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## Message from principal



### Three Things That High-caliber Children Should Have



Principal Wong Sin Wan, Cindy

Technological progress, as well as social and cultural changes, has affected how people think. Children today are smarter and more diverse than those ten years ago. Hence, nurturing them for success is a long and challenging mission. When the child was still in the womb, parents often worried about safely giving birth. When the child was born, parents feared that the child would get sick and sad. When the child played too much, there were concerns about not learning enough because he cannot only “win at the starting line” and be left out by society later in life. Urging children to study all the time actually impedes their developmental needs, so the focus of education today is no longer just imparting knowledge, but also cultivating children’s attitude towards people and things, and their physical constitution, emotional intelligence and values.

To be successful in raising high-caliber children, they must learn the three things below at the soonest time. First, children should learn to “be ready,” i.e. children must be more active and avoid becoming couch potatoes. When children strengthen their muscles, they will naturally establish a good, stable skeletal muscle foundation that enables their bodies to support a good posture in sitting, walking and standing, a sound mind that is open to active participation in activities, and capable of thinking or seeking help when there are difficulties and following the instructions of games with rules. Secondly, they must learn to “be responsible” because only responsible people take initiative and learn for themselves. Children nowadays have their “own opinions” at a young age. Parents may try to respect their child’s decisions and aspirations, but they should remind them about the possible consequences and teach them to take responsibility for their actions. For example, if the child does not want to eat, parents should respect his choice but tell him that he will feel hungry. When children experience hunger, they would realize that they need to eat at mealtimes. In addition, children should be responsible for cleaning up their toys. If the child fails to voluntarily do so, parents can guide them or clean up the toys with them, but parents should insist on doing it together because the child should learn to be responsible. A child who can assume responsibility for his actions can develop spontaneous learning and understand that learning is personal and not about their parents or their teachers.

Lastly, children must learn to “be respectful,” i.e. we need to cultivate children to consciously respect other people, respect animals and respect the environment. In other words, parents should help children gradually transition from being “individuals” to becoming “society members” so they develop the drive to keep improving. Nowadays, many children ask their parents, workers, and even their grandparents to do things for them without saying “thank you” and feeling “grateful.” They claim anything enjoyable at home as theirs; otherwise, they get miserable and lose their temper. These behaviors may not be concerning to some parents because for them, it’s their way of showing love to their children. However, these actions actually affect a child’s development, even for a lifetime.

Every day, a child’s brain works twice as hard as a college student’s and more than thrice of an adult’s. The neurons of children grow in response to good external stimuli. Hence, “diversity” is a key aspect of a child’s brain development. Based on experience, learning these three things will greatly benefit a child’s growth and learning. Writing posture, learning ability and attitude, language development and collaboration skills, communication skills, creativity, critical thinking skills, IT skills, numeracy skills, problem-solving skills, self-management skills, study skills, etc. will all rapidly develop, and that is just the icing on the cake! Let us work together to secure a better future for our children.

# 2020-2021 K1 Class Report

For K1 students, 29<sup>th</sup> Sep 2020 was the big day they had all been waiting for school open day. In a blink of an eye, we have been together for more than four months already. It has been my great pleasure to be the class advisor of K1 class for this school year and witness the excitement of these lovely kids . There were ZOOM classes prior to formal face-to-face classes so students could meet and mingle with us. This way, children could keep their spirits high when they begin taking face-to-face classes. Some students even took the initiative to share their school experiences with their families. For this, I am both delighted and grateful. Moreover, the smiles on the faces of children have become the driving force for teachers to work harder so we can learn, improve and grow together with them. Even though classes had to be suspended again on 14<sup>th</sup> November due to the epidemic, we shall meet online for the time being. Despite this, I am really proud of all of you for keeping motivated to learn and engaged in class! In the years to come, I hope that children can grow up healthy and happy, stay kind-hearted and be good children who can love themselves, their family, their teachers and their classmates.



Miss Kee

Miss Au

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Miss Chong

Miss Lau

## K1 Student's School Life



K1A



K1B



K1C



K1W



The school helped us celebrate our birthday, so happy!



Conversation with Net teachers is easy !



2 Search, what animal is in the negative?



How does the car go on the incline?



Look! I changed the color of the world

# 2020-2021 K2 Class Report

In a blink of an eye, the 1<sup>st</sup> Semester of the school year is about to end and you have become senior to your K2 peers. Going back to the preparations for the new school year, we were worried, on one hand, that you would need to re-adapt to school life brought by the suspension of K1 classes for the next school year. At the same time, we were looking forward to reuniting with you. When face-to-face classes resumed in late September, we were glad to have witnessed your transformation and growth. You greeted teachers and the principal voluntarily, took epidemic prevention measures seriously, and were more engaged in learning. You are no longer kids dependent on parents to look after you but are now children full of energy and eagerness in learning. During the epidemic, you kept the zeal for learning and worked hard to confront different challenges. For this school year, even though you spent less time in the kindergarten with the principal, class advisor, teachers, senior schoolmates and peers, it is a blessing to have accompanied and witnessed your growth. We look forward to making more wonderful memories with all of you in the next semester. Finally, we wish all of you good health and the drive to keep moving forward!



Miss Lai



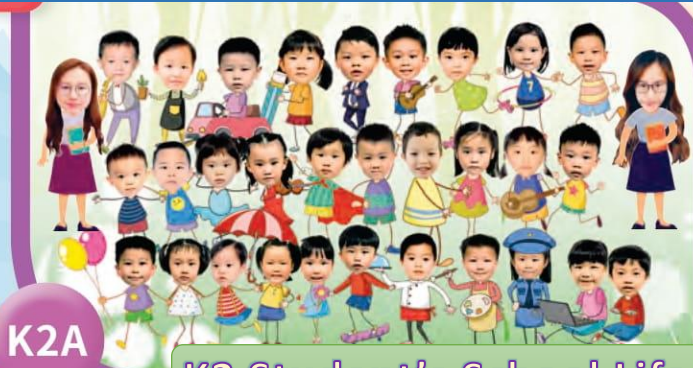
Miss Lau



Miss So



Mr. Wong



K2A



K2B

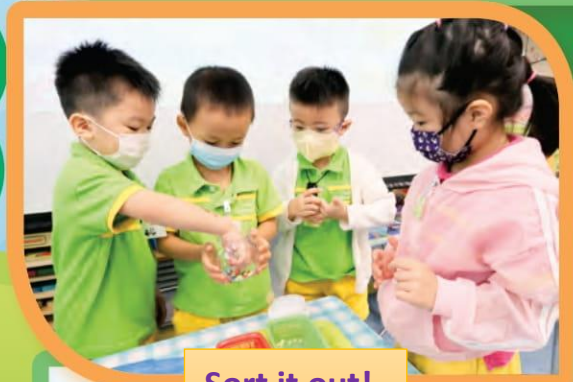
## K2 Student's School Life



K2C



K2D



Sort it out!



Happy Birthday Party



Successfully made the eco ball, Yeah!



Do you know what we're pretending to be?



Let see who can point out the answer faster!



trick or treat!

# 2020-2021 K3 Class Report

In a blink of an eye, students have completed the curriculum for the 1<sup>st</sup> Semester. Even though the semester only held around two months of classes, teachers have seen you grow and transform in a short matter of time. Due to the epidemic, K3 students only attended a few months of classes last year. As your teacher, I feel bad about the lack of systematic and formal learning, which may have affected your state of mind and adaptation skills. Luckily, K3 students did not only manage to familiarize themselves with the K3 curriculum, but they were also able to adapt to the different classroom epidemic prevention measures, which goes to show that you are still eager learners and children full of energy. Students have strengthened their collaboration skills and boosted their self-confidence by learning new vocabulary and improving comprehension and reading skills from picture book stories. Creating artwork also increased their imagination and creativity. Furthermore, exploratory activities inspired students' curiosity and improved problem-solving skills. The smiles that students bring to the ZOOM classroom every day have been our biggest motivation and gratification. We wish all parents and students' good health and happiness!

Miss Cheung

Miss Chong

Miss Ng

Miss Cheung



K3A



K3B

## K3 Student's School Life



K3C



K3W



Barefoot feels different !



We must catch it !



enlarge! Zoom out? Come and see !



Add beautiful patterns to new clothes



Exploring the Balance of Small Airplanes



Look! our art flowers

# Advanced and Enjoyable Learning Field



# Games at Home



Games at Home



Play and Dance



Occupational therapist,  
Little knowledge



Big Muscle Home Activities



Small Muscle Home Activities

Learn Mandarin & English  
Easily



Fun Mandarin



Happy English (K1)



Happy English (K2)



Happy English (K3)

## Message from Net teachers

Hello, my name is Iana. As a hardworking and enthusiastic teacher, I'm passionate about education and eager to instil a love for learning in others. I am happy that the students with a wide range of social, emotional and educational needs are engaged in our interactive lessons. My students inspire me to broaden my knowledge and experience as a teacher. It would be a joy for me to see my students develop a love for learning.



**NET Teacher Ms. Iana (K1)**

Hello everyone, my name is Iqra. I'm grateful to have the liberty to design fruitful lessons for my students. Teaching is my passion, and students enjoy my lessons with a lot of energy to participate. Students discover the joy of learning from building basic vocabulary and conversational skills to learning complex grammar rules and sentence structures while making memories they can reflect on years later.



**NET Teacher Ms. Iqra (K2)**

Hello! My name is Vinita. I am very passionate about working with young learners. I am pleased to see that our students have a lot of opportunities in terms of learning and playing for our students. The students are genuinely happy and engaged in our English Lessons. They love games and are always willing to participate in interactive class activities. Hopefully, with the right guidance, the children will have a positive attitude towards life.



**NET Teacher Ms. Vinita (K3)**

## Message from Mandarin teacher

As a teacher, the happiest thing is that the children use their voices to talk in Mandarin, so whenever I hear them say hello and sing nursery rhymes in Mandarin, I feel very happy. Seeing that some children were afraid to speak Mandarin from the beginning, but then they can perform recitations confidently, I felt comforted and encouraged. In the new school year, I will continue to integrate into the world of the children and accompany them to study happily together.

\* Mandarin teacher Miss Lee



## Message from Parents

In a blink of an eye, the 1st Semester is coming to an end. Even though there were only a few hours of class time because of the epidemic, children always felt the warmth whenever they returned to school, which is great! I really appreciate the efforts of all the teachers in preparing for the online classes. Sze Mei always looked forward to these classes and studied really hard to the point that she never wanted the class to end! Each aspect of a child's development is always associated with a teacher's hard work and guidance. I express my utmost thanks to the school and teachers for cultivating students to become independent learners and for also emphasizing moral education and holistic development that encompasses moral, intellectual and physical growth. During this period, we stayed at home to fight the epidemic. We look forward to going back to school and reuniting with teachers soon!



\*Parent of K1C Lau Sze Mei

My dear, our lives have become colorful and unique with you around each day. Even though you were not able to go to school during the epidemic, you still received immeasurable care from the school and your teachers, giving you appropriate room to practice the things you've learned. We sincerely express our gratitude to the school and teachers for their hard work. Mom and dad feel so fortunate and proud of you. We hope that you will always be happy and grow up healthy.



\* Parents of K2A Fok Yeuk Lam

I'm glad to be given this opportunity to say thank you to the principal and teachers. Thank you for your love and concern for Ka Nam. I've been going in and out of the school for 7 years already and Ka Nam is now about to graduate. Every year, the school goes through different transformations and changes. Teachers would retire, become parents or get promoted, and there will be new ones, too. Every summer, the school would also slightly renovate the campus and replace some facilities to give students a fresh environment for the new school year. I really appreciate the replacement of the flooring for the playground in the early years to minimize the risk of children getting injured when playing and to reduce the pressure on children's joints when they practice choreographed dancing. All these actions reflect the school's love for its students. This year is very special, filled with many challenges, marked by the epidemic that forced classes to be suspended. Graduation is an end but also a new beginning. I hope students will remember their teachers' instructions, continue to study hard and enjoy primary school life to the fullest! I wish all of you good health and success in work!



\* Parent of K3B Ng Ka Nam



# Home Epidemic Prevention Tips



Use 1:99 diluted household bleach to clean the house and then wipe dry using clean water.

Regularly pour water (about half a liter) into the U-trap in drainage pipes.

When the exhaust fan is on, do not close the doors and windows.

Pack garbage well before placing them inside a garbage bin with cover. The garbage bin should be cleaned at least once a day and disinfected regularly with 1:49 diluted household bleach.



## Fun Games

(Epidemic prevention measures you need to know!)



Wear a mask



Maintain good indoor ventilation



Observe social distancing



Wash hands regularly



After using the toilet, put the toilet lid and flush

Make sure both hands are clean

Avoid staining clothes with bacteria-laden wastewater

Reduce contact with infected people

Good ventilation can reduce the number of bacteria in the air

Prevent respiratory infections

Answer :

