

School Nominations Direct Admission Scheme (SNDAS)
Programme and Admission Requirements of Designated Programmes
in the 2026/27 Academic Year

I. Programme information

(a)	University	The Chinese University of Hong Kong
(b)	Programme	BEd in Early Childhood Education
(c)	JUPAS programme code	JS4372
(d)	Programme duration	5 years

II. Programme admission requirements

Admission requirements		
(a)	Nominees should attain the score in either one of the following English tests: (i) TOEFL: Internet-based test (iBT) – score: 80 or above; or Paper-delivered test – a sum score of 550 or above (Remark: TOEFL MyBest™ Score is not accepted); or (ii) IELTS: Academic Overall Band: 6.0 or above	Preferred
(b)	Attained Grade 8 or above in practical grade/ performance grade at examination organised by ABRSM (or other internationally recognised music examination bodies)	
(c)	Attained Grade 5 or above in theory at examination organised by ABRSM (or other internationally recognised music examination bodies)	
(d)	Received awards / prizes in local competitions in the musical / drama / visual art / sports field	
(e)	Active participation in extra-curricular activities in the musical / drama / visual art / sports field	
(f)	Nominees should demonstrate strong interest and talents in the musical / drama / visual art / sports field	

III. Application requirements

Application requirements		
(a) JUPAS application		
(i)	Band A choice in nominee’s JUPAS application	Mandatory
(ii)	Submission of Other Experiences and Achievements in Competition / Activities (OEA)	
(iii)	Submission of Student Learning Profile (SLP)	
(b) Other application materials		
(i)	Submission of a 1-minute self-introduction video	Mandatory
(ii)	Nominees may demonstrate in a personal statement in no more than 300 words why they are interested in the programme.	
(iii)	Recommendation letter	
(iv)	Submission of Secondary 5 and Secondary 6 school reports	Preferred
(v)	School’s assessment on the predicted HKDSE grades	
(vi)	Submission of at least one short video of instrumental performance of existing music	Optional

IV. Assessment of application

Assessment		
(a)	Nominees should demonstrate outstanding performance in the interview.	Mandatory

V. Enquiry and nomination submission channel

- (a) Enquiries from schools / students on the programme can be addressed to:

Name: Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, CUHK

Telephone: 3943 8947 / 3943 0387

Email: sndas@cuhk.edu.hk

- (b) Nominations from school principals should be submitted via:

Online system (URL link: <https://admission.cuhk.edu.hk/jupas/sndas.html>)