

# Elite college to be relocated to Nilai

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## It's part of national blueprint for education

**TAMPIN:** The prestigious Kolej Tunku Kurshiah in Seremban and the English Language Institute in Gombak would be relocated to the new RM1.2bil Education Ministry complex in Nilai.

Education Minister Datuk Seri Hishammuddin Tun Hussien said a branch campus of the Aminuddin Baki Institute would also be built there under the ministry's National Education Blueprint 2006-2010.

"We want to produce teachers who are not only good at teaching but have sound leadership and management skills as well," he told reporters after opening the Tampin Umno Youth, Wanita and Puteri divisions annual general meetings here.

Hishammuddin said the relocation of these institutes, and the main campus of the Teacher Training Institute, would realise the ministry's aim of establishing a centre of excellence for teachers and students.

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well as the realisation of the blueprint. Once the infrastructure is ready, we will review the policies that have been put in place."

Hishammuddin said the projects would begin once the Finance Ministry

has selected the contractors.

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"We will make sure that several contractors are chosen so that work is completed without hitches."

Hishammuddin said the Higher Education Ministry would also be relocated and several institutions of higher learning would be built in the area.

"We have also reserved some space for institutions in the private sector which would like to move there so that we can have a complete centre of excellence."

On a separate matter, Hishammuddin said his counterparts in Asean have agreed to share their expertise in information and communications technology ahead of a meeting to be held next year.

"We have 10,000 schools. We want to learn from them how to link our schools, particularly rural ones, to the best teaching and learning methods."