



## Year 1 Direct School Admissions (DSA-Sec)

### Leadership and Character

### RI Leadership & Character Selection Criteria

We are looking for students with **exemplary** character and **outstanding** personal qualities through their behaviour and actions as evidenced in any or all of the following:

- ▶ Resilience in the face of challenges or adversity (e.g. a student who overcame challenges and difficulties in his school/home life).
- ▶ Key leadership qualities (e.g. leadership position in CCAs/leadership boards).
- ▶ Commitment to service to the community (e.g. a student with a strong understanding/appreciation of and sustained service to a specific community).

### 2025 Schedule

MOE DSA-Sec application period starts	07 May 2025 (Wed)
MOE DSA-Sec application period ends	03 June 2025 (Tue)
RI will send an email with link for all applicants to submit their personal statement online	02 Jul 2025 (Wed)
Closing date for online submission of <b>personal statement</b>	08 Jul 2025 (Tue), by 8.00am
Announcement of shortlisted applicants for DSA L&C Interview (All applicants, including unsuccessful ones, will be notified)	30 Jul 2025 (Wed)
DSA L&C <b>Interview &amp; Selection Activity</b> (for shortlisted applicants only)	05 - 07 Aug 2025 (Tue - Thu) afternoon
Announcement of the DSA-Sec Results (CO/WL/UNS)	25 Aug (Mon) - 04 Sep 2025 (Thu)

### Important Notes

- ▶ The primary mode of communication is via email. Parents/guardians are reminded to **regularly check both the inbox and junk/spam folders of the email address** provided in the MOE DSA-Sec Portal throughout the DSA period for important updates, announcements, and instructions.
- ▶ Meeting all criteria does not guarantee the student will be shortlisted or given an offer.
- ▶ We will not disclose details of the DSA-Sec selection process or interviews, and reserve the right to neither discuss nor disclose reasons for non-selection.
- ▶ For any further enquiries, please email to [admissions@ri.edu.sg](mailto:admissions@ri.edu.sg).