



ELCHK Lutheran Secondary School

Parent's Notice 23051 'Combined Notices' (eNotice)

2/5/2024

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

1. Arrangements for Attending School in Inclement Weather Conditions

The weather in Hong Kong has become increasingly unstable in recent days. In the event of severe weather, parents can obtain the latest information via various channels to arrange for your children to go to school, including mass media, the EDB website, the EDB hotline and the GovHK website. For details, please see Attachment 1.

Should you have any enquiries, please contact Mr. Ng, the Vice Principal, or Ms. Chak, the Deputy Head of the School Development Committee at 27802291.

2. Student Grant e-Submission – Promotion for Parents

The Education Bureau has implemented the electronic submission (e-Submission) of applications for a student grant (\$2,500) in government, aided, caput and Direct Subsidy Scheme (DSS) schools in the 2023/24 school year. To submit online applications, parents must have a user account with "iAM Smart+" with digital signing function. For details, please see Attachment 2.

Should you have any enquiries, please contact Ms. Lau, the Deputy Head of the School Development Committee.

3. LSS Goodwill Campaign – 'Sharing Backpacks, Sharing Love'

Students have heavy workloads nowadays. Their backpacks are wearing out more and more quickly. Thank you to those who have donated a collection of fashionable backpacks to needy students in school. In order to make best use of the resources, if students' backpacks are damaged or old, they can apply to participate in the campaign: "Sharing Backpacks, Sharing Love". For details, please see Attachment 3.

Should you have any enquiries, please contact Mr. Ng, the Vice Principal, or Ms. Lau, the Deputy Head of the School Development Committee.

4. 'Singapore Cultural Exchange Tour' (Applicable to S.1 to S.4)

To broaden students' horizons, develop their awareness of being a global citizen as well as to learn about the cultural diversity of Singapore, our school will host a 5 days/4 nights 'Singapore Cultural Exchange Tour' from 29th June (Sat) to 3rd July (Wed). For details, please see Attachment 4.

Should you have any enquiries, please contact Mr. Ng, the Vice Principal, or Mr. Wong, the teacher-in-charge.

Please submit the reply slip to the class teacher by 6/5 (Mon).

Yours faithfully,

Mr. Liang Kwun Fan
Principal



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(Reply Slip) Parent's Notice 23051 'Combined Notices' (eNotice)

[Submit the Reply Slip to class teacher by 6/5]

Dear Principal,

I have read and understood the information in this notice and my replies are as follows:

1. 'Singapore Cultural Exchange Tour' (Applicable to S.1 to S.4)

I agree for my child to participate in the 'Singapore Cultural Exchange Tour': to be held from 29th June (Sat) to 3rd July (Wed).

I do not agree for my child to participate in the 'Singapore Cultural Exchange Tour'.

Student's Name: _____ Parent's Signature: _____

Class: _____ () Parent's Name: _____

Arrangements for Attending School In Inclement Weather Conditions

1. When inclement weather may affect the safety of students, according to the latest information provided by the Hong Kong Observatory (HKO), the Education Bureau (EDB) will announce the school suspension arrangements for the relevant periods via the following channels:
 - 1.1 The mass media;
 - 1.2 The EDB website: <https://www.edb.gov.hk/en> ;
 - 1.3 The EDB hotline (Tel: 28910088), or
 - 1.4 The GovHK website:
http://www.gov.hk/en/theme/govhknotifications/?category=OGCMN052*&lang=en
2. When a RED or BLACK Rainstorm Warning Signal has been issued, students will continue the lessons until the end of normal school hours; schools will ensure that conditions are safe before allowing students to return home. Parents do not need to pick up their children from school immediately.
3. In addition, as the situations in localised area(s) may differ from the territory as a whole, emergencies may also arise unexpectedly. Such situations should be handled in accordance with the individual circumstances in a flexible manner to ensure the safety of students by the school. In this regard, the EDB Circular has stipulated that parents can exercise their discretion in deciding whether or not to send their children to school in response to the weather conditions. They should keep their children at home if the local weather, roads, slopes or traffic present adverse conditions. Schools will exercise discretion in handling cases where students are late to/absent from school due to parental decisions regarding inclement weather or flooding. Correspondingly, students will not be penalised in such cases.
4. Parents may acquire the latest weather conditions via the following webpage or mobile app:
 - 4.1 The HKO webpage on “Weather Information for Schools”:
<https://www.hko.gov.hk/en/school/school.htm>
 - 4.2 The mobile App “MyObservatory”: <https://www.hko.gov.hk/en/myobservatory.htm>

Student Grant e-Submission – Promotion for Parents

1. To submit online applications, parents must have a user account with “iAM Smart+” with digital signing function.
To facilitate parents in preparing, parents can, at any time register for “iAM Smart+” in-person at the district “iAM Smart” self-registration kiosks or registration service counters with around 170 locations, including Post Offices in various districts. For details of the activities and enrolment in May and June, please visit the following website link:
<https://www.edb.gov.hk/attachment/tc/student-parents/support-subsidies/student-grant/Poster-Reg-20240405.pdf>
Or scan the QR code on the right.



Parents can also book a session to register for “iAM Smart+” in-person at any designated school in a number of districts, from May to August this year via the link below:

Booking Link : <https://shorturl.at/CHO58>

2. To streamline the process of on-site “iAM Smart+” registration for parents, applicants must enable biometric authentication functions such as Touch ID, Face ID or Fingerprint authentication and install the “iAM Smart” App in his/her personal mobile phone prior to the school activity. Parents are also required to prepare the following for on-site registration:
 - 2.1 Hong Kong Identity Card;
 - 2.2 Personal mobile phone (equipped with biometric authentication (e.g. Touch ID or Face ID), and downloaded and installed “iAM Smart” App); and
 - 2.3 Provide an Email Address, which can receive emails.

LSS Goodwill Campaign – ‘Sharing Backpacks, Sharing Love’

1. Eligibility:
 - 1.1 S.1 to S.5 students
 - 1.2 Priority is given to students who live in poor conditions (such as subdivided housing, pre-slab housing, rooftop housing, etc.) and non-CSSA households.
2. Guidelines:
 - 2.1 Applicants can only participate in the program once. When there is an excess of applications, selections will be made by drawing lots;
 - 2.2 No application fee is required;
 - 2.3 For the backpack styles, please refer to 3.1 and 3.2 in the remarks below;
 - 2.4 After verifying the relevant application information, successful applicants will be notified individually;
 - 2.5 Deadline of application: Complete the Google Form in the following website or QR code before 8th May, 2024 (Mon)
 - 2.6 Application website: <https://forms.gle/qf8T6WzoA3RZiwEY7>
3. Remarks
 - 3.1 Style 1 (Black, Shoulder Bag) – AION DUFFEL 35L Black



AION DUFFEL 35L BLACK



- 3.2 Style 2 (Black/Mallard Green, Backpack, colours are distributed randomly) AION BACKPACK 28L Black or ENROUTE BP 26L Mallard Green

AION BACKPACK 28L BLACK



ENROUTE BP 26L MALLARD GREEN



Singapore Cultural Exchange Tour

1. Aims:
 - 1.1 To learn about the cultural diversity of Singapore
 - 1.2 To broaden students' horizons and develop their awareness of being a global citizen
2. Date: 29th June (Sat) to 3rd July (Wed), 2024 (5 days/4 nights)
3. Target: S1 to S4 students
4. Number of Participants: 10 students
5. Fees: \$10,500
6. The itinerary (Subject to changes):

Date	Content
29/6 (Sat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Departure→ Singapore • Merlion Park • Gardens by the Bay
30/6 (Sun)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Little India • River Safari • Orchard Road • Lau Pa Sat Festival Market
1/7 (Mon)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sentosa • Universal Studios Singapore
2/7 (Tue)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exchange with Northland Secondary School
3/7 (Wed)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Singapore City Gallery • China Town • Clarke Quay • Departure Hong Kong

7. Transportation:
 - 7.1 Departure and return time: to be announced
 - 7.2 Dismissal Venue: Hong Kong International Airport
8. Travel document, payment, and application:
 - 8.1 Interested students need to complete and return the reply slip to the class teacher on or before 6th May (Mon).
 - 8.2 Applicants have to make sure that they have a valid passport before departure (at least 6 months)
 - 8.3 Selected students have to complete the enrolment form and health declaration form and submit both forms together with the fee (by cheque payable to 'The Incorporated Management Committee of ELCHK Lutheran Secondary School' or by cash) to the General Office;
 - 8.4 Upon submission of the fee and enrolment form, the selected students should also submit photocopies of Hong Kong ID card and Passport (valid for at least half a year) (both to be printed on a piece of A4 paper).
 - 8.5 Activity subsidy: Life-wide Learning Fund:
Students who are supported by the Comprehensive Social Security Assistance (CSSA) Scheme or have obtained aid through the School Textbook Assistance (TA) Scheme (Full/ Half Grant) will receive a maximum of \$1,500 after completing the activity. The relevant subsidy will be released upon completion of the activity.
9. Enrolment procedures:
Selection criteria: Interview performance, student's English ability, enthusiasm and leadership skills.
10. Notes:
 - 10.1 Interview date and list of participants will be released later.
 - 10.2 The results will be released and posted on the School Development Committee Notice Board outside the General Office.
 - 10.3 Selected students must attend the briefing session held one week prior to the departure date.