English Debating Team Wins Champion in 2024-2025 Hong Kong Secondary Schools Debating Competition (Primary Section)

We are thrilled to announce that our school's English debating team has secured the championship title in 2024-2025 Hong Kong Secondary Schools Debating Competition (Primary Section).

The motion of the grand final was 'This house regrets the prominence of filial piety as the guiding principle in Asian households'. Our team argued against the topic with the team line 'Honoring Roots, Building Futures'. Despite the complexity of the topic, our speakers triumphed over the affirmative side, winning the champion. This experience offered the students an invaluable opportunity to critically engage with the familial, cultural, and social issues at play.



Here are the motions the team debated during the course of the competition:

Debaters	Motion	Stance	Result
1 st Speaker: Nadia Wong (6D) 2 nd Speaker: Carlisle Cheng (6C) 3 rd Speaker: Kevin Yip (6A)	'This house would ban the poor from gambling.'	Affirmative	WIN
 1st Speaker: Nadia Wong (6D) 2nd Speaker: Carlisle Cheng (6C) 3rd Speaker: Rachel Wong (6A) 	'The house would ban those under 16 years old from using social media platforms.'	Negative	WIN
1 st Speaker: Ayden Zhang (6A) 2 nd Speaker: Carlisle Cheng (6C) 3 rd Speaker: Hailey Tse (6B)	'This house regrets the prominence of filial piety as the guiding principle in Asian households.'	Negative	WIN (Champion)

The achievements of the English debating team are truly exceptional. The team looks forward to more challenging yet rewarding debates next academic year.