

Gifted Education Fund: Off-school Advanced Learning Programmes

Programme No. 2021-03 (For primary students)

Title of Programme	Hong Kong in Depth: Creative Tourism and Media Production Programme for Gifted Primary Students
Programme Provider	Centre for Learning Sciences and Technologies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
Theme	Humanities and Social Science Research Programme
Maximum No. of Participants and Class Level in the 2021/22 School Year	32 students (Primary 4-5)
Pre-requisite	No special background knowledge or skills are required.
Programme Delivery Period	From June 2022 to May 2023 (12 months) (tentative)
Medium of Instruction	Course Material: Chinese supplemented with English Class teaching/ Discussion: Cantonese supplemented with English
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• To enhance the knowledge of gifted students in the history and traditional culture of Hong Kong through inquiry-based learning and development of an online tourism package;• To develop generic skills among the students such as communication, IT, self-learning, creativity, problem-solving, etc. and other skills related to conducting historical and cultural research, writing and presentation, photography and filming/editing, graphic design, etc.;• To provide an opportunity for students to demonstrate their talents in using innovative media to promote the tourism of Hong Kong; and• To promote affective education of the gifted students and nurture positive values and attitudes among them such as perseverance, integrity, caring for others, willingness to collaborate with peers, etc.
Programme Outline*	<p>This programme aims to enhance the knowledge of gifted students in the history and traditional culture of Hong Kong through inquiry-based learning and production of an online tourism package for use by tourists and Hong Kong people. Students will also develop generic skills and other practical skills. Apart from nurturing positive values and attitudes, affective education lessons will also be conducted in order to enhance the social and emotional development of gifted students. The programme consists of three phases.</p> <p>Phase 1: Tourism Education and Affective Education (28 hours in total)</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● An opening ceremony and lecture: Guest speakers will be invited to deliver keynote speeches to students and parents ● Workshops on the following topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Affective education: e.g. self-awareness, emotional management, self-management (including stress management and time management), etc. - Tourism education: e.g. tangible tourist attractions in Hong Kong, intangible cultural heritages and the basics of tourism studies (types of tourism, market position of Hong Kong, trends and issues, examples of tourism promotion packages in the market, etc.) ● A field trip (site of visit to be confirmed later) ● A mentorship tutorial class <p>Phase 2: Independent Inquiry, Writing and Innovative Media Production (36 hours in total)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Workshops and training sessions on the following topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Affective education which will cover leadership styles and traits, responsible decision making, social and communication skills, creativity, creative problem-solving skills, etc. - Writing and presentation skills for the tourism packages - Innovative media with indoor/ outdoor practical training sessions, which will cover photography, cinematography, photo and video editing, programming of professional VR software for development of the tourism packages, etc. ● Mentorship tutorials to provide individual consultation to the students ● Students' independent study and production of the tourism packages <p>Phase 3: Refinement of the tourism packages and showcase of learning outcomes in the closing ceremony (6 hours in total)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Advices to students by mentors on refinement of the tourism packages produced by students and preparation for the closing ceremony ● A closing ceremony for students to showcase their tourism packages and learning outcomes to parents, teachers and other guests ● A seminar for students to self-reflect and review their affective development during the learning process <p>* In view of the latest development of the COVID-19 pandemic, the programme provider may need to modify the learning and teaching activities as a contingency.</p>
Admission Fee	Free of charge
Application Method	Application form can be downloaded from the following webpage:

	<p>https://www.edb.gov.hk/en/curriculum-development/curriculum-area/gifted/ge_fund/gef/programme/current.html</p>  <p>Please complete the application form and send it by post <u>on or before 16 May 2022</u> to the following address:</p> <p>Centre for Learning Sciences and Technologies Room 528, Sino Building, The Chinese University of Hong Kong Shatin, New Territories (Attn: Miss Jasscar LIU)</p>
Documents to be Submitted along with the Application	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A photocopy of report card (last academic year) • Please write about the following in the section of Student's Self-introduction in the application form: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Self-introduction (including student's interests, strengths and weaknesses); - Reasons for application; - Preliminary ideas of promoting Hong Kong tourism; and - Expectations of the programme • Evidence of Other Learning Experiences (if any)
Enquiry	<p>Miss Jasscar LIU (Centre for Learning Sciences and Technologies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong)</p> <p>Tel No.: 3943 0425 Email: jasscarliu@cuhk.edu.hk</p>
Date of Announcement of Result	By mid June 2022 (tentative)