Grant Schools Provident Fund Financial Bulletin for the Quarter Ended 28 February 2022

Key Financial Data

		Quarter ended <u>28.2.2022</u>	Quarter ended <u>30.11.2021</u>
Contributors' Account (HK\$ million)	(a)	3,216	3,205
Net Assets (HK\$ million)	(b)	3,888	3,979
Asset cover (%)	(b) / (a) * 100	120.9	124.1

Market Commentaries

- Market concerns focused on the continued elevated inflation, the looming tightening of monetary policy by major central banks and the conflict between Russia and Ukraine.
- The US 10-year Government bond yield increased from around 1.4% by the end of November 2021 to around 1.8% by the end of February 2022.
- For the quarter ended 28 February 2022, the Hang Seng index decreased by about 3.2% from 23,475 as at the end of November 2021 to 22,713 by the end of February 2022, while the Dow Jones Industrial Average Index decreased by about 1.7% from 34,483 to 33,892 during the same period.

Changes of Key Market Indicators In Percentage

	Currency <u>(Change vs. HKD)</u>	Equity (in original currency)	Bond (in original currency)
Hong Kong	N/A	-3.24	-1.12
USA	+0.23	-4.23	-3.11
Canada	+1.37	+2.26	-1.71
UK	+1.65	+5.65	-8.66
Germany	+0.01	-4.23	-3.92
Japan	-1.19	-4.65	-1.99
Australia	+2.58	-3.48	-3.00
Mainland China	+1.06	-2.85	+1.19

Major Investment Activities During The Quarter

Hong Kong equities	Maintained
Hong Kong debt securities	Maintained
Overseas equities	Maintained
Overseas debt securities	Maintained
Cash and net accounts receivable	Maintained

Net Asset Allocation In Value

	28.2.2022 <u>(HK\$ million)</u>	30.11.2021 <u>(HK\$ million)</u>
Hong Kong equities (HKE)	652	680
Hong Kong debt securities (HKDS)	489	493
Overseas equities (OE)	1,452	1,499
Overseas debt securities (ODS)	661	685
Cash and net accounts receivable (CH/NAR)	634	622
	3,888	3,979

Net Asset Allocation In Percentage

