St. Peter's Church Kindergarten

Information on Admission in the 2020/21School Year

Eligibility Criteria

- K1: was born on or before 31 December 2017
- K2: was born on or before 31 December 2016
- K3: was born on or before 31 December 2015

Collection of application forms (No quota)

- 1. Download from school website
- 2. Obtain from school in person

Distribution Period

- 1. Date: 2/9/ 2019 (Monday) to 18/10/2019 (Friday)
- 2. Time: 9:00am to 5:00pm (Monday to Friday)

Return of application forms (No set quota for the kindergarten)

- 1. Period: 2/9/ 2019(Monday) to 18/10/2019(Friday)
- 2. Time: 2:00pm to 5:00pm (Monday to Friday)
- 3. Form Submission: Submit the application form in person / by post together with the documents required as follows:
 - (i) Original and copy of Birth Certificate
 - (ii) Original and copy of Immunisation Record
 For those applications by post, please bring the above originals for verification on interview.
 - (iii) 4 self-addressed stamped envelopes (\$2.0 stamp) specifying the name of the applicant.
- 4. Application fee: HK\$40 (to be collected together with the application form). The application fee is non-refundable whether the application is successful or not.

Please do not send cash through the mail. Crossed cheque payment can be sent by post. Cheque made payable to "St. Peter's Church Kindergarten"

Application for the "Registration Certificate for Kindergarten Admission"

- 1. The Government will implement the "Free Quality Kindergarten Education Scheme" (hereafter referred to as "Scheme") starting from the 2017/18 school year. Each child who can receive education in Hong Kong will only be issued a registration document and all Scheme-KGs can only admit students holding a valid registration document.
- 2. Parents are required to submit an application for the "Registration Certificate for Kindergarten Admission" (hereafter referred as "RC") to EDB from <u>September to November 2019</u>. The "RC" will be open for applications in September 2019 and EDB will announce and upload the details of application onto EDB's website (link to be inserted) in due course. Upon receipt of the applications with all necessary information and documents provided, EDB will generally take six to eight weeks to complete processing of the applications and issue the "RC" to applicants who are eligible for receiving subsidy under the Scheme by post. If a student cannot obtain an "RC" as he/she can receive education in Hong Kong but is not eligible for receiving subsidy under the Scheme¹, EDB will then issue a "Kindergarten Admission Pass" (hereafter

referred to as "AP") to the student concerned for registration and admission to a Scheme-KG but the parents concerned are required to pay full school fees before deduction of subsidy under the Scheme as shown on the Fees Certificate of the KG to which the child is admitted.

Admission Criteria

- 1. Interview performance
- 2. The applicant with sibling(s) currently studying in the kindergarten will be given due priority consideration.
- 3. The applicant with parents / sibling(s) previously studying in the kindergarten will be given due priority consideration.

(As the number of school places is limited, please understand that not all applicants fulfilling the priority consideration will be guaranteed a school place.)

Interview Arrangements

- 1. The kindergarten will arrange interview for all applicants.
- 2. Interviews will be conducted on 16/11/2019(Saturday)(Pending). The details will be informed by post.
- 3. Group and individual interviews will be arranged.
- 4. Parents should accompany their child for the interview.
- 5. Interviews will be conducted in Cantonese.

Announcement of Admission Results

We will inform parents admission results before 20 December 2019 by post.

Registration Arrangements

- Successful applicants: Parents should complete the registration procedures for their child from 9 to 11 January 2020 ("Centralized Registration Dates") by submitting the "RC"/"AP" to the kindergarten and paying the registration fee.
- 2. Applicants on the waiting list: Parents should complete the registration procedures for their child according to the specified date set by the school. Parents are required to submit the "RC"/"AP" to the kindergarten and pay the registration fee.
- 3. Please be reminded that if parents cannot submit the "RC"/"AP" during registration, the kindergarten may not able to complete registration for their child. Hence, parents are required to submit application for the registration document to EDB within the specified period.
- 4. The registration fee for 2020/21is HK\$970. If the child concerned studies in the kindergarten, the registration fee paid will be refunded before 30 September, 2020. Should parents decide to change school after registration, please notify the kindergarten in writing. The kindergarten will return the "RC"/"AP" but the registration fee will not be refunded. Upon obtaining the "RC"/"AP", the Kindergarten will no longer keep the school place for the child.

Enquiry

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1 Upon obtaining permission from the Director of Immigration, non-local children (such as children holding a form of recognizance, children whose parent(s) is/are holding a student visa, etc.) can receive education in Hong Kong but they are not eligible for subsidy under the Scheme.