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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **EMPOWERMENT PROGRAMME FOR GIRLS (EPG) FRESHWOMAN CAMP The journey towards developing confidence**

Career guidance and mentoring by women professionals – these are the latest additions to the Empowerment Programme for Girls (EPG) to nurture our secondary school girls. Through enriching and developmental activities including various sports and arts interest groups, Yayasan MENDAKI hopes more girls will break out of the cocoon and blossom into women of confidence.

Yayasan MENDAKI will hold our EPG Freshwoman Camp to welcome the new batch of EPG participants this weekend with an interactive lunch session on Sunday afternoon at M2 Academy, Orchard.

The EPG is targeted at Secondary Two Malay girls with the aim of raising their self-esteem and confidence so that they complete secondary school education and chart their tertiary education and career journey.

This Freshwoman Camp is set to build confidence, develop and strengthen skills such as problem solving through the various interactive workshops, and also foster bonds between the girls and their peers.

Dr Yaacob Ibrahim, Minister-in-Charge of Muslim Affairs and Chairman of Yayasan MENDAKI will grace the event as guests of honour.

Details of the Freshwoman Camp are shown below:

Event: **Empowerment Programme for Girls (EPG)  
Freshwoman Camp  
Lunch Session**

Day, Date : **Sunday, 15 March 2015**

Time : **1:00 pm to 2:00 pm**

Venue : **M2 Academy  
Orchard Gateway @ Emerald  
Level 9 Auditorium  
Singapore 238824**