

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY COLLEGE
Information for parents (November)

25 October 2018

Dear Parent / Guardian,

Please be informed of the following points:

(1) Religious Activities

Date	Time	Events	Venue	Participants
Nov	---	The month of the Holy Souls in Purgatory	---	---
1/11 (Thu)	---	All Saints' Day	---	---
	13:25 – 13:50	The Religion Week – GOD IS LOVE Drama Performance	School Hall	1 Matthew & John students
2/11 (Fri)	---	All Souls' Day	---	---
	13:25 – 13:50	The Religion Week – GOD IS LOVE Drama Performance	School Hall	1 Luke & Mark students
	17:15 – 20:15	Sacred Heart Mass of Jesus	Franciscan House	F.2 & F.3 Catholic students
4/11 (Sun)	---	St. Helen Feast Day	---	---
12/11 (Mon)	16:00 – 17:00	Pray for Vocation	OSF Convent	F.4, F.5 & F.6 Catholic students
26/11 (Mon)	12:50 – 13:50	Lunch Gathering for KATSO	Room 112	All Catholic students & 1 Mark students

(2) Changing to Winter Uniform

Students may wear summer or winter uniform starting from 1 November (Thu). All students are required to wear winter uniform from 3 December (Mon).

(3) Special Timetable

A special timetable will be adopted on 5 November (Mon) and 21 November (Wed). The time of dismissal will be 15:00.

(4) Annual School Picnic

Here are the arrangements for the annual school picnic on 9 November (Fri).

Forms	Destinations	#Fee	Roll Call – Time	Roll Call – Places	Time for Return	Dismissal – Places
1	Tai Tong Country Park	\$44	07:55	School Playground	14:30	School Playground
2	Tai Au Mun	\$44				
3	Tai Mei Tuk	\$38				
4	Butterfly Beach	\$47				
5	Wong Shek Pier	\$54				
6	Stanley	\$27				Central

The following dress code will apply on the School Picnic:

1. Sport shoes and casual shoes are allowed. (Slippers and sandals are not included.)
2. Full-length jeans/slacks, knee-length shorts, T-shirts/blouses and sneakers are allowed. Jackets of any colour may be worn if the weather is cool.
3. No straps tank-tops, low-cut, midriff-style or other revealing tops and no accessories are allowed.
4. The standing school regulations regarding personal appearance must be observed.

Remarks:

1. The school picnic is a formal school activity. Parents should not arrange any activities for students on that day. If students must apply for leave, please submit a parents' letter to the Form Teacher before 7 November (Wed).
2. **Those who cannot attend the school picnic due to sickness should inform the school before 08:00 and hand in a medical certificate and parent's letter the following day.**
3. Students who are late or fail to follow the dress code, and those who have permission to be absent from the picnic must stay at school for self-study until 15:00.
4. In the event of any unforeseeable circumstances such as bad weather or issuing of Typhoon Signal Number 3, the school picnic will be cancelled and students have to return to school and participate in activities arranged by the school.
5. Fees are non-refundable in any situation.

#Fee will be collected through e-Payment system in December.

(5) Shatin Caritas Bazaar

The Shatin Caritas Bazaar will be held on 18 November (Sun) at Yuen Wo Playground. We hope that you can come and join us at the Caritas Bazaar to show your concern for the needy. 19 November (Mon) is the Day after the Caritas Bazaar. There will be no school. School will resume on 20 November (Tue), which is DAY 3.

(6) Assisting students from low-income families in undertaking Internet learning at home

To assist eligible students in undertaking Internet learning at home, non-profit-making organizations, namely The Boys' and Girls' Clubs Association of Hong Kong (BGCA) and WebOrganic, continue to provide the following services from the 2018/19 school year:

- BGCA launches the "Community Digital Competence Hub" to provide students from its low-income family members with thematic computer courses, information technology experiential activities and free computer and Internet access technical support (such as computer check-up and repair), as well as counselling service provided by registered social workers on the 'Healthy Use of the Internet'.
- WebOrganic launches the "Broadband Service Concession Scheme for Students from Low-income Families" and a discounted computer scheme for students to offer broadband Internet services and computer products at discounted prices for purchase by eligible families across the territory.

For information on eligibility, the latest offers and service details, please contact the two non-profit-making organizations directly or Mr. Lei Wing Kuen of our school.

BGCA

Hotline: 2520 5820

E-mail: cdch@bgca.org.hk

Website: www.bgca.org.hk/?locale=en-US

Service details:

WebOrganic

Hotline: 2922 9200

E-mail: info@weborganic.hk

Website: www.weborganic.hk/en

Service details:

Broadband
services

Computer products
(Chinese only)



(7) Other Learning Activities in this month

Date	Time	Event	Venue	Participants	#Fee	Remarks
1/11 (Thu)	16:00 – 17:30	Biology SBA	Room 411	F.6 E2 Biology students	---	---
5/11 (Mon)	15:15 – 16:15	Leadership Training Workshop	Room 105	Selected F.1 & F.2 students	---	---
7/11 (Wed)	15:10 – 16:10	Study Skill Workshop (II)	Rooms 200 – 207	All F.1 students	---	---
	16:00 – 17:00	Leadership Training Workshop	Room 105	Selected F.3 students	---	---
8/11 (Thu)	15:10 – 16:10	Study Skill Workshop (II)	Rooms 400 – 407	All F.3 students	---	---
	16:00 – 18:00	Physics SBA	Room 413	F.6 E1 Physics students	---	---
10/11 (Sat)	09:00 – 12:30	JUPAS Information Day and Joint School University Mock Interview	Tak Sun Secondary School	Selected F.6 students	---	Students should dress decently and gather in the Hall at Tak Sun Secondary School at 08:45.
10,17/11	10:00 – 12:00	Art Workshop & Service	Jockey Club Intergenerational Art Centre	Selected F.2 & F.3 students	---	Assemble and dismissal at the venue.
10-11/11	12:30 (10/11) – 13:00 (11/11)	Disciplinary Prefect Leadership Training	Wu Kai Sha Youth Village	F.3 – F.5 Disciplinary Prefects	---	---
13/11 (Tue)	14:35 – 16:30	Provoke the Age, the Acts: 50 Years' Quest for a Language to Come	JCCAC	F.4 VA students	---	Dismissal at the venue
	15:10 – 16:15	Interview Technique and E-App Talk	Covered Playground	All F.6 students	---	---
14/11 (Wed)	11:40 – 17:00	Geography Field Study	Wong Chuk Hang	F.6 Geography students	---	Students have the first to fourth lessons as usual in school. After the second recess, the subject teacher will give a briefing and arrange lunch with students before departure to the site. Lunch and transportation fees are at students' own expense. Dismissal will be at Wong Chuk Hang MTR Station Exit A around 17:00.
15/11 (Thu)	15:45 – 16:30	Chinese Literature SBA	Room 109	F.6 Chinese Literature students	---	---
16/11 (Fri)	16:00 – 17:00	ICT Seminar – “Intellectual is Property?”	Room 113	F.6 ICT Students	---	---
18/11 (Sun)	10:00 – 12:30	Junior Financial Secretary – Workshop on Presentation Skills	Boys' & Girls' Clubs Association of Hong Kong, Wan Chai	F.4 Participants	---	---
20/11 (Tue)	15:10 – 17:00	Project Learning Workshop 1	Rooms 105, 400-407	All F.3 students	---	---
	16:00 – 17:15	The Journey of Life – Career Leadership Training	Rooms 305 & 306	Career Prefects	---	---
21/11 (Wed)	14:00 – 16:00	Study Skill Workshop	Rooms 209, 210, 309 & 310	All F.4 students	---	---
22/11 (Thu)	14:35 – 16:30	A Hollow in a world too full – Cao Fei's Solo Exhibition	JC Contemporary, Tai Kwun, Central	F.4 VA students	---	Dismissal at the venue
23/11 (Fri)	15:45 – 17:15	Mathematics Unified Test (Paper 2)	Rooms 100, 105 & 108	All F.6 students	---	---
	16:00 – 17:00	Long-distance Running	Shing Mun Riverside	2 Luke & 2 John students	---	Assembly at the Statue of Mary in PE uniform.
	16:00 – 17:00	ICT Seminar – “What is Computer Science, Really?”	Room 113	F.4 & F.5 ICT Students	---	---
	16:00 – 17:00	Big Brothers & Sisters Scheme 1	Rooms 206, 207, 209 & 210	All F.1 students	---	---
24/11 (Sat)	08:30 – 12:15	HK Mock Examination (Chinese Language)	Rooms 307 – 310	All F.6 students	\$120	---
26/11 (Mon)	13:55 – 15:45	Joint School Chinese Oral Practice	Tak Sun Secondary School	5 Matthew & 5 Mark students	---	---
28/11 (Wed)	16:00 – 17:30	Biology SBA	Room 411	F.6 E3 Biology students	---	---
29/11 (Thu)	14:35 – 16:35	Life Planning Workshop – Savvy Planner	Covered playground	All F.5 students	---	---
	16:00 – 17:30	Biology SBA	Room 411	F.6 E2 Biology students	---	---
30/11 (Fri)	15:10 – 16:10	Stress Management Talk	Room 105	All F.6 students	---	---

#Fee will be collected through e-Payment system in December.

Yours sincerely,

Ms. MOK Kit Yue
Principal

✂️ **✱Biblical Quote: Know that the LORD works wonders for his faithful one; the LORD hears when I call out to him. (Ps 4:4)**

*Please return the reply slip to the Form Teacher on 30 October (Tue)

(Ref:1819-0092)

Class No. _____

(Reply Slip)

I, parent of _____ (Class) _____ (Name), hereby acknowledge receipt of the notice concerning all the arrangements of the school in November. I will urge my child to attend the activities of his / her form level.

Signature of Parent : _____

Date : _____