



40TH ASEAN COUNCIL
OF TEACHERS + KOREA
CONVENTION

NAVIGATING OUR FUTURE

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22-25 OCTOBER 2026 · D'MARQUEE, SINGAPORE

40th ASEAN Council of Teachers + Korea Convention

Delegates E-Kit



Welcome to Singapore

Welcome to Singapore and the 40th ASEAN Council of Teachers + Korea (ACT+1) Convention!

The Singapore Teachers' Union (STU) is delighted to welcome our overseas delegates for this gathering of educators and education leaders. We look forward to strengthening friendships, exchanging ideas and advancing our shared commitment to teachers and teaching.

This guide provides essential information to help you prepare for your visit and enjoy your time in Singapore.



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1. Before You Travel

Before departing for Singapore, delegates are encouraged to ensure they have:

- ✓ Passport with at least six months' validity
- ✓ Flight itinerary and e-ticket
- ✓ Hotel confirmation details
- ✓ Travel insurance (recommended)
- ✓ Necessary medications and prescriptions

All travellers are required to submit the **Singapore Arrival Card (SGAC)** before arriving in Singapore. Travellers may submit the SG Arrival Card up to 3 days before arrival. Do retain a screenshot or confirmation of your submission for reference.

Link: <https://eservices.ica.gov.sg/arrivalcard>





1. Before You Travel

Singapore uses Type G power plugs and sockets (the standard British 3-pin rectangular plug).

Delegates are advised to bring a suitable travel adaptor for their electronic devices.





Haze Advisory

Please be advised that Singapore is currently experiencing hazy conditions, which may affect air quality. International delegates are encouraged to bring their own N95 or equivalent masks (e.g. KN95, FFP2 or KF94) for personal use, should they be required during their stay.

Delegates are also advised to monitor the latest air quality updates and follow the health advisories issued by Singapore's National Environment Agency (NEA).

For the latest updates, please visit Singapore's National Environment Agency website via this [link](#).





2. Arrival in Singapore

Singapore Changi Airport consists of four terminals (T1, T2, T3 and T4). After disembarking, proceed to immigration clearance, collect your baggage and proceed through customs.

- 1. Staying at D'resort @ Downtown East:** After you clear the customs, proceed through the arrival gate and look out for representatives from Singapore Teachers' Union (STU) holding signs that say "ACT+1 Convention" for transport arrangements.
- 2. Staying Elsewhere:** Delegates may travel to your accommodation via 24 hours Taxi (follow airport taxi signs), ride-hailing Apps (Grab/ Gojek/ TADA) or via the local MRT (Mass Rapid Transit) at Changi Airport Station – first train, 5:31am; last train 11:18pm.

If your flight is delayed:



Please contact our STU convention secretariat via WhatsApp through your respective representatives.



3. Accommodation : D'Resort @ Downtown East

Address: 1 Pasir Ris Close, Singapore 519599

Contact: +65 6582 3322

Check-in time: 3pm

Check-out time: 11am

- Kindly approach Front Desk for assistance to store your luggage and non-perishable items for a limited time period.

Website: <https://www.dresort.com.sg/>

Breakfast: From 24 to 25 Oct 2026, at Begonia Terrace
ONLY for stay in delegates.

*Breakfast will also be provided on 23 October 2026 for delegates attending the Pre-Convention Seminar.

Housekeeping Services

Daily service will be provided and will commence from 3pm onwards. A fee of \$20+ (Subject to prevailing Government Taxes) is applicable for every additional housekeeping service request. Requests for early make-up room services are subject to availability. Guest may request irons with ironing boards from the Operator at no charge. However, it is subject to availability. All suite rooms are equipped with irons.

Activities in the Resort

For the consideration of all guests, no unauthorised fixtures, decoration or alteration is allowed to Resort property in or outside the room. Management reserves the right to charge the guests for repairs required from the damages.



3. Accommodation : D'Resort @ Downtown East

Smoking

Smoking is only permitted at designated areas in D'Resort. All D'Resort rooms have a non-smoking policy and \$200 will be charged to your room for guest who violates this. Should the fire alarm be activated, an additional \$500 will be imposed.

Security

Guests are advised to lock and latch all Resort doors and windows after midnight or each time they leave the Resort.

Damages to property

The Management reserves the right to charge guests for cost of replacement/repair of any loss /damaged items or excessively dirty rooms within the Resort.

The Management also reserves the right to disallow any person whom it deems undesirable into the Resort ground and shall not be liable for any damages arising therefrom.

Unmanned Aircraft

The operation of any unmanned aircraft within D'Resort and its surrounding areas is strictly prohibited. As we are located within 5km of Changi Airport, a permit from the Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore (CAAS) is required for any unmanned aircraft activity. Offenders may face enforcement action, including fines of up to \$50,000, imprisonment of up to 2 years, or both.

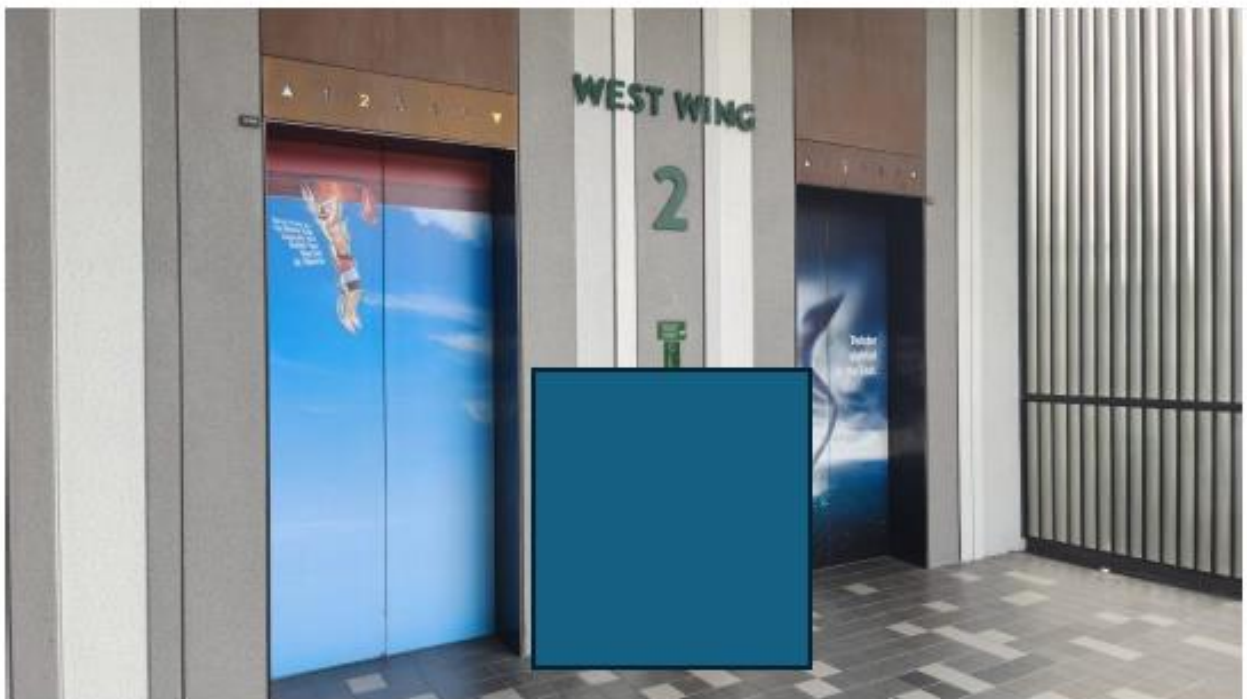
*To ensure a comfortable stay for everyone, guests are requested to keep noise levels reasonable throughout their stay and be considerate of other guests, **particularly after 11pm**. Management reserves the right to intervene where noise or disturbances affect other guests.*



Directional signages will be placed at these locations from D'Resort to Begonia Terrace



D'Resort lobby



D'Resort outside level 2 West Wing lift



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D'Resort outside level 2 East Wing lift



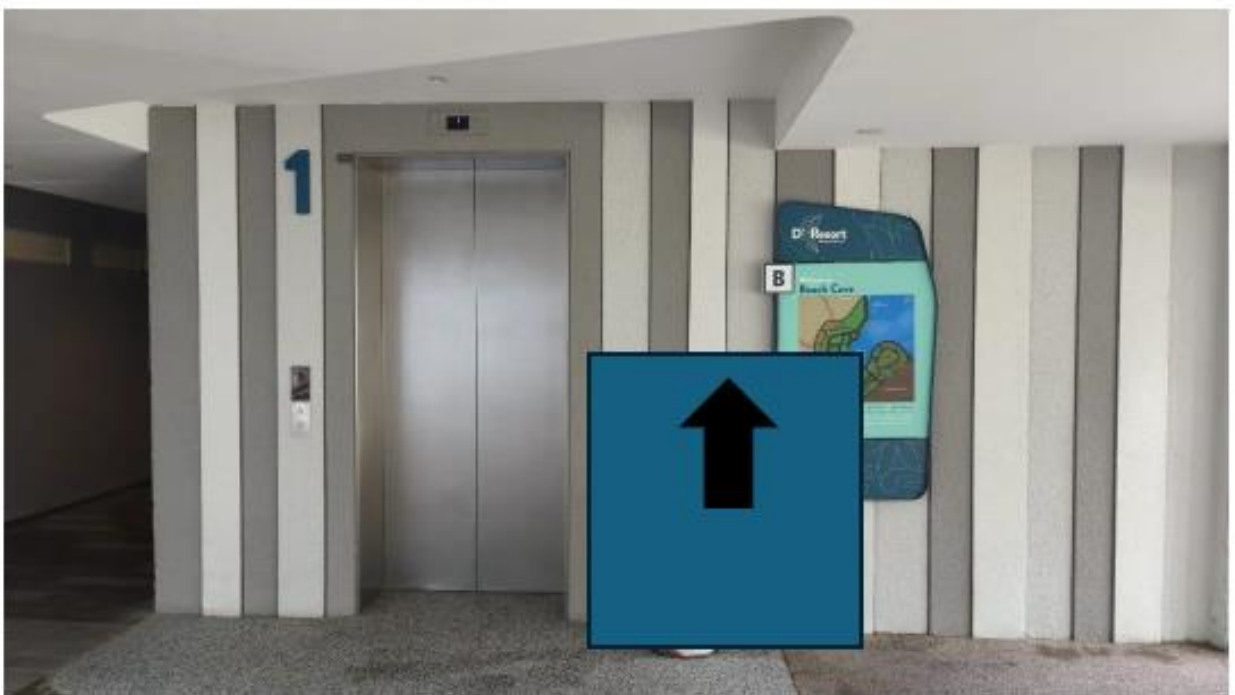
D'Resort outside level 1 West Wing lift



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D'Resort outside level 1 East Wing lift



D'Resort outside level 1 B lift (Take the lift to level 2 and turn left)



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D'Resort outside room 332



4. Transport Arrangements to Begonia Terrace/ D'resort

Address: 1 Pasir Ris Close, Singapore 519599

Free Pasir Ris MRT Shuttle Service is available from Pasir Ris to Downtown East Begonia Pick Up/ Drop off point. Available daily from 11am to 10pm (est. 15mins intervals).

By MRT

East-West Line, **Pasir Ris MRT Station (EW1)**, Downtown East is situated 10mins walk.

By Bus

Transfer to **Bus Service 3, 5, 6, 12, 17, 21, 354 or 358** at Pasir Bus Interchange. Alight at **Bus Stop Number 78109 – Downtown East**, and walk towards Begonia Terrace, which is in the same direction as Downtown East.

D'Resort @ Downtown East

Alight at any of the bus stops below to reach D'Resort, which is located within Downtown East.

- **Stop Number 78099 – Aft Loyang Gdns (Bus 354)**
- **Stop Number 78091 – Opp Downtown East (Bus 354)**
- **Stop Number 78109 – Downtown East (Buses: 3, 5, 6, 12, 17, 21, 89, 354, 358, East Loop)**
- **Stop Number 78101 – Opp Downtown East (Buses: 3, 5, 6, 12, 17, 21, 89, 354, 358, East Loop)**



4. Transport Arrangements to Begonia Terrace/ D'Resort

Address: 1 Pasir Ris Close, Singapore 519599

Transportation Apps:

The following mobile applications are commonly used in Singapore, and available on apple or android phones.

Google Maps	Navigation
Grab	Ride-hailing and food delivery
Gojek	Ride-hailing
TADA	Ride-hailing
MyTransport.SG	Public transport information
Changi App	Flight information, airport services



4. Transport Arrangements from D'Resort to Changi Airport on 25 October 2026 (only for delegates staying in D'Resort)

Please arrive at **D'Resort Lobby** **2 hours and 30 minutes before your flight departure time** to board the coach to Changi Airport.

More details will be provided via your point-of-contact nearer to the departure date.



5. Convention Programme

Navigating Our Future: Steered By Teachers; Anchored In Relationships; Propelled By AI

This year's theme frames the future of education as a shared journey where:

- *Teachers steer direction and remain the learning architects*
- *Relationships anchor learning and sustain belonging and wellbeing*
- *AI propels productivity while protecting professionalism, trust, and integrity*

There are four thematic tracks:

- 1. The Helm:** Teacher-Led Pedagogy & Learning Design
- 2. The Anchor:** Relationships, Belonging & wellbeing in an AI age
- 3. The Engine Room:** Teacher Workflows, Professional Agency & AI Productivity
- 4. The Compass:** Values, Ethics, Governance & Assessment Integrity



5. Convention Programme

Pre-Convention Seminar Programme

Day 1: Thursday, 22 October 2026
13:00 -17:00hrs

Day 2: Friday, 23 October 2026
8:00 – 12:00hrs

18:00 – 21:30hr; STU 80th Anniversary Dinner
cum 40th ACT+1 Welcome Dinner

Convention Seminar Programme

Day 1: Saturday, 24 October 2026
8:00 – 16:20hrs
18:00 – 21:30; Friendship Night

Day 2: Sunday, 25 October 2026
08:00 – 12:00hrs

*Scan here for the
ACT+1 Convention programme
details via STU Website*





Concurrent Sessions Allocation (25 October 2026)

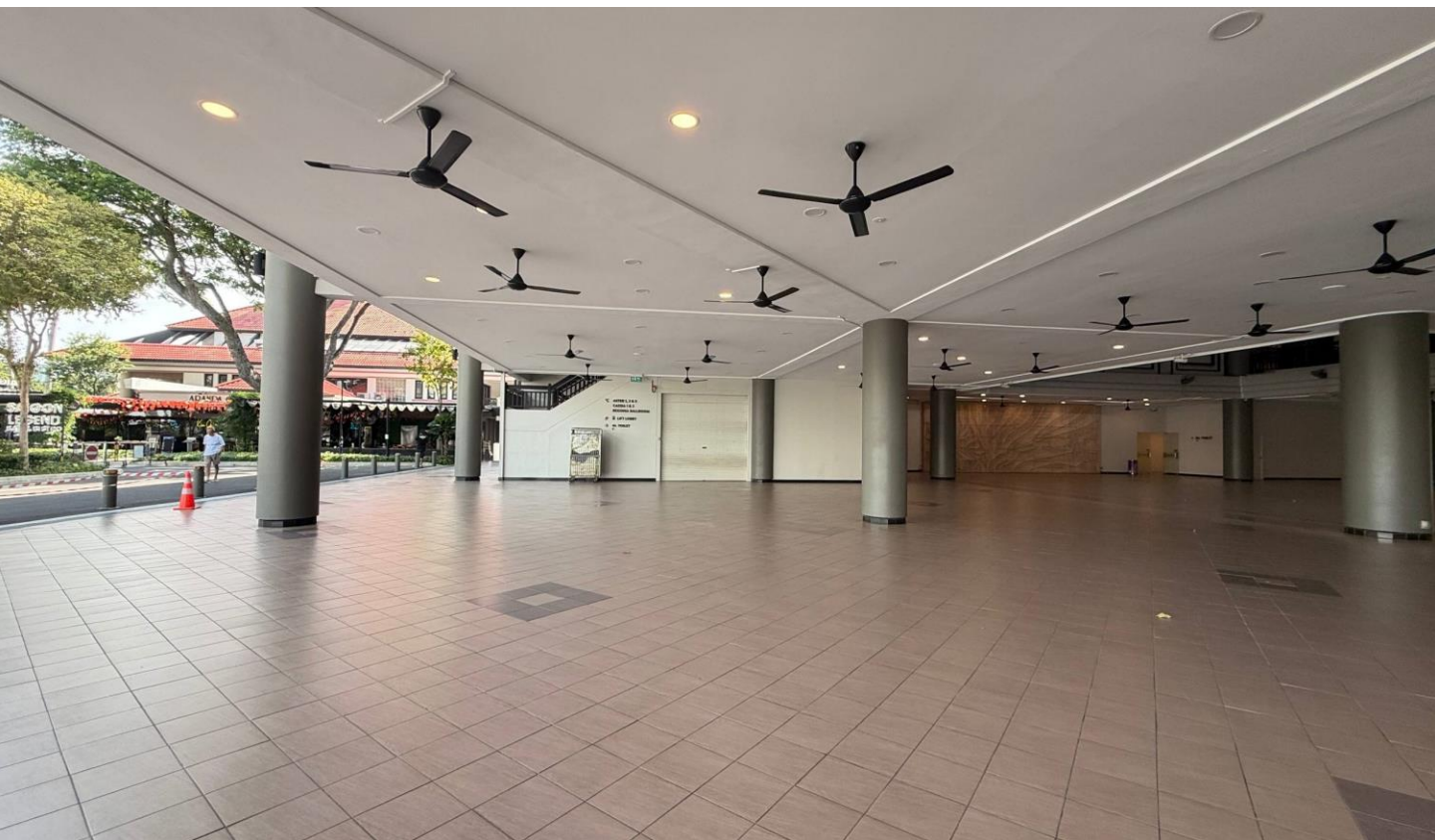
Please assign delegates according to the room allocation provided, as each room has limited capacity.

Country	No. of Pax	Track 1: Cassia 1	Track 2: D'Marquee	Track 3: Cassia 2	Track 4: Aster 1 & 2
Brunei	19	5	5	5	4
Cambodia	4	1	1	1	1
Indonesia	63	16	16	16	15
Malaysia	104	26	27	26	25
Philippines	419	107	185	109	18
Republic of Korea	18	5	5	4	4
Thailand	109	27	28	27	27
Vietnam	19	5	5	5	4



6. Registration and Convention Kit

Registration/Collection Venue: Begonia Terrace



Pre-Convention:

Assign an appropriate number of POC(s) to collect the items on behalf of your delegation attending the **Pre-Convention**.

Convention:

Assign an appropriate number of POC(s) based on your delegation size to facilitate collection on behalf of your delegates attending the **Convention**.

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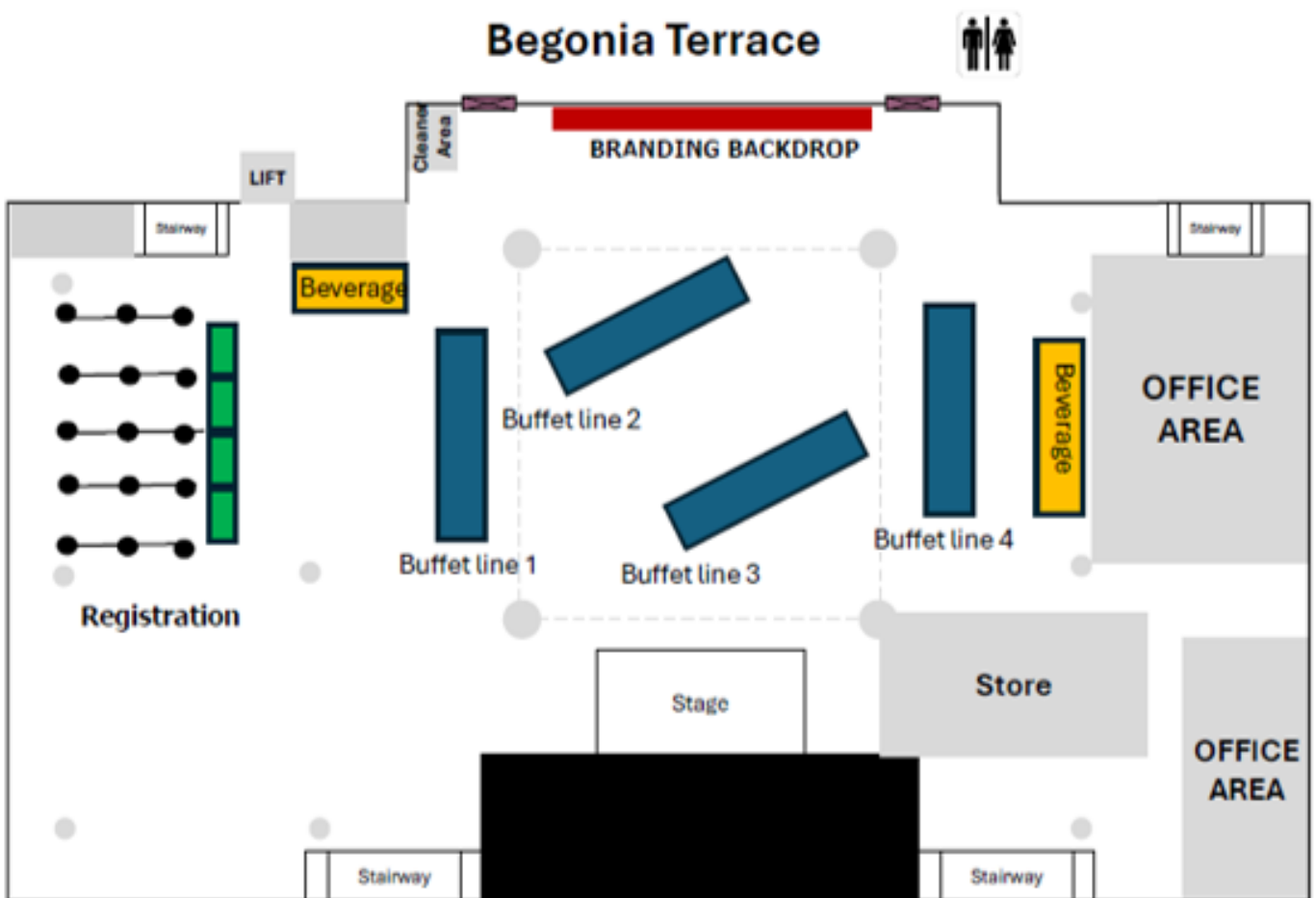


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22 – 25 October 2026, D'Marquee, Singapore



*Please note that **breakfast buffet for 24 & 25 October** is only available for foreign delegates staying in D'Resort.





7. Venue Guide

Downtown East Digital Map:

<https://downtown-east-mobile.web.app/>



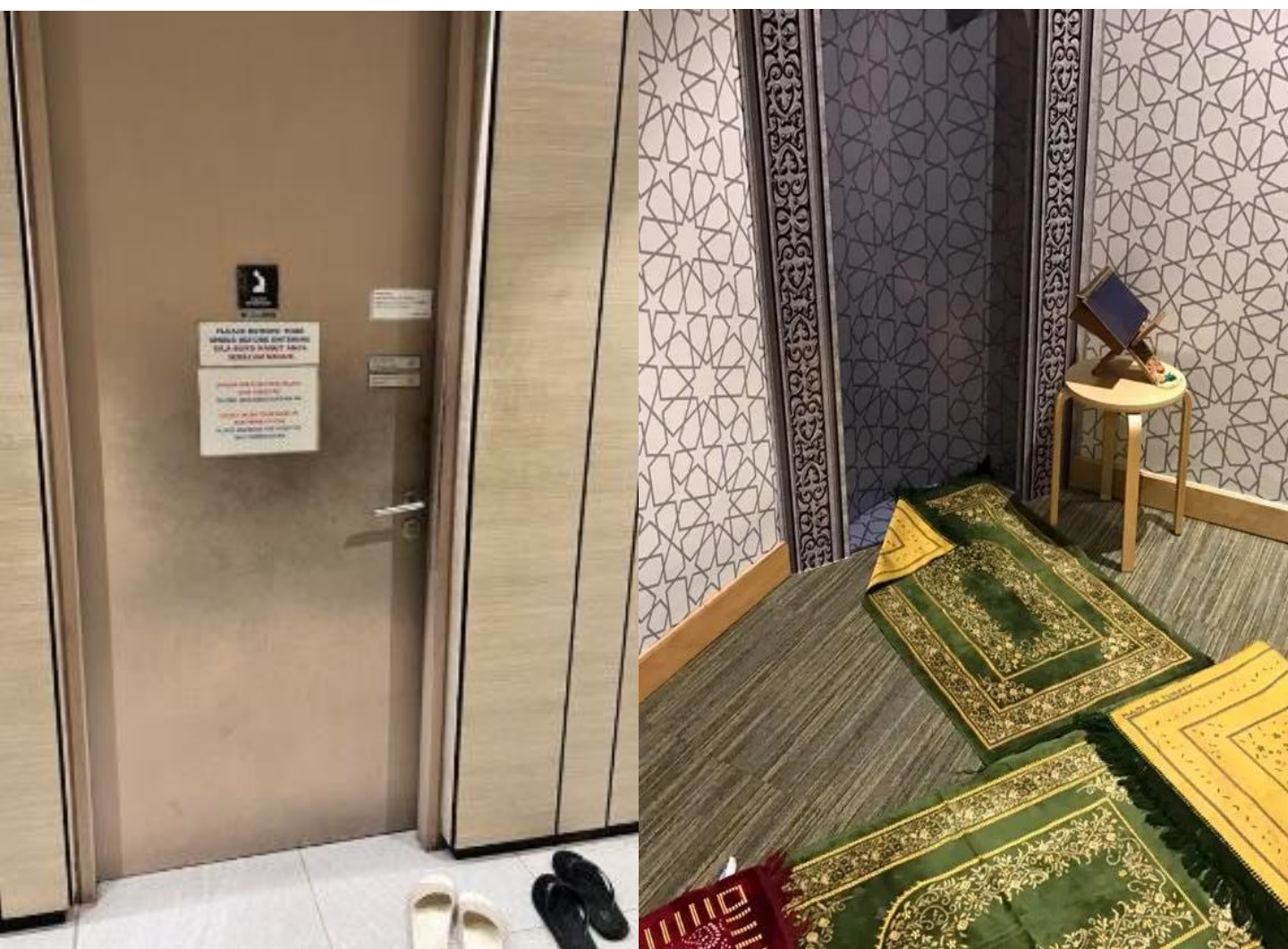


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Prayer Room

There is a dedicated Muslim Prayer Room (Musollah) located within Downtown East E!Hub building. It is conveniently beside McDonalds on Level 1, right next to the escalator.

The space is open 24 hours daily.





7. Venue Guide

Nearby Halal food options

The Downtown East area offers a variety of halal-certified and Muslim-friendly dining options.

Within Downtown East E!Hub mall, 5 mins walk from Begonia Terrace & D'Resort:

Fast Food & Burger:

- *KFC, McDonald's, Texas Chicken, Sloppy Shack*

Western & Casual Dining:

- *ANDES by ASTONS, Swensen's, Delifrance, Subway, Now Pizza, Pizza Hut*

Japanese Cuisine:

- *Hei Sushi, Eminami*

Korean & Asian Fusion:

- *D'Penyetz, D'Bakmie & D'Cendol*

Thai Cuisine:

- *Sakon Thai*

Chinese Cuisine & Hotpot:

- *HaHa Hotpot, Tongue Tip Lanzhou Beef Noodles*

Malay, Indonesian & Local Cuisine

- *Campur Nasi Padang, Crave Nasi Lemak, Springleaf Prata Place, Tip Top Curry Puff*

Cafe, Coffee & Beverages:

- *Killiney Kopitiam, Kopifellas, The Coffee Bean & Tea Leaf*



8. Wi-Fi Access

Complimentary Wi-Fi is available at the convention venue, D'Resort accommodation and Changi Airport.

Convention Venue Wi-Fi

Delegates may connect to the venue Wi-Fi using the following details:

- Network ID: Events
- Password: downtowneast

Mobile Connectivity

For reliable internet access, delegates may wish to activate international roaming services; or purchase a local SIM card or eSIM upon arrival at the airport (located within the arrival halls).



9. Singapore Essential Information

Singapore is a multicultural city-state. You are encouraged to respect local laws, customs and community norms during your stay.

Smoking:

- *Smoking is prohibited indoors, public transport facilities and many outdoor public spaces*
- *Smoking is permitted only in designated smoking areas and offenders may be subject to fines.*

Vaping:

- *Vaping is strictly prohibited in Singapore.*

Controlled and Prohibited Items:

Singapore maintains strict regulations on certain controlled and prohibited items. Visitors should ensure they comply with Singapore's customs and immigration requirements.

Others:

- *Tap water in Singapore is safe to drink. Stay hydrated!*
- *Credit cards and contactless payments are commonly accepted. You may use contactless credit and debit cards, Apple/Google/Samsung pay on public transport.*



9. Singapore Essential Information

Shopping & Essentials near D'Resort:

1. Downtown East

Walking distance from D'Resort and Begonia Terrace. Operating hours from 10am to 10pm.

2. White Sands Shopping Centre

10-15mins walk, 5mins by bus.
Opening hours from 10am to 10pm.

3. Jewel Changi Airport

(HSBC Rain Vortex, Shiseido Forest Valley, Canopy Park attractions)

15mins by taxi, open 24 hours daily. Most retail shops and restaurants opening hours are from 10am to 10pm.

You may enjoy early check-in and baggage drop at Jewel for participating airlines. Do check if these services are available prior to travelling. Jewel is connected directly by T1, and accessible via link bridges to T2 and T3. Complimentary shuttle bus service are available between T4 and Jewel.



10. Country Point of Contact (POC) Information

For urgent matters or emergencies, Country POCs may contact STU directly via the WhatsApp group.

Country	Point of Contact (POC)
Brunei	Hj Yahya Hj Mirasan
Cambodia	Siv SamOeun
Indonesia	Tya
Malaysia	Nabil
Philippines	Maria Leda Balbas
South Korea	You-Kyeong Irene Jang
Thailand	Phattira Rungthi
Vietnam	Ha Viet



11. Embassy Contact List:

Please contact your Embassy or High Commission in Singapore for lost passport, travel document issues or other consular emergencies.

Country	Contact
Brunei High Commission of Brunei Darussalam	+65 6733 9055
Cambodia Royal Embassy of Cambodia	+65 6341 9785
Indonesia Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia	+65 6737 7422
Malaysia High Commission of Malaysia	+65 6235 0111
Philippines Embassy of the Republic of the Philippines	+65 6737 3977
Thailand Royal Thai Embassy	+65 6737 2475/ +65 67372476
Vietnam Embassy of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam	+65 8725 9062
Republic of Korea Embassy of the Republic of Korea	+65 6256 1188/ +65 6258 0789



12. Emergency and Safety Information

Should you require non-emergency medical attention, you may visit Raffles Medical (Changi Airport Terminal 3), which operates 24 hours daily.

For serious or life-threatening emergencies, please call **995** immediately or proceed to **Changi General Hospital**.

Medical Assistance:

- **Changi General Hospital (CGH)**
2 Simei Street 3, Singapore 529889 (open 24hrs)
- **Raffles Medical GP Clinic**
Changi Airport Terminal 3, 65 Airport Boulevard,
Terminal 3, Departure Transit Area North, (S)819663

Medical Emergency services:

 **Ambulance: 995**

Police Assistance:

 **Police Emergency: 999**

 **Police Hotline: 1800 255 0000**

Fire and Rescue:

 **Singapore Civil Defence Force (SCDF): 995**