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Notice to Parents

Ref.: S30-2026/27

Dear Parents,

School Newsletter (November)

I. Announcements

1. **27/11 (Fri)** **Election of the 29th Executive Committee of the St. Joseph's Anglo-Chinese School Parent-Teacher Association:** The new Executive Committee will be elected by electronic voting. To help parents get to know the candidates, Campus TV will broadcast the financial and work reports, each candidate's one-minute introduction and a statement of their aspirations at **6:30 p.m. on 27/11/2026 (Fri)**. Voting runs from **6:30 p.m. on 27/11/2026 (Fri) to 11:59 p.m. on 29/11/2026 (Sun)**.

2. **01/12 (Tue)** **Change to winter uniform:** Students will officially change to winter uniform on **01/12/2026 (Tue)**. Please prepare it in advance. As the weather is getting cooler, students may start wearing winter uniform earlier if needed.

3. **02/12 (Wed)** **Special school day:** All classes will follow the normal Friday timetable. Students should bring the books for Friday lessons. School will finish at 3:45 p.m.

4. **07/12 (Mon)** **Class photographs:** Class and group photographs will be taken on **07/12/2026 (Mon)**. Students must wear neat winter uniform and the school tie. F.6 students must also wear a blazer. Students with PE that day must bring their winter PE uniform to change into at school.

5. **08/12 (Tue) to 16/12 (Wed)** **F.6 Second Uniform Test:** The second uniform test for F.6 will be held from **08/12/2026 (Tue) to 16/12/2026 (Wed)**. Please see the attached timetable.

6. **10/12 (Thu) to 12/12 (Sat)** **F.5 Citizenship and Social Development Mainland study tour:** All F.5 students will join the study tour from **10/12/2026 (Thu) to 12/12/2026 (Sat)**. Attendance is compulsory. Please refer to the separate notice to be issued later for details.

7. **17/12 (Thu)** **Third staff meeting:** The meeting will start at 2:30 p.m. on **17/12/2026 (Thu)**. All classes will follow a special timetable, and school will finish at 1:20 p.m.

II. Activities

1. **04/12 (Fri)** **School picnic:** The picnic will be held on **04/12/2026 (Fri)**. This is a group activity to develop students' social skills. **All students must attend.** Details are as follows:

Form / Class	Destination	Meeting place	Meeting time
F.1	Tai O	School	9:00 a.m.
F.2	Ocean Park		9:30 a.m.
F.3 and F.6A	Tai Mei Tuk		9:30 a.m.
F.4 and F.6D	Lung Kwu Tan		9:00 a.m.
F.5A, F.5B and F.5C	Cafeteria Beach, Tuen Mun		8:45 a.m.
F.5D	Shek O		8:30 a.m.
F.6B and F.6C	Cheung Chau	Central Pier (Pier No. 5)	9:15 a.m.

2.1 Students who need leave for a special reason must submit a parent's letter explaining the reason at least three school days before the picnic, i.e. **on or before 01/12/2026 (Tue)**. They may be absent only after the school has approved the request.

2.2 Students absent due to illness must submit a sick-leave letter and a valid medical certificate from a registered doctor when they return to school on **07/12/2026 (Mon)**. Otherwise, the absence will be treated as truancy.

2.3 The picnic will be cancelled in bad weather, if the Observatory issues any tropical cyclone warning signal, or if the Education Bureau announces the suspension of all schools. Parents should check the school website for the latest news that morning. A separate notice will be issued later with the arrangements for each form.

2.4 Notes:

2.4.1 Wear suitable clothing and sports shoes for outdoor activities.

2.4.2 Bring a Hong Kong identity card and student card. Do not bring valuables or large amounts of cash.

2.4.3 Bring enough food and drinks, outdoor supplies, mosquito repellent and personal medicine, if needed.

2.4.4 This is a group activity. Do not leave the group or act alone. Follow teachers' instructions, behave properly and take care of your belongings.

2.4.5 Play ball games only in suitable places. Keep safe and avoid disturbing others. For safety, cycling, swimming and other water activities are strictly prohibited.

2. **18/12 (Fri)** **Christmas liturgy and celebrations:** A Christmas liturgy will be held in the school hall, followed by class celebrations at designated locations. School will finish at about 12:00 noon.

III. Holidays

1. **21/12/2026 (Mon) to 02/01/2027 (Sat)** **Christmas holidays:** The school office will be closed during the public holidays from **25/12/2026 (Fri) to 27/12/2026 (Sun)**.

2. **21/12/2026 (Mon) to 02/01/2027 (Sat)** **Study rooms during the Christmas holidays:** To help F.6 students prepare for public examinations, the study room (Room 301) and the F.6 girls' common room will remain open during the holidays, except on public holidays. Please see the Rules for Using the Study Room in the e-Student Handbook (School Information, item 6.4). Students must wear full winter uniform when entering the school. Security staff may refuse entry to students who do not comply.

IV. Monthly Honour Roll (Student Awards)

Competition / Event	Student names (as printed)	Award
National Day Cup: 77th Anniversary Table Tennis Invitational 2026 - Youth Team	夏逸謙 (2207)	Champion
Western District Age Group Table Tennis Competition 2026 - Boys' Doubles, Youth (18 or under)		1st Runner-up
Central and Western District Age Group Table Tennis Competition 2026 - Boys' Singles, Youth (12-13)		2nd Runner-up
Central and Western District Age Group Table Tennis Competition 2026 - Boys' Doubles, Youth (18 or under)		2nd Runner-up
2026 Age Group Fencing Championships - U12 Boys' Foil	黃梓澔 (1526)	2nd Runner-up
Western District Age Group Table Tennis Competition 2026 - Boys' Singles, Youth (14-15)	蔡卓賢 (3327)	3rd Runner-up
Sai Kung District Age Group Table Tennis Competition 2026 - Boys' Doubles, Youth (18 or under)	吳彥正 (6218)	Champion
Wong Tai Sin District Age Group Table Tennis Competition 2026 - Boys' Singles, Youth (16-18)		Champion

Wan Chai Sports Federation National Day Cup: 77th Anniversary Table Tennis Invitational 2026 - Youth	吳彥正 (6218)	Champion
Thailand International Mathematical Olympiad Heat Round 2026-2027	陳冠廷 (2503)	Gold Award
	邢維峻 (3429)	
	林智湧 (5417)	Silver Award
	蔡志臻 (5423)	
	陳志國 (6404)	
	伍嘉裕 (2114)	Bronze Award
	蕭峻熙 (2520)	
	楊焯喬 (3129)	
	姚愷韜 (3131)	
	羅瑋翔 (3211)	
	黃江釗 (3227)	
	陳彬源 (5206)	
	張栢灝 (5207)	
	陳啟滔 (5403)	
	羅卓鋒 (5418)	
2nd Hong Kong Schools Drone Soccer League 2026-27	鄺靖鈞 (3411)	Season 1, Division 4 1st Runner-up
	溫承晞 (3421)	
	蔡輝豪 (4101)	
	莫俊軒 (4223)	
	陳卓霆 (4401)	
STR Humanoid Robot Competition (Taiwan) - Hong Kong Qualifier	林孝淳 (2313)	Heavyweight Humanoid Robot Combat - 1st Runner-up Lightweight Humanoid Robot Combat - 1st Runner-up
	勞家聰 (2315)	
	陸祉傑 (2319)	
	鄺靖鈞 (3411)	
	蔡輝豪 (4101)	
	黎柏樂 (4115)	
	莫俊軒 (4223)	
	陳卓霆 (4401)	
Hong Kong Secondary Schools Geology Quest	鄭汶樂 (6103)	Silver Award
	羅泳強 (6110)	
	余煜聲 (6124)	
	陳浩弘 (6101)	Bronze Award
	朱恩瀚 (6106)	
	梁梓聰 (6214)	

November: Teaching Progress and Homework Record

Class	Subject	Material Taught & Assignments Completed
3A	Chinese Lang.	Group 1: Reading: "The Joys of Leisure"; school classical Chinese texts: "On the Marquis of Liu" and "The Snipe and the Clam"; 1 composition; 2 practical writing tasks; practical writing test; 1 Lok Si reading comprehension exercise. Group 2: Reading: "The Joys of Leisure"; school classical Chinese texts: "On the Marquis of Liu" and "The Snipe and the Clam"; 1 composition; 2 practical writing tasks; practical writing test; 1 Lok Si reading comprehension exercise. Group 3: Reading: "The Joys of Leisure"; school classical Chinese texts: "On the Marquis of Liu" and "The Snipe and the Clam"; 1 composition; 2 practical writing tasks; practical writing test; 1 Lok Si reading comprehension exercise.
	Chinese (Putonghua)	Transcription and online practice
	English Lang.	Grammar Revision; Writing test, post-writing exercise and corrections; Listening Test
	English (Spk/List)	Uniform Test Group Discussion + RAC Reports
	Mathematics	Unit 4.3: Compound Interest
	Science(1)	Ch.11.3 Balanced forces and free-body diagrams
	Science(2)	Ch.6.6 Group VII: The halogens
	Science(3)	Ch5 Food and humans
	CES	Please contact the subject teacher.
	Chinese History	Social and cultural development in the Republican period (pp.36-42); workbook pp.10-11. The first KMT-CPC cooperation (pp.46-51); workbook pp.13-15.
	Geography	C2 Unit 4 Earthquake
	History	Paris Peace Conference; key points in source analysis
	Religious Studies	Unit 7: Caring for Our Family and Country
	Technology Education	Python Unit 3 - Iterations
	Music	Please contact the subject teacher.
	Visual Arts	Please contact the subject teacher.
	PE	Physical fitness test and triple jump
3B	Chinese Lang.	Group 2: Reading: "The Joys of Leisure"; school classical Chinese texts: "On the Marquis of Liu" and "The Snipe and the Clam"; 1 composition; 2 practical writing tasks; practical writing test; 1 Lok Si reading comprehension exercise.
	Chinese (Putonghua)	Transcription and online practice
	English Lang.	Grammar Revision; Writing test, post-writing exercise and corrections; Listening Test
	English (Spk/List)	Uniform Test Group Discussion + RAC Reports
	Mathematics	Unit 4.3: Compound Interest
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	Religious Studies	Unit 7: Caring for Our Family and Country
	Technology Education	Python Unit 3 - Iterations
	Music	Please contact the subject teacher.
	Visual Arts	Please contact the subject teacher.
	PE	Physical fitness test and triple jump
3C	Chinese Lang.	Group 1: Reading: "The Joys of Leisure"; school classical Chinese texts: "On the Marquis of Liu" and "The Snipe and the Clam"; 1 composition; 2 practical writing tasks; practical writing test; 1 Lok Si reading comprehension exercise.

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	Chinese (Putonghua)	Transcription and online practice
	English Lang.	Grammar Revision; Writing test, post-writing exercise and corrections; Listening Test
	English (Spk/List)	Uniform Test Group Discussion + RAC Reports
	Mathematics	Ch.4.2 Growth and Depreciation
	Science(1)	Ch.11.3 Balanced forces and free-body diagrams
	Science(2)	Ch.6.6 Group VII: The halogens
	Science(3)	Ch5 Food and humans
	CES	Please contact the subject teacher.
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	Geography	C2 Unit 4 Earthquake
	History	- The Paris Peace Conference - Source analysis skills
	Religious Studies	Unit 7: Caring for Our Family and Country
	Technology Education	Python Unit 3 - Iterations
	Music	Please contact the subject teacher.
	Visual Arts	Please contact the subject teacher.
	PE	Physical fitness test and triple jump
3D	Chinese Lang.	Reading: "The Joys of Leisure"; school classical Chinese texts: "On the Marquis of Liu" and "The Snipe and the Clam"; 1 composition; 2 practical writing tasks; practical writing test; 1 Lok Si reading comprehension exercise.
	Chinese (Putonghua)	Transcription and online practice
	English Lang.	Grammar Revision; Writing test, post-writing exercise and corrections; Listening Test
	English (Spk/List)	Uniform Test Group Discussion + RAC Reports
	Mathematics	Ch.4.2 Growth and Depreciation
	Science(1)	Ch.11.4 Gavity
	Science(2)	Ch8 Covalent Bond
	Science(3)	Ch5 Food and humans
	CES	Please contact the subject teacher.
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To: Parents

Principal
St. Joseph's Anglo-Chinese School

Yours faithfully,

13 November 2026

Note: Please complete the reply slip through the eClass Parents App on or before **20/11/2026 (Fri)**.

Jesus said, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." (John 14:6)

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Reply Slip: School Newsletter (November)

Dear Sir, I have read the School Newsletter (November) and noted the details of:

I. Announcements
II. Activities
III. Holidays
IV. Monthly Honour Roll (Student Awards)
V. November: Teaching Progress and Homework Record

I will support and follow the above arrangements.

Yours faithfully,

To: The Principal, St. Joseph's Anglo-Chinese School (潘永強)

Form: ___ Class: ___ Student name: _____

Parent / Guardian signature: _____

Parent / Guardian name: _____

Emergency contact number: _____

Date: _____ / _____ / 2026