

ONLINE ONLY - SJI and SJI International offer joint scholarships



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Saint Joseph's Institution and SJI International have launched a scholarship for students interested in pursuing an International Baccalaureate Diploma.

The joint scholarship programme was launched on Friday and targets boys who score at least 260 in their Primary School Leaving Examination.

Up to 20 scholarships will be given to Secondary One students next year. It will gradually increase to 60 a year over the next few years.

A provisional award of the scholarship will be offered based on Primary 5 and 6 results, strong co-curricular records and/or special achievements, an essay test and interview.

The four-year scholarship at SJI is worth about \$3,000 per year, and scholars will graduate with an 'O' Level certificate. They will then study for the IB diploma at SJI International for two years, under a scholarship worth about \$23,000 per year.

Interested parties can attend a briefing on July 9, which is when applications will open. Forms will be available on the schools' websites, and the deadline is July 23. Interviews will be held on July 31. The SJI open house is on Jul 17.