



St. Monica's Play School & Kindergarten(Tsuen Wan)

Notice 15

1. The jubilant Lunar New Year is coming. In order to have festive vibe, we are pleased to invite all parents and children to participate in the **“Competition of Parent-child Lunar New Year Charm Design”**, all work will be hung in the school lobby. Please refer to the attachment for more details.
2. Ritual culture is the core and essence of Chinese culture. Our school participated in the reward program “Curtesy and Goodness” which is organized by The Hong Kong Institute for Promotion of Chinese Culture. The program is aimed to teach children about the connotation of Chinese etiquette culture, learn about cultivating oneself, caring and loving family, being friendly to peers and neighbors, having empathy, respecting others, being grateful, serving the society, and practicing the lofty concepts of Chinese culture and better life. Please refer to the enclosed “Curtesy and Goodness” Sticker Booklet, P.1 User Guide, for more details.

(Activity Date:19th December,2022 – 16th January,2023)

*Parents and teachers will have a review with children every day for their polite behavior, in order to assist children to have self-reflection and to develop polite habits.

3. Back to school for the activity. **Team A : N1,K3 「11:00-11:45」** / **Team B : K1-K2 「12:00-12:45」** In order to boost the joy of Lunar New Year, a “Daffodil bulb” is distributed to every child for them to plant at home today(Dec 16). **A daffodil growing record form will be distributed to K2-K3 students for students to take notes about the growth of daffodils. Please return the record form to the class teacher after the Lunar New Year holiday.**

Please having the perfect flower arrangement for daffodils for participating in our “Daffodil Photo Competition” (Jan 30 to Feb 3,2023) by taking photos of the beauty moments of your plants. The photo for the competition **must include family members and daffodils.** Please **email the photo** to the class teacher on or before Feb 3 (Fri.). Parents will be invited to vote for “My favorite Daffodil”

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online later.

4. School handbooks, notices and holiday homework are distributed on Dec 20 (Tue.). Please supervise children finishing the homework during the Christmas holidays. Please note that **all the items are required to return on 3rd January, 2023.**
5. **Christmas party and birthday party in December will be held on Dec 21 (Wed.).** Students are allowed to wear casually with name tags as well as bringing school rucksacks with needed belongings to come back school. (School bags and homework folder are not needed)
6. Participants of the parent-child day trip **(Dec 23, Fri.) "Bunny Wonderland" for K2 and K3 families,** which is organized by HKFWS, please gather at 10:15 at school punctually. No waiting for late-comers. Please refer to the attachment for more details.
7. **Details of Christmas Holidays:**

Class	Date	Notes
Half-Day Class	N1-K3 : 22 nd December, 2022 – 2 nd January, 2023	Class resumes on 3 rd January, 2023
Whole-Day Class	N1-K3:During 23 rd , 28 th – 30 th December, 2022, please decide whether your children need the care services at school. (Class and school bus service are suspended)	Class resumes on 3 rd January, 2023

Yours faithfully,



Ms. Tong Shuk Yee

The Principal

16th December, 2022