

## ST STEPHEN'S COLLEGE Parent-Teacher Association



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## Message from the Principal

Dear parents, students, alumni and friends,

In some quarters, St Stephen's College is called a 'happy school'. This label is usually applied to schools that place a premium on student wellness but (some would say) at the expense of scores and grades. For teenagers, however, the notion of a 'happy school' needs some reimagining. At St Stephen's, we believe that academic attainment and mental well-being are mutually constitutive, that is, one enables the other, and vice versa; by no means are they in opposition to each other.

In the '4Rs Mental Health Charter' launched by the Education Bureau in 2024, schools are encouraged to promote Rest, Relaxation, Relationship and Resilience among students. As a matter of fact, these elements have always been cornerstones of our brand of all-round education. Teachers walk with students in pursuit of academic excellence, but on the journey, we remind them to slow down, take a step back and enjoy the moment. As Principal, I try my best to be a role model in this regard. Work responsibilities never end, but personal wellness should never be compromised. On busy days, I take pleasure in occasional mind-wandering: a simple, healthy breakfast in the morning, a long-awaited concert at weekend, my next overseas trip to a new destination...

One school event that left a particularly strong impression on me is Cheerio, which took place in March on the last teaching day for our S6 graduates. It was a unique sight: our public exam fighters, who were reviewing their performance at the mock and getting final reminders from their teachers, took 30 or 45 minutes out of their busy schedule to enjoy ice cream, egg waffles

Gratitude for simple home breakfast

and cotton candy specifically prepared by the school and the Parent-Teacher Association. Soon they were back in their classrooms and studying hard. Did the treats distract them from exam preparation? No. But did the treats cheer them on? Surely they did. I am very proud to say that the **4Rs** are being realised at St Stephen's thanks to the connectedness of our community.

Yes, we are indeed a 'happy school'. One where students find faith, hope and love in the knowledge that our Lord will lead the way. 'Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths.' (Proverbs 3:5-6)

I wish you all a restful and enjoyable summer.

Warmest, Mrs Julie Ma *Principal* 





## 蘇港澳三地學生文藝展演活動

長卓永興先生及其他嘉賓親臨本校,聯同一百多位分別來自香港、澳門、江蘇省三地的學生,一同見證十間來自三地 的中小學締結成姊妹學校。

在莊嚴的儀式後,三地學生為觀眾呈獻才藝,當中共有十三個表演項目,包括醒獅獻技、傳統中國舞蹈、崑曲、 花式跳繩、情景劇、合唱團演唱、管弦樂團演奏等,充分展現出三地多元文化特色。

而本校的管弦樂團更以柴可夫斯基的F小調第四交響曲將氣氛推至最高峰,讓各嘉賓及觀眾盡興而歸。





政務司副司長卓永興先生致詞

姊妹學校換約儀式



展演活動由本校同學擔任司儀



本校管弦樂團表演



本校附屬小學合唱團表演

## 京港同心 文化共融 北京香港姊妹學校交流團

深化京港教育協作,我校師生代表團於四月十八日至二十二日赴北京開展為期五天的深度交流。活動以「文化溯源 青年共行」為主題,通過學術交流、古跡探索與生活體驗,讓同學親身感悟首都的歷史底蘊與國家發展 脈搏。

我們探訪北京大學,由本校校友周君玥女士帶領各位師弟師妹遊覽北大校園。周校友 於二零一八年在本校畢業後,前往北大就讀經濟系。不同年代的SSCers在北大未名湖畔對 話,感受百年學府的學術精神。同學驚歎於圖書館珍藏的《四庫全書》文獻,理解教育對國 家科技發展的重要性。

「不到長城非好漢」,本校師生登臨古北水鎮及司馬台長城,在雄峻城垣上開展國情教 育課。老師以戍邊歷史為引,闡釋長城作為「中華民族精神象徵」的深層意涵。同學親手觸 摸明代磚石,深刻領會「守護疆土」的安全意識如何熔鑄於民族基因。

本交流團的焦點為「北京市第九中學交流日」,兩校學生「結對學習」,共 上語文科及英語科公開課,透過課堂共學,同學認識到內地教育的模式,更在協 作中建立跨越地域的青年情誼。之後,京港兩地青年共同舉辦「青年論壇」,就 著「人工智能」等議題發表意見,加強兩地青年交流。

此次交流不僅踐行「行萬里路」的教育理念,更以鮮活經驗證明:當香港青 年走進國家發展脈絡,方能真正讀懂「國」與「家」的意義。













## 在夾縫中窺探歷史的真像 中三中史研習團

**斥禾** 史並非紙本教科書,因為文字只是對史事的一種主觀的後設描 过一述,至於親臨歷史現場,徜徉在史蹟氛圍中,興許能讓中三同學 窺探一下歷史的真象。

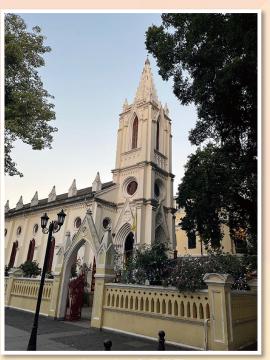
二零二四年十二月十八至十九日,全級中三同學及領隊老師約二百人前赴廣州實地考察一些中國近代史的遺址,嘗試從中重塑歷史的真象。十八日先到黃花崗烈士陵園,撫慰那些為革命犧牲的志士仁人;然後往訪大元帥府,緬懷昔日孫中山先生的護國精神;及後還到了清末以來的沙面地區,領略百多年來西風東漸後仍殘留的外國風情。

十九日行程,前往農民講習所,親身體會當年國共初次合作,共黨勢力的滲透和擴張;最後一行人在辛亥革命紀念館內重溫了鴉片戰爭至 民初以來曲折跌宕的歷史。

中三是初中中史的終 站,然而歷史的長河是流淌 不絕的,我們安排的廣州近 代史研習團,不過是為同學 拉開少許歷史的大門,好讓 他們在歷史的夾縫中嘗試窺 來,至少在青蔥的歲月裏都 曾和歷史打過照面。



農講所初建時的旗幟



沙面區過百年的教堂



領隊老師在沙面可以偷閒小敘



同學留心聆聽老師的講解



農講所的課程表,毛澤東當時負責三門課



辛亥革命紀念館前合影



黃花崗烈士陵園前合影

# Japan Study Tour: Exploring the natural & cultural wonders of Kyushu

During this year's Easter holiday, the Geography Department organised a sevenday overseas study tour to Kyushu, Japan, for 30 Secondary 4 and 5 students. They explored the vibrant cityscape of Fukuoka, the breathtaking landscapes of Mount Aso, the unique hexagonal basalt columns of Takachiho Gorge, and the natural marvel of Miyazaki's "Devil's Washboard." This immersive experience brought textbook geographical concepts to life and deepened their understanding of the interconnectedness between humanity and the natural environment.



Learning about seismic safety in Fukuoka Citizens' Disaster Prevention Center



Students exploring the vibrant colors of Chinoike Jigoku (Blood Pond Hell): A unique geothermal experience!



Standing at the edge of the awe-inspiring crater of Mount Aso: A memorable experience for our geography students



Students observing the recycling process of solar panels at Kitakyushu Eco-Town Center



Embracing local culture



Stunning landscape of Takachiho Gorge



Excited students in their Kumamon hoodies, ready for adventure as they prepare to board their flight to Kyushu!

## Exchange Programme with Pui Ching Middle School

We are excited to welcome our friends from Pui Ching Middle School from 9<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> April! In the meantime, we have sent 10 of our outstanding S4 DSE students to their location. This exchange programme is set to offer enriching experiences filled with cultural insights, academic development, and the formation of new friendships. Let us embrace these educational adventures and create lasting memories!





## Exchange Programme with Okinawa Amicus International School

We are delighted to share reflections from our successful event with Okinawa Amicus International School from Japan, which occurred on 14<sup>th</sup> January 2025, at St Stephen's College. It was a morning that beautifully highlighted the essence of international friendship and learning. Our guests from AMICUS engaged us with enlightening presentations about Okinawa and their school, and their Karate demonstration was indeed a highlight! In response, our talented students from the Brass Ensemble, String Quartet, and Treble Choir delivered a remarkable musical performance that showcased the rich cultural tapestry of our College. We extend special thanks to our dedicated Docents and College Ambassadors, who went above and beyond in welcoming our guests and ensuring the event proceeded seamlessly. Their contributions significantly enhanced the success of the day and fostered a warm and inviting atmosphere. This event was not solely about cultural exchange but also about building new friendships and enhancing understanding. We eagerly anticipate more such enriching experiences and the ongoing development of our global community. Thank you to everyone who participated and contributed to making this day unforgettable!









## Family Day 2025

On 2<sup>nd</sup> March, our school grounds were buzzing with excitement as students, parents, teachers, and alumni came together for an unforgettable Family Day 2025. Organized by the College Ambassador, the event was a huge success, bringing everyone closer and creating lasting memories.

Thanks to the generous support from students, parents, alumni, the SSCPTA, and the SSCAA, the day showcased our strong school community. The College Ambassador team did an amazing job leading the event, ensuring there were plenty of fun activities for everyone.

One of the highlights was the competitive cross-country competition, where both students and alumni showed off their skills. The family run added a special touch, with the crowd cheering for all participants, including our youngest runner, a spirited 1.5-year-old!

Game booths set up by various classes, clubs, and societies, along with the PTA and Alumni Association, kept the excitement going. Laughter and friendly competition filled the air as everyone tried their luck at the different challenges.

No celebration is complete without delicious treats! A bustling café offered tasty snacks, while Plus Bread, run by esteemed alumna Jody Lam, featured a popular bakery stall that inspired current students. Attendees also enjoyed taking home souvenirs

like MagSafe water bottles and stylish Stanley mugs, generously donated by Suburban, founded by alumnus Greg Li. Plus, the SSCAA sweetened the day with an ice-cream stall, which is perfect for the warm weather.

As part of the celebration, the Music Department proudly hosted a Family Concert at the Grand Hall, offering a spectacular showcase of our students' musical talents. The concert featured an impressive lineup of performing teams, including the College Treble Choir, Mixed Choir, Treble Voice Ensemble, Mixed Voice Ensemble, Junior String Quartet, Senior String Quartet, Saxophone Quartet, Wind Quartet, Brass Ensemble, Chinese Orchestra, Symphonic Band, and the Orchestra. Each ensemble delivered stunning performances, demonstrating their dedication, teamwork, and passion for music.

Overall, Family Day was a fantastic success! Students reconnected with old friends, parents engaged with the school community, and alumni relived cherished memories. This event truly highlighted the spirit and unity of our school, leaving everyone with smiles and a sense of joy.















## Farewell Teachers

#### Mr Law Jonathan Cham Fan

Two years isn't a long time in the grand scheme of things, but for me, these two years at St Stephen's have been filled with more laughter, learning, and surprises than I could have ever expected.

It was here that I found myself surrounded by students whose energy was matched only by their curiosity – students who kept me on my toes, who challenged me with their questions and creative stunts, and who never failed to make me smile (even on the most chaotic days). To my students: thank you for teaching me as much as I tried to teach you. Your patience with my jokes and endurance of my learning curve as a teacher have meant more to me than you know. I'll always be incredibly grateful for the time I spent as part of your lives.

It's a bittersweet moment to say goodbye at what feels like an abrupt turning point in my life, but as I step back from teaching to pursue further studies, I'll carry the warmth of this place with me. SSC and Stanley have given me more than I could have possibly asked for, and I will always hold these memories close.

My sincere thanks to everyone – from Mrs Ma and my lovely colleagues to all the students. Until we meet again.





#### Ms Pang Wing Tsui, Fiona

"I've learned that people will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel." – Maya Angelou

A student once unknowingly quoted my favorite words back to me, saying that I had made them feel excited about learning. Little did they know, it was their curiosity, creativity, and motivation that inspired me and kept me going—sometimes, even when I felt like I was hanging by a thread.

To my students: thank you for your endless skibidi questions, your delulus, and the trust you've shown in sharing parts

of yourselves in our time together. You've reminded me, day after day, that learning is not just about facts or assignments—it's about connection, discovery, and growth.

As we move forward, I hope we carry Maya Angelou's words. Remember that the way you make others feel will ripple far beyond today or tomorrow. Whether in the classroom, at home, or in the world beyond, you have the power to inspire, to uplift, and to create meaningful change.





#### Ms Lee Sandra Pui Shan

Ms Lee's introduction to our VA class came at a crucial time, in the middle of our IB program, when our previous teacher had taken leave. It was a drastic shift in tempo for both students and teachers. Dropping into the middle of our program with ten new students to teach, and faced with a different working environment and unfamiliar peers, Ms Lee led our cohort with a fearlessness, passion, and determination that any student would be lucky to receive from a teacher.





In just half the time of the IB program, Ms Lee not only successfully guided our 2025 Visual Arts cohort—the largest in the school's history—through the IB course, producing ten conceptually and technically strong art exhibitions in the black box theatre (where both parents and teachers were invited to celebrate our hard work), but she also transformed the old IT room into a vibrant new Visual Arts studio. This provided us with a spacious and modern environment that allowed our creativity to flourish and thrive—all within a year of her arrival at St Stephen's.

While I was initially intimidated by Ms Lee's straightforward teaching style, it was exactly the push ten young artists needed to realize our true potential. I quickly came to appreciate Ms Lee's deep passion for the arts and her dedication to her students' work. Personally, my VA exhibition would not have been possible without her advice and motivation. She constantly pushed me beyond my comfort zone, encouraging me to take creative risks, whether it was experimenting with new oil painting techniques, exploring unfamiliar artistic mediums, tackling intimidatingly ginormous canvases, or simply meeting the daunting IB deadlines.

Ms Lee, thank you for your time at St Stephen's. I have learned, matured, and grown so much under your guidance. It was an absolute blessing and pleasure to have been your student, and I can confidently say the same on behalf of my classmates—as well as all of your past, present, and future students. We wish you all the best in your new chapter in Canada!

6Y Chan Cheuk Kit

#### 黃鴻博老師

時光荏苒,轉眼間就來到道別的時候。

暑假過後我將會重回校園,繼續完成我的第二個碩士學位。感激校方當初的信任和支持,但我和大家一樣,還有一些理想要在外面追逐。學生還青春,你們明白的。

多謝同事和家長一路上的忍讓及幫助。「橫眉冷對千夫指」的場面固然沒有發生,但能在悠長的一百二十二分之一年,可以「俯首甘為孺子牛」,是我的光榮。中二Y班,還有中樂團的各位,一切在心中,不贅。謝謝你們每一位。



既然潤物細無聲,我就在外面等大家。總會有緣再聚,珍重!

## Campus Day

We were thrilled to engage with the wonderful Prep School parents as we discussed educational aspirations. The thoughtful questions from parents motivate us to continually pursue excellence in shaping the leaders of tomorrow. Our dedicated docent team offered a meaningful introduction to the rich heritage and history that the school proudly upholds. We are grateful to them for being an essential part of this journey.





## S.K.H. Education Expo

We extend a huge thank you to our colleagues, students, parents, and alumni who have made St Stephen's College's presence so impactful at this year's S.K.H. Education Expo. Together, we embody the spirit of SSC—我們都是聖記人.

Upon reflecting on our shared experiences, we believe that "Education is a lifelong journey without a destination." It's not solely about equipping students with future skills; it's about nurturing character, broadening horizons, and teaching adaptability to life's changes. The essence of education is life itself.

We were excited to showcase how St Stephen's College embraces this philosophy, preparing our students for the challenges and opportunities ahead. Thank you to everyone who visited our booth, engaged with our educators, and explored our vibrant school community. Your presence—whether as a prospective student, a curious parent, or a reconnecting alum — was invaluable.

We cherished hearing your stories and connecting with fellow SSCers, which inspired us all to continue our educational journeys. We hope you captured many memorable moments and found the expo enlightening and enjoyable.









## HK Outstanding Student Award

We are pleased to share that 6L Mok Samuel Kwan Chung, an exceptional student at our College, has been named a finalist for the Outstanding Students Award! Throughout his academic journey, Samuel has demonstrated extraordinary dedication, resilience, and a sincere passion for learning, embodying the core values of St Stephen's College.

Please join us in congratulating Samuel on this significant achievement. We are immensely proud of you, Samuel, and look forward to your continued success. Your hard work and determination serve as an inspiration to us all.





## Sir Edward Youde Memorial Prize

Two of our exceptional former head prefects, 6L Mok Samuel Kwan Chung and 6Y Cheung Ashere, have received the esteemed Sir Edward Youde Memorial Prize for the academic year 2024/25! This distinguished award is presented to senior secondary school students who have exhibited remarkable learning capabilities and leadership skills. Both Samuel and Ashere have thrived in these domains, consistently demonstrating their dedication to academic excellence and leadership within our community. Their accomplishment is a well-earned acknowledgment of their diligence and the positive impact they have made

as role models. Let us extend a hearty round of applause! We are immensely proud of both of you and look forward to the remarkable achievements that lie ahead. Continue to shine and inspire those around you!







## Science for Service 2025

Welcome to Science for Service 2025 – our annual cross-department project where students apply classroom science to address real-world challenges! This year again, we partnered with Artscompana, a remarkable troupe of performers with diverse abilities (including visual impairment, mobility differences and hearing loss). Their powerful drama workshop immersed our S3 cohort in the daily realities of living with disabilities, followed by candid discussions about specific struggles like navigating technology, mobility barriers, and communication gaps. Armed with these insights, teams designed assistive devices tailored to actual needs.







See how it helps?



Putting the Magic Dropper to work with our tester!



That smile says it all! Our guest reacts to testing our power bank — a moment of pure pride for the team.

#### When Science Met Empathy: Building a Power Bank That "Speaks"

In our project, we created a special power bank for visually impaired people who couldn't see the LED battery indicators. As lights were useless for them, we invented a power bank that makes beeping sounds to show the remaining charge.

By talking directly with people with visual impairments and hearing their personal experiences, it made us realize that to make something truly helpful for people, you must understand their daily challenges. After a few trials, we made several modifications and improvements, including reducing the size to a more handy 7 cm x 9 cm x 10 cm. We also adjusted the texture to be rougher and uneven for better grip.

We were really pleased when our guest gave us positive feedback and the sense of satisfaction we got from this was amazing! We're grateful to our school for this chance to help others using our science knowledge. This whole experience showed us how thoughtful design matters, and how science can make everyday life better when we truly listen.

3L Chan Lik Lincoln, Cheung Cheuk Kiu, Chiu Melanie Hei Tong, Leung Yan Ho, Yu Luning Lurin, Lam Cheuk Ki Valerie

# Mission Accomplished: Our Young Engineers Conquer the Depths! Celebrating Our Budding Roboticists!

The pool is calm, but the excitement is still rippling! We're thrilled to share that our student's participation in an underwater robotics competition (ROV MATE) was a resounding success. During the second term, our young engineers dove headfirst into an incredible challenge: designing, building, and testing their own functional underwater robots.

Witnessing the final pool demonstration was truly inspiring. Our ROV Team navigated complex tasks, showcasing robots they built from the ground up. We saw ingenious solutions to real engineering hurdles – mastering buoyancy, perfecting propulsion, and refining controls through persistent iteration. The buzz of collaboration, flashes of critical thinking, and sheer determination on display were unforgettable.

This project was far more than creating cool gadgets. It ignited genuine passion for technology, physics, and the power of teamwork. Students experienced the thrill of applied science firsthand and the immense pride of seeing their own creations perform. Their hard work, problem-solving, and resilience shone brightly.

A huge congratulations to all our brilliant young innovators! Their creativity and dedication in conquering this underwater challenge were remarkable. Stay tuned for glimpses of their amazing robots and future adventures in STEM!



1H Choi Pui Ho
1H Li Yat Ham
1H Ng Yuksun Rafael
3C Qiu Jia Da
3L Yu Luning Lurin
4C Li Jin
4D Li Jiale
4H Lo Yu Kiu
5Y Yeung Chuen Ryan

## **Teacher advisors:** Mr Eric Chan, Mr Stephen Ng, Ms Iris Tang, Mr Chan Chi-wah



Precision Control in Action



Pool Trials Begin!



Discovering Together!



Our Brilliant ROV Team



Race-Ready! Final Tweaks Before the Big Dive

## Empowering Future Leaders: \$2 & \$3 Leadership Adventures

n December 2024 and April 2025, our S2 and S3 students embarked on transformative leadership journeys through two signature programs: the S2 Legacy Project at Junior Police Call Permanent Activity Centre and Integrated Youth Training Camp in Pat Heung, and the S3 Outward Bound Hong Kong experience in Sai Kung.

Having completed a series of challenges, S2 students quickly developed strong bonds and mutual trust. Through discipline and teamwork, they tackled each task with determination. During the team-building activities, it was heartening to see our SSCers contribute their best to accomplish every mission with unity and spirit.

During Outward Bound, the S3 cohort faced physical and mental challenges that tested their resilience and collaboration. Memorable moments captured students sitting in a circle and working together which was a powerful image of shared purpose and growth.

Coaches and escort teachers praised the students' initiative and adaptability, while student reflections revealed deeper insights into leadership. An S2 student shared, "I learned that leadership is not about giving orders, but about listening and working together." Some S3 students reflected on their proudest achievements after the Outward Bound camp, including overcoming physical challenges, working as a team, and developing resilience. They highlighted aspects of personal growth in mindset, teamwork, environmental awareness, and the ability to handle stress and difficult situations.

These experiences not only strengthened leadership skills but also nurtured empathy, perseverance, and a growth mindset — qualities that will guide our students as future leaders.























## Euster Service

On a bright and beautiful morning on 16<sup>th</sup> April 2025, we held our annual Easter Service at St John's Cathedral in Central. We began the procession, with our Head Boy, 5Y Mok Timothy Kwan Yeung, and Head Girl, 5D Hui Yik Lam, carrying the

college banner followed along with the Principal, Deputy Principals, Assistant Principals, Reverend Amos Poon and Reverend Will Newman. The gospel of Luke was read aloud in the sanctuary filling our hearts with grace and mercy. Reverend Amos Poon preached a powerful sermon on the power of prayer and how Jesus Christ prayed while he was on the cross. Our college choir also led the school to worship in the melodic hymns. We ended with our college song, united as many unique members but one body in Christ.



Easter greetings from St John's Cathedral to the SSC community



Reverend Amos Poon, The Chaplain of St John's Cathedral

## The Gospel Week: RENEWAL

he Gospel Week was conducted with success from 7th to 11th April, with this year's theme being "Renewal." A series of events and activities organized by the Religious Education Committee and the Christian Fellowship centered around seeing God through the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. The art exhibition consisted of paintings focusing on Christ's crucifixion, Christ Ascension and the Rapture, pointing to the true meaning behind why we celebrate Easter and the hope we look forward to. Mr Victor Choy painted three pieces of work just for this year's exhibition. They are the Cross, Resurrection and Ascension. In addition, English Teacher Mr Timothy Lim wrote a poem Rust for this year's Gospel Week. Next to the art exhibition was a photo blessing booth for students to reflect on their identity and purpose in life.

During lunch, a special communion service led by Rev Will was held for parents, teachers and students. A Wellness & Blessing Booth was also set up at the Centenary Building and the Classroom Block during lunch time where students played games and received prayers and blessings at the photo booth. The highlights of the week were the two Religious Assemblies. In the Day 6 Assembly, Ps Andrew Lee shared his life story about how he turned over a new life while he was in Stanley Prison and gave his life to God. In the Day 3 Assembly, Rev Will preached on what we can choose to build our lives on and sand artist Ma Chai performed live sand art pieces depicting the story of Jesus journey from the cross to his resurrection. The sand story was choreographed to music from the Worship Team and projected to a large screen at the Grand Hall. The inspiring sharing and stories left a profound impact on the students, inspiring many to follow Jesus and live their lives to the fullest.









## H20 Camp 2025: Overflow with God's Abundant Life

fter last year's powerful message on biblical hope, the Christian Fellowship once again held its annual winter overnight camp, H2O Camp, on 10<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> January 2025. This year, the event was held at the Lee Yue Mun Park and Holiday Village, with 40 students joining in to experience spiritual renewal and deeper fellowship under the theme "Hope to Overflow."

The camp began on campus with an exciting team challenge. Divided into groups, participants raced against time to complete various mini-games and collect as many "water droplets" and Bible verse fragments as possible. The final goal was to fill their cups and piece together the Bible verse, "But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint." (Isaiah 40:31). This activity not only stirred up friendly competition, but also set the tone for a weekend centered on faith, perseverance, and spiritual overflow.

After that, students enjoyed a barbecue dinner together, deepening friendships through shared cooking and fun. The evening session, titled Journey of Life, was a reflective and interactive experience. Through a game that simulated life's decisions and consequences, students were guided to think deeply about what truly matters in life. As they considered their hopes, regrets, and final wishes, many began to explore how faith shapes one's direction and values. The session closed with a powerful time of quiet reflection on the meaning of life and the role of faith in guiding it.

On the second day, Pastor David Wong shared a profound message from John 10:10, "I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full." He spoke about how sin separates us from God's abundant life, and invited students to repent, and accept the freedom and fullness found in Jesus. Many students responded with sincerity, stepping forward to embrace God's forgiveness and renewal.

We are thankful for the participation of Christian teachers and the commitment of the student committee, whose leadership made this camp possible. As we continue into 2025, may this "hope to overflow" continue to pour into the lives of everyone at St Stephen's.



Participants raced to collect water droplets and Bible verses.



of Life reflecting on faith's living life to its fullest. guidance



Evening session-Journey Pastor David Wong encouraged



Enjoying delicious food together and reaping friendships

## Arise and Shine: The 10<sup>th</sup> Joint School Revival Camp Ignites a Generation

The 10<sup>th</sup> annual Joint School Revival Camp was held from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> April at the International Christian Quality Music Secondary and Primary School (ICQM). Marking a decade since its inception in 2014, this year's theme, Arise and Shine for the Lord, echoed the original camp's call to rise up for God's purposes. Over 200 secondary students from various schools and churches attended, including 17 from St Stephen's College.

The camp opened with a joyful ceremony featuring inspiring messages from principals, followed by fun mass games and a lively BBQ. The first evening session featured actor Zac Koo and Pastor Rainbow. Through powerful testimonies of brokenness and restoration, they shared how surrendering to God brought transformation and purpose. Their stories moved many students to commit themselves to Christ.

The second night was hosted by the St Stephen's Society, a ministry founded by missionary Jackie Pullinger. Their original drama depicted society's pressure to attain "three highs"—academic achievement, income, and appearance—and the emptiness that can result. A symbolic figure representing God reminded the characters of their true worth and calling. Testimonies from former "troubled youth" illustrated how Jesus gave them new life and direction. The night concluded with a message calling students to shine for God, not for personal glory, but to reach the broken.

On the final day, students were sent out in teams to serve the community. One hosted a carnival for the elderly at ICQM, another shared the gospel in nearby streets, and a third visited local schools—including St Stephen's College—to pray for them and deliver handmade cards and gifts. These acts showed the gospel in action and inspired students to be lights on their campuses.

Now in its 10<sup>th</sup> year, the Joint School Revival Camp remains a powerful platform for raising young Christian leaders—calling them to arise, shine for Christ, and bring His hope to the world.



17 SSC students joined the



Actor Zac Koo shared how God transformed his life.



Drama showed pressure to pursue earthly success and the emptiness it brings.



SSC was blessed by a team of visiting joint school students.

## Students' Day

Over the past year, the Students' Association has worked hard to strive for the student body and organize different engaging events. One of our key moments included this year is Students' Day, which was held on 24<sup>th</sup> January. We organized different sport competitions, from basketball and badminton to football, which is one of our newest events. The matches were filled with camaraderie and the fierce competitive spirit of our students which was quite a sight to witness.

One of the highlights also included our talent show, where students showcased their unique talents, from singing to gymnastics. Needless to say, we feel that our Students' Day was a great success and we hope that all students enjoyed their time.

Throughout the year, the SA has made other efforts in the hope of improving the lives and wellbeing of our student body. For example, we held a Casual Wear Day, our long-awaited Joint-school Christmas Ball with 7 other schools and our exchange program with Pui Ching Middle School.

We thank all students for the support and feedback which has helped us to improve our SA as a whole and also created a better school environment for everyone all throughout the year. It has been an honour to serve as your Students' Association!







## 溯源歷史 共築家國情懷

深化中一同學對本土文化與國家安全的認識,國家安全教育組與綜合人文科於2025年3月17日合辦「香港圍村文化參觀團」。同學們踏足歷史悠久的粉嶺龍躍頭文物徑及元朗錦田文物徑,親身探索本地重要的文化遺產。

中一同學已在綜合人文科課堂上學習了香港本地歷史及圍村文化,是次活動更加強同學的認識與體會。當日,同學們在導賞員帶領下,親身細察圍村的獨特建築風格(如祠堂、更樓、圍牆等),聆聽圍村先民團結自衛、守護家園的動人故事,並了解其傳統習俗與宗族制度。這些珍貴的文化印記,不僅是香港歷史的重要篇章,更生動體現了中華民族重視家國安全、社群共融的優良傳統。

透過實地考察,中一同學們深刻體會到文化傳承與國家安全的緊密聯繫——守護獨特的文化身份,正是維護國家總體安全的重要基石。活動有效提升了同學們的文化認同感和國民身份認同,深化了對「國」與「家」密不可分的理解,收穫豐碩。









## Moral and Civic Education Committee

#### "Embrace Justice: Work Ethically, Act Righteously"

To promote the theme of values education, "Embrace Justice: Work Ethically, Act Righteously", the Moral and Civic Education Committee organized a series of engaging activities, including the S2 and S3 Rich and Poor Simulations, ICAC Talk and Justice Checkpoint. Additionally, the Moral Ambassadors hosted the Justice Week, featuring a variety of events such as booth games, busking performances, a sharing session by police officers and volunteers from the Animal Watchers Programme, and an inspiring talk by Dr Andy Lam, an SSC parent, on forensic pathology. Students were encouraged to participate in these exciting activities to explore and embrace the value of justice.



Students meeting with animal volunteer from the Animal Watchers Programme @Justice Week



S3 Values Education Simulation — students making choices for living



Talk on forensic pathology @Justice Week



Game booths @ Justice Week



Justice Checkpoint — S3 participating in an interclass competition organized by the Moral Ambassador



Busking performance @ Justice Week — teachers and students singing justice related songs

## Heritage Society

#### Heritage Trail Open Day 2025

The annual Heritage Trail Open Day was held on 15<sup>th</sup> February. This year marks Heritage Society's 16<sup>th</sup> year of offering tour services for the public and improving our leadership skills by leading and participating in the society's activities. The Heritage Trial Open Day is a day to celebrate our successes and show people outside our school the history and specialty of this campus that many of us call home. On that day, we invited prestigious guests, professors and more to give talks on the history and heritage in Hong Kong. The students in our society designed a variety of souvenirs, such as keychains and water bottles, so that tourists could buy a keepsake to remember their trip. We also designed games for people of all ages to play; the games allow visitors to learn more about the history of our school. Lastly, the most important part of being a Docent is guiding tours. Multiple tours were held on that day, and I believe our students interacted well with the visitors, exchanged with some university students, and chatted with visitors about their own experiences as Docents. We hope everyone enjoyed the Heritage Trail Open Day and we look forward to the next one!

3Y Khan Sofia



Guided tour for public



Visitors looking at our souvenirs on Man, Associate Professor of Open Day



History talk by Mr Kwong Chi Hong Kong Baptist University

#### 大埔領袖訓練啟導工作坊

物學會在二零二五年四月五日舉辦了大埔領袖訓練啟導工作坊。活動當天雖有微雨,但無阻參加者興致勃勃地走 訪由負責委員精選的地道文化食店和歷史古蹟,當中包括了香港鐵路博物館、舊大埔墟警署及敬羅家塾等等的古 蹟。活動透過城市定向方式走訪各考察點,不但身體力行地實踐「讀萬卷書不如行萬里路」的道理,並讓會員們對新 界各種飲食文化、歷史古蹟和社區發展等領域有更深入的理解。

是次活動為文物學會創會十六年來首次在新市鎮舉行城市定向活動。圓滿成功不但有賴會員們的踴躍參與,還需 感謝學會負責老師、參與規劃遊戲和實際執行遊戲的委員的意見和配合。這反映出本學會力求盡善盡美,並積極實踐 培育優秀導賞員、明日領袖的創會使命。

是次活動的經驗,將有助於我們在及後的活動中力求創新,本學會不但期待各位會員踴躍報名在八月上旬舉行的 導賞員訓練營,亦希望各位有志於成為導賞員的同學下學年報名加入文物學會,期待下一年在文物學會的大家庭與你 們見面!

4D 周佟



The old train at the Hong Kong Railway Museum



We are going to have the evaluation



Training developed our teamwork and leadership

#### 導賞員培訓

年度,文物學會招募大量新血,這些新進的成員肩負薪火相傳的責任。有見及此,為培訓這些明日之星,成為能 夠獨當一面、領導團隊的領袖生,本學會於本年度1月5日假我校舉行導賞員訓練日。活動當中包含富經驗的導賞 員向各位新進成員分享經驗,以及寓教於樂的校園解謎遊戲。活動中,導賞員們不僅能更了解我校歷史及建築特色,



Tips for introducing the SSC Heritage Trail



I will try my best to find the answers



We are Docents!

更加深了各位委員與新進成員之間 的友誼與交流。

作為文物學會本年度的領袖之 ,能與這樣敬業樂業的團隊共 事,實在與有榮焉!讓我們延續本 年度所凝聚的團體精神,共同籌備 與期待於暑假舉行的一年一度文物 學會導賞員訓練營吧!

## Boarding Section

#### Empowering Independence: Life Skills Workshops Equip S1 SSC Boarders for Self-Reliant Living

Taking care of oneself without the help of parents or domestic helpers becomes a great challenge for most S1 boarders who leave home for the first time and begin boarding at SSC. To equip them with the life skills needed to cope with daily life, the Boarding Section has offered a series of workshops for our S1 boarders, including:









Managing Your Boarding Place

Making a Bed











Tying a Tie

Ironing

















Mending by Sewing

Treating Scrapes and Sprains

**Practicing Mindfulness** 







Peer Mediation

A heartfelt thank you to the Boarding Section staff and Hong Kong Family Welfare Society social workers for diving into these workshops with our S1 boarders. Their time, patience, and care have given students the tools—and the courage—to spread their wings.

#### From Home to Dorms: A Three-Week Leap Toward Confidence and Community

#### **Boarding Taster Programme**

The three-week Boarding Taster Programme offers students a unique opportunity to experience campus life beyond the classroom. After school, participants follow the same schedule as regular boarders—students enhance their self-management skills through dormitory activities, mentorship, and growing alongside their peers.





#### **Parents' Top Questions**

Will my child adapt to boarding life? Can they manage the schedule? Will they get along with roommates?

These concerns naturally fade as the programme unfolds. On drop-off day, many parents feel a bittersweet mix of newfound freedom and reluctance to let go. While they may eagerly help unpack initially, by the final day, students pack their belongings themselves.



Your room may be small, but your memories will be huge!

#### A Time of Transformation in Middle school

This phase marks a journey of growth for both students and parents. As parents gradually step back to allow their children to flourish. Students embrace new challenges such as mastering self-care, building friendships, and cultivating self-discipline. The three-week programme creates a safe space for this shared exploration of independence.

#### **Heartwarming Moment**

One touching moment occurred when some students chose to skip a celebratory Poon Choi dinner to stay in the dormitory with an injured roommate, sharing simple takeout meals instead. This act of kindness reflects the bonds formed during the programme. We are grateful to parents for trusting us with their children—a trust rewarded with cherished memories and lifelong friendships.

The Boarding Section remains committed to fostering home-school co-operation. Together, we strive to create a holistic learning environment where students thrive academically, socially, and emotionally.

#### **Boarders' Talent Show 2025**





The annual "Boarders' Talent Show" once again brought the house down on 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2025, as our boarding students showcased their extraordinary talents. The night was packed with wonderful performances, including singing, dancing, musical instrument performances, drama, and more.

This year, we celebrated two outstanding champions: 1H Mok Ngo Yin Aidan amazed the crowd with his lightning-fast nunchaku skills, while 4D To Hoi Ching captivated everyone with her elegant and powerful Latin dance performance. The atmosphere was absolutely electric, with the audience cheering enthusiastically throughout the evening!

We would also like to extend our special thanks to our boarders' a cappella group for their great performance, and to the members of the working committee for their dedication and contributions.

Congratulations to everyone for making this year's Talent Show such an unforgettable and dazzling event!



## Breakthrough Exhibition: 'Here we are'

During last December's exam period, we collaborated with Breakthrough to create a unique stress-relief experience. The Carol Yang Black Box Theatre was filled with inflatable pillars printed with common pressures like "我都係為你好啫" ("I'm only doing this for your good") and "畀人見到我有情緒,會覺得我好廢?" ("Will people think I'm weak for showing emotions?").

Students discovered an important lesson through physical interaction: the harder they punched these inflatable pillars, the stronger they rebounded. This became a powerful metaphor for how aggressively confronting our problems can sometimes create more resistance. Many found gentler, more mindful approaches worked better - both with the pillars and their actual stressors

The activity sparked meaningful discussions about healthy coping mechanisms during exams. Some students even developed strategies together, turning individual stress into shared solutions.

This event reinforced our belief that emotional awareness is just as important as academic preparation. We're proud to offer these innovative ways to help students navigate challenges.







## Stuff Development Day 2025: Embracing AI in Education

We are delighted to share the outstanding outcomes of our Joint-School Staff Development Day, held on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2025, in collaboration with HKUGA College. This pioneering event united over 200 educators from both schools to explore transformative Al strategies, fostering pedagogical innovation and cross-school synergy.

#### Vision & Foundations

The day commenced with a warm welcome by Mrs Abby Kwok (SSC) and Mr Chris Chiu (HKUGA), who emphasized our shared commitment to future-ready education. Following an energizing ice-breaking session, renowned expert Mr Harsh Winder delivered a keynote on AI in Education. His insights illuminated AI's role in personalizing learning, predicting student needs, and streamlining administrative workflows—setting the stage for hands-on exploration.











#### Workshop Deep Dive: Al in Action

Educators engaged in five tailored workshops, blending theory with classroom-ready tools:

- 1. SSC's "Al Integration for Daily Teaching" (Mr Theodore Tam & Mr Jonathan Law) demonstrated Al-driven lesson planning and resource curation.
- 2. SSC's "Al Feedback Tools for Assessment Literacy" (Ms Shinya Tan, Mrs Elaine Pun, Ms Faye Lai) showcased automated grading systems to enhance feedback efficiency.
- 3. HKUGA's "Al for Value Education" (Mr Chris Chiu) explored ethical simulations for humanities inquiry.
- 4. HKUGA's "Al Learning Platforms" (Mr Gary Lam, Mr. Chapman Kong, et al.) analyzed adaptive tools for boosting student performance.
- 5. HKUGA's "Microsoft 365 Copilot" (Mr Bertram Jiang) revolutionized administrative tasks with Al automation.









#### Cross-School Wisdom Exchange: Enriching Curriculum & Leadership

A highlight was the subject-based and leadership sharing sessions, where educators and administrators from both schools engaged in focused dialogues.

Subject leaders (Chinese, English, Mathematics, Humanities, Sciences, Arts, PE, and ICT groups) exchanged innovative curriculum strategies, assessment methods, and resource integration approaches. Simultaneously, school management teams discussed policy frameworks and student support systems.

These deep-dive conversations fostered mutual learning, identified best practices, and sparked ideas for cross-school projects. The synergy demonstrated our commitment to advancing teaching excellence—directly benefiting students through enriched classroom experiences and aligned educational vision.





#### **Looking Ahead**

This collaboration marks a milestone in our journey toward tech-empowered education. The insights gained will directly benefit classroom experiences, ensuring our students harness AI responsibly and creatively. We extend heartfelt thanks to HKUGA College, all speakers, workshop leaders, and the Staff Development Committee for making this day a resounding success.

## 舉辦「開放課堂計劃」促進教師專業成長

為持續提升教學質素,本校教師發展組推出「開放課堂計劃」,讓青年教師走進資深教師的課堂實地觀摩,並於課後進行深度研討交流。 此計劃旨在促進教師間的專業分享與成長,優化教學方法,共同精進提升教學效益。 我們相信教師的持續進步,定能為學生帶來更優質的學習。 感謝四位資深同工——鄒雅玲老師、蔡靚菂老師、陳希諾老師及黃家麟老師開放課堂,令青年老師受益不淺。





課後研討會









年青老師觀摩資深老師課堂

## English Department

## **English Week**

In late February, the English Week was back with a bang! Just like last year, we worked with a large local bookstore to bring an exciting array of English fiction and non-fiction books to SSC, all at discounted prices. Students had a great time checking out the teachers' picks, scooping up copies of their own, and visiting the three English Society game booths. The highlight of

the week was no doubt the English Drama Club's mesmerising rendition of the American play 'Our Town' at the whole-school assembly. Having planned and rehearsed for months, our young talents delivered a profound message on life and death. With the generous support of the Hong Kong Arts Development Council and our artist-in-residence, Ms Jen Lam, English and Drama at SSC are surely scaling new heights!















## **English Drama Club**

The English Drama Club has participated in two competitions this year and has proudly brought home prestigious prizes! In the 'Speak-up Act-out Drama Competition', organised by the EDB NET Section earlier in March, our Vice-chairperson, 4D To Hoi Ching, earned herself the 'Superstar Performer' award with her superb acting skills. In April, the team participated in the AEMSS Drama Fest 2025 with their original script 'Ashes', which was awarded the 'Outstanding Performance' prize, and our ensemble cast who played the roles as hallucination characters were given the 'Outstanding Performer' award for their remarkable teamwork and thrilling performance!



The team has worked through a very eventful and fruitful year! Their hard work, dedication and unprecedented teamwork have been hugely rewarded. Congratulations to the team of superstar student directors, actors and backstage helpers!







## S3 and S4 DSE Experiential Learning

Experiential learning is at the heart of our English curriculum. Through visits, field trips and other hands-on activities, we provide authentic contexts in which students connect language learning with real-life experiences.

In late February, S3 students joined a walking tour of Sham Shui Po, Yau Ma Tei and other neighbourhoods to deepen their understanding of traditional customs and grassroots culture. They then produced exquisite travel brochures and presented them to their classmates at a 'gallery walk'. Then, in May, S4 DSE students paid a visit to local heritage sites, including Tai Kwun, PMQ, Blue House and Asia Society Hong Kong Center, where tour guides introduced them to Hong Kong's efforts at conservation and revitalisation. They had a wonderful opportunity to share their new insights into the topic with teachers and all students in the form.

What we teach in the classroom comes to life at these fun and enriching activities. Stay tuned for more in 2025-26!

















## SSC Stars on the Air — RTHK 'In the Common Room'

As part of an EDB initiative, our senior students 4D Lee Chun Hei, 5D Yang Lin Xi, 5H Tam Yuk Wang and 5Y Lai Cheuk Kei Brandon were invited by RTHK to appear on their English programme 'In the Common Room: Open Space with Cruz'. They had a fruitful and memorable exchange on heritage conservation with the host and the wider community.

The episode was broadcast on RTHK Radio 3 on 20<sup>th</sup> May at 9:05 pm. If you are interested in 'meeting' our stars on the air, do scan the QR code or visit the RTHK website (https://podcast.rthk.hk/podcast/item.php?pid=1801&eid=258993).









### Harvard Prize Book 2025

The Harvard Prize Book is awarded annually by the Harvard Club of Hong Kong to outstanding S5 students who have achieved academic excellence in English Language, possess exceptional personal qualities and have made a significant contribution to their school or community. Our awardees this year are 5D Wong Tsz Chun, 5L Chan Him Yu Jonas and 5Y Mak Hang Chi. Congratulations to all of them!



## Knowledge Exchange — Promoting Values Education

Curriculum development is one of our strongest suits. In October and December 2024, Mr Theodore Tam, the English Panel Head, was invited by the English Language Education (ELE) and Native English-speaking Teachers (NET) Sections

of the EDB to deliver two seminars on how we enrich English lessons through promoting Values Education, cross-curricular collaboration and experiential activities. Mr Tam and Ms Cheyenne Chan were also invited to record a presentation on the same topic for an upcoming EDB online course.

English teachers at SSC are always keen on professional dialogue that improves teaching and learning. Looking forward to more exciting opportunities ahead!





## 中文科活動

#### 川劇變臉表演

中華表演藝術擁有數千年的歷史傳承,從秦漢時期的「百戲」到如今聞名天下的「川劇變臉」,這些表演藝術展現了中國民間藝人的智慧與藝術之美。在新年伊始,本校誠邀

第第二十二屆世界書演藝術領標實金球会將殊祭,有二十名在書演

曾獲第二十三屆世界表演藝術錦標賽全球金獎殊榮、有二十多年表演經驗的變臉藝術家韋飛雄師傅,在本校週會上親身表演國粹——川劇變臉。活動不僅讓同學們欣賞到這項非物質文化遺產的精湛技藝,更通過互動,讓同學了解變臉背後的歷史與意義,感受中華文化的博大精深。











## 蒲公英聯校文學獎講座

本校與聖公會聖馬利亞堂莫慶堯中 學、拔萃女書院、聖保羅男女中學、德望 中學等十所學校合辦蒲公英聯校文學獎, 鼓勵同學進行文學創作,發揮創意。

主辦單位分別於一月十八日及二月八日舉辦了初中、高中小説及散文創作講座 共兩場,主講老師為本港知名作家陳志堅博士、葉秋弦老師、區麗娟老師及黃燕萍 老師。本校對文學創作深感興趣的同學積極參與講座,聆聽講者們分享創作心得, 遨遊於文學天地,不亦樂乎!



#### 中文週系列活動

三月芳菲,書香萬里。為了鼓勵同學閱讀,增長智慧,並培養對中國文化 的興趣,中文科於三月四日至七日舉辦一年一度的中文週及中文書展。活動內 容豐富,包括:

三月四日週會分別舉辦作家講座共兩場。初中方面,本校邀請紫砂老師向同學分享寫作的「奇幻旅程」,紫砂老師幽默風趣,向同學分享《劏房大狀》一書的寫作歷程;高中方面,邀請胡燕青老師到校進行作家訪談會——5J 吳禾仟

同學、5D 徐超宸同學及 5Y 黃靖喬同學聲情並茂地朗讀胡老師的作品,讓在座師生感受文字之美,學生主持 5D 楊林僖同學、4D 張紫茵同學、4Y 董河廷同學與胡老師就其作品內涵展開富有深度的對談,讓同學更理解作品的弦外之音。在兩場講座中,同學聆聽作家分享寫作心得,與作家互動交流,獲益良多,同學在講座後更邀請作家為自己的書籍簽名!





















三月五至七日中文科在尚善樓禮堂舉辦中文書展,重點展出師生推介書籍近三十本。書籍如同一扇窗,帶我們進入無邊的天地,帶我們穿越千年風雨,讓我們擁抱知識的光芒。同學們在書展中購得心儀書籍,以閱讀展開美好的一年!









中文週期間,中文學會師生在午膳時間舉辦一系列有趣好玩的攤位遊戲,包括「速配節日大作戰」、「節日人物關係網」、「表情成語猜猜秀」等,豐富同學對中國文化及文字的認識。同學們在輕鬆愉快的氛圍中邊學習邊贏取豐富獎品,寓學習於娛樂,真是十分有意義!









#### 中三級華服講座(與視覺藝術科、電腦及資訊科技科合作)

為提升同學對中國傳統文化的興趣及認識,中文科邀請馬崇耀先生到校為中三級同學講解華服常見圖案、顏色背後的文化意義。馬先生更帶上仿古「龍袍」到校,讓同學親身觀察、觸摸龍袍上栩栩如生的龍紋、雲紋等,更有同學親身穿上龍袍,感受華服之美。同學也能學以致用、發揮創意,在視覺藝術科的「服裝設計」單元課業中須融入華服的元素,最後在電腦與資訊科提供的應用程式中完成設計,並展示個人設計成果。







#### 香港辯論超級聯賽2024至2025年度

本校中文辯論隊參與了辯論超級聯賽,擊敗九龍塘學校(中學部)、沙田培英中學及梁式芝書院。4Y董詞廷同學更連續於第一至第五輪賽事獲選為最佳辯論員。恭喜同學獲獎,為校爭光!



#### 第76屆香港學校朗誦節

在第**76**屆香港學校朗誦節,經同學不懈努力與老師悉心訓練,本校同學在中文朗誦項目中勇奪五項冠軍、八項亞軍、四項季軍,成果豐碩。以下是得獎名單、項目:

班別	姓名	賽別	獎項
2D	張天胤	詩詞獨誦——普通話	冠軍
2J	姚守業	詩詞獨誦——粵語	冠軍
2C	蔡禮信	詩詞獨誦——普通話	冠軍
2C	鄭亦婷	詩詞獨誦——普通話	冠軍
2C	鄭亦婷	散文獨誦——普通話	冠軍
1C	盧定勤	詩詞獨誦——普通話	亞軍
2J	姚守業	詩詞獨誦——普通話	亞軍
2H	汪昱行	詩詞獨誦——普通話	亞軍
2H	汪昱行	散文獨誦——普通話	亞軍
2C	蔡禮信	散文獨誦——粵語	亞軍
3L	楊承業	散文獨誦——普通話	亞軍
5H	王鶴潼	散文獨誦——普通話	亞軍
5Y	黃靖喬	詩詞獨誦——粵語	亞軍
1L	廖梓童	散文獨誦——普通話	季軍
2Y	陳善一	散文獨誦——普通話	季軍
5H	楊翊	散文獨誦——普通話	季軍
5L	陳映竹	詩詞獨誦——粵語	季軍

## Mathematics Department

#### **STEAM PROJECT - Tessellation: Where Math Meets Art**

Form 2 students engaged with geometric concepts while crafting unique art pieces that illustrated mathematical principles. This experience nurtured creativity and collaboration at the intersection of math and art, culminating in an exhibition of their work in the school library.











2H Tang Hiu Shun Jessica

2J Chow Yuet Tung

2J Lau Chui Ying

2J Ng Yin Wang

#### Our IMMC Adventure: Teamwork, Triumph & 10,000 Words!

Participating in the IMMC was intense! Teaming up with 5D Qin Zhenghong, 5L Chan Chun Yin and 5Y Lui Hei Ching for my first team Math contest, we faced a unique challenge: building a mathematical model from scratch in just 4 days. No textbook answers here! We debated fiercely over the best approach while writing our essay, but working through those disagreements together taught me so much. It pushed me to apply classroom Math to messy real-world problems and really sharpened my teamwork and communication skills.

A highlight of this journey was advancing to the final presentation at CUHK, where we presented our solution alongside other top teams. Ranking in the top 25 out of over 1200 teams was completely beyond our expectations! Meeting such talented peers and getting feedback from professors opened our eyes to amazing new problem-solving techniques and broadened our

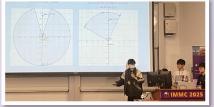
whole view of Math.

Huge thanks to our school and especially our teacher advisor, Mr Timothy Lee, for their support. But most of all, thanks go to my awesome teammates. Our shared dedication, writing over 10,000 words across two essays and refining endlessly, made this possible. From the first late-night brainstorm to presenting on stage, this journey deepened my love for Math and showed me the power of truly working together. Unforgettable!

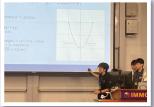




Our Team - Awarded as the Finalist in The Regional Contest of Greater China



Sharing the Math Behind Our Solution Fielding the Judges' Questions!



## HKEX Visit

On 4th March 2025, F5 BAFS students had an insightful visit to the Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited (HKEX). During the tour, students learned about the crucial role of HKEX in the global financial market, exploring various functions such as trading, clearing, and settlement. Engaging presentations by industry professionals provided valuable insights into market operations, fostering a deeper understanding of the dynamic nature of the stock exchange. This experience enhanced their practical knowledge and sparked interest in the finance sector.















## Basic Law Quiz Competition 2024

Four of our students: 4C Chan Man Him, 4C Chan Tsz Kiu, 4D Lee Ying Chak and 5J Lam Ching Wing won merit awards in the Basic Law Quiz Competition 2024 organized by the East Kowloon Youth Society and attended the prize presentation ceremony on 9<sup>th</sup> March 2025. The competition is part of the East Kowloon Youth Society's "Understanding Hong Kong,

Understanding the Basic Law" initiative, which has been held for ten years. Last year, through activities such as roving exhibitions, online quizzes, and campus promotions, it successfully reached nearly 180 primary and secondary schools across Hong Kong, attracting participation from over 24,000 teachers and students. It has widely promoted patriotic education within the academic and community sectors.



Third from the left: 4D Lee Ying Chak



Fourth from the right: 4C Chan Man Him Fifth from the right: 4C Chan Tsz Kiu



Third from the right: 5J Lam Ching Wing

## Music Department

### 77th Hong Kong Schools Music Festival

This year, our students shone brightly, achieving remarkable results in both group and individual categories at the 77<sup>th</sup> Hong Kong Schools Music Festival. Among the highlights, a number of music teams clinched championship titles, including the String Chamber led by Ms Ida Tse, the Mixed Vocal Ensemble led by Ms Vivian Suen, and the Brass Ensemble and the Symphony Orchestra led by Mr Ma Man Ki.

Adding to the accolades, our Woodwind Quartet, College Mixed Choir, and College Treble Choir delivered stellar performances, earning them well-deserved second-place honors. These achievements are a testament to the dedication and talent of our students and their mentors.

As winner of the Junior Brass Ensemble Category at the 77<sup>th</sup> HK Schools Music Festival, our Brass Ensemble has been invited

to perform at the prestigious " 璀璨藝匯", organized by the Hong Kong Education Bureau. This event will be held on 6<sup>th</sup> July at the Auditorium of Tuen Mun Town Hall, offering the ensemble a wonderful opportunity to showcase their artistry to the public.



Brass ensemble



College String Orchestra





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College Orchestra

Competitor	Description	Place/ Award
College String Orchestra	String Orchestra - Secondary School - Intermediate	FIRST
Brass Ensemble	Brass Ensemble - Secondary School - Junior	FIRST
College Orchestra	Symphony Orchestra - Secondary School - Intermediate	FIRST
Mixed Vocal Ensemble	Vocal Ensemble - Foreign Language - Mixed Voice	FIRST
	Secondary School - With Piano Accompaniment	
Mixed Choir	Secondary School Choir - Foreign Language - Mixed Voice - Second Division - Junior  Age 15 or under, treble voice only	SECOND
Mixed Choir	Secondary School Choir - Chinese - Mixed Voice - Second Division - Senior	SECOND
Woodwind Ensemble (A)	Woodwind Ensemble - Secondary School - Junior (Combination of Different Instruments)	SECOND
Junior Vocal Ensemble	Vocal Ensemble - Foreign Language - Equal Voice (Treble and / or Female Voices)  Secondary School - With Piano Accompaniment	THIRD
Woodwind Ensemble (B)	Woodwind Ensemble - Secondary School - Junior (Same Instrument)	THIRD
Chinese Orchestra	Chinese Instrumental Ensemble - Secondary School	SILVER
College Symphonic Band	Concert Band - Secondary School - Intermediate	SILVER
String Ensemble (A)	String Ensemble - Secondary School - Senior	SILVER
String Ensemble (B)	String Ensemble - Secondary School - Junior	SILVER
1D Ng Chung To	Graded Piano Solo - Grade Eight	FIRST
1L Lai Yee Lam	Graded Piano Solo - Grade Six	FIRST
4L Au Tsz Ho Marcus	Clarinet Solo - Secondary School - Senior	FIRST
5Y Ho Chung Ting Harry	Vocal Solo - Foreign Language - Baritone / Bass - Secondary School	FIRST &
51 Ho Chung Ting Harry	Age 19 or under (Ms Barbara Fei Vocal Solo Prize Finals - Male Voice)	Winner of the Final
5Y Ho Chung Ting Harry	Vocal Solo - Chinese - Male Voice - Secondary School - Age 16 or under	FIRST
6Y Wu Kong Fung	Vocal Solo - Open - Chinese - Baritone / Bass (Ms Barbara Fei Vocal Solo Prize	FIRST &
or wa Kong Fung	(Open) - Male Voice)	Winner of the Final
1H Cheng King Chun Charlotte	Violin Solo - Grade Five	SECOND
1Y Au Chin Yuet Raphaelle	Violin Solo - Grade Five	SECOND
2H Yao Wang Yip Ethan	Tuba Solo - Secondary School	SECOND
2Y Leung Wing Sze	Graded Piano Solo - Grade Seven	SECOND
3Y Tsang Yuet Sum Aubrey	Vocal Solo - Foreign Language - Female Voice - Secondary School - Age 14 or under	SECOND
4C Liu Jacky Yi Huan	Cello Concerto	SECOND
1L Tang Yuen Hei	Vocal Solo - Foreign Language - Female Voice - Secondary School - Age 14 or under	THIRD
1L Zhu Chenghao	Violin Solo - Grade Seven	THIRD
1C Kwong Yui	Violin Solo - Grade Six	THIRD
6L Mok Samuel Kwan Chung	Original Composition	THIRD
6Y Wu Kong Fung	Vocal Solo - Open - Foreign Language - Baritone / Bass	THIRD



1D Ng Chung To



1H Cheng King Chun Charlotte



1L Lai Yee Lam



1Y Au Chin Yuet Raphaelle



2H Yao Wang Yip Ethan



2Y Leung Wing Sze



3Y Tsang Yuet Sum Aubrey



4C Liu Jacky Yi Huan



4L Au Tsz Ho Marcus



5Y Ho Chung Ting Harry



6Y Wu Kong Fung

#### **Joint School Music Competition 2025**

The Hong Kong Joint School Music Association organized the Joint Schools Music Competition 2025 from March to May this year. Several of our school's music teams participated in the live events and achieved an impressive result of six gold awards! Since the College Chinese Orchestra, College Symphonic Band, Mixed Vocal Ensemble and Treble Vocal Ensemble competitions coincide with our school's midterm exams, our team opted to participate by submitting a video recording instead. The results of this submission are currently pending announcement by the organizers.

Competitor	Description	Award
College Mixed Choir	Secondary School Choir (Senior)	Gold
College Treble Choir	Secondary School Choir (Junior)	Gold
Brass Ensemble	Secondary School Ensemble (Brass)	Gold
Woodwind Ensemble (A)	Secondary School Ensemble (Woodwind)	Gold
Woodwind Ensemble (B)	Secondary School Ensemble (Woodwind)	Gold
College Orchestra	Orchestra (Secondary School)	Gold



Woodwind Ensemble (A) awarded Gold



Woodwind Ensemble (B) awarded Gold

#### **Gala Musica Chamber Compositions Concert**

Our students were thrilled to participate in the Gala Musica Chamber Compositions Concert organized by the Education Bureau (EDB) and co-organized by the Hong Kong Composers' Guild. This event provided an excellent platform to showcase the incredible talents of our students, as nurtured through our Music Creativity Program, guided by our dedicated tutor, Dr Ada Lai.

We are immensely proud of 4D Lee Chun Hei, who received a Certificate of Appreciation for his work 'A Fearful Dream', and 4L Au Tsz Ho Marcus, who earned the Performers' Adjudication Award and was nominated for Hong Kong Composers' Guild Mentorship Scheme with his piece 'Echoes of a Changing City (城市變遷的迴響)'.

Additionally, 6L Samuel Mok Kwan Chung, a previous recipient of two outstanding composition awards, had his composition 'The Spirit Sound (傳承·匠心)' premiered by professional musicians under the guidance of Mr Julian Chan and with the support of the Hong Kong Composers' Guild Mentorship Scheme. Samuel's piece, along with Marcus's composition, beautifully combined Chinese and Western instruments, leaving the audience in awe.



6L Samuel Mok Kwan Chung conducting his own composition during the concert



Prize-giving ceremony during Gala Musica Chamber Compositions Concert



Music Creative Program students and Dr Ada Lai

#### The Hong Kong Academy for Performing Arts' Wind Marathon

Our Symphonic Band, led by Mr Ma Man Ki, was honored to perform at the Wind Marathon, organized by the Hong Kong Academy for Performing Arts (HKAPA) to celebrate its 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and recognize its outstanding alumni.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to our parents for their unwavering support, which has been instrumental in the success of our music program. Congratulations to the HKAPA on its 40 years of excellence, and thank you for inviting us to be part of this memorable celebration!



College Symphonic Band performing at HKAPA Concert Hall



Post-performance group photo

#### **Christmas Carol 2024**

To celebrate the universally joyous occasion of Christmas, more than 30 choir members were invited last December to perform Christmas carols at Ocean Park and Four Seasons Hotel under the guidance of Ms Vivian Suen, bringing extra joy to the festive season with their singing.



College Choir performing at Ocean Park



Group Photo taken after the Ocean Park Performance



Group photo with our supportive parents, taken after our performance at Four Seasons Hotel.

#### Hong Kong Inter-School Choral Festival Mass Choir and Carnival Day

Our Treble Choir and Junior Vocal Ensemble recently represented SSC at two flagship events of the Hong Kong Inter-School Choral Festival (HKICF), demonstrating remarkable musicianship and collaborative spirit.

On 24<sup>th</sup> January 2025, our Treble Choir participated in the non-competitive Mass School Choir Masterclass at Sha Tin Town Hall under the guidance of renowned music educator Dr Susanna Saw, Vice President of the International Kodály Society. This transformative workshop brought together students from across Hong Kong to refine vocal techniques and embrace the joy of ensemble singing through collective learning.

Furthermore, on 5<sup>th</sup> April our Junior Vocal Ensemble joined the premiere HKICF Choral Carnival Day at Central Harbourfront's AIA Vitality Park. In this vibrant outdoor celebration, our students collaborated with the Chamber Boys' Choir of HKBU Affiliated School Wong Kam Fai Secondary and Primary School and the secondary choir from Shenzhen Hong Kong

Pui Kiu College LongHua XinYi School, performing alongside 1,500 singers from over 30 choirs in the two-day event.









HKICF Choral Carinval at Central Harbourfront's AIA Vitality Park



**HKICF Masterclass** 

## Hong Kong Flower Show Performance

On 14<sup>th</sup> March 2025, our school proudly continued its tradition of participating in the Hong Kong Flower Show at Victoria Park. Invited by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD), our talented student groups, including the Chinese Orchestra, Brass Ensemble, Saxophone Ensemble, and Woodwind Ensemble, delivered captivating performances amidst the stunning floral displays.

The event provided a wonderful opportunity for our students to showcase their musical talents while celebrating the beauty of spring. We are deeply grateful for the unwavering support of our parents, whose encouragement and presence made a significant difference to our students' confidence and success.



Chinese Orchestra Performance conducted by Mr Percy Wong



Group Photo of all the performing teams

#### Hong Kong Inter-School Choral Festival Competition Cum Masterclass

Our school's College Mixed Choir and Treble Choir achieved exceptional milestones at the Hong Kong Inter-School Choral Festival (HKICF) 2025. Most notably, both the College Mixed Choir and Treble Choir, conducted by Ms Vivian Suen, earned Gold Awards at the HKICF competition held at Sha Tin Town Hall. Adjudicators praised their musicality, precision, and expressive artistry. Adding to our pride, College Choir pianist 2Y Leung Wing Sze Angel received the "Most Promising Student Pianist" award, spotlighting her exceptional talent. During the festival, students further enriched their skills in masterclasses led by renowned choral experts Mr Caleb Woo and Dr Pawasut Jodi Piriyapongrat.



2Y Leung Wing Sze Angel was awarded Most Promising Student Pianist Award



College Mixed Choir



College Mixed Choir masterclass with Mr Caleb Woo



College Mixed Choir was awarded Gold Award



College Treble Choir



College Treble Choir awarded Gold Award

#### **Choral Masterclasses**

Our College Treble and Mixed Choir recently had the privilege of learning from world-class choral experts, including Ms Anna Semple from the acclaimed British ensemble Tenebrae, HKICF adjudicator Mr Caleb Woo, SSCPS Principal Mr Kelvin Lo, renowned conductors Mr Dominic Lam and Mr Sanders Lau. Their masterclasses refined our singers' technique, musicality, and passion for choral music. We are deeply grateful for their guidance. These experiences continue to inspire us as we strive for excellence in music-making.



Masterclass with Ms Anna Semple



Masterclass with Mr Caleb Woo



Masterclass with Mr Dominic Lam



Masterclass with Mr Kelvin Lo



Masterclass with Mr Sanders Lau

## 77th Hong Kong School Music Festival Winners' Concert

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of April, our music department had the distinct honor of hosting the first-ever Winners' Concert to celebrate the achievement of our young student musicians at the Hong Kong Schools Music Festival, and it was an afternoon to remember!

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to the school staff, conductors, and coaches for their unwavering guidance and expertise. A special thank you also goes to the parents, whose steadfast encouragement and support paved the way for such an outstanding achievement.



Brass Ensemble Performance



Orchestra Performance conducted by Mr Ma Man Ki



String Orchestra Performance conducted by Ms Ida Tse



Vocal Solo - 5Y Harry Ho Performance

#### **Inter-Class Singing Competition 2025**

Our school's unwavering commitment to musical excellence and class cohesion shone through this year's Inter-Class Singing Competition. The journey began with preliminary rounds from April to May, where 24 classes first showcased their talents before culminating in a spectacular finale in the Grand Hall on 22<sup>nd</sup> May.

At the finals, students delivered vibrant performances, showcasing diverse and creative arrangements of their own. Students fully demonstrated their musical talents, youthful energy, and boundless creativity, bringing the audience an unforgettable visual and auditory experience. We were also honored to have an esteemed panel of SSC alumni as adjudicators in the final, including Mr Kevin Leung (SSC Alumni Choir Founder/Conductor), Dr Sarah Lee (Doctor of Music Education; Music Director, Mini Cake Theatre), and Mr Ma Man Ki (SSC Instrumental Music Director) at the Grand Final. We extend our deepest gratitude to the preliminary round adjudicators —Ms Winnie Wong, Mr Samuel Au, Ms Charlotte Ho, Ms Ada Lai, Mr Ma Man Ki, Ms Ida Tse, and Mr Percy Wong — whose expert guidance during the heats nurtured our students' artistic growth and laid the foundation for this exceptional showcase of musical collaboration.

#### Results:

#### Heat

	Champion	1 <sup>st</sup> runner-up	2 <sup>nd</sup> runner-up
S1	1L	1C	1D & 1Y
S2	2H	2J	2Y
S3	3Y	3L	3J
S4	4C	4D	-

#### **Final**

Award	Class(es)
Grand Champion	3Y
Outstanding Music Performance Award	4C, 1L
Outstanding Stage Presentation Award	2H, 3Y
Outstanding Song Arrangement Award	2H, 3Y







Class 1L Class 3Y Class 4C

#### **Celebration lunch**

With the generous sponsorship of the Parent-Teacher Association and Principal Mrs Julie Ma, the Music Department and the Music Society held a celebration lunch on 1<sup>st</sup> April 2025, at the school's Ng Wah Hall. This event was organized to express gratitude to the members of the Choir, Symphony Orchestra, Wind Orchestra, String Orchestra, and Chinese Orchestra for their dedication and hard work in various music competitions throughout the year.

The celebration lunch not only served to recognize the students' outstanding performances but also provided a rare opportunity for everyone to gather and share the joy and honor. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all participants for their enthusiastic involvement and to the Parent-Teacher Association and Principal Mrs Ma for their generous support!



Group photo with the Principal Mrs Ma at celebration lunch

## Relishing Creatives in the Hong Kong Palace Museum Music Composition Competition 2024/25

Inspired by the exhibits of the Hong Kong Palace Museum, students were encouraged to compose Chinese instrumental music. These original compositions will be performed by professional musicians, offering students valuable opportunities for observation and exchange. This initiative aimed to enhance students' creativity and composition skills, deepen their appreciation and understanding of Chinese art, and promote the inheritance of traditional Chinese culture.

This year, four S3 students from our school submitted their works, achieving commendable results with 1 silver and 3 bronze awards. Particularly, Jin Ningjing's composition was selected to be performed at the Prize Presentation Ceremony cum Concert, which will be held on 18<sup>th</sup> July 2025 at The Hong Kong Jockey Club Auditorium, Hong Kong Palace Museum.

Student	Award
3L Jin Ningjing	Outstanding Award (Solo) - Silver prize
3L Deng Penghui, Penny	Outstanding Award (Solo) - Bronze prize
3L Li Congxin	Outstanding Award (Solo) - Bronze prize
3Y Sham Fei, Valery	Outstanding Award (Solo) - Bronze prize

## Creative Ceramic Programme

The Creative Ceramic Programme provides continuous opportunities for students to interact with a working artist while simultaneously developing their creativity and aesthetic capabilities. Mr Chu Kai Man, a studio potter, and an instructor, has been invited as resident artist in the College.









#### Graduation Art Show 2025

The Graduation Art Show was held in Central Square from 7<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> January 2025. In the Show, graduates not only showcased their learning outcome, but also communicated their thoughts on art with the public. Exhibits included works on canvas, drawings, sculptures, clay works as well as printmaking.







## Sports News

#### **Badminton**

At the Inter-School Badminton Competition, our Girls A Badminton team was the third runner-up, while the Girls C team won champion. Overall, the Girls team came second.





## Volleyball

At the Inter-School Volleyball Competition, our Boys B and Boys C volleyball teams both achieved third runner-up.





Boys B Volleyball Team

Boys C Volleyball Team

#### Basketball

At the Inter-School Basketball Competition, our Girls B basketball team got the first runner-up.



#### **Table Tennis**

At the Inter-School Table Tennis Competition, our Girls C table tennis team was the second runner-up.



#### Tennis

Our Girls tennis team won the Girls Championship at the Inter-School Tennis Competition.





#### Archery

At the HK Island & Kowloon Secondary Schools Competition-BOCHK Archery Cup 2024-2025, 1L Ho Lik Hang Lincoln came sixth in Boys C grade.

#### **Cross Country**

**Inter-School Cross Country Competition** 

Gender	Grade	Place	Student
	В	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4Y Au Oi Yu Angelina
		Overall Champion	
Girls	С	9 <sup>th</sup>	1J Tam Cordelia Poppy Qian Wen
			Overall 4 <sup>th</sup>
	Overall 3 <sup>rd</sup>		
	В	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4Y Ma Markus
		5 <sup>th</sup>	2C Sze Ming Yin
Boys			Overall 2 <sup>nd</sup>
	С	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2C Chan Tsz Long
			Overall 3 <sup>rd</sup>



Individual Prize Winners



Girls Overall came third and Boys Overall also came third.



Boys B came second.



Girls B won the champion and Girls C came fourth







#### **Inter-House Cross Country Competition**

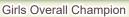
#### Overall Results

Grade	Champion House
Girls A	Barnett
Girls B	College
Girls C	Martin
Girls Overall	College
Boys A	Hewitt
Boys B	Martin
Boys C	Martin
Boys Overall	Hewitt
Overall Champion	Martin



House Overall Champion







Boys Overall Champion

#### **Top Ten Winners**

Place	Girls A	Girls B	Girls C
1 <sup>st</sup>	5L Chan Ying Chuk (B)	4Y Au Oi Yu Angelina (M)	1J Tam Cordelia Poppy Qian Wen (M)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	5D Yang Lin Xi (B)	2H Ngan Chloe Hoi Yiu (S)	1L Keung Hei Shun (C)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	5D Ng Hoi Ying Hannah (C)	4Y Yip Blair Po Yi (C)	2C Ng Tsz Yu (C)
4 <sup>th</sup>	6H Li Kaiqi (S)	4L Ma Ho Ho (C)	1H Akashi Saki (S)
5 <sup>th</sup>	5L Chan Wing Sum Kristen (H)	3D Chan Jenkie Katelyn (C)	2Y Lau Kit Ching Ansley (B)
6 <sup>th</sup>	5L Woo Shun Yuen Juliet (S)	4D Cheung Hoi Ki (M)	1L Lai Yat Ching (M)
7 <sup>th</sup>	5J Lam Ching Wing (P)	3C Zhang Zirun (P)	1L Tang Yuen Hei (P)
8 <sup>th</sup>	5L Lyu Xianhe (H)	3Y Khan Sofia (P)	1C Kwok Kiu Sum (M)
9 <sup>th</sup>	6D Lai Yu Tung (B)	3H Chen Yiyun (P)	1C Sze Allie (B)
10 <sup>th</sup>	5L Ng Yi Ching (C)	4D Cheung Chi Yan (S)	1C Ling Alicia Zu-yi (P)

Place	Boys A	Boys B	Boys C
1 <sup>st</sup>	6L Sy Nok Him (H)	4Y Ma Markus (M)	2C Chan Tsz Long (C)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	5H Cheng Yu Tung Austin (H)	2C Sze Ming Yin (H)	2L Cheng Kyle Gordon (H)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	4D Yiu Cheuk On Caspar (H)	4D Fung Chun Hei (C)	2H Pan Liming Daniel (M)
4 <sup>th</sup>	5H Tam Yuk Wang (H)	3C Yuen Cenam (M)	2H Chen Matthew (B)
5 <sup>th</sup>	5D Qin Zhenghong (S)	3C Tam Yuk Hon (H)	1J Lai Man Him Nicolas (B)
6 <sup>th</sup>	5H Lee Yuk Yu (S)	4D Chau Sung Joon (M)	1H Leung Tsz Tsung (M)
7 <sup>th</sup>	5Y Mok Timothy Kwan Yeung (S)	4Y Wong Long Yiu Lester (M)	1H Cheung Chapman (S)
8 <sup>th</sup>	5H Lai Kin On (P)	3Y Pang Cho Shing (P)	1H Cheng Zing Ethan (M)
9 <sup>th</sup>	5L Wong Pakho (M)	3J Wei Zhen Hai (H)	2L Chan Keison (C)
10 <sup>th</sup>	6L Wong Chi Mong (H)	3Y Leung Chun Yeung (H)	2D Fung Cheuk Kiu (H)



#### Fencing

At the Inter-School Fencing Competition, 4Y Chen Zhimo Canny was second in the individual Girls B grade Foil competition, 1Y Li Yi Ching came third in Girls C Epee, and 1L Keung Hei Shun came third in Girls C Foil.





#### **Football**

At the Inter-School Football Competition, our Boys B team got first runner-up.



#### **Basketball**

At the Inter-School Basketball Competition, our Boys C team got second runner-up.



#### **Inter-House Swimming Gala**

Grade	Champion House
Boys A	Hewitt
Boys B	Martin
Boys C	Priestley
Boys Overall	Martin
Girls A	Barnett
Girls B	College
Girls C	Priestley
Girls Overall	Priestley
Overall	Priestley



Boys A Champion



Boys B Champion







**Boys Overall Champion** 



Girls A Champion



Girls B Champion



Girls C Champion, Girls Overall Champion and House Overall Champion

## 家長教師會深圳一日遊

年家長教師會舉辦的春季旅遊對聖士提反書院來說格外特別,因為我們首次走 一 出香港,前往深圳進行探索。此次活動於三月二十九日舉行,吸引了一百零六名參加者,包括校長、老師、家長和學生。雖然天氣陰雲密布,但幸運的是並沒有下雨,讓我們的行程得以順利進行。

早上九時正,我們在落馬洲福田站集合,隨後搭乘旅遊巴前往甘坑小鎮。這裡的 風景如畫,讓人流連忘返,許多人把握機會拍照留念。此外,鎮上的小吃更是琳琅滿 目,讓大家大快朵頤。

在午餐前,我們參加了特別安排的工作坊,學習製作木筷子、香囊和染扇。親手製作這些傳統工藝品,不僅讓我們體驗了中國文化,還增強了團隊合作的精神,大家都感到非常有成就感。

午餐時,我們在鳳凰客家餐廳享用了美味的菜餚,並舉行了抽獎遊戲,氣氛熱鬧 非凡,增進了校長、老師、家長和學生之間的友誼。

餐後,我們又坐上旅遊巴,前往中國聯通數位化創新體驗中心。在那裡,我們體驗了中國現代科技的最新成果,了解其對我們日常生活的影響。這次參觀讓每個人都 大開眼界,對科技的發展有了更深的認識。

此次春季旅遊不僅增進了彼此之間的友誼,也讓我們更好地了解了中國的文化和 科技,讓每位參加者都留下了美好的回憶。期待大家明年再踴躍參加家長教師會舉辦 的春季旅遊!













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# 生命教育系列 - 家長教師會晚餐講座: 粤港澳大灣區的發展為我們香港新一代帶來的機遇

中國整體發展藍圖中,粵港澳大灣區旨在加強區內主要城市的<mark>交流和合作,以創新及協作的方式提升優質而高效</mark> 的經濟發展。從香港的角度來看,這將會給我們帶來什麼機遇及挑戰?這對我們及我們的下一代會有什麼影響?

家長教師會非常榮幸邀請到李浩然博士為我們於晚餐講座分享。李浩然博士(榮譽勳章,太平紳士)現任香港特區 立法會議員、全國人大常委會香港基本法委員會委員、基本法基金會會長、中國文化研究院理事、團結香港基金顧問及 北京市政協委員。在商界,李博士是華潤集團大灣區戰略官、華潤創業董事及副總裁。

講座在二零二五年三月七日於金鐘舉行,共有超過五十名家長、老師及同學參加。李博士讓我們能更深入地了解粵港澳大灣區的特點,以至未來大灣區發展所需要的人才,尤其是複合性人才,應該具備的特質。其中,講者也就如何培養香港新一代人才提供一些方向性建議,例如:保持開放的態度、增廣見識、加強表達能力及團隊合作性(共融能力);以及講解未來企業發展趨勢:超大型或微細企業將更能突破限制,更具備發展空間。講者觀點清晰易明,又有系統性的數據支持。參加者除了享用一頓美味的晚餐外,也被啟發了去思考未來香港青年人的發展方向,獲益良多。



駱秀蘭女士 家長教師會司庫





## SSC S6 Cheerio Day

ce cream, cotton candy, popcorn, and egg waffles = fun, friendship, and unforgettable memories!

Co-sponsored by the School, Principal Mrs. Ma, and SSCPTA, a special event was held on 6<sup>th</sup> March 2025 to cheer for our S6 students on their last day before the public exams. A heartfelt thank you to the more than 30 parent volunteers who staffed our booths at the Student Center, Centenary Building, and Grand Hall, ensuring a steady supply of delicious treats throughout the day.





On Cheerio Day, the cotton candy, popcorn, and egg waffles were freshly made by our parent volunteers on the spot, creating a delightful atmosphere filled with sweet aromas and cheerful sounds. All students and staff were invited to enjoy these



tasty snacks, and the excitement was palpable as everyone savored each treat. Many expressed their appreciation for the hard work of the parents who prepared the snacks, making the day even more special.

Through this event, we wish to bless the graduates every success in their public exams, and extend our gratitude to Principal Mrs. Ma, along with all teachers and staff, for their dedication and guidance to our students.









Ms Vivian Lau Chairlady of PTA

## 香港聖雅各福群會食物銀行「賀年禮品轉贈計劃」

每年聖士提反書院家長教師會聯同小學部家長教師會共同參與,家長學生們積極捐贈 賀年食品、禮盒,從中學習關愛與分享。今年,活動反應熱烈,捐贈數量再創新高,展現 社區互助精神。此舉不僅減少浪費,更讓學生體會施比受更有福,攜手傳遞節日祝福。







張玉嫦女士 家長教師會委員 義丁服務組**負**責人

## 家長教師會親子長者家訪

心感謝各位家長和學生的熱情參與,以及社工團隊的精心安排,讓我們的親子長者家訪活動圓滿舉行。活動中, 我們遇見許多令人動容的畫面:一位患有眼疾的長者是由外傭照顧,她很少有機會與人深入交流,婆婆雖然看不 清楚,但當她見到家長和孩子們時,臉上洋溢著幸福的笑容,馬上說個不停,直到我們離開時,她也走出門外向我們 說:「我送你們吧」;另一位由年邁家人照顧的輪椅婆婆起初一直自責,還不斷重複「我沒用了」,直到孩子們跟她 說話,才終於展露笑顏。這些只是眾多案例中的兩個縮影。

特別令人感動的,是探訪結束後,兩位熱心的長者義工主動帶領我們遊覽赤柱,沿途詳細講解這個地區的歷史變遷。他們生動的敘述讓孩子們聽得入迷,連家長們也收穫良多。老人家們將自己的人生閱歷與社區故事娓娓道來,為這次活動增添了意外的文化色彩。

這次探訪讓我們深刻體會到,即使有家人或外傭照料,長者們的心靈依然渴望溫暖。外傭 對環境陌生,年邁的照顧者力不從心,這些隱形的需求更需要社會關注。特別感動的是平時活 潑好動的孩子們,此刻都變成了貼心的傾聽者。

臨別時長者們依依不捨的眼神,讓我們明白這不僅僅是一次活動,更是一份需要延續的承諾。期待未來能繼續為長者帶來更多溫暖時光。





## PTA Study Pathway Talk: Roadmap for Overseus Study

The Study Pathway Talk held on 10<sup>th</sup> May 2025, was a remarkable success, with over 200 students and parents in attendance. Recognizing the considerable interest among SSC families in pursuing overseas education, this event aimed to provide a comprehensive roadmap for both students and parents navigating the complexities of international study options.

The talk featured an insightful lineup of speakers, including Mr Corwin Kan, SSC Assistant Principal & Career Master; Ms Chloe Wong, SSC University Guidance Counsellor; Ms Helen Chan from Go Oxbridge; and Mr Rennie Wong, a Registered Social Worker at HKFYG. Their collective expertise offered invaluable guidance about the various pathways to overseas universities.

We are thrilled with the positive feedback received and look forward to continuing to support our students in their educational journeys.













Ms Chrisly Wong PTA Exco Member Pre-University Education Committee

## PTA Career Talk "Beyond the Horizon: Unlocking Opportunities in Further Education"

Selecting the right study pathway is foundational for students' academic success, career fulfillment, and overall well-being. It requires careful consideration of personal interests, strengths, and future aspirations. Students who choose a field that matches their skills and passions are more likely to find fulfilling work after graduation.

At the beginning of this year, a career talk titled "Beyond the Horizon: Unlocking Opportunities in Further Education" was held for our students and parents on 25<sup>th</sup> January 2025 in Grand Hall, Benevolence House. The event aimed to support parents and students in making informed choices.

With over 300 parents across six forms in attendance, it was a resounding success. This high attendance rate underscores the significant interest within the SSC community in exploring education opportunities.

We extend our gratitude to the speakers for sharing their valuable insights on various study options, including pathways in Hong Kong as well as popular overseas destinations:

Mr Corwin Kan, SSC Assistant Principal & Career Master Ms Celine Chan, SSC University Guidance Counsellor

Ms Chloe Leung, SSC University Guidance Counsellor

Mr Rennie Wong, Registered Social Worker at HKFYG

Special thanks to our Principal, Mrs Ma, for her support and presence at the event.













## 園藝心靈工作坊

今年二月份,我們很榮幸再次邀請到宗教教育中心的林世華姑娘,於聖保羅堂為大家舉辦了一場園藝治療活動。這場活動以「療癒心靈 栽種希望」為主題,透過與植物的親密互動,讓參與者體驗了一場身心靈的放鬆之旅。

活動當天,我們精心準備了豐富多樣的材料:各式小巧可愛的多肉植物、富含營養的泥土、色彩斑斕的裝飾碎石,以及充滿童趣的迷你擺設。在林姑娘專業而溫柔的引導下,五十多位老師和家長們隨著自己的呼吸節奏,逐步將這些元素組合成獨一無二的微景觀盆栽。

看著大家從一開始的緊張期待,到後來全神貫注地投入創作,最後捧著自己精心設計的盆栽露出滿足的笑容,這場活動確實達到了預期的療癒效果。許多參與者回饋表示,這樣的創作過程讓他們暫時忘卻日常壓力,找回內心的平靜。

這些承載著美好心意的微景觀盆栽,不僅是活動的成果,更 象徵著每個人心中那份對美好生活的嚮往與期待。我們期待未來 能持續舉辦這類活動,讓更多人在繁忙生活中找到一處安頓心靈 的綠洲。







黃嘉儀女士 家長教師會委員 家長支援組負責人





## 靜觀家長體驗工作坊

**河** 剛過去的四月,我們在聖士提反書院尚善樓舉辦了《靜觀家長體驗工作坊》,邀請到資深臨床心理學家及靜觀導師陳燕妮女士擔任講者。陳女士以生動而深刻的方式,帶領家長們探索靜觀與教養子女的結合。

活動中,我們不僅學習了教養子女相關的心得與知識,更親身體驗了「靜觀步行」、「靜觀呼吸」等練習。其中,二人分享環節尤為難忘——我與夥伴Anita透過「三分鐘純然聆聽」的練習(不反駁、不插話,全然專注於對方的分享),意外收穫了許多溫暖而深刻的人生故事。這種純粹的傾聽,讓我們體會到人與人之間最真誠的連結。

尾聲時,導師提問:「今天最觸動你的收穫是什麼?」對我而言,「靜觀步行」的實踐無疑是最大的啟發。原來

在繁忙生活中調節情緒,可以如此簡單——只需專注於每一步的當下。這兩個月來,我持續練習,真切感受到它的益處。

唯一的小遺憾是當日天公不造美,未能進行戶外步行練習。期待新學年能再次舉辦類似活動,讓更多家長體驗靜觀的力量,在分享與學習中共同成長。















