

Lock Tao Christian Kindergarten
Year of 2021-2022
Principal Testimony (I)

Dear parents,

Hello! Wish you peace in Christ!

I am grateful that our children could go to school on 1st of September this academic year. Time flies and it has already been 3 months.

K1 New Student Adaptation

Children are growing up day by day, their enthusiasm to go to school with smiley face makes parents and teachers feel gratified. At the beginning of the school term, children in K1 went to school with company of parents. They have been adapting their school life bit by bit, and they have been establishing trust and sense of security with our teachers and janitors as well. Now they are able to follow their daily schedule conducting different learning games and activities.



Catering for Learner Diversity

We appreciate the uniqueness, strengths and attributes of every child, and we give compliments and encouragements to them in order to enhance their learning motivation and effectiveness. There are children from different countries among us. They have different cultural backgrounds and traditions. Other than daily contact, we help children to learn Chinese through systematic and structured language course so that they could build up their interpersonal relationships with peers.



Fostering the Socio-emotional Development of Children

We value children’s socio-emotional development very much. Their social-emotional competence and other developments, such as mental health, peer relationships and altruistic behaviours, are closely related.

K2 “3Es Project”

In order to facilitate the socio-emotional development of children, we have arranged “3Es Project” Enhancing Kindergarten Teachers’ Competence in Promoting Students’ Social-Emotional Development for K2 children. It aims to build up school-based support mode of “Early prevention, Early identification and Early intervention”. Through tier support system, we use diverse game activities for K2 and K3 to learn and internalize the skills of the 4 areas, including “emotion expression”, “emotion management”, “emotion control”, as well as “empathy and altruistic behaviour”, in catering diverse needs of kindergarten children in the aspects of social and emotional development. It helps children to learn about emotions, build up good social and moral development through games, role plays and discussions etc.



K3 – “KIMOCHIS Child Emotion Education Course”

K3 children are arranged to have the “KIMOCHIS Child Emotion Education Course”. There are 3 units and each unit has 10 sessions, which means there are 30 sessions in total.

Unit 1: Children start to understand themselves and others through introducing the characters.

Unit 2: The key for communications helps children to learn self-regulation and self-motivation, as well as empathy and social skills on self-expression.

Unit 3: Learn emotions, empathy, emotion expression and management.



Home-school Collaboration Nurtures Children to Grow up

Children need parents to nurture them with all their heart in order for them to grow up healthily and happily. We have organised parent meetings, parent seminars, P.1 parent talks, parent-child workshops and outdoor parent-child activity etc., in order to help parents understand the needs of children through diverse activities, so that parents could grasp more effective skills and methods to teach their children fostering balanced development of them.



School News

1. Our application for the Quality Education Fund on promoting "My Pledge to Act - Be grateful and treasure what we have, stay positive and optimistic" Funding Programme was approved.
2. Our school has participated in the School-based Teacher Development Project on Enhancing Kindergarten Teachers' Competence in Promoting Students' Social-Emotional Development: 3Es Project.
3. Our school has participated in the HKidsMOVE project of the Education University of Hong Kong.
4. Our school has participated in the Jockey Club 'CoolPlay' Project

Blessing you will all my heart.

May the grace of Jesus Christ, the love of our Lord, and the sensation of the Holy Spirit, be always with us. Now and forever.

Your faithfully,
Ho Mun Yan (Principal)
30th November, 2021

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Words from Principal (I) Feedback Form**

Thank you for reading the “Words from Principal”. Please write your thoughts down, such as your thoughts, your precious comments, and things that you appreciate, in facilitating home-school collaboration and nurturing our children together.
