students

- Ramps at hostel
- Tactile paths on campus

Making students easier to get around

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Campus Facilities for SEN Students

- Shower room & toilets
- Emergency call bells in bedroom and toilets

Modification of facilities to fit individual needs

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Orientation before Move-in plan

S.H. Ho College Orientation (student & family)

- Meeting with Deans of Students and Wardens
- College visit to identify the special needs of College Life
- Provision of a suitable hostel place for the SEN students/and the carers
- Modification of facilities to fit students' individual needs

- Co-ordination with Office of Student Affairs and academic departments
- College Counselling service to the SEN students

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Campus Facilities for SEN Students

- Sliding door at bedroom (Open)
- Sliding door at bedroom (Closed)

Modification of facilities to fit individual needs

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Full Residence for SEN students

Particular resident tutors are assigned by wardens to take care of SEN students

- Being as a contact person for any emergency cases during non-office hours
- Being as a peer to facilitate their adaptation to hostel life

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Communal Dining for SEN Students

High Table Dinner

- Wardens are assigned to sit with SEN students

Communal Dining

- On-duty and on-site resident tutors will act as a contact person for any emergency cases

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College General Education

GESH1010 Orientation and Outreach

- Experiential learning course
- Adventure camp
- Course journal submission
- Different formats of production
- e.g. Models & Board games, etc.

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College General Education for SEN Students

GESH1010 Orientation and Outreach

In-class activities

- General students: Group discussions and drawing
- SEN students: Group discussions and oral presentations

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College General Education for SEN Students

GESH1010 Orientation and Outreach

Assignment - Course journal

- General students: Writing, drawing in hand-writing
- SEN students: In e-format

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College General Education for SEN Students

GESH1010 Orientation and Outreach

Assignment - Production

- General students: Any formats, i.e. model, board games, video, etc.
- SEN students: Submit an essay or arrange an oral presentation

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Case Sharing for SEN Students with Mental & Physical disabilities

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Tips on communicating with SEN Students

Respect

- Respect means valuing others.

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Tips on communicating with SEN Students

Response

- Quick response on their special needs

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Tips on communicating with SEN Students

Reaction

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Student D with Mental disabilities

- A backboard is installed in his room

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Student H with Physical disabilities

- Equipment allowed to use in hostel, such as hanger, sanitary chair, etc.

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The end