

Primary 3 Social Studies Curriculum Information



Content





Social Studies seeks to create unforgettable and engaging learning experiences with rich resources to help students make meaning in their lives as children, Singaporeans, members of society and the World.





Objectives

Social Studies seeks to:



inculcate in students a deeper understanding of the values that define the Singapore society

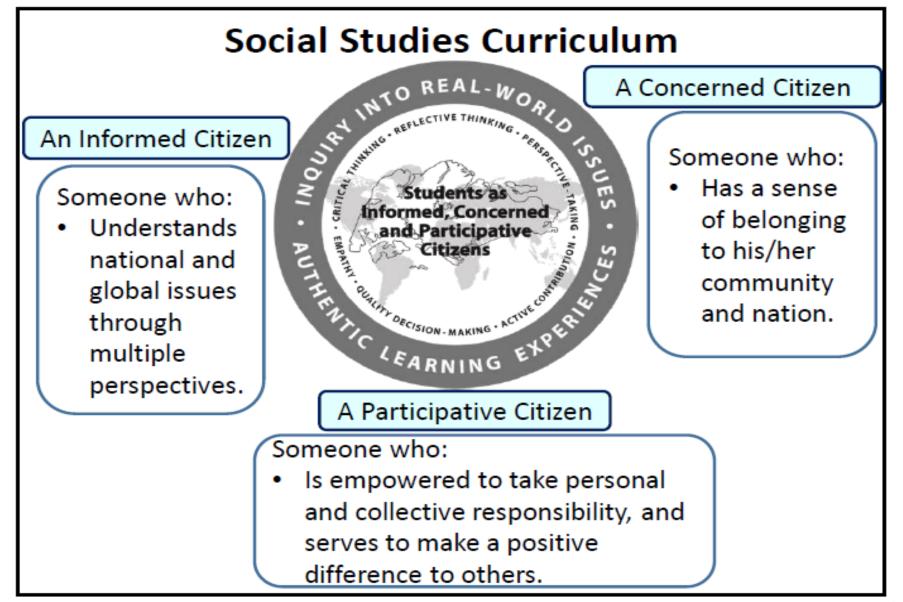


nurture dispositions that will inspire students to show concern for the society and the world in which they live help students demonstrate empathy in their relationships with others





Overview of Curriculum





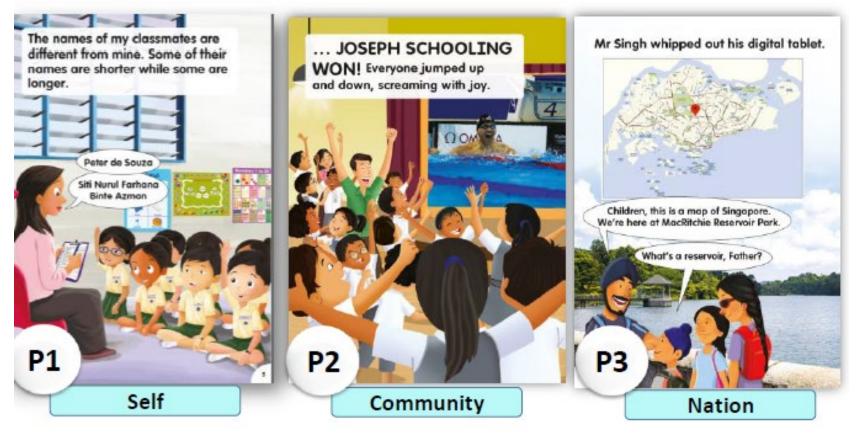
- Use of Inquiry Focus Questions and Guiding Questions
 - ➢ P3 Inquiry Focus: What is Singapore's environment like and how do we overcome the challenges we face?
- Emphasis on Skills and Values for Citizenship Education
 - ➢ Skills and values are explicitly articulated to give emphasis to the development of a holistic student, well-equipped to play the role of an informed, concerned and participative citizen.



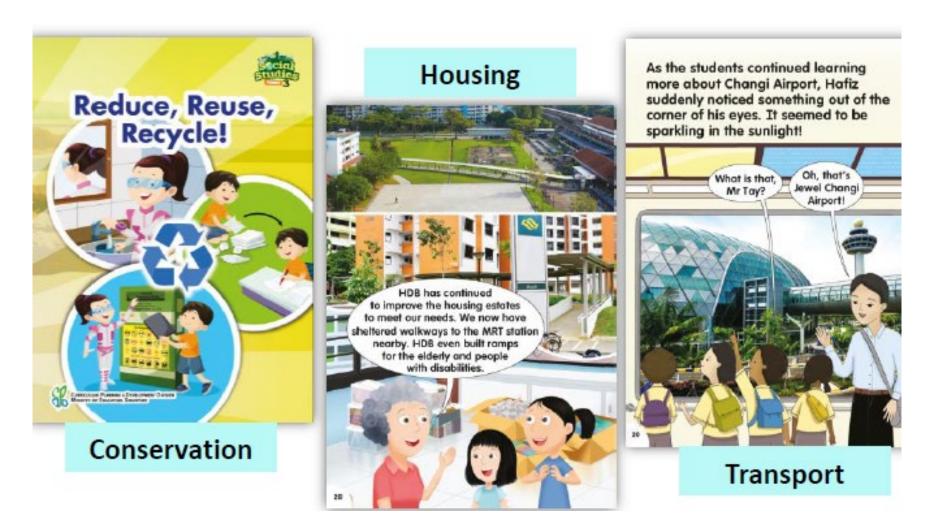
Pedagogical Approaches

P1 to P3 Big Books

- Spiral approach in learning *retained*
- Stories with localised content which highlight key SS concepts









Digital Books

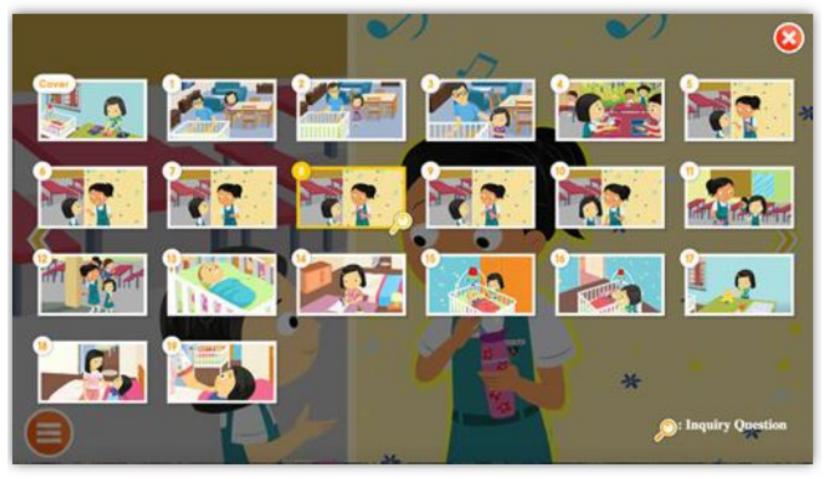
Accessible to students for independent reading





Digital Books

Inclusion of inquiry hotspots

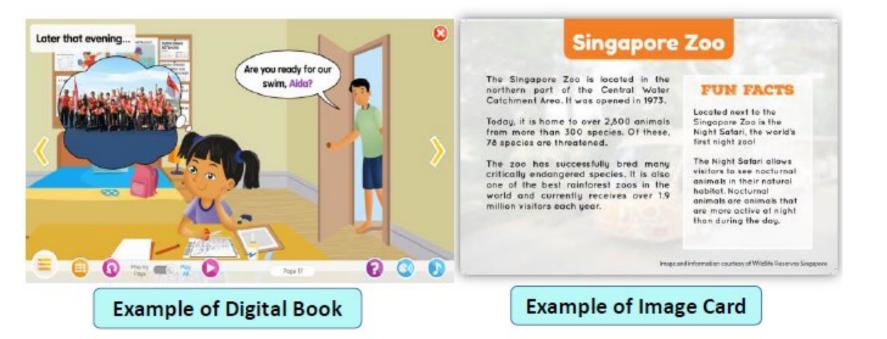




Digital and Tactile Resources

- A variety of tactile resources *retained*
- Digital books with enhanced features
- Complementary SLS lessons and digital resources

improved





Assessment Modes

Teachers will monitor students' progress through teaching and learning in the classroom. Non-weighted assessments will be utilised to support students' learning, gauge their progress and address learning gaps. Written tasks and oral presentations serve as checkpoints to allow teachers to gather information about students' learning.



 Field based Learning Journey to the Peranakan Museum as part of our efforts to help our students to understand the diverse cultures of Singaporeans.







