

HC-APYLS 2019 Cultural Exhibition

Dear Delegates,

The following document is regarding the preparatory work for the Cultural Exhibition segment, which will be held on **Wednesday 24 July 2019**, the fourth day of the summit.

As each country will be allocated a booth, schools of the same country will have to collaborate with one another for the exhibition. Do communicate with the delegates from other schools to come up with a unified and well-planned exhibition.

Below are the guidelines for the exhibition. Please complete the Logistics List (Refer to **Appendix A**) and Summary of Content (Refer to **Appendix B**), and send the completed documents together in 1 email, to apyls@hci.edu.sg with the subject title “[Country Name]_Cultural Exhibition Documents” by **Sunday 30 June 2019 (SGT)**. Please use the following document titles “[Country Name]_Cultural Exhibition Logistics List” and “[Country Name]_Cultural Exhibition Summary of Content” for your respective documents when submitting.

Should you have any queries, please email them to apyls@hci.edu.sg with the subject title “Cultural Exhibition Queries”. We would be glad to address them.

Thank you!

Best Regards,

Student Organising Team

13th Hwa Chong Asia-Pacific Young Leaders Summit (HC-APYLS) 2019

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Cultural Exhibition

The Cultural Exhibition is an essential and exciting component of HC-APYLS that allows each country to showcase their unique culture and traditions.

Objectives of the **Cultural Exhibition**:

1. To promote appreciation and understanding of the diversity of cultures among delegates and students of Hwa Chong Institution (College Section).
2. To provide a platform for delegates to showcase and share with their fellow delegates the unique aspects of their culture.

Actions to be taken

One representative from each country is required to send in a Logistics List (Refer to **Appendix A**) for their Cultural Exhibition, and a Summary of Content (Refer to **Appendix B**) to apyls@hci.edu.sg.

Please pack your materials for Cultural Exhibition **separately** (preferably in a box) from the rest of your luggage and hand them over to the Cultural Exhibition ICs (Bridget Zhang, Cleavant Fong, Jasper Soh) on **Day 0 of the summit during registration**.

General Details

Delegates will be provided with the following materials for the Cultural Exhibition:

1. Display Panel: 1m wide x 2.25m tall (3.28ft wide x 7.38ft tall)
2. Table: 0.61m x 1.83m (2ft x 6ft)

The exhibition will last about 2 hours.

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Guidelines for Exhibition Content

1. The content of exhibition should reflect the stories, culture, identity and pride of the delegate's country.
2. Delegates are highly encouraged to think of creative ways to showcase your culture, using personal stories and props.
3. Delegates may consider including infographics, traditional musical instruments, traditional costumes, traditional games, country flags or teaching of simple phrases in local languages in your exhibition.
4. Feel free to bring along food items for your exhibition but bear in mind that certain food items might not be suitable for delegates of some countries and cultures. Perishable food items are not encouraged as the cultural exhibition will only be held on Day 4 of the Summit.
5. Should delegates wish to give out any souvenirs, brochures or food samples, a suitable quantity should be prepared as Hwa Chong Institution (College Section) students will also be participating in the exhibition. Do gauge carefully, any leftovers are to be kept by the end of the Cultural Exhibition, not thrown away.
6. Delegates are reminded to be mindful of the environment in their choice of materials to be used for the exhibition.
7. Do take note to avoid any comments that could be racially, socially or politically offensive to any country or culture.

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Sample of Exhibition Setup



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Appendix A: Logistics List

1. Logistics to be brought by delegates

Please list **all** logistics that will be used (including costumes and food items). Do take note that sharp objects, liquids and aerosols are to be avoided as they might cause complications when entering Singapore. For more information, please visit this website <http://www.changiairport.com/en/passenger-guide/departing.html> for information on restricted items.

Logistics	Quantity	Remarks

2. Logistics Required

The HC-APYLS Organising Team will be providing every country with a list of basic materials that might be useful for your exhibition. Please indicate the quantity of materials required should you need any.

Logistics	Quantity Required
Tablecloths (x2)	
Toothpicks (1 box)	
Paper Plates (x30)	
Paper Cups (x30)	
Masking Tape (1 roll)	
Blue Tack (1 packet)	
Writing Materials (Pen and Paper) (x10)	
Scissors (x2)	
Markers (x3)	

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3. Other Logistics

Please include logistics not found under **Section 2 Logistics Required** that may be required from the Organising Team. Do note that the Organising Team may not be able to provide all logistics that you have indicated, and materials listed here will only be provided on a case-by-case basis.

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Appendix B: Summary of Content

1. Write Up of Content to be shared during the Cultural Exhibition

Do a short write-up (in point form), of the main content that you will be sharing during the Cultural Exhibition. Apart from shedding light on your culture, you should attempt to give some local context/background information about your country that is relevant to the strand topics. You may wish to share your answers to the guiding questions below, so as to bring more life and a personal voice to your sharings.

2. Quiz Booth Facts

Please also provide *three interesting facts* about your country. They will be used as part of a quiz booth set up by the organising team during the cultural exhibition, where delegates and students of Hwa Chong Institution (College Section) can win small prizes.

Example of Write-Up: Singapore

Focus 1: Foods

- Diversity in Foods - Chinese, Malay, Indian, Western
- Common Foods/Favourites of Singaporeans

Focus 2: Games

- Childhood Games
- Cultural Games

Focus 3: Education

- Primary
- Secondary
- Junior College / Polytechnic
- University

Guiding Questions

- A. What is your favourite part of your country/culture?
- B. What is your favourite Day/Festival in your country?
- C. What is one thing you hope will never change about your country/culture?
- D. What is one national/cultural value that you personally resonate with?