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*This year planner
belongs to:*



Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23)

Outstanding Award (Senior Secondary Division)



A visual representation of "Lines of Nostalgia" by Colin Rampton

"My work depicts a bustling city and features positive changes brought by the rapid development of Hong Kong. It showcases the beauty of Hong Kong while expressing hope for the city's future."

Chow Man Yu
Fukien Secondary School

New Year's Resolution

Set a smart goal for the new year and take action! Think about what you want to achieve this year (e.g. walk at least 10,000 steps a day for a month) and write it down below.

One goal I would like to achieve this year is

Now think about the actions to be taken to achieve it. Think of each action as a step towards your goal.

Step one

Step two



Completion date: _____

Goal of the month

January

Tasks to finish

"Nothing in life is to be feared,
it is only to be understood."

- Marie Curie

Priorities

Tasks to start

Notes

Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23)

Outstanding Award (Junior Secondary Division)



A visual representation of "Mother and Child" by Jennifer Wong

"Trees provide nourishment for fruits to grow, so they become juicy and tasty. Similarly, our mothers teach us how to behave, so we become better people."

Ko Tsz Ching Angelina
Po On Commercial Association Wong Siu Ching Secondary School



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*1 Jan: The First Day of January

Schools could refer to this Event Planning Calendar to plan and arrange national education activities.

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JANUARY 2024

There is no time like
the present



Goal of the month

February

Tasks to finish

"A bend in the road is not the end of the road."

- Helen Keller

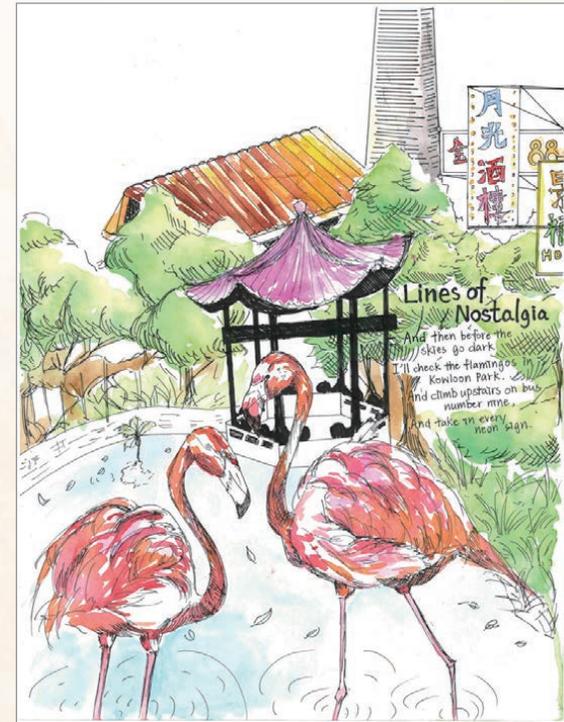
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Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23)

Outstanding Award (Senior Secondary Division)



A visual representation of "Lines of Nostalgia" by Colin Rampton

"Flamingos, Kowloon Park, neon signs and old-style village houses in this collage capture the nostalgia for this beautiful city. The unique Hong Kong culture should be preserved."

Kwan Man Ching
Sha Tin Government Secondary School



FEBRUARY 2024



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Goal of the month

March

Tasks to finish

"Every man is the architect of his own fortune."

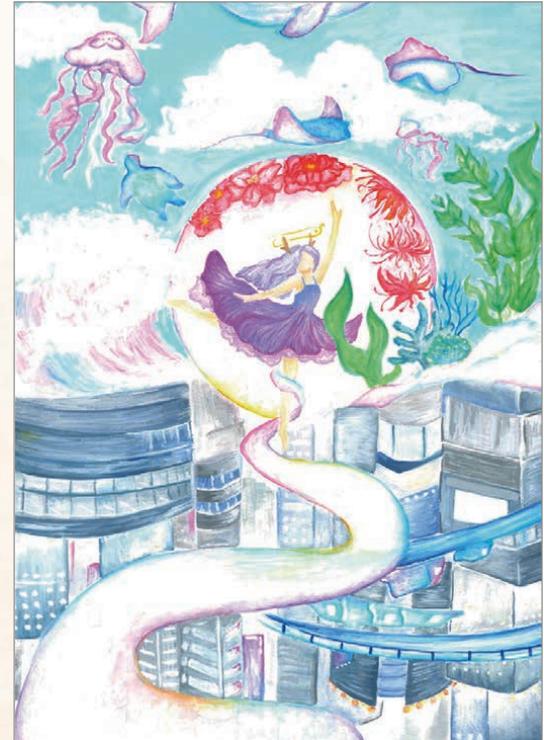
Priorities

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Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23)

Commendable Award (Junior Secondary Division)



A visual representation of "modern concrete" by Eddie Tay

"My artwork explores the dynamics between a modern city and nature. Let's try hard to make our city more vibrant and colourful and not to sacrifice the vitality of the city for urban development."

Ho Ching Kiu

Po On Commercial Association Wong Siu Ching Secondary School



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*29 Mar: Good Friday

*30 Mar: The Day Following Good Friday



MARCH 2024

"Every man is the architect of his own fortune."

Goal of the month

April

Tasks to finish

"We rise by lifting others."
- Robert G. Ingersoll

Priorities

Tasks to start

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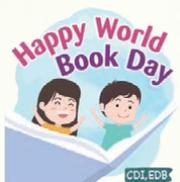
Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23) Outstanding Award (Junior Secondary Division)



A visual representation of "Grandfather" by Gillian Bickley

"Mothers' unconditional love is portrayed in the mother bird that uses her body to protect her children. Our family members have a deep affection for us and accept us for who we are."

Lee Ka Ching
Po On Commercial Association Wong Siu Ching Secondary School



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- *1 Apr: Easter Monday
- *4 Apr: Ching Ming Festival
- *23 Apr: World Book Day

"We rise by lifting others."
- Robert G. Ingersoll

APRIL 2024



Goal of the month

May

Tasks to finish

"Empathy is seeing with the eyes of another, listening with the ears of another and feeling with the heart of another."
- Alfred Adler

Priorities

Tasks to start

Notes

Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23)

Commendable Award (Junior Secondary Division)



A visual representation of "Mother and Child" by Jennifer Wong

"I draw a girl playing on the swing with her mother to show their happy memories and the purest love. Cherish our mothers and never take their love for granted."

Kwok Ho Yeung
Rhenish Church Pang Hok Ko Memorial College



MAY 2024



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*1 May: Labour Day

*12 May: Mother's Day

*15 May: The Birthday of the Buddha

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Goal of the month

June

Tasks to finish

*"Diligence is the mother of good luck."
- Benjamin Franklin*

Priorities

Tasks to start

Notes

Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23) *Outstanding Award (Senior Secondary Division)*



A visual representation of "Contrast" by Tammy Ho

"A loving moment of the grandfather enjoying his time with his grandchildren is captured in this artwork, reminding us to treasure the joy with our family."

Chan Chin Ching
Maryknoll Convent School (Secondary Section)



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*10 Jun: Tuen Ng Festival

*16 Jun: Father's Day

"Diligence is the mother of good luck."
- Benjamin Franklin

Goal of the month

July

Tasks to finish

"Kindness is a gift that everyone can afford to give."

Priorities

Tasks to start

Notes

Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23)

Outstanding Award (Senior Secondary Division)



A visual representation of "modern concrete" by Eddie Tay

"Elevators are like those who work silently in society to lift others. They work diligently in their posts to serve people around."

Lau Chin Tung
WEO Chang Pui Chung Memorial School



JULY 2024



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Goal of the month

August

Tasks to finish

"Great works are performed not by strength but by perseverance."
- Samuel Johnson

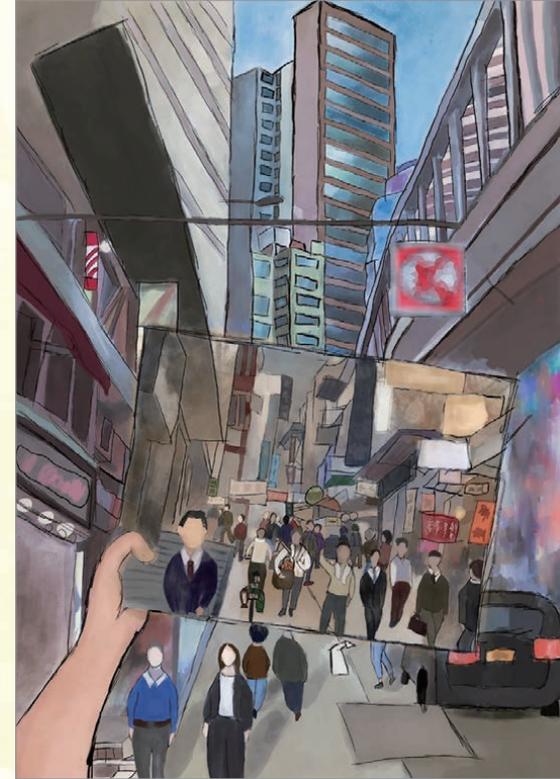
Priorities

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Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23)

Commendable Award (Senior Secondary Division)



A visual representation of "Central" by Leung Ping Kwan

"My artwork shows the change of a street in Central and brings out the strong contrast between the present and the past. I want to show my appreciation to those who made a lot of efforts to build our city and contribute to its development."

Yu Nga Man Amy
Man Kwan Pak Kau College



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Goal of the month

September

Tasks to finish

"No pain, no gain."

Priorities

Tasks to start

Notes

Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23)

Commendable Award (Junior Secondary Division)



A visual representation of "At the Daipaidong" by Kate Rogers

"My work shows a warm and caring scene of a mother sitting next to her daughter and surrounded by both Hong Kong dishes and food from their home country. Hope is reflected by the lights shining in the daipaidong against the dusky sky of red, velvet and blue."

Tang Yik Yan
St. Paul's Co-educational College



SEPTEMBER 2024



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- *10 Sep: Teachers' Day
- *17 Sep: Chinese Mid-Autumn Festival
- *18 Sep: The Day Following the Chinese Mid-Autumn Festival

"No pain, no gain."

Goal of the month

October

Tasks to finish

"Respect for ourselves guides our morals; respect for others guides our manners."

- Laurence Sterne

Priorities

Tasks to start

Notes

Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23)

Commendable Award (Junior Secondary Division)



A visual representation of "Lines of Nostalgia" by Colin Rampton

"My use of bright colours on landmarks in Hong Kong brings out the vibrancy and vivid vibe of the city, showing the contrast of the new and the old. Let's learn to appreciate the beauty and diversity of this incredible city."

Li Isalin
Fukien Secondary School



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*1 Oct: National Day

*11 Oct: Chung Yeung Festival

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- Laurence Sterne



Goal of the month

November

Tasks to finish

"It takes all sorts to make a world."

Priorities

Tasks to start

Notes

Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23)

Commendable Award (Senior Secondary Division)



A visual representation of "At the Daipaidong" by Kate Rogers

"I use bright colours and vivid tones to express the warm and lively atmosphere of daipaidong and capture the diversity and vitality of the city. The unique local culture should be preserved."

Liu Yi Fan
Fukien Secondary School



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"It takes all sorts to make a world."

Goal of the month

December

Tasks to finish

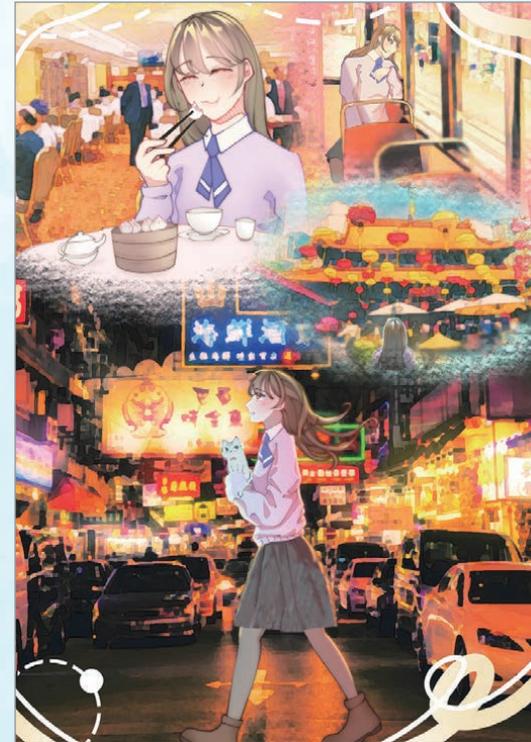
"The essence of beauty is unity
in variety."
- Felix Mendelssohn

Tasks to start

Priorities

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Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23) Outstanding Award (Junior Secondary Division)



A visual representation of "Lines of Nostalgia" by Colin Rampton

"The artwork depicts hope and faith in Hong Kong. As a vibrant and dynamic city, Hong Kong will surely recover and 'bounce back' despite all the hard times it has gone through."

Tang Ka Yi
St. Mary's Canossian College



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- *21 Dec: Chinese Winter Solstice Festival
- *25 Dec: Christmas Day
- *26 Dec: The First Weekday after Christmas Day

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- Felix Mendelssohn

Home is where the heart is.



Love Our Country

What have you done recently to show your love for our country?

For example, learn more about Chinese cultures/traditions and share what you have learnt with friends.

Write about it, draw a picture or stick a photo of it below.

Things I did

A blank sheet of paper on an easel, intended for writing or drawing.

Kindness

is the language which
the deaf can hear and
the blind can see.

- Mark Twain -



Love the Community

Complete the Gratitude Hunt! Look around your neighbourhood for ideas/things to complete the bubbles below.

Gratitude Hunt

I enjoy looking at...

I am thankful to have...

...is my favourite corner.

...is useful to me.

I can share...
with someone else.

I can make my neighbourhood better by...



Sayings
of Wisdom

We may not always see
eye to eye, but we can try to
see heart to heart.

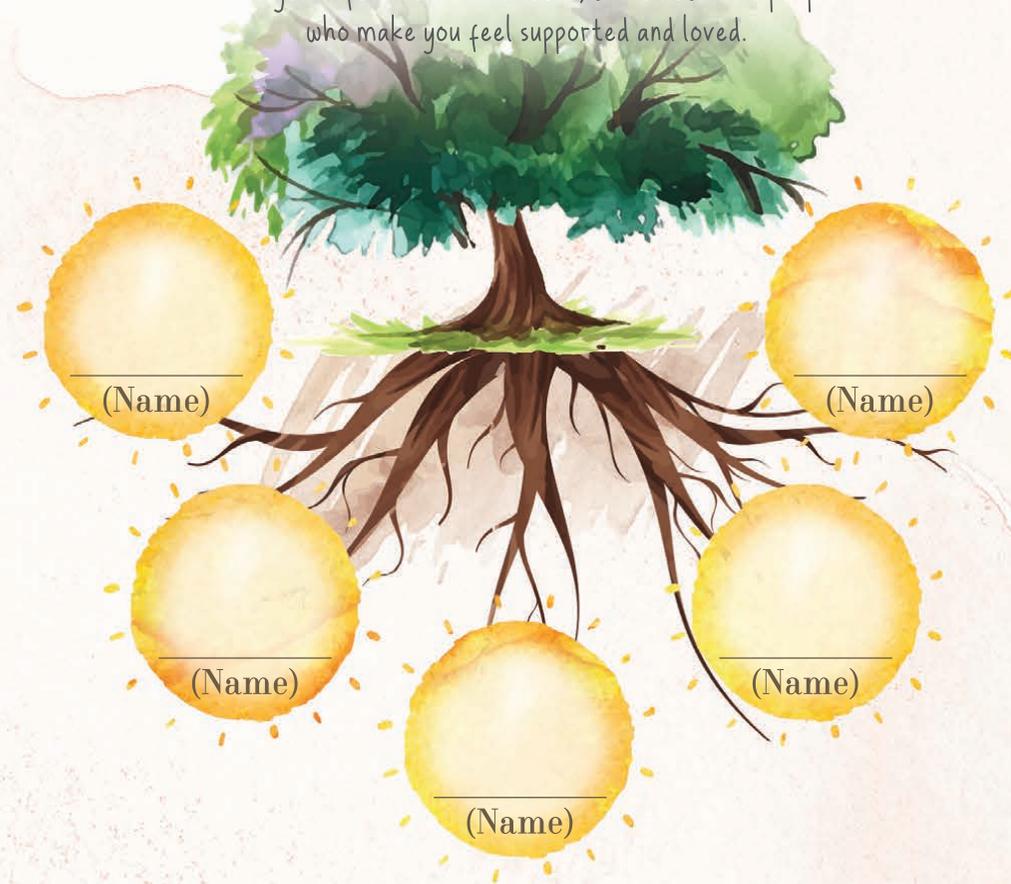
- Sam Levenson -



Love Our Family and Friends

Our lives are like trees. Our family members and friends are roots that keep us standing strong and tall when wind starts blowing and challenges arise.

Here is your life tree. On the roots, write down the people who make you feel supported and loved.



What would you say / do to thank them?

Blank space for writing a response to the question above.

Gratitude turns
what we have
into *enough*.



Love Myself

Think about the kind of person you want to be 10 years from now.
Circle the qualities you would like to develop in the future.

 **Creative** **Courageous** **Helpful** 

Curious  **Peaceful** 

Proactive **Intelligent**

Tolerant **Committed**

Mature **Healthy** **Selfless** **Honest**

Empathetic  **Lovable** **Loving**

Confident **Caring** **Kind**

Generous  **Optimistic**

Organised **Persevering**

Sociable **Wise**

Passionate **Responsible** **Diligent** **Popular** 

Adventurous **Focused** **Decisive** **Ambitious** Own answer

The person
I want to be
in 10 years



Who is your role model or source of inspiration?

Why do you admire him/her?

*What we hope ever to do with ease,
we must learn first to do with diligence.*

— Samuel Johnson —

Love Learning

Create your own Tree of Knowledge. Choose one of your interests or a topic you want to explore and write it down on the trunk below. Then put down related ideas/fields on the apples.

Tree of Knowledge

How did you feel when exploring the new interest/topic?

- Positive Hopeful
 Stuck Frustrated

Did you persist or give up?
Why?



Would you like to continue learning about it or explore a new area? Why?



*Don't judge each day by the harvest you reap
but by the seeds you plant.*

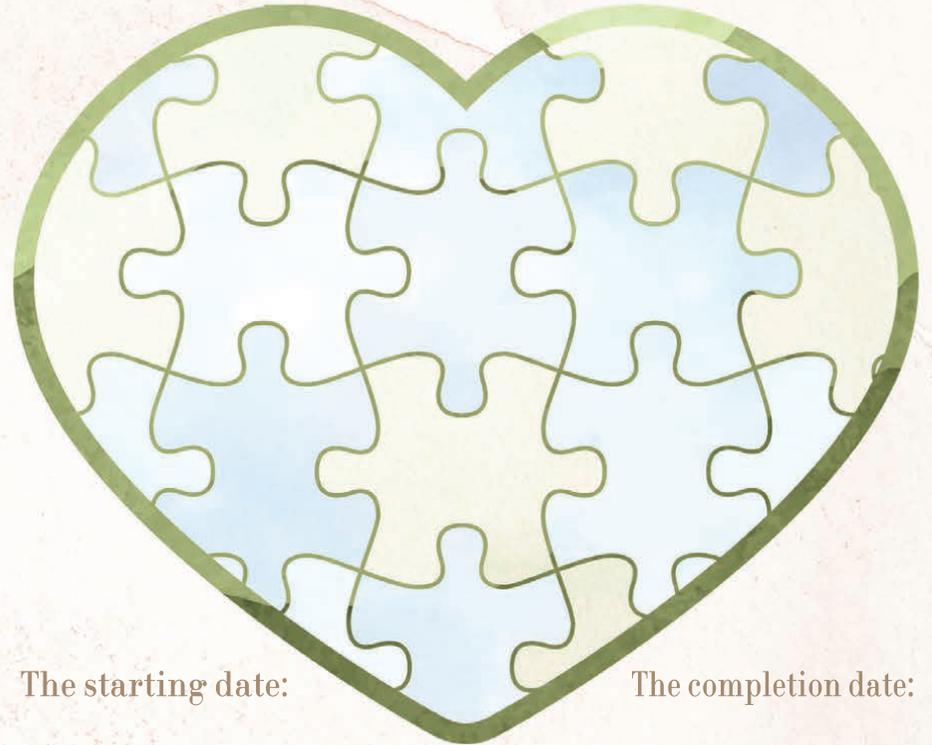
— Robert Louis Stevenson —



Love Nature

What small changes can you make in your daily life to show your love for nature? Use the "Eco-Kindness" Tracker to track your kind acts. Every time you do something kind for the environment, write it down and colour the piece. See how soon you can fill the heart with colours.

My "Eco-Kindness" Tracker



The starting date:

The completion date:

Recall what you did in the period. Which act of kindness is the most memorable? Why?

Poetry Remake Competition (2022/23)

Commendable Award (Junior Secondary Division)



A visual representation of “modern concrete” by Eddie Tay

“I capture the sunset in this picture. I want to add more warmth to this concrete world and make it a better place.”

Mo Sen Yik Fan King
Salesians of Don Bosco Ng Siu Mui Secondary School

Year-end Reflection

The year is coming to a close. Revisit the smart goal you set at the beginning of the year. Write about a time you persisted in achieving the goal.

The goal I reached:

The setback I experienced:

How I persisted and achieved success in the end:

With the year winding down, it's time for us to look to the next. What will be your new goal for the coming year?

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