



### SOTA HOMESCHOOLS IN SINGAPORE

For more than 45 years, School of Tomorrow® (A.C.E.®) has met the academic and spiritual needs of children in over 140 countries through Christian Education. Children are given an education that provides Biblical principles with Scripture, academic excellence, character training, and spiritual growth. The program helps parents provide Godly character training through individualized, self-instructional, and mastery-based curriculum. Children become self-motivated, responsible, and mindful of their walk with the Lord. The program creates a Biblical foundation that will prepare your child for the world today, while providing the tools necessary to succeed in the future.

Parents can now begin their homeschool journey by enrolling their children with any of the 2 approved Learning Centers:

1) **Victory Life Christian School (VLCS)**

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**Website:** [www.victorylifechristianschool.com](http://www.victorylifechristianschool.com)

2) **Heritage Learning Centre (HLC)** for those on the ICCE track

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#### **How to start a home school:**

**Step 1:** For Singapore citizens, apply to M.O.E. for exemption if your child is 7-16 years old (under Compulsory Education Act).

**Step 2:** Register your homeschool with VLCS or HLC by downloading an application form from our websites. Arrange for an interview with the school. Please bring along completed application form and required documents for the interview, and a Homeschool Starter Pack will be given upon successful registration.



Fees to be paid to the homeschool service center:

<b>One-time application fee</b>	S\$100 per child		Upon enrolment
<b>Annual enrolment fees per child<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Grade K-7</b>	<b>Grade 8-12</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
First child	S\$1,000	S\$1,200	Refers to oldest child
Siblings Discounted rate per child	S\$800	S\$1,000	Refers to each sibling enrolled
<b>Administrative Fee</b>	S\$600	S\$600	
<b>Annual Advance for curriculum<sup>2</sup></b>	S\$1,200	S\$1,500	
<b>ICCE Annual Administration Fee<sup>3</sup></b>	NA	S\$400	Only for homeschoolers on the ICCE track registered with HLC

<sup>1</sup>Annual fees are charged per academic year (VLCS: 1 July-30 June; HLC: 1 Jan-31Dec). Homeschool families enrolling within the second half of the school year will be charged 50% of annual fees. All fees, except curriculum advance, charged by VLCS are subject to 7% GST.

<sup>2</sup>Cost of curriculum: Please refer to A.C.E. Homeschool Catalog. Prices in USD plus 30% freight and handling are charged at fixed quarterly rates of exchange set by the school; self-collection applies.

<sup>3</sup>ICCE fees are applicable only to HLC which supports homeschoolers on the ICCE track. Actual ICCE registration & certificate fees not included.

### Benefits of registering with us:

1. Assistance in starting up, ordering PACEs and record keeping. Annual enrolment includes provision of Homeschool Starter Kit, On-line Diagnostic Testing & conference, Parent Orientation, curriculum procurement, academic advice, verification of students' records & PACE tests, home visits, permanent records safe-keeping and monitoring of the quality of home education to ensure that students' academic progress is on track.
2. Involvement in school activities such as sports events & competitions, special occasions and events, annual graduation celebrations, field trips, in-house training for student conventions, CCAs (not including fees paid to outsourced coaching), to allow social interaction with other home educators/full-time students to develop the God-given talents and giftings of your child.
3. The opportunity to receive graduation certificates when your child attends at least 1 year full-time school and meets all requirements of the American High School Diploma.

All these aspects make it possible for parents to home school with confidence, knowing that they are part of a support structure that has the best interests of their children at heart.

Graduates, not on the ICCE track, applying for tertiary education may take the SAT (Scholastic Aptitude Test) which is designed to measure a student's academic ability. Students can log on to [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com). Please be advised to register well in advance.

*Luke 1:17 – "To turn the hearts of the fathers to the children, and the disobedient to the wisdom of the just, to make ready a people prepared for the LORD."*