17 March 2012 - SAA-GE Student Welfare led a group of 18 students to explore the Southern Ridges. The walk started at Hort Park where students learned about the efforts taken by Singapore to become a gardening hub through horticulture and public education. From Hort Park, the students carried on to the Forest Walk via the Alexandra Arch Bridge.

Walking through the Forest Walk at eye-level with the forest canopy on the elevated walkway, students got to see varieties of trees, birds and were lucky enough to spot two sparrow nest. Upon completing the Forest Walk brings students to the Hill Top Walk, from the Terrace Garden students were able to get a 360-degree view of Singapore. Moving on students will cross the Henderson Wave; famous for its unique wave like structure, it is the highest pedestrian bridge in Singapore, before reaching Mount Faber.
Mount Faber marks the end of the Southern Ridges walk. Students had an option to hop on to a Cable Car to Harbourfront Centre or follow the Marang Trail down Mount Faber to Harbourfront Station. It was a refreshing trip for most of the students and opens up the option for them to explore some of the other Park Connector Networks around Singapore together with their friends.

Let’s hear from the student:
I would like to thank you and your colleague for taking us to explore "The Southern Ridges" on Saturday morning. From this trip, I learned so much about Singapore, and impressed with all the garden city concepts that developed by this nation and its citizens. I think I need to make few more trips to finish all the parks that are connected in the future. Thank you again for taking time to arrange.
– Tyler Tie (ACCA Student)

It was a good outdoor activity, we get to leave away all our books and notes for at least half day to breathe in fresh air and do some natural walk. :) I like the view of Hort Park; it is really a nice place to hang out with friends and family to relax instead of window shopping in shopping malls. This activity is good for us; we get to explore Singapore as all of us were the first time been there. I like the architecture design of Henderson Waves; I will definitely go again during night time to see all the lights. Thanks for organising this activity, if not we won’t be able to enjoy it and get to know these places.
– Jasmine Neoh (ACCA Student)