

Dear Parents / Guardians

Parents' Reminder (February & March)

1. Examination Paper Evaluation Arrangement

The first examination paper evaluation for S.1-S.6 will be conducted in class from 29 January to 2 February. Students are required to attend classes according to the full-time schedule.

2. Arrangements for Make-Up Classes for Each Form Level

For details about the make-up classes for S.3 in February and March, please refer to "Appendix 1". For information about make-up classes for S.5, please refer to "TL/23-24/58".

3. Lunar New Year Holiday

The Lunar New Year holiday are from 7-19 February. Students must return to school on 20 February (Tuesday).

4. Talent Show and Music Contest

The talent show and music contest will be held on 23 February (Friday) in the school auditorium. The arrangements for each level are as follows.

	Return Time	Dismissal Time
S.1 – S.3	10:00 am	12:00 noon
S.4 – S.6	2:00 pm	4:00 pm

Students are required to wear their neat winter uniforms and return to school promptly before the activities begin. Those involved in competitions, performances, acting as emcees, or serving as student staff will need to arrive at school for rehearsals by 8 a.m. A relevant notice regarding this will be issued at a later date.

5. Teacher Meeting

There will be a teacher meeting on the afternoon of 29 February (Thursday). On this day, students will attend classes on a half-day schedule until 1:15 pm.

6. Reminder for S.6 Students

1 March (Friday) is the last day of school for S.6 students. A blessing prayer meeting for graduates will be held during the weekly meeting (8th and 9th periods) on that day. Parents and students of S.6 are kindly requested to read the notice "SC/23-24/9a" carefully to understand the matters that need attention before the results are released.

1 June (Saturday) will be the 18th Graduation Ceremony. There will be a graduation ceremony rehearsal in the morning (graduates must wear neat school uniforms to attend), and a graduation ceremony in the afternoon. Parents and graduates are asked to reserve time to attend.

7. Criteria and Procedures for Subject Selection for S.3 Students

Please read the notice "CG/23-24/15" carefully for the procedure and criteria for selecting subjects from S.3 to S.4. The Further Education and Career Guidance Team will conduct subject selection workshops and examination activities during weekly meetings to help students understand the information of various subjects. Information about each elective subject and

subject selection-related information has been uploaded to the intranet eClass "S.3 Subject Selection Information" online classroom, and parents can log in to the student intranet account to browse.

8. Change to Summer Uniform

The transition period between winter and summer school uniforms is from 4 March to 26 April. During this time, students can choose to wear either neat summer or winter school uniforms to class. All students must change into summer uniforms on 29 April (Monday).

9. The 2nd Parents' Day

8 March (Friday) is the second Parents' Day. Students will attend classes on a full-time schedule until period 6, and the school dismissal time is 12:25 noon. For details, please pay attention to the "HS" notice which will be distributed later.

10. Teacher Development Day

The afternoon of 15 March (Friday) is the Teacher Development Day. Students will attend classes on a half-day schedule until 1:15 pm on that day.

11. The 21st Sports Day

The 21st Sports Day of our school will be held on 18 March (Monday) at Tin Shui Wai Sports Ground. Details are as follows:

School time and lunch arrangements:

18 March 2024 (Monday), 8:05 am – 5:00 pm

The lunch time on that day is from 12:30 noon to 1:40 pm. Students must arrange their own lunch on that day.

Remarks:

(i) Students must travel to and from the event venue on their own;

(ii) Please wear neat school sports uniform and sneakers to attend the Sports Day;

(iii) If there is a black rainstorm, Typhoon Signal No. 8 is hoisted by the Hong Kong Observatory, or the Education Bureau announces the suspension of classes, the activities on that day will be cancelled and will not be rescheduled.

12. School Customised Holiday

19 March (Tuesday) will be a compensatory holiday for the Sports Day, and students do not need to return to school.

13. Easter Holiday

The school Easter holiday is from 25 March to 7 April, and students must return to school on 8 April (Monday). Parents are kindly requested to urge their children to complete their holiday homework on time and bring it back to their subject teachers after the holiday. For holiday homework arrangements, please pay attention to the "TL" notice that will be issued later.

14. School Calendar Update

The updated school calendar for February and March is as follows:

Month	Week	Days							Holiday and Special Event (whole school)
		SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	
February						1	2	3	1/2 Second term start
	24	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	5/2 Inter-house activity 7-19/2 Lunar New Year Holiday
	25	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	10-13/2 the 1 st to the 4 th day of the Lunar New Year
	26	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	20-23/2 Art Week 23/2 Talent Show and Music Contes
	27	25	26	27	28	29			26/2-1/3 English Week

Month	Week	Days							Holiday and Special Event (whole school)
March							1	2	1/3 S.6 graduation prayer meeting / last day of school 2/3 PTA Picnic
	28	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	4/3-26/4 Alternative Period of Winter and Summer School Uniforms 8/3 2 nd Parents Day (PM)
	29	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	11-15/3 Humanities Academic Week 15/3 Teacher Development Day (PM)
	30	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	18/3 The 21 st Sports Day 19/3 School customized holiday 3 21-22/3 School book fair
	31	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	25/3-6/4 Easter Holiday (13 Days) 29-30/3 Good Friday and the following day
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15. Award News

- (1) Our school's darts team participated in the 5th Hong Kong International Darts Festival hosted by the Institute of Sports Without Borders and achieved commendable results, winning the following awards:
 - (i) "Academic Cup" Inter-Team Competition 1st Runner-Up
Team members: Lo Choi-Kiu (S.6), Tsang Tsun-To (S.5), Tong Hei-Yiu (S.4), and Chan Tak-Shing (S.4)
 - (ii) Women (U19) 2nd Runner-Up
Lo Choi-Kiu (S.6)
- (2) Yip Pui-Yee (S.4) and Chung Yan-Ching (S.4) participated in the "Positive Values Painting Competition" organised by the Yuen Long District Youth Development and Civic Education Committee and won the Merit Award in the Open Category.

Congratulations to the above awardees.

If you have any queries, please contact the class teacher at 2443 1363 during school hours.

Yours faithfully,



Ms. Wong Kin Yee
Principal

----- Reply Slip -----

Dear Principal,

Parents' Reminder (February & March)

I am the parent/guardian of student _____ () from Class _____. I hereby acknowledge receipt of the school notice regarding the Parents Reminder for February and March, as well as the award news.

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

Ref: SC/23-24/9

Bible words: For today in the city of David a savior has been born for you who is Messiah and Lord.
(Luke 2:11)

Yuen Long Catholic Secondary School
S.3 make-up class timetable (February & March)

29/1/2024 (Monday)	30/1/2024 (Tuesday)	31/1/2024 (Wednesday)	1/2/2024 (Thursday)	2/2/2024 (Friday)
/	/	co-curricular activities	Music Contest preliminary round	Maths 4:00-5:00 3P_LMH_322 3L_LCCC_321 3J_LWY_123 3F_CMF_121 3G_YWK_122
5/2/2024 (Monday)	6/2/2024 (Tuesday)	7/2/2024 (Wednesday) – 16/2/2024 (Friday)		
Inter-house activities	/	Lunar New Year Holiday		
19/2/2024 (Monday)	20/2/2024 (Tuesday)	21/2/2024 (Wednesday)	22/2/2024 (Thursday)	23/2/2024 (Friday)
Lunar New Year Holiday	/	Talent show rehearsal	Talent show rehearsal	Talent show & Music contest
26/2/2024 (Monday)	27/2/2024 (Tuesday)	28/2/2024 (Wednesday)	29/2/2024 (Thursday)	1/3/2024 (Friday)
Chinese 4:00-5:00 3P_TCK_322 3L_YWM_321 3J_LHY_123 3F_LCLK_121 3G_MKY_122	/	co-curricular activities	Teacher meeting	English 3P_WCL_322 3L_CKY_321 3J_LKCD_123 3F_WYL_121 3G_CNY_122
4/3/2024 (Monday)	5/3/2024 (Tuesday)	6/3/2024 (Wednesday)	7/3/2024 (Thursday)	8/3/2024 (Friday)
English 3P_WCL_322 3L_CKY_321 3J_LKCD_123 3F_WYL_121 3G_CNY_122	/	co-curricular activities	Maths 3P_LMH_322 3L_LCCC_321 3J_LWY_123 3F_CMF_121 3G_YWK_122	2 nd Parents' Day
11/3/2024 (Monday)	12/3/2024 (Tuesday)	13/3/2024 (Wednesday)	14/3/2024 (Thursday)	15/3/2024 (Friday)
English 3P_WCL_322 3L_CKY_321 3J_LKCD_123 3F_WYL_121 3G_CNY_122	/	co-curricular activities	Maths 3P_LMH_322 3L_LCCC_321 3J_LWY_123 3F_CMF_121 3G_YWK_122	Teacher Development Day
18/3/2024 (Monday)	19/3/2024 (Tuesday)	20/3/2024 (Wednesday)	21/3/2024 (Thursday)	22/3/2024 (Friday)
Sports Day	School Holiday	co-curricular activities	Maths 3P_LMH_322 3L_LCCC_321 3J_LWY_123 3F_CMF_121 3G_YWK_122	/