

ANDERSON SECONDARY SCHOOL
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Secondary Four Express



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GEOGRAPHY

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Paper 1

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1 hour 45 minutes

0800 - 0945

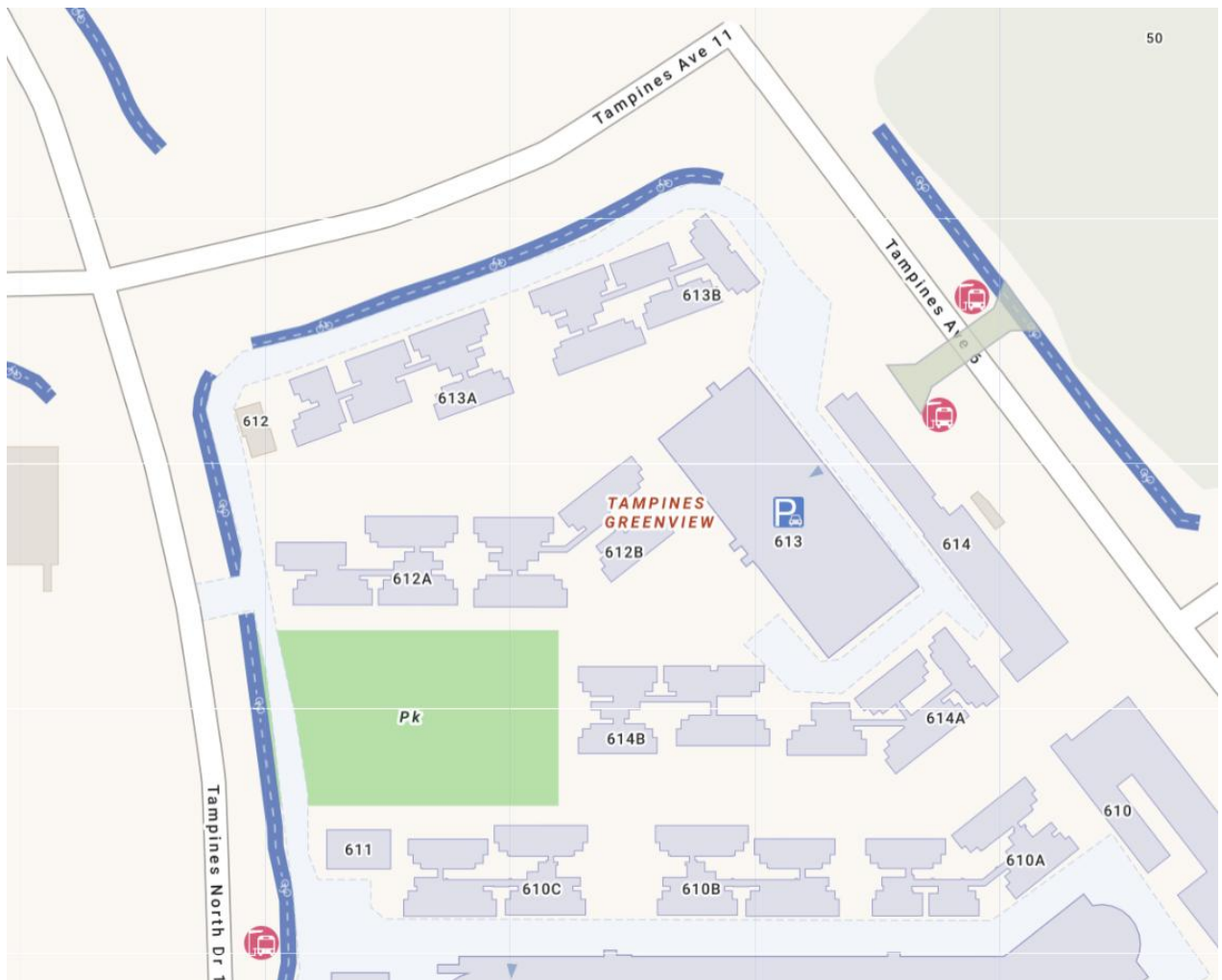
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READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

This insert contains additional resources referred to in the questions.

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Fig. 1.2 for Question 1
Map of Tampines Greenview



Legend:



Bus Stop



Park



Carpark



HDB block

Fig. 1.3 for Question 1

Questionnaire survey designed by the students

How do residents use community gardens?							
Good afternoon Sir/Madam, We are students from Anderson Secondary School investigating the importance of community gardens in promoting sustainable living in Singapore. Could we ask you a few questions?							
1. (Please tick ONE box) <table border="1" style="margin-top: 10px; width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2" style="text-align: center; padding: 2px;">Gender</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 2px;">Male</td> <td style="width: 50%;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">Female</td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Gender		Male		Female		2. How old are you?
Gender							
Male							
Female							
3. On a scale of 1 to 5 (1 being not familiar at all and 5 being very familiar), how familiar are you with community gardening initiatives in Singapore (e.g., NParks' Community in Bloom)? (Please tick ONE box)							
☐ 1 (Not familiar at all) ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 (Very familiar)							
4. How often do you participate in community gardening activities in your neighbourhood? (Please tick ONE box)							
☐ Never ☐ Once a month ☐ 2 to 3 times a month ☐ Once a week or more							
5. On a scale of 1 to 5 (1 being strongly agree and 5 being strongly disagree), how far do you agree that community gardening helps to promote sustainable living in Singapore? (Please tick ONE box)							
☐ 1 (Strongly agree) ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 (Strongly disagree)							
6. Explain your answer:							
Thank you for your time.							

Fig. 1.4 for Question 1**Data collected from Question 5 of the questionnaire**

Date:	No. of residents for each score				
	score: 1 (Strongly Agree)	score: 2	score: 3	score: 4	score: 5 (Strongly Disagree)
Monday 06/07/2026	12	14	6	7	10
Wednesday 08/07/2026	14	20	8	11	8

Fig. 1.5 for Question 1**Data collected from Question 6 of the questionnaire**

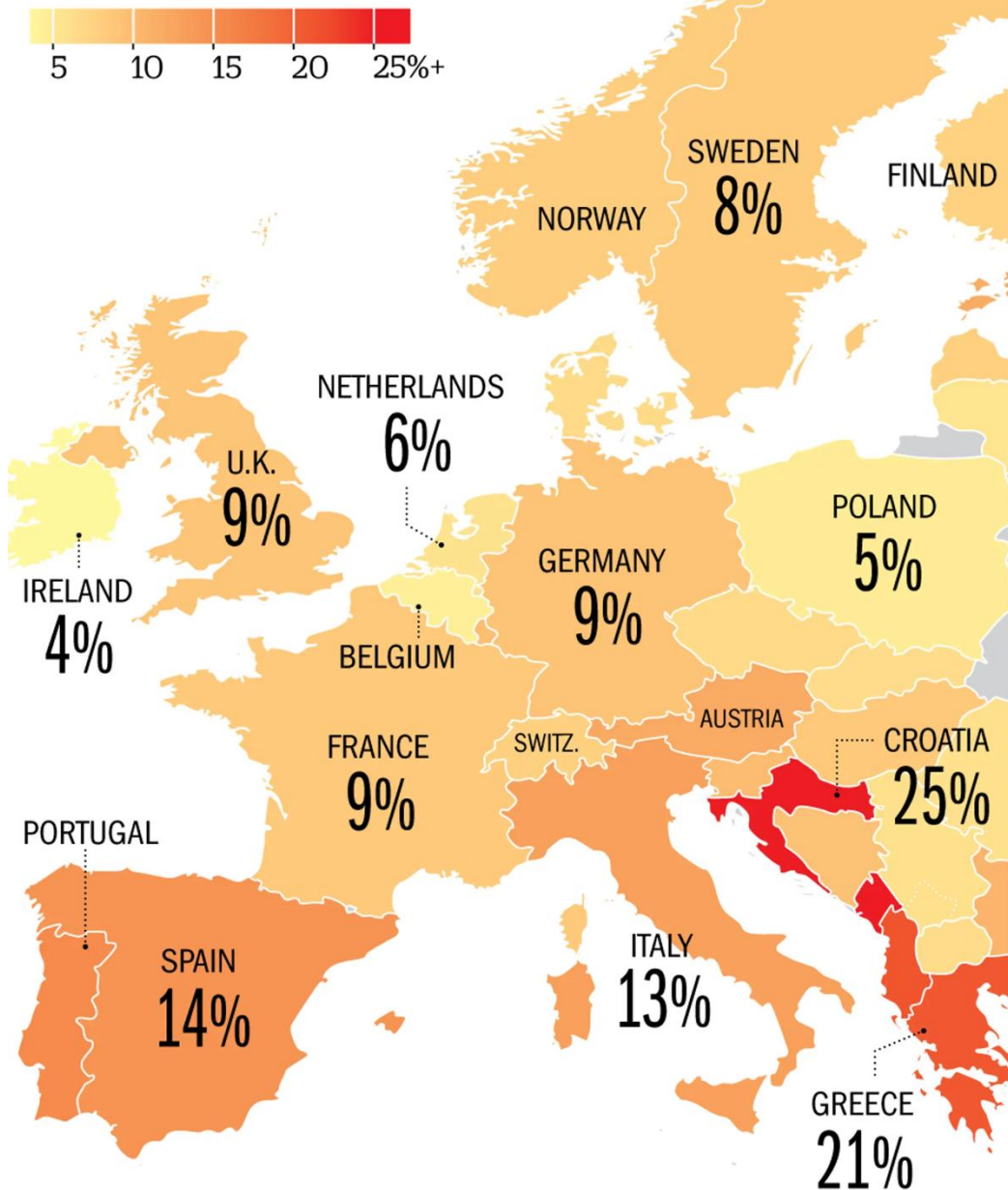
Resident	Score for Q5	Response for Q6
1	2	"Gardening has become an essential part of my weekly routine. I have slowly learnt how to transform my kitchen scraps into nutrient-rich compost, thereby reducing food waste"
2	4	"Instead of promoting social interaction, it sometimes causes friction. A small group of residents often gatekeeps the garden, locking others out and treating it like their private property."
3	2	"It serves as a community hub for sharing eco-friendly tips. I've learned how to properly compost household waste and save seeds collected from my neighbours, which has helped our entire block reduce what we throw away."
4	3	"It transforms dull concrete areas or empty grass patches into productive green spaces."
5	1	"When I get to plant my own food, I learn firsthand about composting, reducing waste. It makes me and the community much more conscious of our environmental footprint."
6	5	"Honestly, I don't think they contribute much. The scale is far too small to make a real dent in Singapore's food sustainability, and it functions more like a hobby club for a select few."
7	1	"Seeing the garden thrive every day reminds me to make more eco-conscious choices in my daily life, like bringing reusable bags to the market."
8	4	"It doesn't. Sometimes I saw the gardens poorly maintained. They attract pests like mosquitoes and rodents. These can become a public health hazard."

Fig. 2.1 for Question 2

Tourism dependence among European countries

Most reliant on tourism

Tourism's direct and indirect impact as a percentage of each country's GDP



SOURCE: WORLD TRAVEL & TOURISM COUNCIL, 2019

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