Helping Workers Stay Employed & Employable

Jobs Support Scheme



- Extension of one month to cover wages in August 2020
- Firms that are not allowed to resume operations will continue to receive 75% wage support until August 2020, or when they can reopen, whichever is earlier
- Increased support for specific sectors from 25%, to 50% or 75%
- Eligible sectors will also receive a top-up to their previous payouts

SG UNITED Jobs and Skills Package



- \$2 billion to create close to 100,000 jobs, traineeships, and training opportunities
 - SGUnited Jobs: 40,000 new jobs, with 15,000 offered by the public sector
 and 25,000 offered by the private sector
 - **SGUnited Traineeships**: **21,000** traineeships to help local first-time jobseekers gain valuable relevant experience in high-demand areas





- SGUnited Skills: 30,000 local jobseekers can upgrade their skills while looking for a job, with training allowance of \$1,200 per month to cover basic expenses
- Enhanced Hiring Incentive of up to \$12,000 per worker, for employers that hire local workers who have completed eligible reskilling and training schemes







Helping Businesses with Cost, Cash Flow, and Credit

Foreign Worker Levy Waiver and Rebate



- For businesses that are unable to resume operations, extension of levy waiver and rebate
 - 100% waiver and \$750 rebate in June 2020
 - **50%** waiver and **\$375** rebate in **July 2020**
- Levy rates will be restored from August 2020 onwards, or when workers are able to work again, whichever is earlier

Expand Rental Relief



- About \$2 billion in cash grants to help SMEs with rental costs
- Landlords will be **mandated** to grant a rental waiver to SME tenants who have suffered a significant revenue drop
- More rental waivers for stallholders in hawker centres and markets, as well as commercial and other non-residential tenants of government properties



Defer Higher CPF Contribution Rates

 Defer the planned increase in CPF contribution rates for senior workers for one year, from 1 January 2021 to 1 January 2022



Financing Support for Promising Startups

• \$285 million to catalyse and crowd in matching private investments, to sustain startup innovation and entrepreneurship activities



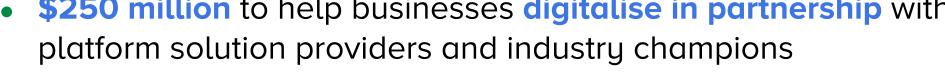




Boosting Transformation to Seize New Opportunities

Sustain Digitalisation Momentum

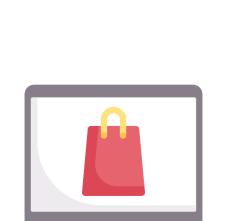
- \$300 per month over five months to encourage adoption of **e-payments** by stallholders of:
 - Hawker centres
 - Wet markets
 - Coffee shops
 - Industrial canteens
- Up to \$5,000 Digital Resilience Bonus payout to help F&B and retail businesses to digitalise with:
 - PayNow Corporate
 - e-invoicing
 - Business process or e-commerce solutions
- Additional tier of \$5,000 for F&B and retail businesses that use advanced solutions
- **\$250** million to help businesses digitalise in partnership with platform solution providers and industry champions





Enable Effective Digital Transformation through Innovation

National Innovation Challenges to encourage partnerships with the private sector for industry-led solutions to re-open Singapore safely









Strengthening Social Resilience



Financial Relief for Workers

 Additional \$800 million for the COVID-19 Support Grant to continue supporting Singaporeans who have lost their jobs, are placed on nopay leave, or are facing significant income loss due to COVID-19



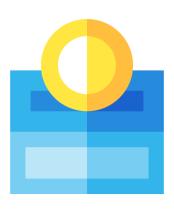
Defray Costs of Staying Home

- One-off \$100 Solidarity Utilities Credit for all households with at least one Singapore Citizen, covering all property types, to be credited in July or August 2020 utilities bills with SP Group
- Comes on top of the Solidarity Payment and Care & Support Package



Foster Digital Inclusion

- Accelerated timeline for all secondary school students to own a digital learning device
- Seniors Go Digital movement to build digital literacy through oneto-one coaching and small-group learning
 - Financial support for lower-income seniors to own devices



Build a Stronger Social Sector

- Dollar-for-dollar matching on eligible donations raised between 1 April 2020 to 31 March 2021 under Tote Board's Enhanced Fund-Raising Programme, capped at \$250,000 matching per charity
- \$18 million top-up to the Invictus Fund to help social service agencies maintain services, retain staff, and adopt technology





