

Dear Parents,

As part of our Middle School Service as Action program, this semester we have partnered with [Hagar International](#) to both raise awareness of gender equality and to collect used clothing to help fund Hagar's social and educational initiatives. The mission of Hagar is to "restore to wholeness the lives of women and children who have been torn apart by human rights abuse." and to improve the lives of those most disadvantaged.

We will come together to support the [UN Sustainable Development Goal #5 Gender Equality](#) in our end of year (Wednesday, June 8th) event where students will collaborate in an AMAZING RACE inter-house competition which will include a number of physical/ intellectual/SG 50 Jubilee challenges throughout the route.

We will begin our Amazing Race from the Marina Barrage with many stops enroute until we return to our MS campus at the end of the school day. The route will be about 7.5 KM in length but we will be stopping at the Esplanade Outdoor Theatre for our snack and Fort Canning for lunch. Please see the map below to learn more about our route.

We would like to make this activity as sustainable as possible. Students are encouraged to bring only recyclable items.

To enjoy and maximise the day, the students should bring:

- One reusable water bottle (water is available on the route)
- Money- \$10 maximum
- MRT Card- just in case we need public transport
- Hat AND umbrella
- School uniform or PE kit suitable to walk 7 km
- Closed toe shoes (no flip flops/ beach thongs etc)
- Food for lunch
- Snacks for along the way
- Light bag/day pack
- Rain gear

Parents are most welcome to join us on this day of fun and learning. If you have any questions, please feel free to email- mtaylor@iss.edu.sg

Event: End of year Amazing Race

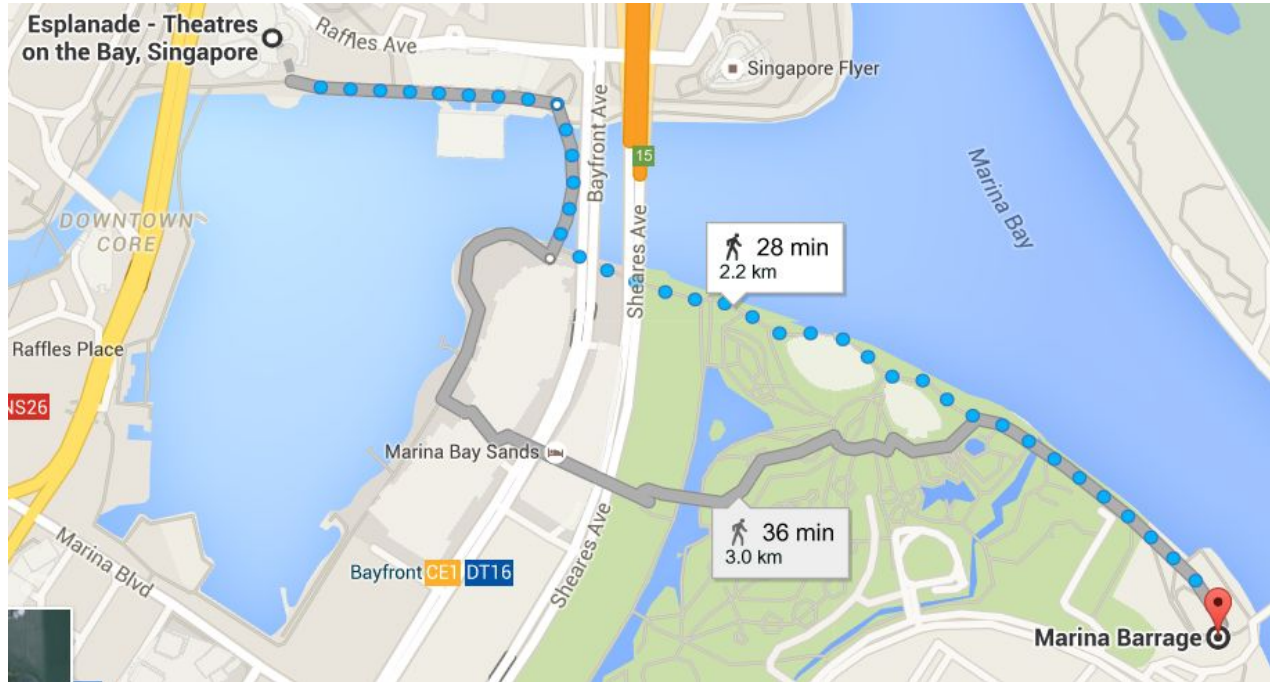
Date: 8 June, 2016

Departure: ISS Paterson by bus after Homeroom (08:30)

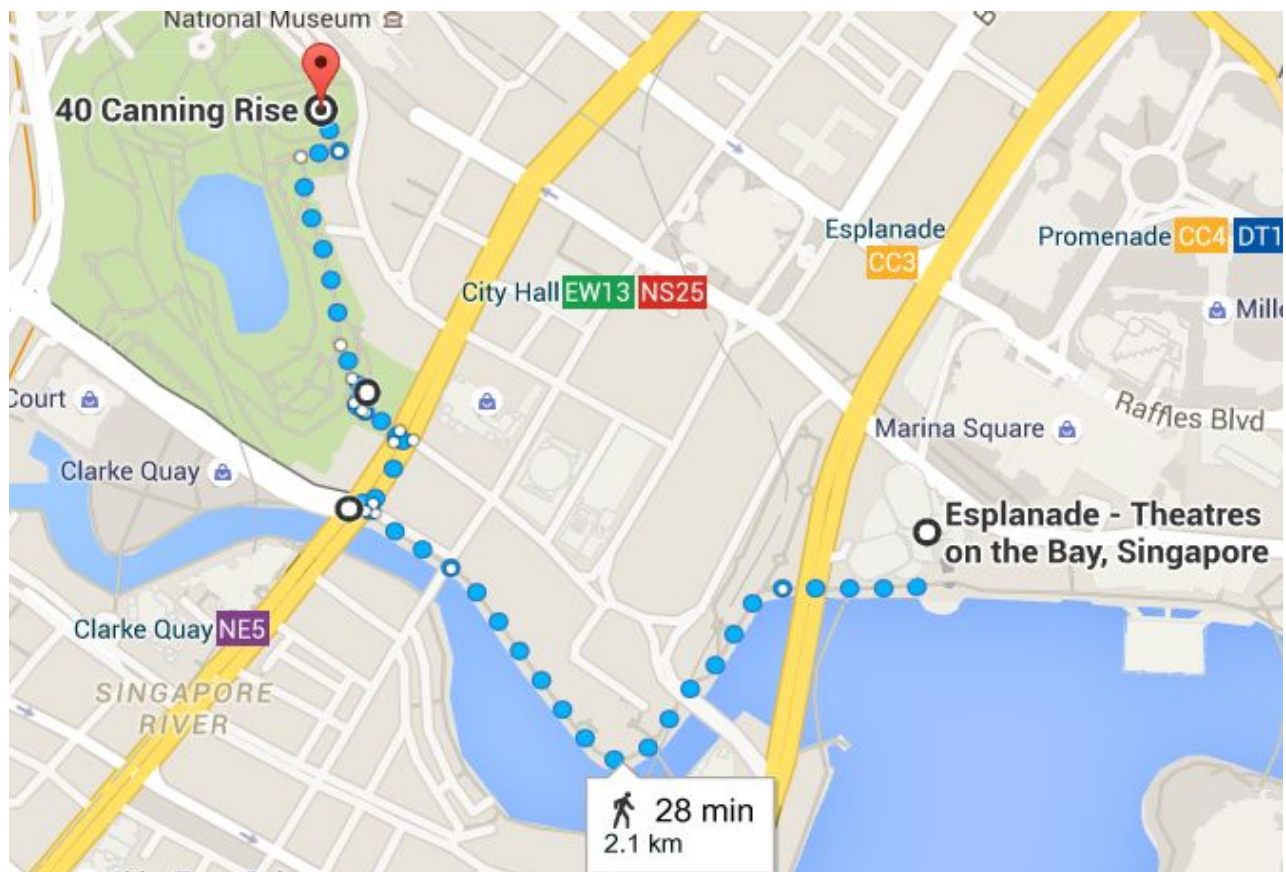
Return: ISS Paterson by foot in time for school finish (14:25)



STAGE ONE (2.2 KM)



STAGE TWO (2.1 KM)



STAGE THREE (3 to 3.5 KM)

