



ST. THOMAS' CHURCH KINDERGARTEN

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Joining
2023/24 KG Education Scheme

School No. 323357

Location No. 0001

School Information	
School Category	Non-profit-making
Student Category	Co-educational
Name of School Supervisor	REV HO KAM TIM ARTHUR
Name of School Principal	MISS CHAN SZE MAN
School Founding Year	1966
Total No. of Permitted Accommodation of Classrooms in Use (Data as of Sept. 2022)	191
Number of Registered Classrooms	9
Outdoor Playground	No
Indoor Playground	Yes
Music Room	Yes
Other Special Room(s) / Area(s)	Multipurpose room
Total No. of Principal & Teaching Staff (Data as of Sept. 2022) *	16
School Website	http://www.stckg.edu.hk
Quality Review : Result and Report	Meeting the prescribed standards https://www.edb.gov.hk/attachment/en/edu-system/preprimary-kindergarten/quality-assurance-frame-work/qr/qr-report/StThomasCh.pdf

No. & Qualification of Principal & Teaching Staff (Data as of Sept. 2022) *	
Academic Qualification	
Degree holders	16
Non-degree holders	0
Professional Qualification	
C(ECE) or above	16
Qualified KG teachers	0
Other teacher trainings	0
Qualified assistant KG teachers	0
Others	0

* Excluding staff serving aged 0-2

Teacher to Pupil Ratio (Data as of Sept. 2022)	
Teacher to pupil ratio in morning session	1 : 8.4
Teacher to pupil ratio in afternoon session	1 : 5.6
Ratio includes classes aged 2-3	No

No. of Enrolment (Data as of Sept. 2022)				
	Nursery	Lower KG	Upper KG	Total
AM Session	15	33	24	72
PM Session	4	15	8	27
WD Session	27	18	18	63

Annual Fees (2023 / 24 School Year)				
		Nursery	Lower KG	Upper KG
Annual Fees After Deduction of Government Subsidy (No. of Instalment)	AM Session	Free	Free	Free
	PM Session	Free	Free	Free
	WD Session	\$7,000 (10)	\$7,000 (10)	\$7,000 (10)

Please refer to the Fees Certificate for details of fees information.

Child Care Services (Data as of Sept. 2022)			
With child care services for children aged 2-3	-	With child care services for children aged under 2	-
Fee level (per annum)	(half - day)	No. of enrolment aged 2-3	0
	(full - day)	Joining Child Care Centre Subsidy Scheme	-
Providing occasional child care services	-	Providing extended hours services	-

Curriculum Details

Curriculum type : Local

Curriculum planning

Our School curriculum is based on the Bible. The Education Bureau's "Kindergarten Education Curriculum Guide" and the Development Appropriate Practice are the foundation of the school curriculum. With an integrated theme-based teaching model, children can, through the living and enjoyable explorative learning activities, acquire knowledge and skill and develop a positive attitude that enhances their multi-intelligence, unleashes their potential, and lays the foundation for future study.

We will follow the "Kindergarten Education Curriculum Guide" (2017) to plan curriculum. Children of nursery classes will not be asked to write, and there will not be mechanical copying exercises and drills on calculation.

Learning / Teaching approach & activities

We attach great importance to establishing an environment conducive to children's learning, strive to create a happy and lively atmosphere, and encourage children to come into contact with things around them for holistic development. Develop children's potential through diverse campus life and lay a good foundation for future learning.

Assessment of children's learning experiences

Through continuous observation of children's learning performance, checklists are set according to different learning goals to record children's learning experience and development process.

School Characteristics

School vision and mission

St Thomas Church Kindergarten provides exceptional education for children aged 3-6 years old. Based on the principles of Jesus Christ we strive to build a school that glorifies God and advocates child growth. Our school motto is "Start children off the correct way, once they grow old they will not turn from it" (Proverbs 22:6).

Support to students

A social worker will be available for families needing assistance. Teachers also create a counseling network to ensure children are assisted with their individual needs. Adaptation activities are in place for new students as well as bridging courses for the primary curriculum.

Support to non-Chinese speaking (NCS) students

Received Grant for Support to NCS Students; appoint additional teaching staff / teaching assistants to support NCS students learning Chinese; arrange interpretation / translation services; engage NCS parent volunteers to enhance communication between school and parents; create an enriched language environment for mastery of the Chinese language; create an inclusive learning environment to facilitate students' integration; collaborate with non-governmental organisations (NGOs) to create an inclusive learning environment; facilitate professional development for teachers to develop effective strategies to help NCS students learn Chinese.

Support to students with special needs

Joining the On-site Pre-school Rehabilitation Services.

Link with parents

Parent-teacher association : No

Other activities / communication with parents

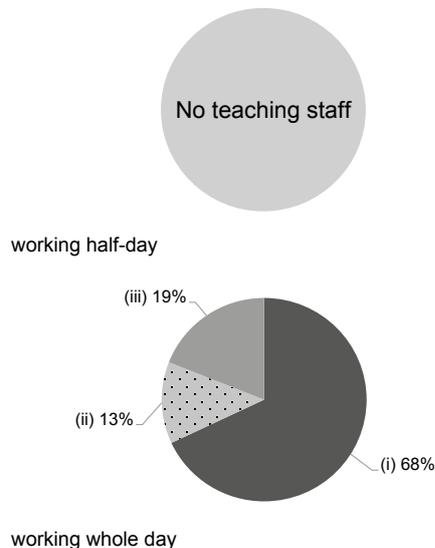
Parents volunteers, parents talk, parents classes, picnic, newsletters, parents' meeting and phone call.

Price of Major School Items (2022 / 23 School Year)

Summer uniform	No such item	Winter uniform	No such item
School bag	\$74 / each	Tea and snacks	\$600 / year
Textbooks	\$620-860 / year	Exercise books/ workbooks	\$350-470 / year
Stationery	\$0 / year	Bedding items	No such item

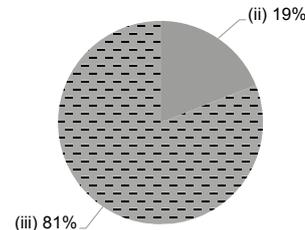
Monthly salary range of principal & teaching staff
(Data as of Mar. 2023)

- (i) ≤ \$30,000
- (ii) \$30,001 - \$40,000
- (iii) > \$40,000



Working experience of principal & teaching staff in pre-primary education
(Data as of Mar. 2023)

- (i) < 4 years
- (ii) 4 - 7 years
- (iii) > 7 years



2021/22 School Expenditure Information

Expenditure information based on audited account Yes

- (i) salary of principal & teaching staff
- (ii) non-teaching staff salary
- (iii) rent, management fees, rates & government rent
- (iv) teaching resources
- (v) staff training & professional development
- (vi) other expenses

