Nanobiotechnology educational kit launched to help students, teachers

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SINGAPORE : Students can soon look forward to getting more help in science lessons.

A new educational kit has been introduced to secondary and junior colleges, and it features interactive experiments and lessons in nanobiotechnology, drug delivery and medical devices.

The kit was shown on Friday to about 400 students and teachers at the Institute of Bioengineering and Nanotechnology's Open House for schools.

It is aimed at students between 15 and 19 years old, and comes with lesson plans, reading materials, laboratory exercises, worksheets and quizzes.

Teachers can get worksheet answers, videos and slides to help them plan classes.

The Institute has been given S$150,000 by the Agency for Science, Technology and Research to produce the kit.

It is also looking for industrial partners to market the product overseas. - CNA/ms
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