Secondary School Places Allocation (SSPA) System 2023/2025 Cycle



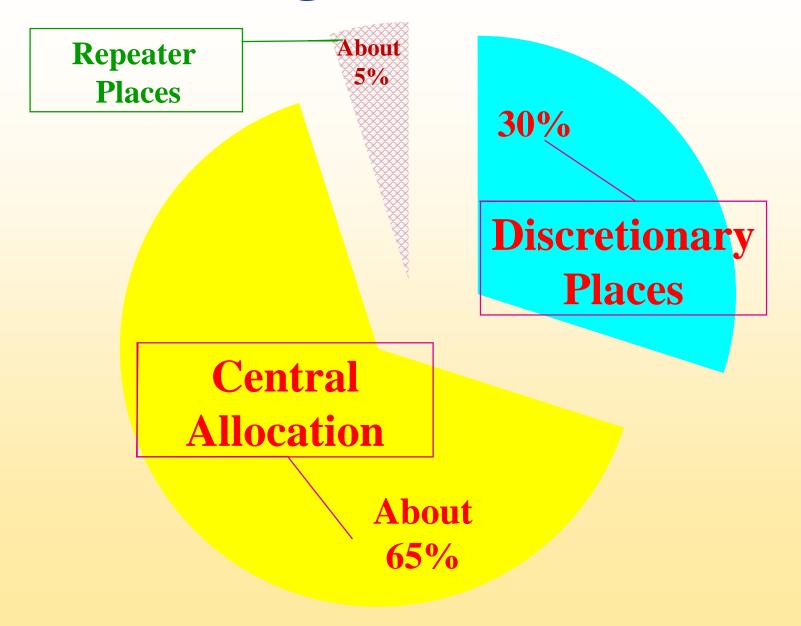
Eligibility for Participation

- Being a Hong Kong resident
 - ◆ Please refer to the EDB Circular on "Entry of Nonlocal Children and Children Holding a Form of Recognizance to Schools in Hong Kong" and verify that all participating students are eligible for receiving education in the public sector schools in Hong Kong
- Studying in a primary school participating in the SSPA System
- Never been allocated a Secondary 1 (S1) place

Two Stages

- Discretionary Places (DP)
- Central Allocation (CA)

Percentage of School Places



DP Stage

Parents

- Should not apply to more than two participating secondary schools, otherwise the DP applications of their child will be rendered void
- Application is not subject to restriction on districts
- Should fully consider all aspects of the school such as its educational philosophy, tradition, religion, admission criteria, class structure, development and operation, as well as their child's characteristics, personality, abilities and interests so as to make a suitable school choice

DP Stage

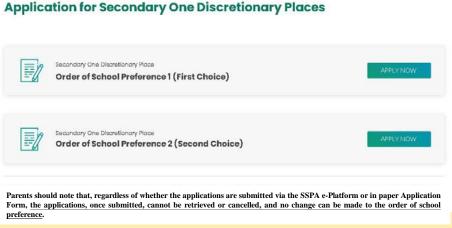
Secondary Schools

- Schools admit students according to their own admission criteria and weightings
- Criteria should be fair, just, open and educationally sound
- Schools may arrange interviews, but no written tests in any forms should be conducted, including the use of computer or questionnaires to assess the applicants' subject knowledge

DP Stage

EDB has implemented digitalisation of S1 admissions. For parents registered as SSPA e-Platform users who have bound their account to "iAM Smart+", apart from the paper Application Form, they may submit DP applications via the SSPA e-Platform.

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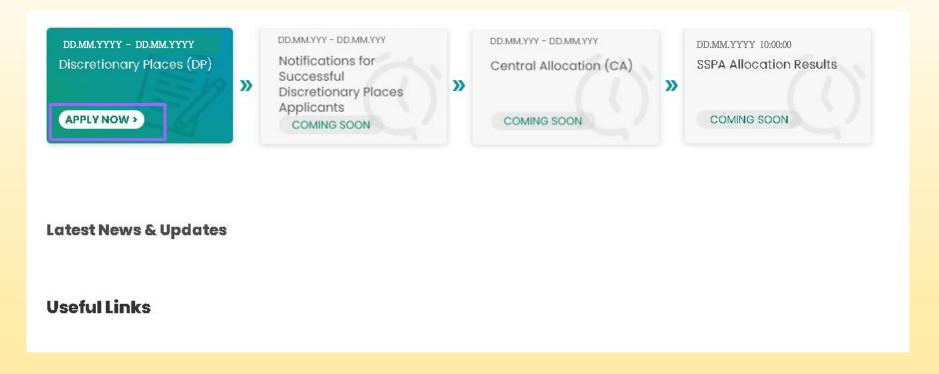


(b) Submit applications via paper Application Forms

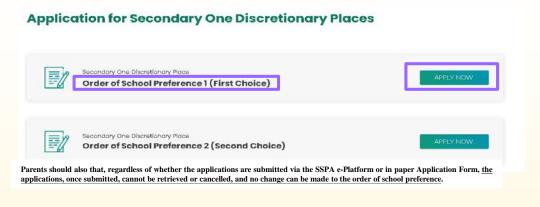


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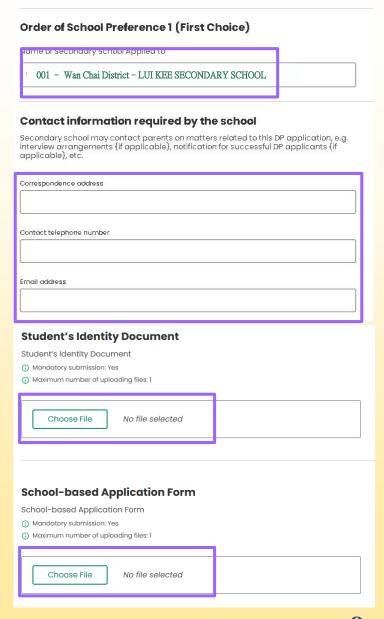
- For parents registered as SSPA e-Platform users and bound their account with "iAM Smart+", apart from the paper Application Form, they may submit DP applications via the SSPA e-Platform
- Parents may log in the SSPA e-Platform with "iAM Smart+", select "Apply Now" to enter the page for DP



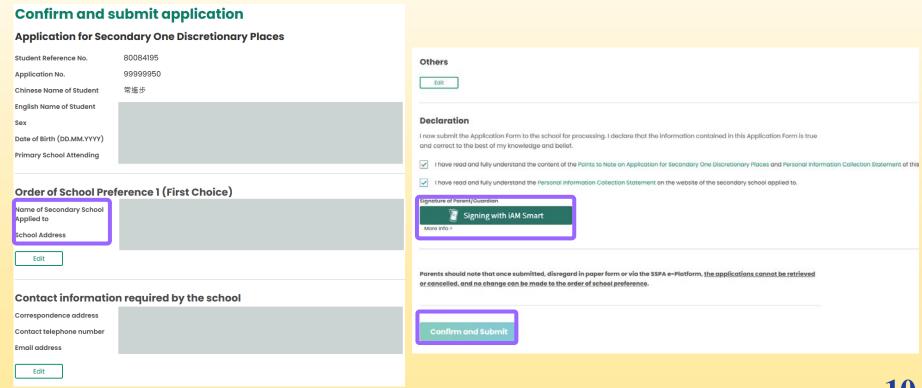
Select the order of school preference (viz. Order of School Preference 1 or Order of School Preference 2) for the secondary schools you intend to apply to



- Select/input the "Name of Secondary School Applied to"
- Fill in the contact information required by the school, including the correspondence address, contact telephone number and email address
- Upload a copy of the student's identity document(s) (mandatory) for secondary school's checking
- Upload documents required by the secondary school to the corresponding folders based on the document category (e.g. Completed Schoolbased Application Form, Copies of Report Cards and Records of Certificates and Awards)

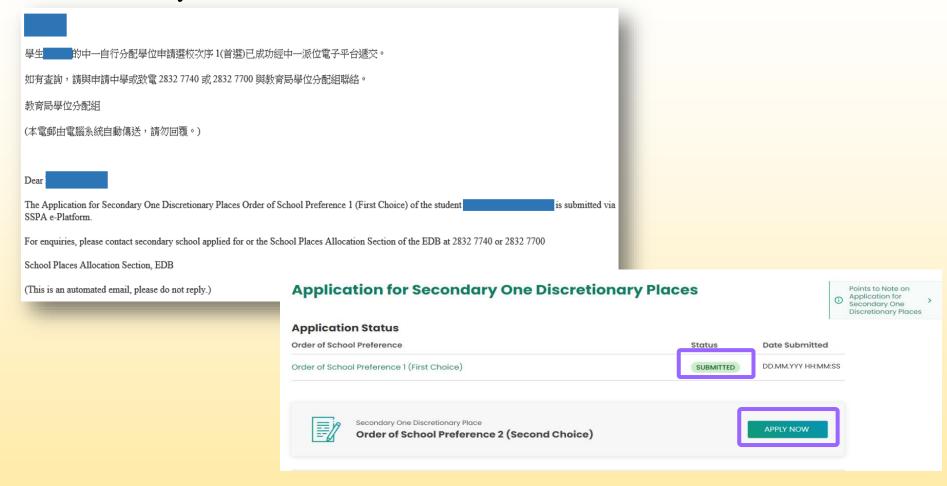


- Check that the "Name of Secondary School Applied to", order of school preference and document(s) uploaded are accurate
- Acknowledge understanding of the "Points to Note on Application for Secondary One Discretionary Places" and the relevant "Personal Information Collection Statement" of EDB and the secondary school being applied to
- Confirm signing digitally with "iAM Smart+"
- After signing digitally with "iAM Smart+", click "Confirm and Submit" and then "Yes" to complete the application procedures



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• Check whether the application status for the application of the selected order of school preference has been changed to "Submitted" and the acknowledgement email issued by the SSPA e-Platform has been received



Repeat the above procedures to submit an application for the other order of school preference

(b) Submit applications via paper Application Forms

Application Form for S1 Discretionary Place (Sample)



Two Application Forms for each student (Only applicable to application to participating secondary schools; Not applicable to application to non-participating secondary schools)



Each Application Form is divided into four parts. Students' particulars are pre-printed in all parts



- Parents should write the name of the secondary school they wish to apply to according to their order of preference in all parts of the Application Form
- Method of submission: Must be submitted <u>in person</u> within the application period (<u>submission by mail will not be accepted</u>)
- Parents should tear off the part containing the order of preference before submitting the application (There is no need for parents to disclose their order of preference to the secondary schools they apply to)

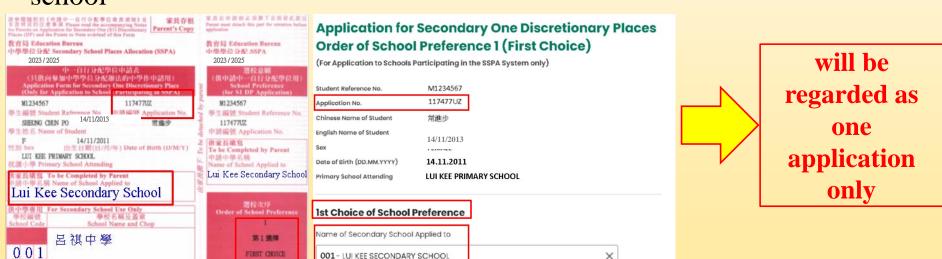
- Parents should submit the Application Form (with the remaining three parts intact) in person directly to the secondary school, together with the related documents required by the secondary school (for example, the duly completed school-based application form). They should also produce the <u>original</u> of the student's identity document for verification by the secondary school
- After verifying and confirming that the student information is correct, the school will enter the school name and school code, and stamp the school chop in the spaces provided in each part of the Application Form
- Applicants will then be given the Parent's Copy as acknowledgement



Once submitted, the Application Form cannot be retrieved or cancelled and no change can be made to the order of school preference

Notes on Submission of Applications

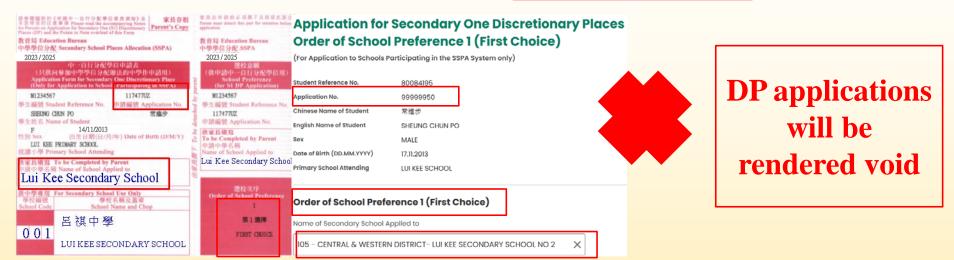
- Parents should not submit duplicate applications via the SSPA e-Platform and in paper Application Form for the same child
- If parents submit duplicate applications (i.e. submitting applications bearing the same application number to the same secondary school via both the SSPA e-Platform and in paper Application Form), these applications will be regarded as one application only. Hence, duplicate applications will not increase the chance of a student being allocated to the school



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Notes on Submission of Applications

Parents <u>should not</u> submit applications bearing the same application number to two different secondary schools via the SSPA e-Platform and in paper Application Form.
 Otherwise, the DP applications of their child <u>will be rendered void</u>



- Parents should note that regardless of whether the applications are submitted via the SSPA e-Platform or in paper Application Form, the applications, once submitted, cannot be retrieved or cancelled, and no change can be made to the order of school preference
- To efficiently handle the large number of applications, <u>each login session to the SSPA e-Platform is limited to 30 minutes</u>. Please complete the application procedures within 30 minutes. If necessary, parents may use the "Save as Draft" function and continue with submitting the application by retrieving the draft in a new login session

*This SSPA e-Platform user interface is for reference only, and may be subject to system development changes.

- All participating secondary schools are required to, after processing DP applications, notify parents of successful applicants of their children's inclusion in the Successful Lists for Discretionary Places by letter and phone on 31 March 2025
- These notification arrangements are not applicable to reserve and unsuccessful applicants
- The parents concerned do not need to reply to the secondary schools on whether they would accept the offers
- For parents registered as SSPA e-Platform users, they may also view the notifications for successful DP applicants via the SSPA e-Platform starting from 10 a.m. on the same day

Sample Notification Letter

Date

Dear Mr/Ms *Name of Parent*:

Application for Secondary One Discretionary Places

Thank you for applying for the discretionary places (DP) of our school in SSPA <u>2025</u> (for admission to Secondary 1 in September <u>2025</u>). Our school has concluded all selection procedures for DP applications. We would like to inform you that your child (*Name of student*) has been selected as a successful DP applicant and hence included in the Successful Lists for Discretionary Places of our school. Please note that this notification may not be the final DP application results under SSPA. The school to which your child will eventually be allocated will be announced concurrently with Central Allocation result on <u>8</u> July. Parents do not need to reply to this notification.

For enquiries, please contact our staff (or name of the designated staff member/teacher) at (enquiry hotline of the school).

Yours sincerely,

Name of Principal

Name of Secondary School

- The notification arrangements are administrative measures. The prevailing SSPA mechanism and procedures remain unchanged
 - Parents do not have to disclose their order of school preference to the participating secondary schools
 - ◆ The applications, once submitted, cannot be retrieved or cancelled, and no change can be made to the order of school preference
 - ◆ All students who are allocated with DP will not be allocated other school places at the CA stage

Based on the Successful Lists for Discretionary Places submitted by participating secondary schools, EDB will provide each participating primary school with <u>its</u> <u>respective list of students notified as successful DP</u> <u>applicants</u> in early April

(The list will not show the names of the secondary schools concerned and whether the students are selected as successful applicants by one or two secondary schools)

All students will receive the SSPA allocation results in July as usual

Non-participating Direct Subsidy Scheme (NDSS) secondary schools

- Admission arrangements
 - without any restriction on admission timeframe and district
 - according to their school-based S1 admission arrangements
- The number of NDSS secondary schools that a student may apply to
 - ◆ no limit

NDSS secondary schools

- If parents decide to accept the offer of an S1 school place from one of the NDSS secondary schools
 - ◆ sign the Parent's Undertaking
 - submit the original of the Primary 6 Student Record Form



Give up any other subsidised S1 places (Give up S1 places to be allocated through the SSPA System)

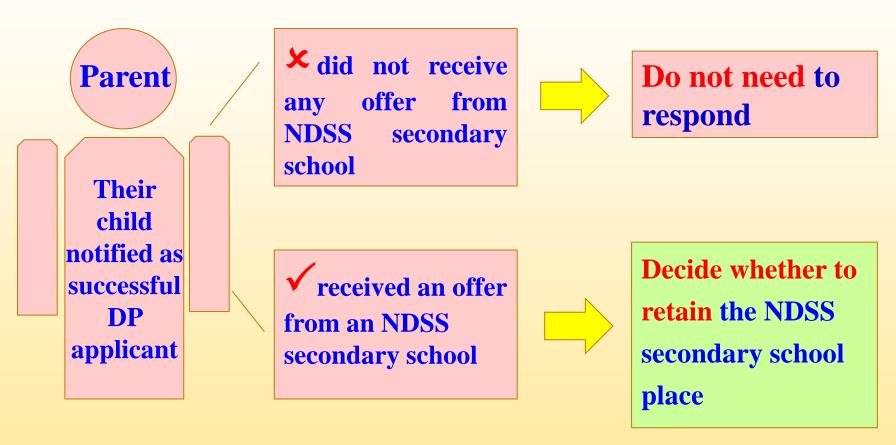
If students notified by participating secondary schools as successful DP applicants have also been admitted by an NDSS secondary school, parents should decide whether to retain the school place of the NDSS secondary school on or before 8 April 2025

- If parents decide to retain the school place offered by the NDSS secondary school, they do not need to reply to the participating secondary schools on whether they would accept the offers. Their children will eventually be allocated to the NDSS secondary school concerned according to the existing SSPA mechanism
- The DP of the successful applicants concerned will be forfeited

- If the parents concerned decide to decline the offer from the NDSS secondary school, they should notify the NDSS secondary school concerned and retrieve the signed Parent's Undertaking and the original of the Primary 6 Student Record Form on or before 8 April 2025
- Their children will eventually be allocated with the DP in the participating secondary school according to the existing SSPA mechanism

- NDSS secondary schools may admit other students in accordance with their waiting lists to fill the vacancies by late April
- NDSS secondary schools are required to complete all admission procedures by late April 2025 and submit their Successful Lists of Participating Students and copies of the signed Parent's Undertaking to EDB

Parent of a student who is notified by participating secondary schools as a successful DP applicant



Parent of a student who is notified by participating secondary schools as a successful DP applicant

Decide whether to retain the NDSS secondary school place Decide to retain the DP

Decide to retain the NDSS secondary school place Within around 5 working days after receiving notifications (on or before 8 April 2025)

- → notify the NDSS secondary school
- retrieve the signed Parent's
 Undertaking and the original of the
 Primary 6 Student Record Form

Do not need to reply to the participating secondary schools on whether they would accept the offers



DP → forfeited

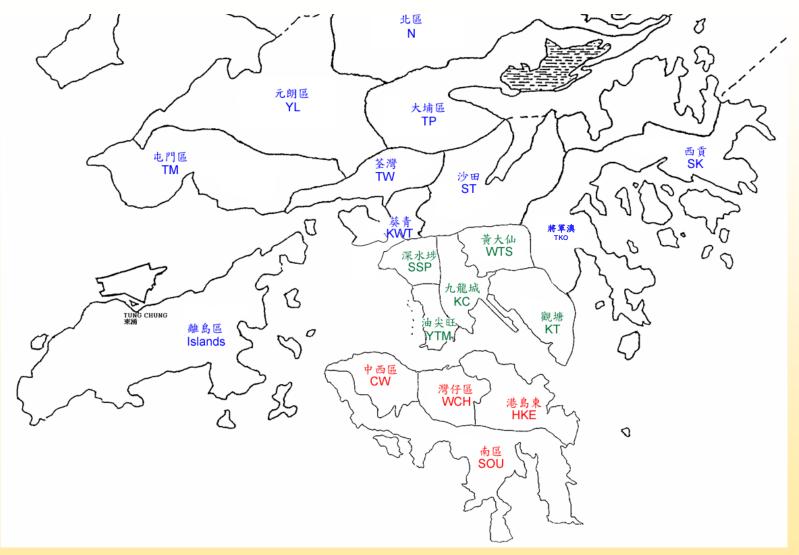
Allocation of DP

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| ONE School Choice | Successful/Reserve Lists for | If students are not on the Successful Lists of |
| (Order of School Preference 1) | Discretionary Places by participating secondary schools | Participating Students:Matching of the parent's preference |
| OR | Successful Lists of Participating Students | against the school's Successful/Reserve |
| TWO School Choices (Order of School | by NDSS secondary schools | Lists for Discretionary Places |
| Preference 1 & 2) | | Allocation will be based on the parent's order of preference |

CA Stage

- After the deduction of repeater and discretionary places, the remaining places in a secondary school are used for CA:
 - ◆ 10% for Part A Unrestricted School Choices (choose one to three schools from any school nets, including the student's own net)
 - ◆ 90% for Part B Restricted School Choices (choose a maximum of 30 schools from the student's own net)

Demarcation of School Nets

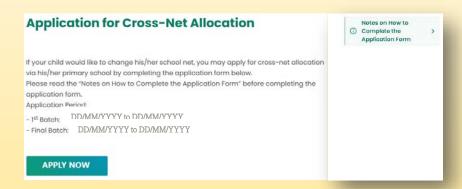


In line with the district administration boundaries, the whole territory is divided into 18 school nets for the allocation of places in Part B (Restricted School Choices) of CA. In principle, the school net to which a student belongs is determined by the 31 physical location of the primary school he/she attends.

Application for Cross-net Allocation

- If there is a genuine need for a student, with special reasons, to change school net, parents may submit an application for cross-net allocation together with relevant proof documents to EDB through the primary school before late February 2025
- A successful applicant will participate in Part B of CA in the new school net for which he/she is approved
- For parents registered as SSPA e-Platform users who have bound their account to "iAM Smart+", apart from the paper Application Form, they may submit application for cross-net allocation via the SSPA e-Platform

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(b) Submit applications via paper Application Forms

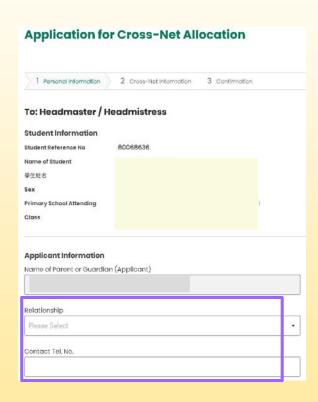
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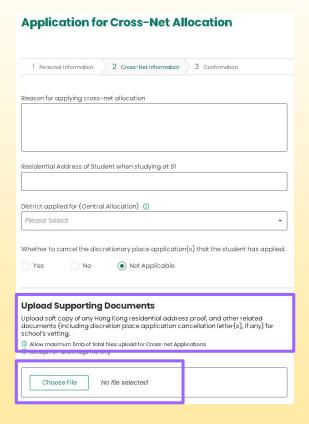
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- After logging in with "iAM Smart+", parents may select "Application for Cross-net Allocation" on the left, and select "Apply Now" to enter the page for Application for Cross-net Allocation

| Application for Cross-Net Allocation | Notes on How to Complete the > Application Form |
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| If your child would like to change his/her school net, you may apply for cross-net allocation via his/her primary school by completing the application form below. Please read the "Notes on How to Complete the Application Form" before completing the application form. Application Period: | |
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- Fill in applicant information
- Fill in the application form and upload the supporting documents
 - Reason for applying cross-net allocation
 - ◆ Residential address of student when studying at S1
 - District applied for (CA)





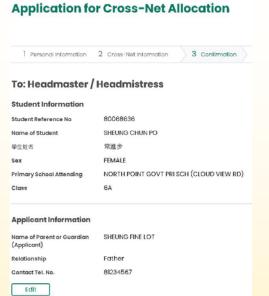
- Fill in the application form and upload the supporting documents
 - ◆ Whether to cancel the discretionary place application(s) that the student has applied

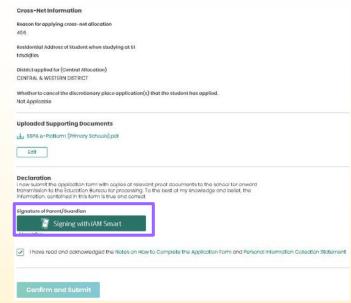
(If parents wish to cancel the discretionary place application(s) submitted earlier, please input/select the School Name(s), and tick the discretionary place application(s) that you wish to cancel.)

◆ Upload a copy of the cancellation letter(s) for the discretionary place application(s) you submitted to the secondary school(s)

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■ Check whether the application status for the application has been changed to "Submitted" and the acknowledgement email issued by the SSPA e-Platform has been received



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(b) Submit application via paper Application Form

■ After completing the paper Application Form, parents should submit copy of the relevant supporting documents

■ Parents are also required to present the original of the documents to the child's attending primary school for

verification

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Notes on Submission of Applications

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- Parents should note that once the application for cross-net allocation is approved, it is <u>irrevocable</u>
- Acceptable Hong Kong residential address proof documents include stamped tenancy agreement, demand note for rates and/or government rent, tenancy agreement or tenant's rent card issued by the public housing authorities, residential telephone/ home broadband bill, and the bills from various utility companies, like Towngas, power companies, Water Supplies Department, etc. Other documents such as bank's statements, mobile phone bills, court summons and tax demand notes will not be accepted
- The name and address of the parent (i.e. the payee) must be printed on the Hong Kong residential address proof document
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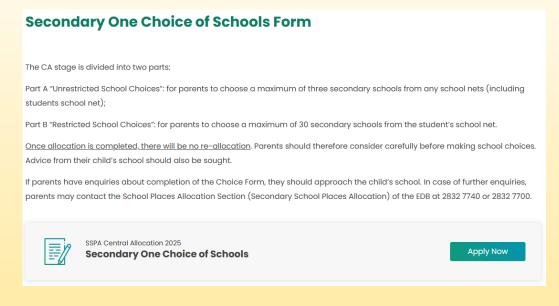
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School Choices Within the Net

- To ensure all the nets have sufficient places to meet the demand for CA, each school net comprises:
 - all participating secondary schools located in their own district; and
 - a number of participating secondary schools in other districts *
 - * the number of secondary schools and school places provided from other districts may vary from year to year according to the demand and supply situation

CA Stage

- For parents registered as SSPA e-Platform users who have bound their account to "iAM Smart +", apart from the paper Choice Form, they may submit CA application to the attending primary school via the SSPA e-Platform
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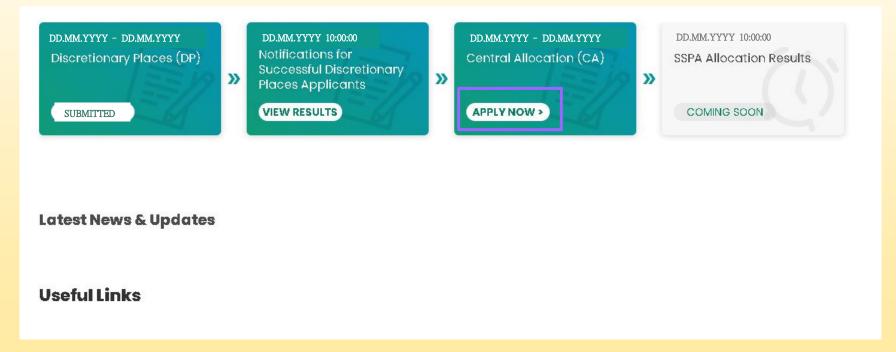


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- Parents may log in the SSPA e-Platform with "iAM Smart+", select "Apply Now" to enter the page for CA

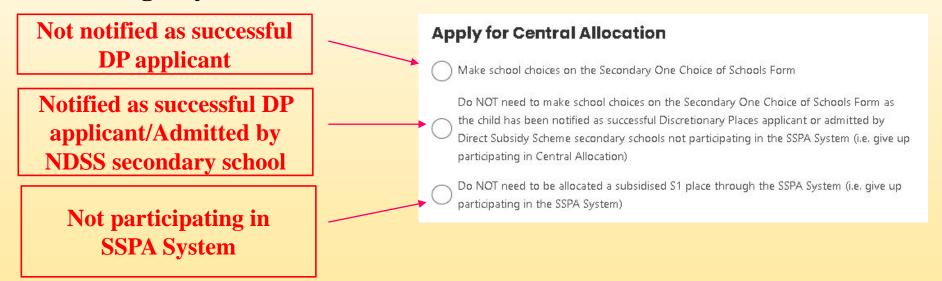


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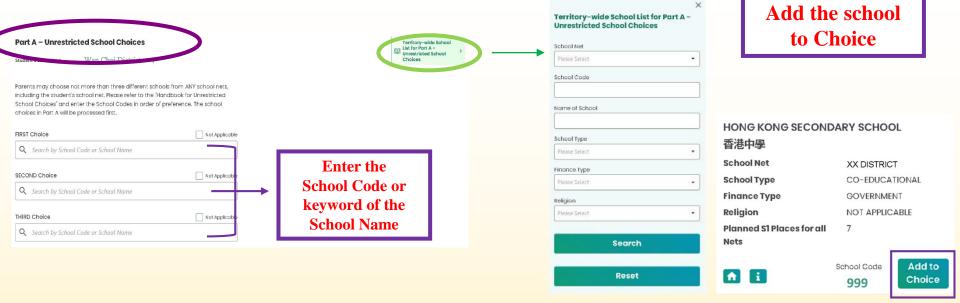
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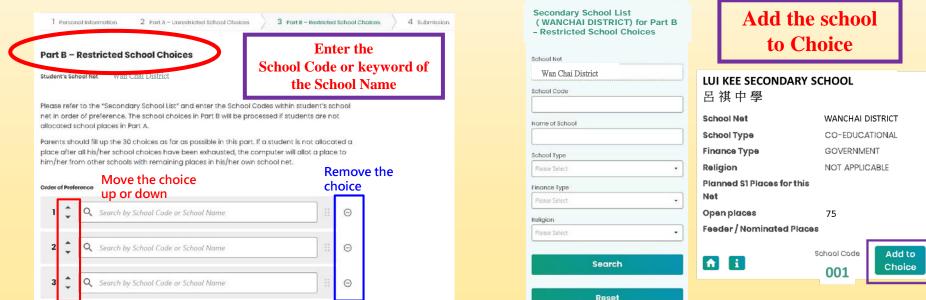
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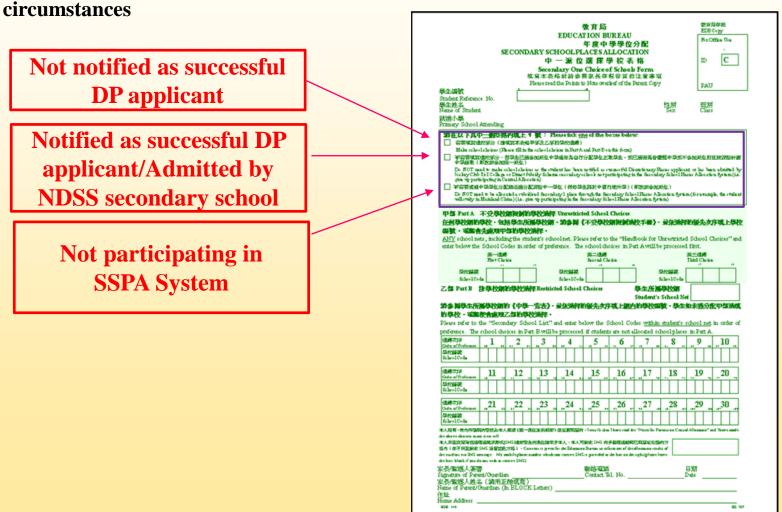


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(b) Submit applications via paper Choice Forms

Should complete and submit the Secondary One Choice of Schools Form to EDB in early May through the primary school irrespective of whether application for DP has been made

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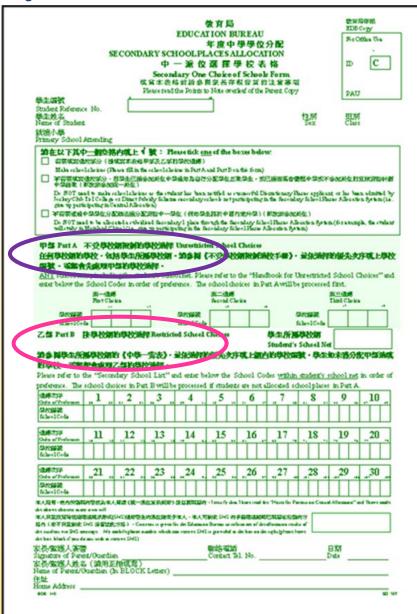
(b) Submit applications via paper Choice Forms Secondary One Choice of Schools Form (Sample)

Part A -Unrestricted School Choices

(Refer to the Handbook for Unrestricted School Choices, choose a maximum of 3 schools)

Part B - Restricted School Choices

(Refer to the Secondary School List of the student's own net, choose a maximum of 30 schools)



- CAN repeat the same school choice in both Part A and Part B if it is in the student's own net
- DO NOT make repeated choices in the same part
- DO NOT choose only a few favourite schools in Part B. This will not increase the chance of the student being allocated to the school(s)

Parents of students who have been notified as successful applicants

- Will receive the Secondary One Choice of Schools Forms and the relevant Secondary School Lists for the
 - CA stage in April
- Parents <u>do not need</u> to make school choices
- Parents only have to tick
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Parents of students who have <u>not</u> been notified as successful applicants

Need to <u>fill out the</u>
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Notes on Submission of Applications

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Criteria for Central Allocation

Part A **Unrestricted School Choices**

- Student's Allocation Band* (Territory Band)
- Parental Choice of Schools (a maximum of 3)
- Random Number #

Part B **Restricted School Choices**

- **Student's Allocation Band*** (Net Band)
- Parental Choice of Schools (a maximum of 30)
- Random Number #
- * Allocation Band: Under the allocation process of SSPA, students' standardised internal assessment results at the end of P5, and both in mid-year and at the end of P6 are scaled, then divided equally into 3 allocation bands with a view to determining the order of allocation
- # Random Number: It is used to determine the order of allocation within the same allocation band. If the demand for school places of a certain secondary school exceeds the supply, the student possessing a smaller random number will be allocated a place first

Subjects included in the Internal Assessments (IA) for submission of scores by primary schools

 Chinese Language, English Language, Mathematics, General Studies, Visual Arts, Music

Subject weighting:

| Subject | Weighting | Subject | Weighting |
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| Chinese Language | 9 | English Language | 9 |
| Mathematics | 9 | General Studies | 6 |
| Visual Arts | 3 | Music | 2 |

 Schools may include Religious Education (Weighting: 2) and Putonghua (Weighting: 1) in the IA

Scaling Mechanism of Internal Assessments Scores

- Scaling tool: Pre-Secondary One Hong Kong Attainment Tests (Pre-S1 HKATs)
- Conduct in allocated secondary schools in mid-July
- Scaled marks of students in the current cohort are obtained by referring to the average of the corresponding sampled results of the previous two cohorts in the Pre-S1 HKAT
 - → Reduced the incentive of drilling

CA Computerised Procedures

- A random number is first assigned to each student by the computer. It is used to determine the order of allocation of students for a school place within the same allocation band
- The Unrestricted School Choices in Part A will be processed first, to be followed by the Restricted School Choices in Part B

Part A: Allocation Process

- The computer will first process the school choices of students in **Territory Band 1**,
- then the choices of students in Territory Band 2, and
- finally the choices of Territory Band 3 students
- Only after the computer has finished processing the choices of all the students in Part A will the unallocated students' choices in Part B be processed

Part B: Allocation Process

- After all the students in Net Band 1 have been allocated school places,
- the computer will follow the same procedure to allocate places to students in **Net Band 2**, and
- finally allocate places to students in Net Band 3

Choice-making Reference Materials for Parents

Committee on Home-School Co-operation

Secondary School Profiles
 (to be distributed in early December 2024)

Education Bureau

Handbook for Application for Secondary One Discretionary Places

(to be distributed in early December 2024)

 Handbook for Unrestricted School Choices and Secondary School Lists

(to be distributed in early April 2025)

2023/2025 Schedule (2024/25 School Year)

| Mid-Oct 2024 | Primary schools manage the SSPA e-Platform School Accounts |
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| Late Oct 2024 | Distribution of Information Leaflets on the SSPA System |
| Mid-Nov 2024 | Parents register for the SSPA e-Platform Parent Accounts Secondary schools manage the SSPA e-Platform School Accounts |
| Early Dec 2024 | Distribution of Application Forms for Secondary One Discretionary Place and related documents |
| 2 to 16 Jan 2025 | All participating secondary schools accept DP applications submitted via the SSPA e-Platform or in paper Application Form in the same period |
| Mar 2025 or before | Some secondary schools may conduct interviews for selection of students 57 |

31 Mar 2025

Participating secondary schools notify parents of successful DP applicants

Early Apr 2025 Participating primary schools will receive "List of Students Notified as Successful DP Applicants (Primary Schools)"

> Distribution of Secondary One Choice of Schools Forms and related documents

On or before 8 Apr 2025

If parents decide to decline the offer from the NDSS secondary school, they should notify the NDSS secondary school concerned and retrieve the signed Parent's Undertaking and the original of the Primary 6 Student Record Form on or before 8 Apr 2025

Early May 2025 All participating primary schools submit parents' duly completed Secondary One Choice of Schools Forms via the SSPA e-Platform and in paper Application Form

8 Jul 2025 Release of allocation results

10 & 11 Jul 2025 Students register with the secondary schools allocated

15 Jul 2025 Pre-Secondary One Hong Kong Attainment Test

Note: The date for primary schools to collect the allocation results is 7 July 2025. Should the tropical cyclone warning signal or rainstorm warning signal be issued by the Hong Kong Observatory, or "extreme conditions" be announced by the Government on the day for the collection of allocation documents or the announcement of allocation results, or on the days designated for registration, please pay attention to announcements on the radio or television for special arrangements. If schools, according to the EDB Circular No. 5/2022 in July 2022 on "Tropical Cyclones and Heavy Persistent Rain Arrangements for Kindergartens and Day Schools", consider that it is necessary to suspend classes due to inclement weather on the day for the announcement of allocation results, please inform the Liaison Officers of the School Places Allocation Section in the first instance.

Enquiries

Website

Education Bureau (https://www.edb.gov.hk):

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