# Tsuen Wan Trade Association Primary School

Circular 24-067/L01 31st October, 2024

Dear Parents,

## Circular on School Activities and Special Arrangements for November 2024

In the interest of better home-school cooperation, parents and guardians please pay attention to the following matters coming up in November, 2024.

Dates	Items	Participants
1/11 (Fri)	Understanding Adolescent Project Activity	P5 members
5/11 (Tue) to 8/11 (Fri)	First Term Test/Examination	P3 – P6
6/11, 13/11, 20/11	Parents' Workshop	Enrolled
8/11 (Fri)	Guangdong Intangible Cultural Heritage on Campus: Workshop on Appreciation of Teochew Opera	P6
	Visit the Rise Robotics R&D Centre	Enrolled
	All Hong Kong Schools Badminton Competition	Representatives
14/11 (Thu)	Dental check	4A, 4B, 4C
15/11 (Fri)	School Picnic	All
18/11 (Mon)	Dental check	3B, 3C
19/11 (Tue)	G.S. Outing—Visiting Ho Koon Nature Education cum Astronomical Centre	P6
20/11 (Wed)	Vaccination	P1 & P6
	Dental check	3A, 5A, 5B, 5C
21/11 (Thu)	G.S. Outing—Visiting Tsing Yi Police Station	P2
	Dental check	6A, 6B
22/11(Fri)	Teacher Development Day, no school	All
	Tsing Yi District Primary Schools Table-tennis Competition	Representatives
23/11(Sat)	Robot Programming Competition	Representatives
	Three-player basketball challenge cup	Representatives
	Understanding Adolescent Project (Outing)	P5 members
25/11(Mon)	All students wear their winter uniform	All
	Dental check	2A
28/11 (Thu)	Dental check	2B, 2C
29/11 (Fri)	Parents' Day	All
30/11 to 1/12	Guangdong Enping Aviation Experience Camp	Enrolled

For further information, please email schoolmail@twtaps.edu.hk or call 2497 7911 to contact our Vice Principal, Ms. Ko Ka Foon.

Yours faithfully,

Date:

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Dear Principal,	
I acknowledge the information of the circular.  Parents' remarks (if any) :	·
Student's Name:( )	Parent's Signature:

Class:

### School report, October

#### 1. Teachers' Professional Development

- a. From 23rd to 28th October, the principal participated in a professional exchange tour to celebrate the 75th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China. In addition to visiting Beijing, the tour included a visit to Shenyang City in Liaoning Province. This National Day visit aimed to enhance educators' understanding of the country's history, culture, and latest developments, as well as to promote cooperation among educators from both regions. During the trip, the delegates visited the Liaoning Provincial Experimental School, the "September 18" Historical Museum, the Shenyang Imperial Palace Museum, schools in Beijing, Museum of the Communist Party of China, and the Shijingshan District Planning Exhibition Centre, among other sites.
- b. Mr Wong Chi Wai participated in the "Mainland Study Tours for Newly-Joined Teachers (2024/25) Guangzhou (1)" organized by the Education Bureau. He went to Guangzhou for a four-day study tour starting on 25th September. The itinerary focused on exploring the development of the Greater Bay Area, understanding innovative teaching and technology applications, visiting key schools, attending specialized lectures, and touring high-tech enterprises. The aim was to enhance teaching quality and promote professional development for teachers.
- c. On 14th to 18th October, Ms Kwok Hoi Yan attended the Professional Development Programme for the SENCOs in Ordinary Primary and Secondary Schools (block 1), held by the Research and Development Centre for Integrated and Special Education of the Faculty of Education of the University of Hong Kong. This programme is to understand the latest development of inclusive education and how to implement the "whole-school approach" model of inclusive education.

#### 2. Holistic Development of students

- a. The school participated in the "Inno4life Creative Culture and Technology Innovation Exhibition 2024" held at the Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre from 4th to 6th October. At this event full of creativity and technology, our STEAM student ambassadors showcased various competition projects, including augmented reality designs, metaverse creations, and app development. They also shared engaging classroom learning experiences such as LegoWe2.0 programming and drone programming.
- b. To enhance students' understanding of Chinese culture, the school organized a four-day study tour to Beijing from 17th to 20th October. This trip aimed to deepen students' knowledge of mainland history, culture, and customs, and to strengthen national identity and patriotism. The group of 34 participants watched the flag-raising ceremony at Tiananmen Square, visited their sister school, Beijing Dacheng School, and toured Nanluoguxiang, Wangfujing Street, old hutongs, the Summer Palace, Yuanmingyuan, the Great Wall, the Forbidden City, and the Temple of Heaven. The students gained valuable insights and experiences.
- c. Our school's flag-raising team members, accompanied by teachers, traveled to Shenzhen from 19th to 20th October to participate in the "Hong Kong-Shenzhen Youth Celebration of the 75th Anniversary of the Founding of the People's Republic of China Flag-Raising Ceremony." This event was co-organized by the Hong Kong Flag-raising Association and the Shenzhen Futian District Education Bureau. In addition to attending the solemn flag-raising ceremony, students had the opportunity to engage in exchanges with mainland flag-raising teams. Following the ceremony, they visited the Pengcheng Youth Activity Camp in Shenzhen to participate in military experience activities, gaining valuable insights into military knowledge and experiencing the daily routines of soldiers.
- d. On 19th October, 17 students from our school visited the CMC Resuscitation Training Centre to acquire first aid skills. They learned basic techniques for handling injuries, such as stopping nosebleeds and bandaging wounds on limbs. Students practiced assisting injured individuals by treating wounds, followed by evaluations from the instructor. They also learned CPR, gaining a deeper understanding of how to save individuals experiencing cardiac and respiratory arrest.

- e. On 19th October, students engaged in service learning at the STEAM Day of Creative Kindergarten (Tsing Yi), providing interactive learning activities for the kindergarten students. These included using games designed with App Inventor to learn English and math, exploring the natural world through virtual reality glasses, discovering the world of dinosaurs with augmented reality books, and interacting with AI robots. The kindergarten students were highly enthusiastic.
- f. The English Department organized a series of Halloween activities from October 28 to 31. While learning about Western festivals and culture, students also expanded their English vocabulary and practiced communication skills. On 31st October, students dressed in various costumes and actively participated in the activities, enhancing their interest in learning English and improving their English listening and speaking skills.

#### 3. Home-School Cooperation

- a. To enhance students' interest in reading and boost parents' confidence in storytelling, the school held a storytelling workshop for parents on 4th October. During the workshop, teachers shared tips with parents on how to choose suitable books for their children, guide them into the storyline, and use interactive questions to deepen their understanding of the story. The objective was to not only elevate parents' confidence in storytelling but also to enable them to enjoy the experience of sharing stories with their children.
- b. From 17th to 21st October, our Parent-Teacher Association participated in the "Celebrating the 75th Anniversary of the Founding of the People's Republic of China Floating Colours Carnival" at Sha Tsui Road Playground, Tsuen Wan. The event featured a booth selling ecofriendly bags designed and hand-drawn by students, who also participated in performances. With strong parental support, this activity provided students with valuable service-learning experiences.

#### 4. Students' achievement

a. Fun Fun Arena 2023-2024 Finals

Silver Award in Chinese: 4A TSANG SUM

b. 2024 Hong Kong Creative Writing Competition 2024
 Gold Award in English for Upper Primary: 6A CHAN VERONA EMILY

c. Fun Fun Arena 2023-2024 Finals

Gold Medal in English: 4A TSANG SUM

 d. The 58th GASCA International English Recitation Competition 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner-up: 4A CHAN SUM YI

- e. The third Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area Recitation Competition Gold Award in English Group (Hong Kong & Macau) P.3-P.4: 4A CHAN SUM YI
- f. Chinese International Mathematics Competition 2024 Gold Award in Mathematics: 4A TSANG SUM
- g. Fun Fun Arena 2023-2024 Finals

Bronze Award in Mathematics: 4A TSANG SUM

- h. Kwai Tsing District Visual Arts Competition in the 18 districts of Hong Kong Champion in P.5-P.6 Painting group: 6A CHAN VERONA EMILY
- Tsuen Wan District Visual Arts Competition in the 18 districts of Hong Kong Champion in P.5-P.6 Painting group: 6A CHAN VERONA EMILY
- j. Sha Tin District Visual Arts Competition in the 18 districts of Hong Kong Champion in P.5-P.6 Painting group: 6A CHAN VERONA EMILY
- k. "Joy of Painting" Children & Adolescents Painting Compettion 2024
  Bronze Award in children group: 4A CHEUNG CHIT SHUN
- I. Inter-Primary Schools Relay Invitational of UMCLWL Secondary School

1st Runner-up in Boys: 5A ALVINO BRAVE 6A YEUNG JUAN

6A YIU, XAVIER 6B YANG HAO LONG

2<sup>nd</sup> Runner-up in Girls: 4B NGUYEN DOAN BAO NGUYEN 5A LEE JAE

5B TSUI HEI NGA 6A YEUNG ESME

m. The 11th Kei Nam Cup 5-a-side Football Match

Disc Champion: 4A HUSSAIN ATIF 4B HASSAN ATIF 4C LIU PAK YIN

5A ALVINO BRAVE 5A CHAN LONG KIU 5A CHUNG CHEUK HIN

5A SAMKIL, MIJEL 6A ABBASI, ABDULLAH AZHAR

6A ALI, ISMIAL

n. The 4th Southeast China Sea Youth Cup

Champion: 5A CHUNG CHEUK HIN

o. Little Giants 9-a-side football invitation

1st Runner-up: 5A CHUNG CHEUK HIN

p. The 4th National Day Cup Hong Kong Futsal Competition

Disc Champion: 5A CHUNG CHEUK HIN

The school congratulates the above students who have achieved excellent results. In a flash, half of the first term has passed, and the P.3 to P.5 tests and P.6 exams are coming. Students in P.6 have to study hard to achieve their ideal results. Hence, we hope that all P.6 students will try their best to prepare for the entrance examination of their ideal secondary schools.