



Dear Parents,

**Arrangement for Primary Schools with  
Latest Development of Human Swine Influenza (HSI)**

The Education Bureau (EDB) announced on 11 June territory-wide class suspension for 14 days among kindergartens, kindergarten-cum-child care centers, primary schools and special schools from 12 June (Friday) to 25 June 2009 (Thursday). In view of the recent development of HSI in Hong Kong and the significant increase in confirmed local cases, it is evident that the virus turns active in the community. The assembly of large number of young students in the school premises for a long time would increase the risk of HSI outbreak and the consequence when young children getting infected would be more severe. After prudent deliberation with the Department of Health (DH), the EDB has announced that classes will not be resumed within the current school year among the above-mentioned schools.

Although we will not resume classes, parents should pay attention to the following special arrangement:

✧ We will conduct the P.5 second term final examination. The timetable is as follows:

Date	30 <sup>th</sup> June (Tuesday)	2 <sup>nd</sup> July (Thursday)	3 <sup>rd</sup> July (Friday)
Time			
8:45-9:00	Class Teacher		
9:00-9:45	Chinese	General Studies	Chinese Composition
9:45-10:15	Recess		
10:15-11:00	Chinese Dictation	English	Maths
11:00—11:30	Revision		

\*Students have to wear uniform to school and bring their own stationery.

✧ Main events during and after class suspension.

Date	Time	Event	Remark
7/7	9:00am-12:00pm	Announcement of Secondary School Places Allocation Results	P.6 graduates' parents have to come to school to get the allocation result, academic report card and certificate of graduation.
9/7-10/7	School hours	Registration of Secondary One	P.6 graduates' parents should register with the allocated secondary school during the registration period.
10/7	9:00am-12:00pm	Parents' Day	P.1 to P.5 parents should come to school to get the students' academic report card, homework for the summer holiday and purchase the textbooks for the new academic year.
14/7	Refer to the time schedule of the allocated school	Pre-S1 Hong Kong Attainment Test 2009	P.6 graduates should go to the allocated secondary school to take the test.
		Graduation Ceremony	Cancelled
		Summer Bridging Class	Cancelled
1/9	9:00am-11:00am	New school year starts	Students have to wear tidy uniform, bring the summer homework and all textbooks.

- ✧ Parents are advised to note that class suspension is a mitigation measure aiming at reducing social contact to minimize the chance of HSI infection. Therefore, students should stay at home during the class suspension period. Parents should avoid letting their children go to crowded places, children playgrounds etc, or visiting places being affected by HSI with their children.

During the class suspension period and the summer holiday, to meet practical needs, we will arrange an appropriate number of staff to be on duty to handle school affairs, answer parents' enquiries, and clean and disinfect the school premises. If necessary, the school premises will remain open to take care of those students who would be unattended at home and have to come back to school. If parents are unable to arrange their relatives or friends to take care of their children, please contact the class teachers or Mr Rai at 2488 1520 for the arrangement of sending their children back to school. As the school bus service and lunch provision have been suspended, parents will have to escort their children to and from school and make lunch arrangements for them.

To minimize the effect on student learning, we will prepare homework for the summer holiday. The homework will be given to the students later. Parents are requested to pay attention to the learning of their children.

If any of the following occurs, please inform the class teachers or Mr Rai at 2488 1520 immediately to facilitate our school to decide on the contingency measures and notify the DH and the EDB accordingly:

- (i) your child is confirmed/suspected of having contracted HSI; and
- (ii) any person in close contact\* with your child is confirmed/suspected of having contracted HSI.

\* ***Close contact means having cared for, having lived with, or having had direct contact with respiratory secretions and body fluids of a person with Human Swine Influenza.***

To safeguard your children and family members from HSI infection, please take appropriate preventive measures at home according to the guidelines on 'Human Swine Influenza' given to you on 11 June.

If you have any enquiries, please feel free to contact us.

Yours sincerely,



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