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HONG KONG Y.W.C.A ATHENA KINDERGARTEN

Joining 2023/24 KG Education Scheme

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School No.

325953

Location No.

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Schoo	I Information
School Category	Non-profit-making
Student Category	Co-educational
Name of School Supervisor	MS TSE SHUK IN
Name of School Principal	MS LAU CHUI MEI
School Founding Year	1993
Total No. of Permitted Accommodation of Classrooms in Use (Data as of Sept. 2022)	231
Number of Registered Classrooms	6
Outdoor Playground	No
Indoor Playground	Yes
Music Room	No
Other Special Room(s) / Area(s)	small group room
Total No. of Principal & Teaching Staff (Data as of Sept. 2022) *	15
School Website	http://kga.ywca.org.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/HKYWCA_Athena.pdf

No. & Qualification of Principal & Teaching Staff (Data as of Sept. 2022) *				
Academic Qualification				
11				
4				
Professional Qualification				
15				
0				
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[★] Excluding staff serving aged 0-2

Teacher to Pupil Ratio (Data as of Sept. 2022)			
Teacher to pupil ratio in morning session	1 : 10.6		
Teacher to pupil ratio in afternoon session	1:7.9		
Ratio includes classes aged 2-3	No		

No. of Enrolment (Data as of Sept. 2022)				
	Nursery	Lower KG	Upper KG	Total
AM Session	21	40	29	90
PM Session	0	13	13	26
WD Session	29	20	20	69

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	\$6,600 (10)	\$6,600 (10)	\$6,600 (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

Based on the "Kindergarten Education Curriculum Guide", our school adopts an integrated theme-based curriculum responding to the life experience of children. We value the language and moral development of children. Through corner activities, we stimulate children's interest in learning and arouse their curiosity to seek knowledge.

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

The curriculum emphasizes children's life experience. Children develop positive learning attitude through class teaching, doing, visits, exploration, and drama activities etc. We strengthen their language ability through the home reading scheme 'Paired Reading'. Through the programme 'Family Wellness Vitamins', we help children to cultivate a sense of responsibility and resilience; to develop communication skills and the ability to appreciate the surroundings; to boost their self-esteem; and to treasure the time with family and friends.

Assessment of children's learning experiences

There is an assessment report for every learning theme. Through observation, works of children, and children and parent feedback, different learning aspects including language, mathematics, physical fitness, self and society, arts and creative expressions, nature and living are assessed continuously. A portfolio of learning and development is then built up.

School Characteristics

School vision and mission

In the spirit and love of Jesus Christ, we cultivate the whole person development of our children including their moral, intellectual, physical, social, aesthetic and spiritual development.

Support to students

Resources supporting our students include: new student adaptation week; support for non-Chinese speaking children; stationing school social work service; collaboration with community organizations, primary and secondary schools; provision of appropriate caring services; keeping close contact with parents and external bodies; and use of social resources to support the need of children.

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; participate in school-based professional support programmes organised by EDB.

Support to students with special needs

Joining the On-site Pre-school Rehabilitation Services.

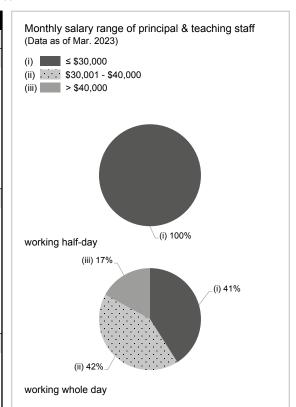
Link with parents

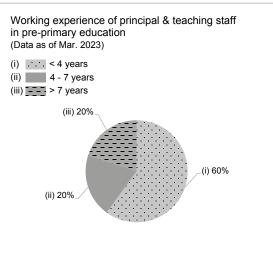
Parent-teacher association : Yes

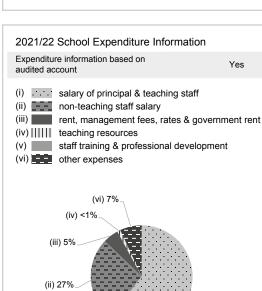
Other activities / communication with parents

Parent workshops, parents' day, resources center, 'Paired Reading' programme, parent volunteer group, family fellowship, seminars, outdoor activities, parent-child fun day, telephone contact, and non-Chinese speaking parent groups.

Price of Major School Items (2022 / 23 School Year)					
Summer uniform	\$425	/ set	Winter uniform	\$840	/ set
School bag	\$114	/ each	Tea and snacks	\$160	/ year
Textbooks	\$560-656	/ year	Exercise books/ workbooks	\$0	/ year
Stationery	\$88	/ year	Bedding items	No such item	







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