

Flawless Record Sends English Debating Team to Semi-finals in Two Competitions

Our school's English debating team has made it to the semi-finals of two well-recognised debating competitions. Congratulations to our team! The team worked hard for months, and their dedication and effort have paid off.

Newly established this academic year, the English debating team aims to train top-notch students by fostering their critical thinking and presentation skills.

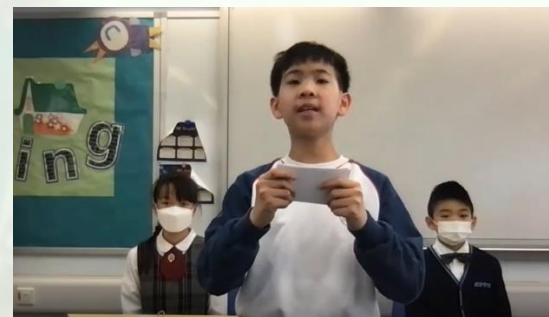
The team has taken part in 'Hong Kong Secondary Schools Debating Competition (HKSSDC) - Primary Section'. We have achieved excellent results in all the three rounds:

Debaters	Motion	Stance
<u>Affirmative Team:</u> 1 st Speaker: Jenna Lee (6B) 2 nd Speaker: Fernando Yu (6F) /Alex Li (6A) 3 rd Speaker: Tilott Ling (6C)	<u>Round 1:</u> 'The House Regrets the commercialisation of major holidays'	Affirmative (WIN)
		Negative (WIN)
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<u>Negative Team:</u> 1 st Speaker: Yvette Cheung (6F) 2 nd Speaker: Gabriel Cheung (6D) 3 rd Speaker: Kaden Hung (6B)	<u>Round 2:</u> 'The House would pay additional benefits to families on welfare according to their child's performance at school.'	Affirmative (WIN)
		Negative (WIN)
	<u>Round 3:</u> 'The House would use gambling to rejuvenate economic depressed zones.'	Affirmative (WIN)

As both our teams have won at least two of the three rounds, they are guaranteed to enter the semi-finals in their respective divisions.

The team has also taken part in ‘UNSDGs Debating Competition 2022/23’ organised by UNESCO. Our team is placed in the senior primary division.

Debaters	Motion	Stance
1 st Speaker: Yvette Cheung (6F)	‘Students should only be allowed to eat healthy snacks at school’	Affirmative (WIN)
2 nd Speaker: Gabriel Cheung (6D)		
3 rd Speaker: Tilott Ling (6C)		



Our debaters won the first round as the affirmative with the team line ‘Healthy food, health life. Better food, better grades’. The semi-finals will be held on 5th May against North Point Methodist Primary School. Our team will debate the same motion but as the negative this time.

Despite the tough challenges coming up, the team is confident that they will represent our school with excellence. We wish our English debating team the best of luck. Let's cheer our debaters on to victory!







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UNSDGs Debating Competition 2022/23

Promoting United Nations Sustainable Development Goals

Primary Divisions

Senior (P4-6)
Junior (P4-5 only)

Secondary Divisions

CMI* Form 1	EMI* Form 1
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CMI* Form 5	EMI* Form 5
CMI* Form 6	EMI* Form 6

International Divisions

Primary
Secondary Junior
Secondary Senior



Prizes

Trophies, medals & certificates
Entry Fee: HK\$250 / team

* CMI: Chinese Medium of Instruction
EMI: English Medium of Instruction