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Modules such as An Introduction To Language Systems have also enabled Ms Lim to comprehend why her friends from overseas, whose native tongues are not English, face difficulty when learning the language.

“I could understand why they were struggling and explain to them the factors they were not sure of,” she said.

Now in her second year in the part-time programme, Ms Lim hopes to complete her degree within the next two years.

Meanwhile, alumna Jaena Teo is still referring to her textbooks two years after graduating from the Bachelor of Arts in Sociology with Psychology programme at UniSIM.

She enrolled in the part-time programme prior to joining Care Community Services Society as a case worker, helping former offenders transition back into society.

“A module on gerontology proved useful as it allowed her to understand why her elderly parents behave differently as they age.

Gerontology is a branch of science that deals with ageing and problems that the elderly may encounter.

The module “helped me appreciate the changes they are going through... and has further enriched my relationship with them”, said Ms Teo.