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YCCECE Event in the Spotlight

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Parent-Child STEAM Fun Fair Offered Young Children STEAM Exploration Opportunities 親子STEAM探索嘉年華為幼兒提供了探索STEAM的機會

The College hosted a Parent-Child STEAM Fun Fair on Sunday, 29 May at VESSEL 03, Kwun Tong Promenade.

Nearly 800 children and families participated in the Fun Fair where young children aged 2-6 and their families were provided with a range of opportunities to explore science and art through play.

As the event was held close to Dragon Boat Festival, the 8 game stations which were designed, planned and operated by the students and alumni of YCCECE were also themed 'Dragon Boat Festival' and offered participants an occasion to understand STEAM through materials and activities in their daily lives.

As one of the activities under the 3-year JC 'CoolPlay Project', the Fun Fair was funded by The Hong Kong Jockey Club Charities Trust and co-organised by the Yew Chung College of Early Childhood Education and the Vocational Training Council.



學院在5月29日於觀塘海濱道發現號三號舉辦「親子STEAM探索嘉年華」。

是次嘉年華旨在為2-6歲幼兒及其家人提供一系列探索的機會，吸引近800名兒童和家庭參加。

由於活動接近端午節，8個攤位均以「端午節」為主題，由耀中幼教學院學生和校友設計、策劃和營運，讓家長和幼兒有機會透過日常生活材料和活動認識STEAM之外，更認識傳統節日的真義。

嘉年華由香港賽馬會慈善信託基金捐助、耀中幼教學院與職業訓練局共同主辦，是為期三年的賽馬會「智·幼·趣」計劃其中一項活動。



Scholarship & Bursary Support from Right Line Foundation

歐航慈善基金慷慨支持學院獎學金及助學金計劃

The College received a HK\$1,800,000 pledge from Mr Keith Lee, Director of Right Line Foundation, who is also the Co-Chair of the Parent Fundraising Committee at Yew Chung International School (YCIS) Hong Kong, towards scholarships and bursaries support. The generous donation will allow many students to study early childhood education programmes despite their financial circumstances.

The Entrance Scholarship (Right Line Foundation) will support YCCECE students who aspire to become quality future teachers in Hong Kong to receive a quality education. In addition to scholarships, the College is also grateful for the Foundation's support towards the bursary scheme, which will provide vital support to marginalised students, allowing them to focus on their academic pursuits.

耀中幼教學院最近獲得由歐航慈善基金董事長同時也是香港耀中國際學校家長籌款委員會聯席主席李國賢先生的一百八十萬港幣慈善承諾捐贈。該筆捐贈將命名為「入學獎學金(歐航慈善基金)」,以支持學院獎學金計劃。這筆慷慨的善款將惠及許多優秀的學生,無論其經濟狀況如何,均可以入讀專業的幼兒教育課程。獎學金將幫助那些渴望未來成為香港優秀教師的學生接受優質的國際教育。

除獎學金以外,學院還感謝基金會對助學金計劃的支持,這將為基層家庭學生提供重要資助,使他們能夠專注於學業。



ECE Experience Day for Prospective Students 為準學生而設的幼教體驗日

A special engagement event was held on 20 May for students who are going to enrol in the College's 2022/23 academic year.

Participants were pleased to learn the attributes and qualifications required to become kindergarten teachers. Lecturers and student representatives of the College had also helped the prospective students to understand College life, internship experience of the programmes, and Yew Chung's 'Learn-through-play' pedagogy.

5月20日舉行的幼教體驗日特別為入讀 2022/23 年度學院課程的準學生而設。

參加者於體驗日了解要成為幼稚園教師所需的素質和資歷。學院的講師和學生代表又讓準學生們認識在學院的校園生活和實習體驗,以及耀中的「遊戲中學習」教學理念。



Reorganization Scheme of Children's Residential Home Services 支援童樂居服務重整計劃

The reorganization plan for Children's Residential Home (CRH) was launched in March 2022. YCCECE will provide comprehensive support to CRH over a duration of 9 months, including an in-depth review of the service and operation of CRH, and provide various professional services as well. The College will construct a new management plan, lead and implement it with the new generation of front-line childcare workers. The work will provide a reference for other operating children's homes in the future.

The college has set up a task force composed of ECE experts and teaching staff. With their professional knowledge and experience in early childhood education, the team will focus on children's well-being by providing detailed analysis and professional advice on residential management, daily operation procedures, living environment & equipment, manpower arrangement, training & talent acquisition, as well as child care and education skills, etc.

A set of child-oriented service models (CARE Model) and a compliance manual will be prepared for CRH as reference guide.

童樂居服務重整計劃剛於3月起推出。學院會於未來9個月為院舍提供全方位支援，包括深入探討其服務及運作，並提供各種專業建議，協助建構新管理方案，並帶領新一代的童樂居前線幼兒工作人員付諸實行，又為其他留宿兒童院舍的服務及運作提供參考。

學院成立專責小組，由校內幼教專家及教師組成，憑藉他們對幼教方面的專業知識與經驗，以兒童福祉為中心，從院舍管理、日常運作流程、院內環境及設備、人手編制、培訓與人才吸納、以至幼兒照顧及教育技巧等方面，提供詳盡的分析與專業建議。

另外，學院將建構成一套以幼兒為本的服務模式 (CARE Model)，為童樂居編寫參考手冊，供童樂居往後獨立營運時能有所參照。



Capstone Project Presentation 幼教專題研究

Final year students of the College's Bachelor of Education (Honours) in Early Childhood Education Programme successfully presented their 'Capstone Project' on 26 May. The event signified that our students' dream of being a kindergarten teacher is about to come true.

The 'Capstone Project' is an in-depth and applied research project in preschool settings such as kindergartens, children's centres, NGOs etc.

In addition to providing recommendations to the respective preschool settings, we hope that our students will contribute to further the development of early childhood education community with their research findings.

學院幼兒教育榮譽學士學位課程的準畢業生，在5月26日順利和講師們展示「幼教專題研究」，標誌著他們多年來的幼師夢想，即將實現。

「幼教專題研究」是由學生自行議定題目，在幼教相關機構，如學校、幼兒中心、非政府組織等等進行深入而應用型的研究。

我們希望學生於完成整個研究項目後，可以為相關機構提出建議，更為幼教界盡力貢獻。



Come Play and Learn with us at PPDS

來耀學園和我們一起遊戲中學習

Pamela Peck Discovery Space (PPDS) has reopened for on-site visits from 3rd May! It has adjusted the number of sessions and capacity during this pandemic.

Our teacher-curators have prepared a special colourful welcome for all returning families and schools! Special engagement activities like mask-drawing and storytelling based on real-life experiences were also conducted.



PPDS is holding a special session to showcase 'play' of generation to generation this summer! Families will experience a day of Play in the past and see how Play has changed. Stay tuned!



耀學園 (PPDS) 已於 5 月 3 日重新開放! 在疫情期間, 耀學園特別調整了每場的入場人數。

我們的教師特別為所有前來的家庭和學校準備了別具「色彩」的歡迎儀式! 此外, 耀學園更為參與的幼童準備了饒有趣味的體驗活動, 如口罩繪畫和講故事環節。

今年夏天, 耀學園將舉辦一場特別的活動, 展示世代相傳的遊戲! 參與者可以體驗「遊戲」在不同時代的演進。機會難得, 萬勿錯過。

Continuing and Professional Development

持續及專業進修

Webinar in Mainland China - Supporting Children with Special Educational Needs

內地的網上研討會 - 每個孩子都是微笑的天使—支持有特殊學習需求的兒童發展

The webinar held on 20 April was co-hosted by the College and 'Whole Child', a leading online education platform in Mainland China.

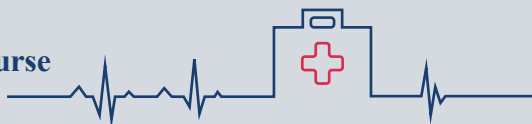
More than 11,700 participants had attended the webinar. The discussion was about the behaviours and intervention principles that related with the children with special education needs. Most of the participants found that they had a better understanding of the symptoms of these children. A sense of care and support was also strongly established for kindergarten teachers in Mainland China.

學院與中國內地一受歡迎的網上教育平台 - 「全人教育」於4月20日聯合主辦網上研討會。研討會錄得超過11,700名參與者。會上探討了有特殊學習需要的兒童的行為與支援原則, 會後參與者均表示對這些徵狀有更深入的认识。研討會更連繫了內地的幼稚園教師, 加深彼此的關懷與支持。



Mental Health First Aid Standard Course

精神健康急救標準課程



Young children, adults and the elderly may have experienced lots of emotional struggles and worries during the epidemic situation. The College has held the Mental Health First Aid Standard Course with The Mental Health Association of Hong Kong that aims at raising the awareness of mental health care for people from all walks of life in April.

Participants were led by a registered instructor to understand and practise the core values of Mental Health First Aid through lectures, case studies, role-play, suicide risk assessment and exercise on panic attacks.

Participants of the course included in-service teachers, pre-service teachers, parents, child caregivers and others interested in mental health.

疫情下讓不少幼兒、成人或長者經歷不同的情緒、恐懼和掙扎。學院希望提升大眾對個人及不同年齡人士的精神健康的關注, 因此, 於4月與香港心理衛生會合辦「精神健康急救標準課程」。

註冊導師通過講課、個案分享、角色扮演、自殺風險評估和驚恐性發作練習等協助學員實踐精神健康急救的重點。

參加者包括在職教師、準幼教老師、家長、幼兒照顧者及其他對精神健康有興趣人士。

Career Fair 2022 2022就業展覽

YCCECE Careers Fair 2022 was held successfully on 10 May. The fair offers Full-time, Part-time, Summer Job & Internship opportunities for students.

Partner organisations from childcare, social services and education sectors offered precious job /practice opportunities to our students. Our partners include Zubin Foundation, Brainchild D.I.Y Workshop, Hello Toby Limited, Aberdeen Kai Fong Welfare Association, Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui Welfare Council, Yew Chung Arts and Language Centre and many more!

Many students enjoyed the networking opportunities with these leading organisations, while on-site applications and interviews were conducted.

學院於5月10日舉行「2022就業展覽」為學生提供全職、兼職、暑期工作和實習機會。

多間來自兒童護理、社會服務和教育界的機構，包括Zubin基金會、Brainchild D.I.Y Workshop、Hello Toby Limited、香港仔坊會、香港聖公會福利部及耀中語藝教育中心為學生提供寶貴的工作機會，讓大家學有所用。

在場不少學生都爭取與這些機構代表交流的機會，部分學生同日更即場申請職位和參加面試。



Puppet Performance in Education 利用木偶表演進行教學



Mr. Tony, a kindergarten teacher at Yew Chung International School ECE section, is also a puppeteer who loves to use puppets to teach children in classrooms for many years.

Tony visited the College on 25 April and demonstrated how puppet performance supports 'play-based learning'. He also shared how we can draw children's attention by interesting puppetry techniques in the classroom.

Our students said that the activities were lively and exciting, and have all enjoyed the class a lot.

Mr Tony是耀中國際學校幼兒教育部老師，亦是一名木偶師，具有多年利用木偶進行教學的豐富經驗。

Tony於4月25日到訪學院，向學院學生展示如何通過木偶表演在課堂上實踐「遊戲中學習」，並示範如何使用木偶技能來吸引孩子的注意力。學生均表示活動生動有趣，孩子們一定十分投入。

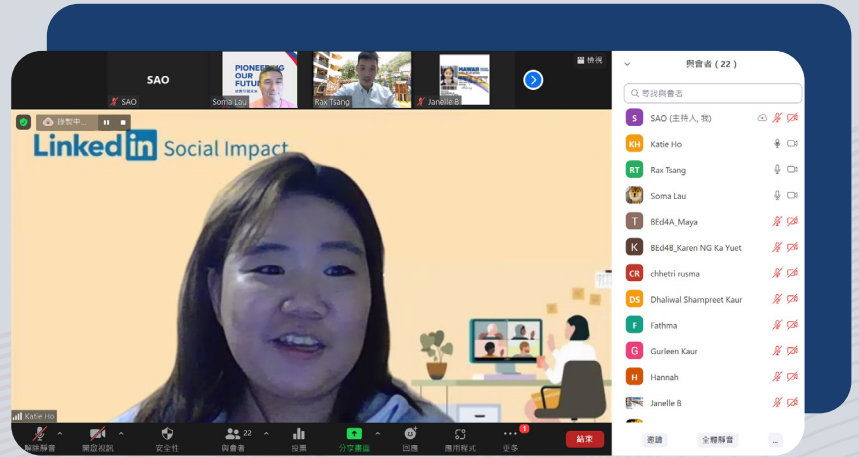


Workshop by LinkedIn LinkedIn 工作坊

A representative from LinkedIn demonstrated essential job-hunting skills and means to our students on 19 April.

Students were taught to prepare their profiles professionally and efficiently on LinkedIn and to present their academic achievement, work experience and other talents. The aim is to gain more exposure and enhance the successful rate in job-hunting.

Apart from job hunting, students were taught to use LinkedIn as a desktop research tool.



LinkedIn的代表於4月19日特別為本學院的學生介紹了基本的求職技巧和方法。

在工作坊期間，學生學習到如何在LinkedIn上準備一份有效及吸引人的個人資料，專業地介紹自己的學歷、經驗和各方面的才能，以便爭取更多曝光率，提升就業機會。

除了求職貼士之外，學生更學到如何使用 LinkedIn 作為桌面研究工具。

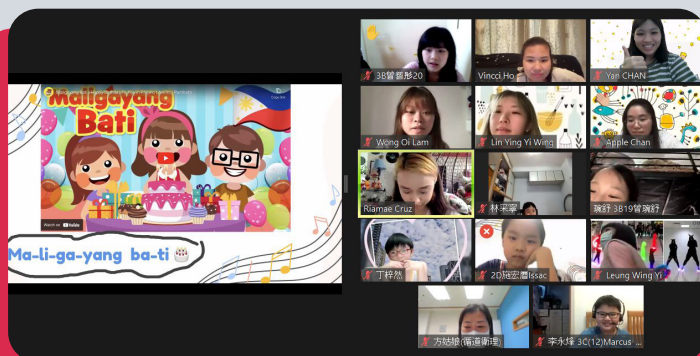
Student in Action

學生動向

Celebrating the Beauty of Cultural Diversity 欣賞文化多樣性之美

11 NCS students of the College were appointed as the mentors of a group of NCS students from local secondary schools. They were invited to design and produce a couple of videos celebrating the beauty of cultural diversity. The team successfully completed the task between March and April.

Apart from the video production, the mentoring students also appreciated that the project had helped them enhance their skills in interpersonal communication, problem-solving and leadership.



學院11位非華語學生獲委任為一班非華語中學生的導師，提供輔導。

他們被邀請攜手設計和製作數套慶祝多元文化之美的視頻，終於在多方努力下，團隊在3至4月間成功完成使命。

除了製作視頻外，參與的學生亦讚賞該項目幫助他們提高人際交往、解難和領導能力等。

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