

編者的話

這本文集命名為「淙流」。「淙」，擬聲詞也，指清脆的水流聲。因為年輕人的成長經歷如水流之處，他們對身邊的所感所悟則為淙流之聲，發而為文當如淙流般清澈動人。

文集收集了本校同學的中、英文佳作，內容包括同學對曾任教的中、小學老師的感恩致謝文章、校外作文比賽的得獎作品以及各級同學的優秀作品。文章作者帶著本心寫下自己的所思所想，雖然文筆還帶有些稚嫩，但無不流淌著同學們對世事的真摯感悟，如清澈的流水般純真，也表現了同學們對世事的獨特之見。

我們編印此文集，是為了讓更多人聽見同學的心聲，讓他們那清澈的「淙流」可以流得更遠。另外，我們誠摯地期望讀者能夠從文集中得到啟迪、共鳴，並促進同學們在創作上的交流。

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老師，感謝您！

1A 鄭希儀

(母校：中華基督教會基華小學)

從小學到現在，我遇過很多老師，其中，我最感謝的老師就是駱老師。

駱老師是我五年級至六年級的班主任，她的臉上有很多的雀斑，有一束長長的頭髮。她上課的時候常常對我們說笑話，令我們在上課時不容易睡著。由於我要升中學了，我的英文水準不是太好，所以駱老師跟我說：「你不如每天放學後留在學校，我替你補習好嗎？」我趕忙連聲說：「謝謝駱老師！謝謝駱老師！」一放學，我就每天按時到指定的課室上課。

有一天，我按照時間到課室上課，發現課室裡空無一人，我連忙到教員室找駱老師。看見她伏在桌上睡著了，我不忍心叫醒她，所以在外面等了大約五分鐘。駱老師醒了，我馬上進去，便問她：「駱老師，您生病了嗎？如果生病了，我們今天就別補習了。」「不行，兩日後就要考試了，得抓緊時間溫習。」駱老師說。經過了整個學期的補習後，我在考試中取得很好的成績，我立刻告訴駱老師，駱老師聽後也很高興，鼓勵我繼續努力。現在，她還間中約我和班上的同學一起相聚。

駱老師，我要感謝您，能夠取得佳績全因為您，如果沒有您，我就不會得到那麼好的成績。我衷心說一聲：「感謝您，駱老師！」

頌師恩

1A 蘇宇軒

(母校：浸信會沙田圍呂明才小學)

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葉老師，你好嗎？雖然我已經踏上了中學的道路，已經不是一個小學生，但是你教導我的那一份恩情，我仍然銘記於心。

這兩年來，我非常感謝你悉心教導我，還記得剛開學，我既膽小又容易緊張，有一次你要我們全班輪流做自我介紹，當時我已在家中背得很流利。到了自我介紹的時候，我雖然能夠說出所有內容，但我說的聲量卻很小，而且手腳又不斷顫抖。那時候，我想到這一次表現這麼差，恐怕要重講了。那時我傷心得差點要哭出來，幸好有你的鼓勵，叫我回家勤力練習便可以了。我回家後真的勤加練習，到了重講的日子，我真的比上一次進步了，身體不但沒有顫抖，而且聲量也比上一次大。自那次以後，我也變得勇敢了，每次說話都比以前響亮。葉老師，我真的很感激你帶領我走過這一條狹窄的路！「正因有了你，世界才會如此美麗。」，沒有當時的你，也沒有今天的我，葉老師，真的感謝你！

老師，感謝您！

1A 湯欣瑤

(母校：黃大仙天主教小學)

時間過得真快，轉眼就過了六年，我還記得老師教導我的點點滴滴。

小學四年級時，我是一位轉校生，對周圍的環境都不熟悉，連一個朋友都沒有。就是有您鼓勵我，讓我去嘗試不同的新事物，讓我過了開心的一年。

記得五年級時，我被選為班長，要管理整個班房的秩序。最初，我不知如何管理吵鬧的課堂，但您鼓勵我，跟我說：「凡事有信心，什麼事都能做得到。」

記得六年級時，我們全級師生去了一個教育營。在三日兩夜裡，我對這陌生的環境感到害怕。您安慰我，還告訴我：「不用怕，這些日子很快就會過了，去想想開心的事情。」

記得畢業禮時，我們在台上表演，感謝學校和老師們的教誨。那時您哭了，而我差一點也哭出來了。我並不想離開這所學校，不想離開這裡的老師和同學。如果時間可以一直停留在這些時光，那該多好啊！可惜這是不可能的。

一轉眼六年級就過去了，我還記得您的教誨，還記得您的鼓勵，還記得您的安慰，還記得……您的話語和教育，都在腦海裡不斷浮現。現在，我已經考上了心儀的中學。老師，我只想跟你說一句：「老師，謝謝您！」

老師，感謝您！

1B 桂宇桐

(母校：慈航學校)

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老師，感謝您！感謝您默默耕耘、無私奉獻的精神。感謝您，我們就像小花、小草，無論風吹雨打，您就像花農一樣，照顧我們、愛護我們。回想起初來到慈航學校時，我甚麼也不懂，但是，經過您盡心盡力地教導我和提點我，令我明白課本上的知識。有時候，我不明白的事，您不但沒有嫌我麻煩，還悉心教導我。

老師，感謝您！感謝您給我一個機會去挑戰自己。記得有一次，您鼓勵我參加朗誦比賽。雖然練習的時候，遇到很多不同的困難，幸好得到您的支持，我才能堅持下去。最後，我在朗誦比賽中取得七十五分。比賽後，我終於明白您為甚麼叫我參加朗誦比賽，原來朗誦比賽可以增強自信心和挑戰自己。之後，我繼續參加朗誦比賽，還參加了歌唱比賽，您讓我有勇氣不斷嘗試。

老師，感謝您！如今我已經升讀中學一年級，但您的教誨和指導，我會記在心中。而您在我遇上困難時，總會伸出溫暖的手，給予我支持，我也會努力成才。老師，感謝您。

老師，感謝你！

1C 許偉豪

(母校：聖公會何澤芸小學)

小學時，有一位老師一直給予我無限的支持和幫助，那就是我小五至小六的班主任——湯老師。

湯老師常常對我們說：「如果想考上好中學，就要努力讀書，不要發呆！」這是令我印象最深刻的話。還記得有一次湯老師生了一場大病，在家休息了兩個多星期。當她一回到學校時，她氣得差點又病了，因為我們測驗的成績不理想，還把課室很多設施破壞了，例如：壁報、窗檯等。當時湯老師大聲地問：「是誰做的？自己站出來承認責任！」結果有三位同學被其他人告發，最後這三位同學被帶去訓導室記了小過，並罰站在教室外一個半月。

在最後一次呈分試中，湯老師常常在放學後替我們補課，結果我們取得不俗的成績。我十分感謝湯老師！

我學懂了愛

1C 魏梓滿

(母校：海霸街官立小學)

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時間眨眼便過去，我終於小學畢業了。在這六年的小學生活裏，小學老師不但教會我很多豐富的知識，還教懂了我甚麼是愛，也讓我嘗到愛的滋味。在小學盛會裏，我非常感謝三位老師。

潘老師，謝謝您！我因做錯事而被你責罵，雖然我很傷心，但我知道，其實您是苦口婆心，不想我因再犯相同的錯誤而後悔。李老師，謝謝您！有一次，我做錯了事，您責罵我。之後，您卻在背後默默幫我處理，非常感謝你。謝謝你，易老師！一次，我考試成績較差，您不但沒有責罵我，反而鼓勵我、幫助我。最後，我的成績進步了，我非常感謝您。

謝謝您，老師們！你們無私奉獻、默默耕耘的精神教會了我什麼是愛。我升上中學後，一定會努力讀書，爭取好成績，以報答老師們對我的教育之恩，不辜負你們對我的期望。

老師，感謝你！

1C 葉靜兒

(母校：世界龍崗學校黃耀南小學)

老師，謝謝您！謝謝您教會我知識，耐心地教我英語，耐心地教我那些英語單詞怎麼讀，使我成績一點一點的提升。謝謝您教我寫英語作文，謝謝您的鼓勵，讓我充滿信心。您令我知道自己也可以讀好英語，令我知道讀英語並非想像中那麼難。

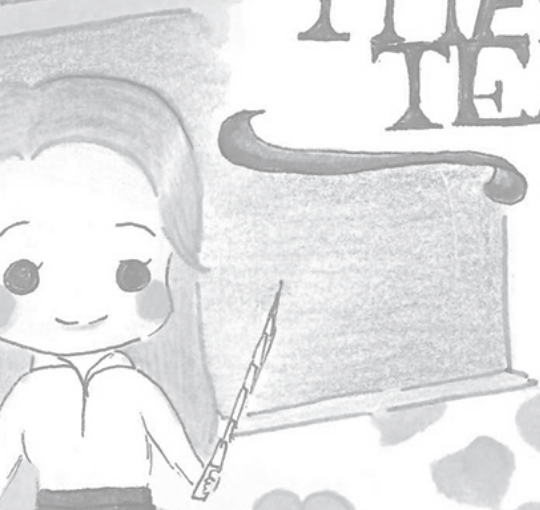
梁老師，謝謝您教我中文和常識，您教的知識比其他老師教的還要多。上中文和常識的時候，我沒有像其他課堂一樣想睡覺。上您的課時，我精力十足，您有時候在課堂上說的課外知識很有趣，您說的「三國演義」比我在書上看的還要有趣，讓人想一直聽下去。老師，希望您面上多點笑容，多展示您年輕的一面。

潘老師，您的腰還痛嗎？您要注意休息，圖書館的事務給圖書管理員做就可以了，不要拿太重的物品，不然您的腰又要痛了。老師，謝謝您，謝謝您容忍我們的頑皮，不管我們如何讓您生氣，您還是那麼疼愛我們。

李副校長、陳老師、鄭老師等等教過我的老師，謝謝您們的教導，謝謝您們的鼓勵，謝謝您們陪伴我走完小學歷程！



THANK YOU
TEACHERS



離別了，母校！

2A 黃凱桐

(母校：惠州東江小學)

「母校」一個簡單卻富有感情的詞語。如果沒有你，就沒有我五彩繽紛的童年回憶，你承載了我六年的時光、承載了濃厚的同學情誼、更承載了同學對老師的恩情。時間轉瞬即逝，六年就這樣過去了，腦海裡還依然清晰地記著在學校裡的每一滴眼淚和每一次的歡聲笑語。

一年級，一個稚氣的小女孩走進校園，對校園裡的每一個角落都很好奇，有時候還有點想回到幼稚園；二年級，小女孩開始和同學打成一團，學會了幾個簡單的漢字；三、四年級，小女孩長大了，作業變多了，漸漸知道學習的重要；五年級，小女孩知道還有一年就要離開，但還是不緊張，好像離畢業還很遙遠，甚至沒認識到畢業意味著甚麼；六年級，這一年真的要走了，卻被緊張的學習、作業籠罩著，有點厭煩，想快點離開；直到離開學校的那一天，那個小女孩——我，好像感到了不捨，不捨這所學校的花花草草，不捨老師嚴厲的教導，不捨同學之間的打打鬧鬧，如果離開了，好像這一切就會消失了。

母校，讓我遇見了一群老師和同學們。老師讓我進入知識的海洋，教給我生存的本領，告訴我們待人處事的方法。同學，從陌生到熟絡，我們無話不談，我們互幫互助。感謝你們讓我有了一段美好而難忘的經歷！

母校，正如她的名字，像母親般關懷著我們。我要把對您的依依不捨化作走向夢想道路上的動力，竭盡全力以報答母校。

再見了，過去！

離別了，我朝夕相處的母校！

校園生活點滴

2B 朱欣怡

(母校：沙田圍胡素貞博士紀念學校)

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時光匆匆，如飛箭般奔向前方。轉眼間，回頭一看又過了充實的小學六年生活。回想從前，當我還是一個什麼都不懂的女孩時，就來到了那美麗的校園。在那兒，我曾經歷了酸甜苦辣；在那兒，我曾學習、玩耍……一幕幕的畫面依舊是那麼清晰，一簾簾的時光依舊在記憶中翻來覆去，不肯消失。

依依不捨的淚水，沖刷著我的心。點點滴滴的往事我豈能忘記？老師、同學對我說的話語，這些記憶，已在我心裡留下了深深的烙印。在校園的一分一秒都是多姿多采的，我凝聚了知識，增添了友誼。在這短暫的六年小學生涯中，我經歷了六個四季，但時間快得好像一秒已逃離。面對朝夕相處的老師、同學，我強行抑制住快要按捺不住的淚水。我無邊的記憶也曾怨恨：「時間你為甚麼走得那麼快，彷彿一眨眼的功夫就匆匆的溜走了。你為甚麼不停留腳步，讓我們再度過那短暫的一分一秒也好啊！」

時光已悄悄的一聲不響地離開了，它默默地記錄著我們的難忘與不捨，我在腦海中銘記這段美好的回憶……

謝謝老師

2B 麥穎欣

(母校：香港道教聯合會純陽小學)

不知不覺，我升上了中二。當我回想起剛踏進小學校門的那一天，你給了我們無盡的關懷，教導我們不同的知識。你像一根無私的蠟燭，燃燒自己照亮別人。

老師，感謝您的教誨和指導，將我變成成熟的人。有時候，我有些不明白的地方，你不但細心地教導我，還付出私人時間幫我補習。有時候，我因調皮而犯錯，你不但沒有責罵我，還和我說道理，雖然我一點也聽不明白，但我知你是一心為我好。

老師，當我知道自己還有一個星期就離開母校，去到一個陌生的地方，我便開始依依不捨，可你卻安慰我不用難過，還教我如何去適應陌生的環境。老師，我真的很感激你！你為我付出了很多時間，我們一點都沒有忘記，反而記得一清二楚。

老師，感謝你對我們的愛與包容，把我們每一個學生當作自己的孩子一樣保護。我們明白原來你責罵我們是為了我們好，不想我們變壞。有時候我和同學遇到困難，每次你都幫助我們，我非常感謝您。老師，謝謝您一直對我們的愛，我們會記在心裏的。謝謝您，老師！

離別了，母校！

2B 劉健恩

（母校：世界龍岡黃耀南小學）

師
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2016年9月1日，我正式開始我六年多姿多采的中學生活。但是，第一日上中學，令我十分困惑，原因是對自己的前路迷茫和沒有一個認識的朋友。面對這些困惑，我不禁回想起過往六年無憂無慮、開心快樂的小學生活！

七年前，我踏入了小學的新天地。當時，我十分孤僻，開學了幾個月仍然不敢去認識新朋友，上課時也不敢回答老師的問題，是一個人的出現令我改變了。

這個人就是我的中文老師——李瑞豐副校長。他對待學生猶如自己的兒女一樣無微不至。他看見我沒有朋友，便在上堂的時候用我作講笑材料，令更多同學認識我。他還鼓勵我參加田徑隊和足球隊，令我學會和人相處。他還在我人生跌入低谷的時候，鼓勵我重新振作。要不是他當日的鼓勵，今日的我可能仍是「廢青」、壞學生、獨行俠。我在這裡真心說一句：「多謝你！李副校長！」

再見了！黃耀南小學！李副校長，我已經由當日的笨氣無知的小子變成了現在活潑開朗的青少年。我有這樣的改變，我十分感恩李副校長和各位老師的栽培。你們所傳授給我的知識，小學發生的點滴和你們和藹可親的笑容，永遠印在我的腦海中，令我長大之後一一回味！

老師，感謝您！

2B 丘天塋

(母校：保良局朱正賢小學)

陳素瓊老師，十分感謝您！你由我小學一年級至六年級一直陪伴著我、照顧我、教導我，使我成長。

一年級時，我第一次參與專題研習，你很用心教導我，你就像燦爛的太陽引導我、像皎潔的月亮帶領我、像街燈在漆黑的街道上照耀我。最後，是你令我的專題研習成績可以拿到乙級。陳老師，感謝您！您不只在一年級的時候關懷我，這六年的時間裡，您還教導我人生中的不同道理，教導我正確的學習態度和教導我如何用心與人相處。無論我遇到甚麼困難和心事，你都會細心聆聽我訴苦，然後慢慢開解我。你的愛就像太陽一般溫暖，像春風一般和煦，像清泉一般甘甜。你的愛，比父愛更嚴峻、比母愛更細膩、比友愛更純潔。就是因為陳老師一片愛心的澆灌、一番耕耘的辛苦，才会有桃李的絢麗、稻麥的金黃。

這六年的小學生涯，我真的十分感謝你，你送我進入一個彩色的天地。我的心在喊著您：「陳素瓊老師，十分感謝您！」

離別了，母校！

2C 林紹祥

（母校：救世軍田家炳學校）

師
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大家還記得當日離開自己母校時的心情嗎？那種依依不捨的心情，我到現在仍刻骨銘心。

我不是因為害怕轉變才不捨得學校，也不是因為害怕功課變難，而是因為我在這所學校經過了六年漫長的時光。母校的任何一處都令我留下了深刻又美好的印象，不管是禮堂還是操場，課室還是教員室，走廊還是樓梯，每一處地方都令我十分懷念。最令我不捨的不只是這所學校的每處地方，而是教導了我六年的老師們。他們不但教曉我讀書寫字，還教導了我如何提高品德修養。在我的心目中，他們比得上我的親人，我們每天都會互相問候對方。每當我有困難時，他們總會伸出援手。還記得有一次，那時還剩一星期便到期末考試，有一位老師不幸患了感冒，他不但沒有請假休息，還撐著身子留在學校給我們溫習，這種無私奉獻的精神，相信只有老師才能做到。

在這一所小學裡，我不但學會了知識，在這短短的六年內，我還領會到老師無私付出的偉大。這數年的光陰一去不返，我會好好遵從各位老師的教誨和指導，依照他們對我過往的指引繼續上路，不會辜負他們的心血和期望。再見了！我的母校救世軍田家炳小學！再見了，我的老師！

謝謝您，我的母校，我的老師！

感恩小學老師

2D 黃文龍

(母校：天主教聖華學校)

我很感謝小學的老師們的教導，他們輔助我升中學，讓我明白老師的苦心，也教會我做人的道理。

我很幸運在一個充滿歡聲笑語的班中上課，我最喜歡的兩位老師——呂老師和劉老師，她們對我的關心無微不至，就像自己的親媽媽一樣。

有一件事，讓我無法忘懷……

那是一個秋天，我大感冒連續四天沒法上學，這可把老師急壞了。呂老師拜託同學把作業送往我家裡，然後呂老師致電給我，並細心地給我講解上課的內容。每次我有任何不懂的地方，呂老師都會很耐心的再講一遍，直到我弄懂為止。我很感動，這種感動無法用語言來表達。

一次，我們班的胡國峰同學住院開刀休息期間，劉老師帶著水果和我們的祝福一起去探望他。為了讓他的功課不落後，老師定期讓一位同學給他講解課堂所學的東西，使他很快就跟上學習進度。這兩位老師很值得我們尊敬。老師們愛的故事還有很多……

最後，我想說感恩天底下所有的老師，我向你們致敬！



THANK
YOU
TEACHER

老師，感謝您！

3A 譚照正

(母校：聖公會主風小學)

鮮花感恩雨露，因為雨露滋潤它成長；蒼鷹感恩天空，因為長空讓它飛翔；高山感恩大地，因為大地讓它高聳；我感恩我的老師，因為老師打開智慧的大門，讓我在知識的海洋裡遨遊。在我成長歷程中，您濃濃的師恩一直伴隨左右。

記得剛上小學的時候，我對學校的一切感到陌生。在課堂上，我即使知道答案，也總是猶猶豫豫不敢舉手。您也許察覺到，向我投來鼓勵的目光，似乎在說：「譚照正，別害怕。鼓起勇氣試一試，即使答錯也沒關係。」是您溫柔的目光，讓我增加勇氣。我立刻舉起手回答，雖然答得不怎麼理想，但您還是微笑著表揚我。正因為有這第一次，使我膽量增加了，久而久之，我在課堂上養成了積極舉手發言的好習慣。

當我遇到難題時，您總是樂意聆聽，耐心地給我講解，一遍又一遍，不厭其煩。當我明白您的講解，把這道題做對時，您臉上露出了舒心的笑容。

當您發現我生病時，您一個勁兒地問我辛苦嗎？要不要到醫院去？……直到第二天早上，我上學時，您還關心地問我，身體好些了嗎？是您對我生活上無微不至的關懷，如同春雨滋潤著我幼小的心田，讓我感受到第二份親情，望著您，我真想說：「謝謝您，老師。」

老師，感謝妳！

3A 盧洛敏

(母校：沙田胡素貞博士紀念學校)

老師，是我學習的夥伴，亦是我人生中指路的明燈。升上中學後，已經很久沒回過母校了，直至有一天，我回家的途中，途經了母校，不禁想起以前在母校快樂的時光，在我的腦海浮現出來……

我還記得在小學，每位老師都很照顧我。可是，有一位老師對我的關懷，現今我還歷歷在目，他就是何志堅主任。

他在小學任教數學和體育科。我的數學成績一向很差，所以，我基本對數學沒有興趣，可是，何主任教的數學並不是對著課本讀，而是教得十分生動，而且他也會常常準備一些小遊戲給我們玩，令到課堂有更多樂趣。雖然，最後我的數學成績也不是很高分，但是，我在他的課堂學了很多數學知識。畢業考試來臨前，他專門留下數學成績比較差的同學進行「特訓」，他犧牲了自己的休息時間，幫我們補習，希望我們在考試中取得好成績。

有一次，我和一個朋友在學校做了一件違規的事，訓導主任都責備我們。其後，何主任走過來語重心長地跟我說很多人生的道理，並叮囑我們以後不要再做違規的事。

何主任，你是我小學生涯中對我最好的人，並常常教我做人的道理，在我不開心的時候，你總會安慰我；在我失敗的時候，你會為我打氣；在我開心的時候，你也因我而鼓舞。你是我的榜樣，老師，謝謝你！

給老師的禮物

3B 陳善兒

(母校：深圳市濱河小學)

禮物，可以是巧克力；可以是糖果；可以是一束花。而當年，曾經聽過一句話：「你們，就是上天給我最好的禮物。」

那一天，是我小學生涯的最後一天。在那之前，我幻想的總是全班一起抱頭痛哭的場面。但，並沒有。那天，六年級的康老師對我們講了許多關於成績以及未來中學的事情，對於這些我並沒有多大興趣。而當一個人出現，我那雙注視著她的眼睛已經變得濕潤。那是我最敬佩、最尊敬的一位任教我們四、五年級的班主任—老曹。

曹老師給我們每人帶來了禮物—水晶球。她希望我們能記得我們清晰卻可能隨時會破碎的一段六年記憶。康老師在一旁對我們說：「你們有什麼禮物送給曹老師嗎？」話音剛落，一位平常大大咧咧的女孩拿著一條手鏈說：「老曹，這是最喜歡的手鏈。您一定要記得我們！」之後，陸陸續續有同學將自己最喜歡的東西送給曹老師。曹老師笑了，笑中帶淚的笑了，對我們說：「孩子們，我年紀大了，也到了退休的時候。你們是我最後一班的學生。不用送禮物給老師，傻孩子，老師怎麼會忘記你們呢？因為你們就是上天給我最好的禮物」。

巧克力的甜蜜比不上我們的乖巧；糖果的精緻比不上我們的努力；花束的清香比不上我們的認真。我們的配合，就是給老師最乖巧的禮物；我們的努力，就是給老師最欣慰的禮物；我們的認真，就是給老師最輕鬆的禮物。是啊！也許，我們就是最好的禮物。

學生，也許不是最好的學生。但在曹老師心中，我們，再不夠完美的我們，依舊是給老師最好的禮物。

老師，感謝您！

3B 黃靜

(母校：五邑工商工會小學)

還記得那年，我操著一口不標準的粵語初來到港。人生地不熟，難以融入這個班級。雖然對您的第一印象不好，樣子兇神惡煞的，但您無微不至的問候，猶如在寒風刺骨的冬天裡的一個暖爐，溫暖著我。是您，教會了我什麼是關懷照顧。

有一次，您鼓勵我去參加跳高比賽，但是我怎樣嘗試還是失敗。當我心灰意冷，想放棄的時候，您便不斷地為我一次又一次地示範。但那時候，您的腿上還有傷，表情也有些痛苦。是您，教會了我甚麼是堅持不懈。

當我犯錯的時候，其他老師都在罵我，您第一時間知道後，卻只對我循循善誘。我還不領情，不屈地抬起頭，沒有絲毫悔意。但您不但沒有生氣、責怪我的行為，而是耐心地向我講道理。是您，教會了我什麼是對與錯。

畢業之際，就算我們再怎麼不捨，你只是說：「放心地去拼吧！」就算我們再怎樣說著感激的話，你只是說：「這是你自己的努力成果罷了。」就算我們聽得再多的道理，我也只是記得那年的班訓：「尊重自己，尊重別人。」

我會在天空中展翅高飛，也是您給我的翅膀；我會奮力地向前奔跑，也是您給我的勇氣。您是燈塔，照亮著我的前方；您是紅燭，犧牲自己成就我們；您是園丁，不求回報地培育著我們這些幼苗。現今，我們結出碩果，為您帶來一個豐收季節。加減乘除，也算不盡您付出的努力；詩詞歌賦，也說不盡我對您的感謝。老師，感謝您！

老師，感謝您！

3B 胡家琳

(母校：佛教林金殿紀念小學)

感謝您！黃主任！您是我們的英文老師，我還記得您總是叫我們默書，但我卻幾乎每次都不合格，每當同學們聽到默書都會「怪叫」，但仍然非常努力地去溫習。我的英文成績可以說是最差的，但您並沒有放棄我，在考試前幫我記「生字」，在中學面試前為我練好自我介紹。感謝您！您那麼努力教導我。

感謝您，彥老師！不知道妳現在當上主任，還是已經離開學校了。你以前是我們的班主任和中文老師，我的中文一直都不算差，所以你好像也不太擔心我，不過我知道妳雖然平常不太愛笑，但您卻是很和善的。您已經是我三年的班主任，同學們都不太喜歡妳，因為他們覺得你很嚴厲，但是我覺得你的教法反而能提升我的中文成績。您每當要教新一課時都給我們一些時間看看課文，然後向我們提問，而我每次都答對。感謝您！每當我們遇到困難時，你一定會幫助我們！

感謝您，鄭老師！您是我們的四年級班主任，我覺得妳非常親切。我和一位同學回校時經常在巴士上看見妳，我們也經常聊天。我們都很不捨得您，希望您能繼續當我們的班主任！

感謝所有教過我的老師！您們是我永生難忘的啟蒙老師。

老師，感謝您！

3B 陳希琳

(母校：迦密愛禮信小學)

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「老師，妳辛苦了！請您休息吧！」其實這是老師最想聽到的說話，這些問候濃縮了多少期盼，這一聲聲祝福包含著多少感謝！

老師，您是一個辛勤的園丁，不停栽培我們這些樹苗，未來的棟樑；老師，妳千辛萬苦讓我們走進知識的大門，打開知識的寶藏；老師，你是奧運會上燃起的火焰，不停在我們心裡燃燒著，激勵我們要有永不放棄的精神；老師，你是蠟燭、是明燈，照耀我們，引導我們走向美好的未來！老師，感謝妳！

老師，我還記得有一次，您喉嚨沙啞了，妳還堅持來上課。老師，你一定要照顧好自己的身體。夜深了，妳那手中的筆，還未停下來，我走過教員室的時候，仍看到您為我們那麼操心，我鼻子一酸，心裡感到很愧疚。有幾次遇上您，我總想跟妳說一聲：「老師，你辛苦了！」可是，我就是不敢表達出來，老師，妳要保重自己的身子啊！

「感恩的心，感謝有妳，伴我一生，讓我們有勇氣做自己；感恩的心，感謝有你，感謝命運，花開花落，我一樣珍惜。」老師，謝謝您，您那高尚的品格已藏在我們的心裡。老師，我們一定會好好學習，不辜負您的期望，將來成為社會上的棟樑。

在這裡，我要對楊老師說一聲：「老師，你辛苦了，謝謝您一直照顧著我們！」

離別了，母校！

3B 袁雪凝

(母校：保良局兩川小學)

以後，我應該會懷念這裡，渴望歸來。手上拿著見證成長的證書，身後是教育我、使我成長的地方，一步一步地走出來……離別了，母校。

「來吧！和同學一起玩，一起談心吧！」一把溫柔的聲音、滿面笑容的老師拉著我的小手走向同學們。記得當天的我戰戰兢兢地踏進這所保良局兩川小學的大樓，走進一間坐滿與我年紀相若的孩子的房間。在那裡，我結識了好朋友，而愉快的校園生活從此開始。慢慢地，我適應著小學的生活，展開了為期六年的小學生涯。

這裡有十分完善的設施，也有先進的教學器材。這裡的校長和老師都十分和藹友善，就像置身家中，老師、同學都是家人。記得那年，我受傷進了醫院，老師不但到醫院探望我，更帶來了同學們親手做的心意卡。我收到禮物時特別高興，就像收到很名貴的禮物似的。

這天，我要離開了。班主任嘴角微微彎著，告訴我們：「你們都長大了，記得要帶著我們兩川人的特質（關愛、堅毅、盡責）到中學……」她更告訴我們每人的特點，讓我們在中學裏可以盡情發揮所長。我看著這位教導我三年的班主任，想起三年的點點滴滴，心裡有點不捨。

她是一位「刀子嘴豆腐心」的老師，她是一位十分疼愛我們的老師，她是一位會為學生流淚的老師。記憶中，我曾經看過這位老師兩次流淚，一次她為我們全班而哭了，而第二次她為我哭了。上星期，中學派位結果出來了，我派到一所很差的學校，她擔心得眼淚都流下

來了。對著這位老師，我想說一句：「蔡老師，謝謝您！」。

今天是最後一天當這裡的學生了，我拿著校長給予的證書，一步一步踏出校園。這天我並沒有想像中流淚，也許因為我知道總有一天我們會再相聚，也許因為在這裡充滿著快樂的回憶，也許因為我明白天下無不散之筵席。我要離開了，母校。

畢業感言

2017-2018年度畢業生

6D 鄒卓熙

時光荏苒，六年的青葱歲月匆匆而過。很多人都不解，所謂青春為何物。我想每個人都不同，或許你的青春是燃燒在揮灑汗水的球場上，或者是在瀟灑書卷味的課室裏……但至少，我們一起在佛教覺光法師中學生活了整整六年。成長總是後知後覺，偶爾看到同學去年或者前年的照片，笑說對方當時的呆萌，才恍然間明白——原來我們已經不經不覺長大了。

鳳凰花還未盛開，我們也快將脫離校園的搖籃，去選擇屬於自己的人生。每次在四樓走廊往下看，那一個個跑動的身影，仿如當年的自己，就這樣天真無邪地向前奔走，但我們終究跑不過時間，它實在太快了，快得讓人猝不及防。

畢業之際，我們發了瘋似的尋找，尋找曾在校園裡留下的足跡，想挽回更多的回憶，要向世人宣告：我們曾經是這片土地的主人，我們曾經在這度過了最美好的時光。明年夏天，那間課室依舊會坐滿莘莘學子，但卻面目全非。我們跟學校請了一次長假，請假時間：今年夏天；回校時間：永不；請假理由：畢業。

畢業是一個階段的終結，但同學間卻好像有說不完的話語，難離難捨。女生想對男生說：「謝謝你們這些年來的照顧和包容！」男生想對女生說：「無論以後你們成了誰的女朋友，你們永遠都是我們心中的小女生。」我們想對老師說：「謝謝你們在我們成長路上為我們指點迷津，為我們照亮夜行的路！」

「畢業」這詞語格外扣人心弦，畢業並非我們的終點，而是另一

個人生階段的起點，未來是屬於我們的，我們也許會穿梭在香港、國外不同地點，為自己的理想而奮鬥，追尋精彩而豐盛的人生。

獲獎佳作



競技啦啦隊 —— 打不死的變色龍

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各位可曾想像過，啦啦隊也能成為一種體育運動。這項運動在香港可謂稀奇得令人可怕，可是卻有一隊年輕的開荒者，勇於挑戰未知和自我，在無邊的沙漠中一枝獨秀，伴隨著風沙起舞。



競技啦啦隊「變色龍」由2010年成立，至今已發展至17個人。成員多為年青人，包括教練Crystal，隊長阿鋒，隊員詩詩、傑傑等。他們曾連



同葵青區的代表隊出戰第六屆全港運動會，更於第4屆中國南京啦啦隊公開賽斬獲亞軍。剛剛結束領展赤柱廣場夏日音樂節表演的他們，又有怎麼樣的故事與我們分享呢？

當提問到為什麼參加競技啦啦隊時，好像冥冥之中自有天意，他們都微笑地說——這是自發性行為。教練Crystal敘說道：「自從中國香港啦啦隊總會成立後，啦啦隊比賽陸續出現。有一次得悉元朗區舉辦比賽，我就決定，去參加啦啦隊。」隊長阿鋒接著道：「當時班主任急需啦啦隊人手，我就開始接觸這項運動，那一年，我是中五。」從此，他們便與競技啦啦隊結下了不解之緣。時光荏苒，白駒過隙，恍惚間，就是七年。

論及為什麼隊名叫「變色龍」時，Crystal 不緊不慢地答道：「我們隊名叫變色龍呢，是希望隊伍表演的套路能多些變化，更多元化些。」接著驕傲地指了指身上的那件綠色T恤，只見正面從上到下依次寫著「HongKong（香港）」、「Cheerleading（啦啦隊）」、「Chameleon（變色龍）」底面則是一顆星星，「我們是香港的一份子，亦希望變色龍能如星星般發光發亮，於是便加上了這顆星」阿鋒解釋道。背面則赫然寫著「打不死」三個大字。Crystal 笑著補充道：「我們以『打不死』為主題，也是希望我們遇到挫折時不會輕易放棄。」

在香港，競技啦啦隊宛如一個豆蔻少女，發展時間僅僅為十年左右。雖然已有小學、中學開設啦啦隊課程，但都是寥寥無幾，難成氣候。坦白而言，香港普及競技啦啦隊存在著不少困難。首先是價值觀方面，現時仍有部分人對啦啦隊存有誤解。阿鋒幽幽地說道：「誤解？常有人認為啦啦隊就是女孩子撩下裙，跳下舞。」但事實並非如此，阿鋒續說道：「加上『競技』兩個字後，啦啦隊就和平時陸運會上看到的那種截然不同，它考驗團結，考驗默契，考驗力量，是一項能令人振奮的運動。」其次是場地方面，啦啦隊的場地空間要求大，花費高，香港難有足夠的資源。「例如練舞，場地都可能不夠高。」Crystal 說罷，神色亦略顯無奈。

事實上，競技啦啦隊能帶使人獲益甚多。其一是溝通能力。Crystal 說道「啦啦隊對讓人學習如何與他人相處、合作、溝通。」以「延伸（Extension）」這一動作為例，其就需要底層人員（base）下蹲，上層人員（top）跳上底層的手，底層再把上層的腳踝放在自己胸口，然後手臂伸直，完成動作，足見啦啦隊對團隊合作的要求之高。其二是堅持。「籃球、足球等運動要練體能，但我們要練的體能更多。因為表演時你要注重節奏、走位、托舉等細節，還要考慮動作如何具爆發力，如何吸引觀眾。這並不是一項輕鬆的運動。」Crystal 只是淡然地說著這些，對待辛苦仿佛已成家常便飯。

最後問及未來展望時，Crystal 說：「我們希望參加更多的比

賽，香港能對啦啦隊能有更多的支持，同時有更多的人能認識競技啦啦隊這項運動。」她的回答樸素而簡單，卻任重而道遠。

Crystal曾說：「每個人都有自己的表演欲，只是看你要怎麼表達出來。」很幸運，他們找到了屬於自己的表達的方式。

編輯評語：

校記文筆不俗，能善用修辭法，惟文字不宜過分修飾，否則有冗贅之弊。欣賞校記記錄受訪者話語時，亦記下其表情及語氣，使內容更生動。內容能深入介紹「變色龍」隊及這項運動，惟未夠全面，如未有談及當日活動概況、觀眾反應等。建議校記寫活動報道時，兼顧活動內容及訪問元素。

西營盤一日深度遊之旅x城市鬧誌

6C 張栢深

獲得第二十屆明報校記最佳表現學生獎

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5月27日由香港青年藝術協會聯同渣打150周年紀念慈善基金及長春社所舉辦的西營盤社區深度遊及城市鐵閘藝術文化。

是次導賞團之導遊包括有黎永祥(John)、莫志榮與靳青青。導賞團主要分為兩部份，第一主要為介紹西營盤社區內不同的建築背後的歷史故事與文化，就例如長春社文化古蹟資源中心建於1903年，因1894年香港爆發鼠疫長達30年。有見及此，政府鼓勵富商集資建造醫務所，故此長春社便於1903年誕生。當時的長春社分為上下層，下層為為公眾診症的診所；上層即是為當時身患及鼠疫絕症的民眾進行善終服務。除了長春社，西營盤還有眾多具歷史價值及文化的建築物。例如救恩堂及舊贊育醫院等等。

而是次導賞團的第二部份主要介紹由香港青年藝術協會與西營盤社區不同商店合作的鐵閘文藝創作。

當中鐵閘文藝創作一共分為三部份，第一部份為由一共6位藝術家分別為西營20間店舖設計鐵閘；第二部份



上圖為長春社文化古蹟資源中心



上圖為使用手機應用程式後所以顯示的關興記

為於茂蘿街動漫基地邀請500名中小學生創作有關社區行業的藝術作品，並從中邀請導賞員進行口述介紹；最後一部份為以手機應用程式為公眾介紹社區歷史文化及藝術三方面。

而香港青年藝術協會總監曾慧敏女士希望透過是次活動，讓公眾更了解社區背後不同的故事與文化歷史。當中更以手機應用程式(HK Urban Canvas 城市圖誌)這一種新穎有趣的方式，為公眾介紹區內不同店舖的歷史與故事。應用程式用法簡單，只需選取街道及商店，然後看一下商店的位置，便會彈出有商店框線的拍攝畫面。只要將畫面對上現實中的商店，便會彈出該商店所設計之鐵閘以及商店的歷史與資料。此新穎的方式為結合了藝術、文化與歷史之結精品。西營盤中亦有不少商舖參加了是次計劃，就例如位於西營盤的關興記，曾總監曾坦言關興記的老闆娘一開始並不喜歡鐵閘的設計，皆因鐵閘上或有其樣子，幸好其後在設計師與她的溝通下及修改設計後，最終老闆也滿意鐵閘之設計。

所以，曾總監也透露在計劃活動過程中遇上不少困難。例如一共花費兩年時間尋找贊助，最終有幸獲得渣打150周年紀念慈善基金之贊助。跟道出答應鐵閘藝術的商舖由原先的3間到26間，可是其後有些商舖突然又拒絕鐵閘設計，因此數目回落至20間。但這些並沒有打擊曾總監與6位藝術家的熱誠，皆因他們每人也認為這些商舖背後的故事及見證社區歷史的變遷，引人入勝，故此有責任將其推廣及社區大眾認識，並希望是次鐵閘藝術創作，能成功以這種親近大眾的方式，讓市民更了解西營盤之歷史與故事，並不希望香港只「有史有跡」。

編輯評語：

欣賞記能寫下有關機構跟店舖合作過程的難題，為其他投稿所沒有提及的，建議多舉例子，令內容更加豐富及多角度，而不只是從策劃者的層面看這個計劃。

難忘的師恩

4A 趙紫嫣

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一日為師，終身為父。除了父母外，老師便是兒時陪伴我們最久的人，因此老師對我們的教導是十分重要的。老師的言行舉止，使得身邊的我們耳濡目染。人生中，無論是誰都總有一位讓你難以忘懷的恩師。

記得七歲那年，父母因工作關係無法照顧我、陪伴我。幸好，當時有位慷慨解囊的老師願意讓我寄宿在她家裏。初來乍到，我未能適應新環境，以致失眠。老師知道我失眠後，總會講童話故事哄我入睡。我望著她那棕色波浪型的長髮，聆聽著她以溫柔聲線說出的每一個字，感覺與母親有些相似。為了令我安心入睡，她關燈前總愛輕拍我的頭，使我心中頓感溫暖。這一刻，我是世界上最幸福的小孩。老師，感謝你細心地照顧我，使我的童年生活增添了一份獨一無二的快樂。

每天吃完晚飯，她會帶我到樓下的小公園散步，從小怕黑的我不敢在夜裏外出，她每次也會用溫暖的手掌牽著我冰冷的小手，就好像火焰融化了我那害怕冰冷的心，老師給予我前所未有的安全感。偶爾在遊樂場會碰上好朋友，貪玩是小孩子的本性，我們每次都玩得不亦樂乎，甚至不肯回家。

有一次在遊樂場玩捉迷藏，單純的我以為躲在樹上便沒有人能找到我，完全不顧後果，一鼓作氣便爬到了樹上。結果爬到樹上後我才後悔莫及，我無法憑一己之力爬下來。驚惶失措的我只能用盡體內九牛二虎之力大聲呼喊，本來坐在長椅上看書的老師聽見叫聲，立即放下手上的書本，以迅雷不及掩耳的速度往我的位置飛奔而來。她處變

不驚地搬來一塊石頭，然後站在石上舉著雙手，把瑟瑟發抖的我拯救下來。自此以後，她成為了我心中最愛的老師，假若她沒有聽見我的求救聲，也許那晚我只能露宿街頭，與樹同眠了。

這位老師所做的事，沒有其他人對我做過，甚至連父母亦從未在我失眠時講故事給我聽，她在我的心中永遠有一個特別的位置，是無人能取代的。即使我們沒有半點血緣關係，她仍不顧站在石頭上的危險抱我下來。為了使我得到更好的童年生活，她不辭勞苦地照料我的日常生活，花上了本是休息的時間向我講故事，從未抱怨過偶爾任性的我，而是以不同的道理來教導我。

感謝你！我的老師！十年許的時間過去了，也許在你教過的無數個學生中，我不是最特別的一個；也許你早已忘記我這名曾居住在你家中的學生，但在你所教過的莘莘學子當中，其中的我，永遠不會忘記你的教誨及莫大恩德。你猶如一盞明燈給了我最佳的方向指引，我會謹記你的教誨，成為一個知書達理的好孩子。

難忘的師恩

5D 呂瑞傑

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在二零一四年的夏天，我隨家人移居香港。一切是那麼的突然，突然離開了那座充滿回憶的小鎮，離開了多年形影不離的兄弟，離開了對我照顧有加的親朋好友。

讓人害怕的不是分離，而是一切都要重新開始。在這個陌生的城市裏，是無助，是迷茫，一切都充滿了未知數——我能融入新的學校和集體嗎？我能適應這個城市嗎？我的未來會是孤單的嗎？

「叮……」刺耳的鬧鐘聲將我從睡夢中驚醒。起床未久，一種無形的壓力壓在我的胸口，令人突然產生一種彷徨感……邁著沉重的步伐，懷著忐忑不安的心情走到陌生的課室前，我用充滿汗水的手乏力地推開大門，終於艱難地打開了課室門。「咦？你是新同學吧？」老師笑咪咪地說道，我連忙點點頭，老師和藹的語氣由上而下的貫穿至我的身體，讓我安心了許多。她是林老師，是我們的班主任兼中文老師。

第一天上中文課時，一整天的緊張包袱終於可以卸下。林老師總是笑咪咪的，無論是講課時還是下課後，仿佛天使般帶著正能量。我安然地聽著林老師講課，就像深深地沉醉在一杯美酒。但好景不常——「下面請一位同學來朗讀第二段。」什麼？朗讀？我難以想像我的「外星話」朗讀時帶來的尷尬畫面，也許會引發巨大的嘲笑聲。老師的眼神向台下掃描著，當她望到我時，我便立馬埋頭裝作看書，浮誇的演技成功地躲過了老師的關注。「XXX同學，請你朗讀第二段。」我暗中竊喜著……

下課的鐘聲響起，我被林老師留了下來。等到課室空無一人後，

林老師才跟我說道：「阿傑，你是不是怕同學笑話你的廣東話不標準才不敢朗讀？」老師小心翼翼地問道。「是……是的」我像個犯錯的小孩低著頭，生怕母親的責罵。「沒事的，同學們不會笑話你的，要大膽說廣東話才能有進步。」老師溫柔地說道，隨後拿出中文書。「我每天教你讀一段課文吧，這樣就能進步得更快了。」老師自信滿滿地說道。就這樣，我每天依偎在這位「母親」身旁學發音，心中無比的溫暖！

兩年後，雖然您不再教導我，但您對我的關心仍無微不至，每當我們在學校相遇時，您總會像小孩般露出您那像太陽花一樣燦爛的笑容，並向我招招手，而性格害羞的我不知如何表達心中的愉悅，只好半羞半喜地向您點頭揮手。您仍會問候我最近的學習情況，為我排憂解難，而有時您會似兄弟般跟我開玩笑，因為我很在意自己的髮型，您偶爾會跟我開玩笑：「哇！你今天的『蛋撻頭』梳得這麼好看啊！」讓我不禁臉紅耳赤……

雖然您不再教導我，但我心裏有些話遲遲未能說出。林老師，我想對您說：感謝您的關心與呵護，是您使我充滿自信，是您使我勇敢地去認識這個美麗的城市、同學、老師，讓我不再孤單和彷徨。

我的啟蒙老師

6D 林梓珊

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古之學者必有師。「師者，所以傳道，授業，解惑也。」在一般人心中，所有老師都是只會教你讀書寫字、「操卷」。其實不只是這樣，還有些老師，例如蘇利文老師像璞玉般雕琢海倫海勒，教她用湯匙吃飯，教她閱讀，如燈塔般引領她人生方向。然而我人生當中也有一位好老師，我與她的故事，不比她們偉大，沒有轟轟烈烈的事蹟，但點點滴滴卻可以令我揮之不去，銘記於心。

記得我小學三年級時，我還是一個懵懂無知的小孩，思考事情也是十分悲觀的，學業成績差勁，周遭同學也不喜歡我，一句句帶有侮辱成分的話，像一把鋒利的刀一下子插在我心上，很是難過。「同學，讀書那麼差勁就乾脆別再讀了。」「以你這樣的資質，唸書也只是浪費金錢。」人緣甚差，同學又經常出言侮辱，因此我的小三時代沒有開心度過，我曾經嘗試討好他們，他們要求我待他們尊重有禮，我便完全「服從」他們的意見，他們要求我扮演小丑般逗他們高興，我都如他們所願。

直到王老師的出現，初時她對我並不太友善，而且經常刁難我，讓我覺得難堪，故初時我頗為討厭她，更會經常在背後說她的不是！直到有一天晚上，那天是我的生日，但我又巧合在生日那一天，被王老師因功課緣故而被要求在學校做好功課以後才可以回家。在我終於「解放」的時候，我獨自走在空無一人的走廊上，心想：「今天應該沒人記得是我的生日吧！」在我萬念俱灰之際，突然王老師從背後大聲說了一句我期待已久的話：「梓珊！生日快樂！」就如此簡單的話讓我頓時熱淚盈眶：「你……怎麼知道？還準備了蛋糕！」我的眼淚就如斷掉的珠子鏈一樣情不自禁地掉下來。她拿起手帕替我拭乾眼淚

並解釋道：「因為你是我最喜歡的學生啊！其實我很清楚你的情況，你是不是覺得我常故意刁難你？其實我是故意的，我是想讓你知道，你不能討好每一個人，正所謂：『一輩子很短，請為自己而活』，你的存在不是為了討好別人，別人讓你怎樣你就跟隨指示去辦，不分是非黑白，這樣的你會很容易迷失方向的！」

我感動極了，老師的用心良苦，我萬萬沒想到她在我背後做了那麼多，一個沒有半點血緣關係的人會緊張你，記得你生日，教會很多發人深省的道理，讓你向她傾訴分憂，對你不離不棄。老師，謝謝你！在我迷失方向，萬念俱灰的時候當我的強心針，使我重新振作，並讓我明白我無法討好所有人，於是我決定理直氣壯的做自己！

看著照片裡的王老師，依舊笑得很燦爛！但是，人生無常，正所謂：「人有悲歡離合，月有陰晴圓缺，此事古難全。」在遙遠他方的您，過得還好嗎？

Thanks Teachers



有你，真的很幸福

1A 馬穎欣

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隨著一年一年地過去，不知不覺間，褪去了小時候天真的我，漸漸踏上成熟的路，同時在小學階段畫上句號，走進中學的大門。

還記得一年級的時候，我覺得英文很難。我完全搞不清楚英文的讀音，常常把字讀得不清楚，所以很多人都聽不清楚我在說什麼。當時我覺得自己很失敗，可是「你」，不但沒有罵我讀得不好，反而更用心去教我，我感到十分安心。

雖然「你」平時很嚴肅，可是「你」有時說的笑話，還挺有趣的。你一直用心教好我英文，我十分感謝你。你知道我平時英文未必跟得上，特意上網找些對我有用的練習給我做，還趁著有空立刻把練習改好。還記得有一次，因為考試快到，你用所有時間幫我們溫習，一直幫我們改作業，直到凌晨，結果病倒了。那時，我覺得你當我的英文老師是我最大的幸福。

眨眼間，已經過了六年，你當了我六年的英文老師。我的英文成績也越來越好。這六年，你教導我人生道理，培養我的良好品格。謝謝你，這六年能遇到你這麼好的一位老師，我感到好溫馨、好幸福。

有你，真的很幸福！雖然我再也不是你的學生了，可我一定會在新的中學當一個好學生。

感恩的花，開在人生的路上

2A 黃凱桐

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人生的長卷鋪向遠方，我獨自走在路上，微風輕輕拂過，我細細欣賞着路上的風景。心懷感恩，感恩似一朵鮮豔的花一路綻放，感恩相遇，感恩在人生的轉角遇見你，感恩分離，感恩你的離別成為我的動力支撐著我繼續走下去。

父母是開啟我人生的鑰匙，像一棵大樹擋在身前為一株脆弱的樹苗遮風擋雨，父母的愛就是陪在身旁，即使為你失去生命也毫不猶豫。感謝父母，給予我生命，讓我在悲傷迷茫的時候有個安全的港灣給我依靠，付諸一切以行動來報答這份恩情。

從初識學習的小孩到求知若渴的少年，是老師的諄諄教誨讓我們從無知走向正確的信念。老師是引路人，在人生的道路上引領我們走得更遠，老師是寒冬裏的一縷陽光，在不經意間給我希望和鼓勵，讓心中感到溫暖無比。老師就是這樣，用自己的青春和愛奉獻給我們。感恩老師，感恩老師在人生的轉角出現，成就現在的我。

小時候，朋友就是和我一起玩的人，根本算不上甚麼，時光飛逝，朋友還陪伴我左右。長大了，我漸漸明白，朋友是那個會陪著你成長，陪著你歡笑，陪著你流淚的人。他們雖然總和你吵架，卻又總是聽你訴苦，他們陪同你經歷風風雨雨，友情縫縫補補後，還和原來一樣，一直在你身邊。感恩朋友在人生中出現，讓我和你們一直走到人生的盡頭。

感恩人生路上遇到的每一個你，漫漫人生路我還在走著，沿途的風景依然那麼美，感恩的花依然在盛開……

熟悉的背影

3B 張瑜玲

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如果有一天，在街上看到一個熟悉的背影，你會是什麼感覺？是歡喜，因為那是你想念的人；是敬畏，因為那是你景仰的人。

中秋佳節，我坐在河邊的木橈上，圓月的光芒喚醒了沉寂的夜空。我閉上眼，貪婪地享受月光。

「感恩的心，感謝有你……」一陣音樂聲突兀地飄進了我的耳膜。我緩緩睜開眼睛，一輛自行車從我前方的單車道上穿過。我看向高掛在天邊的明月。感恩，我該懷感恩之心待你嗎？明月。我想，是你吧！你是無私的，你照亮了混濁的大地，慰問了思鄉的途人。你的光芒不比陽光璀璨，卻是無比柔和。就如同一位樸素、和藹的良師。

時間大概是下午五點，我在超市買了個麵包，準備回家。忽然，我聽到身後傳來幾聲東西撞擊地面的雜音。我回過頭，一個熟悉的纖瘦又略帶蒼老的背影，進入了我的視線。我立刻朝那個背影奔去，俯下身，幫她把散落的柳丁裝進我的環保袋裏：「給你，我的老師。以後記得帶環保袋喔！塑膠袋太不堪重負了，容易破！」只見眼前這位有些許銀髮的老師，微微一怔，然後微笑著接過袋子：「謝謝你，唉……老師年紀大了，記性也不好，你叫什麼名字啊，小姑娘？」我笑了笑，自報姓名「沒關係的，老師。您桃李滿天下，我們記得您就好了。」其後，我和老師擁抱道別。看著老師愈加蒼老的背影，我抬起步伐，跟上老師，接過她手裡的大包小袋，對她微笑：「我送您回去吧！」

還記得，我剛踏進小學，這位老師就是我的班主任。一天放學，外面下著傾盆大雨。過了許久，老師見我還沒回家，便打電話跟父母

建議由她帶我去她家吃了晚飯，然後再送我回家。我讀小一時，因父母工作忙，周六我基本都是在興趣班中度過的。老師知道後，跟我父母說讓我到她家去玩，還幫我輔導功課。回憶著，我和老師已經到達老師居住的小區門口。我朝她揮揮手：「再見，老師！」老師向我微微一笑。漸漸地，老師已經進入小區。我想，大概是因為時過境遷，所以老師不大記得我；也或許是因為我只是老師教導過的云云桃李中，最平凡的一個。

片刻後，我轉過身準備回家。老師對我的諄諄教誨，我無以回報。曾經聽過「滴水之恩，當湧泉相報。」但老師對我的恩，已然匯成了汪洋。何以為報？也許，以後遇到老師，向他們問好，他們會覺得欣慰吧！也許，我們把他們教授的學識，銘記於心，他們已然會覺得滿足吧！

感恩—那個熟悉的背影，那些老師的背影。是你們給予我支持，是你們引領我成長，是你們點亮我的夢想，帶我揚帆啟航。

再寒冷的冬天也有暖意

4D 陳晴

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「叮鈴鈴」，上課鈴響了，我最不想面對的正一步步靠近。趴在課桌上我心跳加快，緊了緊環抱的雙臂，把頭埋得更深了。

那時的我是個正處於學習低谷期的中學生。不知從何時開始，學習對於我來說，變得乏味、困難。我不知道學習的目的是什麼，於是迷失在雲山霧罩的功課裡，消失在成績龍虎榜中。我每次溫習就像竹籃打水一樣——總是徒勞無功。上課總是跟不上老師的進度，總是走神思考自己的目標是什麼。我墮入了一個惡性循環，因厭惡學習導致成績下降繼而更加厭惡學習。

「啪！」「今天派試卷！」老師進入教室了！他將試卷摔在講臺上，發出的聲音敲響我心中的警鐘，我揪住我的衣袖，將臉緊緊黏在手臂上，真想逃離這裏！「陳晴……陳晴！」不一會兒，老師叫到我的名字，內心掙紮了一番，我還是硬著頭皮上去了。故意綁得鬆鬆垮垮的低馬尾此時派上用場，掩住我自卑的臉。我甚至不敢看老師，只是拿了試卷就往回走。坐回課椅，我偷偷瞄了一眼「悲劇」，雜亂的大紅叉立刻擊退了我的視線。「唉，比預期錯得更多！」。我立刻埋下頭，回到自己孤獨、寒冷的世界。我裝作什麼也不知道，什麼也不在乎。「哎，我這樣麻木地學習有什麼用？又沒有理想和目標可以追求！」

當我正考慮是否該無奈接受這一切時，陳老師來了——她是在我迷茫、不知所措時，給予我溫暖的良師！沒有她，或許我到現在都走不出那寒冷、舉步維艱的冬天。陳老師是個很有責任感、做事有條不紊的中年女性。她有著不太好看的國字臉，卻依舊將頭髮一絲不苟地束起，顯得十分自信，竟也耐看。她還有一雙明亮、目光堅定的大眼

睛，穿著打扮簡約樸素。「望之儼然，即之則溫，聽其言也厲。」說的就是陳老師！

「我們去操場走走吧！」陳老師親切地對我笑著說，我眼神迴避地點了點頭。走出教學樓，周圍的寒風立刻搶走我身上的熱度，使我感到寒風侵肌。陳老師直接說明來意：「我找你是因為我發現你最近的成績下滑得很厲害，人也變得很低落，有什麼事影響你了嗎？」陳老師問。我想了想答道：「很迷茫，我沒有什麼理想和目標，只是麻木地學習。有時候真的不知道日復一日學習、背知識點是為了什麼，就只是機械式地完成學習任務，成績就是全部。」「有這樣的困惑，並不完全是壞事。經歷、解決了困惑，會使你地未來道路更清晰。」陳老師頓了頓說：「努力學習，不僅是讓你未來有多一點的選擇權，更是希望你能夠認識更多不同的事物，人生能夠充實、精彩。至於目標，其實我一直到高中也沒有目標，只要能夠學習就足夠了。學習其實是很快樂的一件事，不要把它當成一項任務。」陳老師說著，將我臉頰旁的頭髮拂至耳後，笑著對我說：「要對自己有信心。」陳老師指尖的溫度，就像一股強大的暖流，使我在寒冷的冬天感到溫暖、滿腔熱忱。陳老師用心的一番指點，使我感到有所覺悟。後來陳老師帶我前去她的辦公室，替我把頭髮紮高，告訴我：「就算迷茫，也要活得坦然、有自信！」陳老師對我的溫柔與呵護，使我感覺再寒冷的冬天也不怕！之後一段時間，陳老師還幫我跟進落後的學習進度，無處不讓我感激不盡。她對我的幫助，沒齒難忘！

林清玄曾說：「雪，冷而清明，純淨優美，在某一層次上，像極了我們的心。更『幫助』是我們心靈最單純、最明亮的底色。是幫助，為飢寒交迫的人們送去冬日裡的溫暖陽光；是幫助，讓瀕臨絕境的人重新看到生活的希望；是幫助，讓黑暗襲來時孤苦無依的人有耐心等待光明。」是的，因為有陳老師的幫助，讓我拾起恆心，去探索學習，尋找目標；因為有陳老師的幫助，讓我感受到再寒冷的冬天也有暖意！

帶好你的「護照」，感恩上路

5C 黃熹龍

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從我們的誕生起，父母懷抱著哇哇大哭的我們在「護照」上寫下我們的名字，這意味著我們人生的開始。我們人生路如同曲折的旅程，路上遇到的風景、人和經歷的都紀錄在「護照」上，它見證著我們的成長之路。人生路遙遠，男兒志在四方，請帶好你的護照，心懷感恩上路！

在青春懵懂的歲月，我們人生路第一個停留點在一所充滿書香味的校園裏，我們「護照」上蓋著校園的印章，開始探索知識的校園生活。校園裏的老師是旅程的導師，帶領我們在知識的海洋裏暢遊，貪婪地汲取課本流露的智慧。所謂「授人以魚不如授人以漁」。老師除了教授我們課本的知識，還以身作則培養我們如蓮花般「出淤泥而不染，濯清漣而不妖」的君子品質，抵制貪污賄賂等不良社會風氣。老師引導我們要有小草「野火吹不盡，春風吹又生」的頑強精神，遇到挫折能堅強面對。另外，老師還傳授「施比受更有福」的價值觀，鼓勵我們廣交益友。在多年辛勤學習後，畢業禮上我們喜極而泣，感謝師恩，千言萬語紀錄在「護照」上，多年後仍令人回味。尊敬的老師，你為我們的旅程指點方向。

當我們告別青春的校園，一群雄心壯志的青少年懷著揣著「護照」行走在險惡的社會，嘗試碰碰撞撞。或許我們遭遇小人的算計，事業和愛情的雙失意，但我們仍遵守著「護照」上的準則，學會保護自己的方法，與在逆境中仍為你義不容辭、兩肋插刀的朋友成為莫逆之交。同時，更要感謝逆境，是逆境使我永不言棄、堅持不懈。我們如一棵棵小樹苗必須經過無數困境後才能成為參天大樹。我相信陽光總在風雨後，感謝失敗的洗禮，使我們茁壯成長，走向成功之路！

無論我們身懷「護照」身處何方，驀然回首，我們的父母總在不

遠處默默地關注著我們。每當我們遇到挫折，我們懷揣感恩的「護照」，便可到達父母為我們構築的避風塘。我們欠父母的債是超越一切天文數字的，今生今世也無力償還，但父母甘心付出卻並不在意回報。我們說出每一句感恩的話語，為他們送上「您辛苦了」的關懷，父母總會歡喜和無比珍視。感謝您們！我的父母，感謝您們陪我度過每一個春夏秋冬，你們助我度過難關，我們定會銘記於心。

感謝有您們，我們的父母、老師和朋友們，讓我們懷揣著感恩的「護照」在人生路上共同前進！

再寒冷的冬季也有暖意

6D 吳玉怡

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凜冽的寒風在街頭肆意地呼嘯而過，毫不留情地刮在我的臉上，伴隨著隆冬的寒意直入心底。獨自踉蹌地走在街上，拖著沉重的步伐，千斤重石墜在心頭。這夜，街上特別明亮，但我只覺過分地刺眼；街上特別熱鬧，但我只覺吵雜紛亂。那一刻，只想安靜一下，有一絲絲暖意流入心田，告別寒冷。

不知不覺，走到了一條車水馬龍的街道，這街道既熟悉也陌生，這夜它彷彿搖身一變，由樸素的農村姑娘變成鮮豔奪目的迷人少女，相比起它，我反而顯得更落魄。走到一間商場的櫥窗外，透過潔淨的玻璃，看見一群打扮漂亮、外表俊朗的年輕男女在表演跳舞。突然覺得傷口像撒鹽般劇痛難忍。在這明亮的燈火中更是赤裸裸地展現在眾人眼前，剛才的一幕幕再次重現眼前，揮之不去。

柴可夫斯基的「天鵝湖」音樂在耳邊響起，我扭動身軀，踮起腳尖旋轉，擺動雙手，時而跳躍在空中，一舉一動都是那麼流暢自然，把幾個月來的汗水和淚水，以最完美的姿態展現在表演場上，希望能打動評判。

一切都如想像般順利地進行著，正當我顧盼自豪地希望以最後一個飛舞空中、完美落地的動作結束這次表演時，那一次跳躍卻像小醜鴨一樣在空中胡亂擺動翅膀，重重墜落地面結束。竟在關鍵時刻出錯！我羞愧得滿臉通紅，全場驚訝聲、譴責聲混雜在一起，我急得想要哭，忍著腳上的痛，內心的痛，緩緩地爬起來，踉踉蹌蹌地走出舞臺。

來到更衣室，其他選手的目光「刷」一下全投射在我身上，我環顧了他們一眼，把頭低得更低，直想在地上打個洞鑽進去。我拿了自

己的衣服馬上走進更衣間，外面的竊竊私語不斷地傳進來，「明知後段會體力不支，還選一個高難度動作，不自量力」，「幸好我的演出沒有出錯，我剛才的跳躍很平穩地落地，真像一隻天鵝。」聽到這些，我的眼淚終於忍不住，如決堤般湧出。我覺得委屈，明明排練了好幾個月這段芭蕾舞，得到的結果卻不盡人意，付出是沒有收穫的，還讓對手嘲笑。換好衣服，擦乾眼淚，惱羞成怒的我急匆匆地離開了賽場，走在寒冷的街頭，滿臉淚痕，只想有一絲絲暖意能帶走……

突然，有人輕輕拍拍我的肩膀，我從剛才的時空回到了現實，眼前這個滿臉白鬍子，一身喜慶紅色衣服的聖誕老人佔據了我的視線，「聖誕節快樂，送給你」，我接過禮物的一刻，剛才在商場裡跳舞的舞蹈表演者一湧而出，簇擁著我跳舞，他們甜美的笑容，不斷傳送歡樂，與我剛才的悲憤、難過難以契合，令我一時不知如何面對，只是錯愕地愣在原地不動。但是他們繼續傳遞熱情和歡樂過來，令我冰封的內心開始融化，對他們辛苦的表演莞爾一笑。「常懷感恩知心，你就會快樂。」聖誕老人說完，他們一眾人都散去。

我好奇地打開禮物，邊走邊拆解盒子，裏面藏有一張精美地賀卡，打開賀卡，數行整齊的句子映入眼簾：「幸福是懷有一顆感恩的心，善於發掘美好事物的眼睛，希望藉著這張賀卡帶給你溫暖和幸福，讓你在再寒冷的隆冬也有暖意。聖誕節快樂！」平時都不在意這些甜言蜜語，這一刻讀著卻覺得特別有意思，似乎是專門為我而設的話。我反覆讀著，內心似乎也沒有那麼冰冷了。「感恩」二字不停圍繞著我的思緒，令我陷入沉思，希望能發掘生活中值得感恩的事，安慰自己傷痕纍纍的心。

走著走著，原來已到了家門口，爸媽早為我打開了門，我清醒過來，看見全家人圍著餐桌，飯菜的煙霧和香氣不斷飄向上空，撲鼻而來，他們咧開燦爛的笑容，招手示意我快點進來，媽媽幫我拿下背包，爸爸幫我準備碗筷。一進到屋裏，暖流由手腳快速傳遍全身。他們不停地說：「回來就好，吃飯吧，一家人開開心心在一起吃飯。」我知道他們透過校園網上直播看了比賽，已經知道結果了，但是他們一字不提。「姊姊，別愣在那，快吃飯吧，我把平日最愛的雞脾讓給

你。」弟弟一邊說，一邊忙著幫我夾菜，把我的碗填得滿滿的。我看著他們真切的笑容，絲毫沒有責怪的意思，心底湧上一股暖意，徹底融化心中的冰塊。看到家人，我解開了剛才的困惑。

感恩，就在我身邊。我應該感恩家人，即使外面多冷，他們總是最溫暖和堅強的後盾，家的大門永遠為我打開，為漂泊在外的船隻提供一個安全可靠、一生不渝的港灣。感恩那位聖誕老人，素不相識的我送上這冬天最溫暖的賀卡，讓我學會常存感恩的心，就會快樂。

現在記起今天的比賽，也感恩那些嘲諷我的對手，每次都給予我壓力，讓我努力前行，在哪裡跌倒就要在哪裏站起來。青春的路上，也不會一帆風順，一帆風順的青春可能會錯過更多的美麗風景，只要常懷感恩，青春路上的荊棘也變得不再可怕和厭惡。「天將降大任於斯人，必先苦其心志，勞其筋骨，餓其體膚」，上天安排給我們的困難，帶著感恩的心去看待，我們的青春便會多姿多彩。

吃過晚飯，站在窗邊向外望，聖誕夜的街道特別明亮耀眼，熱鬧非凡。外面可能吵雜紛亂，但我的家很安靜和溫暖，令這寒冷的冬季也不再寒意襲人。

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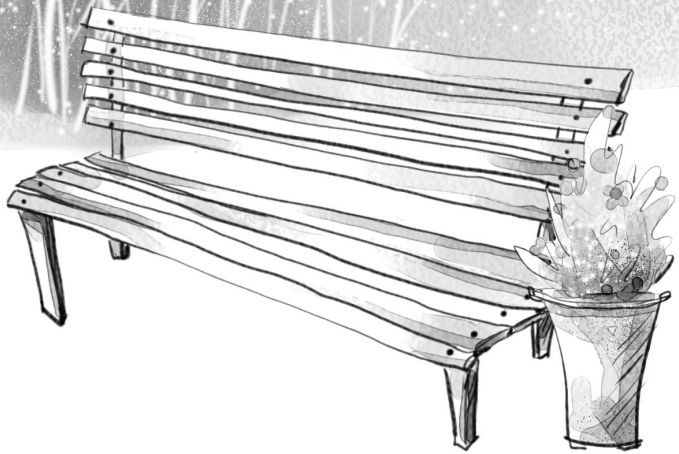
3B 張瑜玲 獲得優異獎：

二十載來，育數萬以青才；
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4D 傅雨龍 獲得一等獎：

回歸二十載，上下心永在，
港人齊努力，攜手創未來。

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一件令我深感後悔的事

4D 張明康

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碧波蕩漾的大海任魚暢遊；茫無邊際的蒼空憑鳥翱翔；生機盎然的大地縱馬揚蹄，感恩是我們成長過程中不可缺失的精神營養。

那一個變幻莫測的暑假，我的母親竟然把一個童真活潑的小孩，送去給她那「仁慈」的弟弟照顧。從此開始，我的一切全都變了。每當我的同齡小孩與爸媽一起看卡通片的時候，我卻是一邊抱著嬰兒，一邊掃著地板的一個小孩；每當我眼睜睜地凝望著小夥伴和父母跟玩具溫馨打鬧的時候，而我的眼淚卻是被那身上「五彩斑斕」的鞭痕命令著而流下；每當我嗅到那「芬芳四溢」的飯菜時，為我留下的僅是冷菜冷飯……

不知道多久以後，我彷彿忘卻有多少個夜晚是心驚膽顫，多少個清晨是天昏地暗，但我記得是——我最「親愛」的母親居然親手把我送進這地獄般的日子裡。我有時候懷疑究竟她是我的親生母親嗎？懷疑到底她還愛我嗎？懷疑她收了多少錢才把我送去給暴君取悅？

她，是放棄了我？還是迫不得已呢？

雪萊曾說過：「冬天到了，春天還會遠嗎？」的確，這原本度日如年的暑假終於結束，可我卻依然不開心，我恨我的母親。這股恨所帶來的力量把我們昔日的天倫之樂連根帶走。都說生活的船不能沒有理想的帆，都說生活的理想就是為了理想的生活，而理想的生活不知是否早已擦身而過……

日復一日，我越來越恨我的母親，直到有一天，我的母親沒有經過我的同意就進入我的房間，我十分生氣地大吼：「你為什麼進入我的房間？我讓你進了嗎？」她低著頭說：「沒什麼，你別生我氣。」我見她鬼鬼祟祟的，肯定不懷好意。不知道那裡來的怒氣，我直接把她推倒在地，從眼神中射出一股尖銳的寒氣：「我警告你，別再進我

的房間！」說完，我便走了……

她，好像是真的放棄我了，看來並不是有苦衷吧？

「恨，你要更恨她，是她這種人，把你弄成這樣。」另一個我好像對我說著，怒不可遏者。

「她始終是你的母親，原諒她吧……」另一個我彷彿也答道。而我不知道該怎麼辦，一臉茫然。

那天晚上，我趁母親以為我睡著了，小心翼翼地偷聽她打電話，原來早已「養兵千日」的我，今晚打算「用兵一時」。那一剎間，我終於恍然大悟，「我的寶貝兒子是不是很开心，徐老師？」「我對不起我的兒子啊，都怪我在暑假的時候把他放在我那個敗類弟弟那裡，可是不然的話，我一個人不能一邊帶他一邊帶他去上班，我交不了房租，買不了玩具給他，更讓他這麼不開心，我的心就像被刀割啊……」我借著門縫和街燈，看見母親心疼地流淚，我終於後悔了，啊，我的心好酸，眼淚不禁流下。「為什麼，誰能告訴我為什麼？」當母親每天早上不辭勞苦地給我做早餐時，我到底做了什麼？竟是一個令人發寒的眼神和一個「滾」字？當母親怕我因為床板不齊而悄悄幫我修理時，我到底做了甚麼？不但沒說聲謝謝，反而竟將他推倒在地？當母親想讓我們的生活好些，獨自一人支持這家庭時而忍痛將我送走一段時間，我到底在做什麼？竟然打算向她報復，並對她愛理不理？

光陰似箭，歲月如梭。現在的我早已痛改前非了。只是後悔當初推她的那一瞬間，不理她一段時間，更加後悔的是錯過這麼多的日子，被歲月老人在她的額頭深深地烙下那一條條皺紋。正如泰戈爾說：「如果錯過了太陽你流了淚，那麼你也要錯過群星了。」

你一定要記住，把愛帶給生活，用感恩和愛點綴生活。不要再等到後悔之時，乞求光陰的憐憫，而是用感恩的心帶著愛走過生活，再將它們儲藏幸福的美酒，享受一生。

面對抉擇，讓我更瞭解自己

4A 趙紫嫣

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人生就如一場遊戲，有贏有輸，有捨有得。在這場遊戲中，人們放棄很多東西來獲取自己心中最想得到的，我們要前進就必須遵循這遊戲規則。抉擇，人皆有之，而我亦不例外。

「三玥！」放學後的我與往常一樣，回家後便會向家中養的熊仔鼠打招呼，但與以往不同的是，今天三玥並沒有從小屋中冒出頭來回應。因為昨天的一個抉擇，三玥不再是我家的寵物了，我的心頓時感到空蕩蕩的，就像少了一塊心頭肉似的。

三月二十一日，我從寵物店買回了一隻熊仔鼠，全家人都被牠毛茸茸、小巧的可愛模樣吸引著，我們都悉心照顧牠。可惜好景不長，在這悶熱的天氣，脆弱的三玥生病了。此時此刻，我才明白小動物是如此的脆弱。我可算瞭解到父母養育我們的艱辛，於是我們沒有猶豫，以迅雷不及掩耳的速度把病重的三玥帶到大圍的動物診所。在前往診所的途中，我並沒有想過今天是我陪伴三玥的最後一天，曾經向父親說過會照顧好三玥的承諾，在今日顯得十分虛渺。面對接下來的抉擇，我該如何是好呢？

在動物醫院裡，有不少生病的小動物，每個人都明白自己的寵物都會有離開的一天。「三玥，請進來！」獸醫的聲音倏然響起，我和父親帶同三玥見獸醫。

獸醫姐姐替三玥做了一連串檢查，然後語重心長地說道：「牠的臉頰上長了一個腫瘤，需作更詳細的檢查，但所需的價格不菲，請你們好好考慮。」接過收據的我，彷彿萬箭穿心，好像一隻站在熱鍋上的螞蟻般進退兩難。想到家中的經濟困難以及眼前瑟瑟發抖的小鼠，我該如何抉擇？

我抱著三玥在醫院的暗角哭了起來，淚水奪眶而出，而有一顆淚

珠滴在了三玥的臉上，牠輕咬了我的手指一口，好像在安慰我不要哭。我的內心頓時翻騰洶湧，在繼續治療三玥及把三玥送給診所，由診所接手飼養之間矛盾掙扎。我的思緒被這昂貴的收費和三玥的將來打亂，此時我認為這個社會太殘酷，一念天堂，一念地獄，苦苦思索了良久，我仍無法作出抉擇。

忽而，父親那嚴肅的聲音傳來我的耳邊：「與其讓牠回到我們家等待死亡，倒不如交給診所，讓牠有專業的醫生和護士照顧。『經一事，需長一智。』以後養寵物前要好好考慮自己的能力。」聽完父親苦口婆心的勸告，我擦乾臉上的淚水，戰戰兢兢地把三玥遞給獸醫。我是多麼希望時間能在此刻停止，我不想面對分離的痛苦，同時亦不想小鼠受疾病的折磨。我在病房中來回踱步，絞盡腦汁，最後作出了我人生中一個重要抉擇。我決定把三玥交給診所餵養，這是我愛牠的表現。

看著面前空無一物的籠子，想起當日作出抉擇時就好像《獅子·女巫·魔衣櫥》書中幾個小孩，對於未知的空間，他們是多麼的勇敢。我就像書中那個女孩推開一扇門，替三玥作出牠一生中的一個賭注……

如果有人問我，若重來一次我是否還會做出這個抉擇，我會肯定地告訴你，我會把三玥交給診所。從三玥生病的那刻起，我才真正瞭解到自己的不足之處。在《孟母三遷》的故事中，孟母為讓孩子有良好的學習環境而多次搬家，雖然我未能做到她那樣偉大，但現在三玥能在診所裡無憂無慮地生活，我認為我的抉擇是對的。

我曾看過一本書，裡面講述在寵物的眼中主人是牠們的摯愛，而主人對這毫無血緣關係的愛，猶如父母愛子女般深厚。在經歷這一次重大的抉擇後，我更深刻體會到「愛」既偉大又令人心酸。

這場遊戲中，我遵守了社會的規則，有時逼於無奈，我們要放棄心愛的人、寵物和物品。人生，就如《水調歌頭》中「月有陰晴圓缺，人有悲歡離合」，我瞭解到坦然面對抉擇便是最好的解決方法。每一個抉擇都影響到自己和他人的一生，只要問心無愧便是正確的抉

擇了。我亦透過此次經歷更瞭解自己，在養寵物前不知天高地厚，沒有準備好就養寵物。我明白「愛」並不是佔有，而是能令三玥更舒適地生活。「愛」是既偉大又心酸的，我讓三玥活得更快樂，而捨棄讓牠在我身邊受痛苦的折磨。

在這場遊戲中，我輸給了自己不夠盡責的缺點，但我藉此瞭解到自己對三玥的愛是很濃厚的，最後我贏得了三玥日後舒適的生活，那麼這還不算是一場勝利的遊戲結局嗎？

事情以失敗告終，我卻感到開心

4A 張兆峰

今早發生的事以失敗告終，至晚上仍歷歷在目，別以為我傷心，我不但沒有情緒低落，反而有些開心哩！

籃球隊應該是我中學生涯最美好的回憶，當中經歷過的一切，一班隊友在籃球場一起努力過，揮灑汗水的日子是畢生難忘的。自從我加入籃球隊後，我一直勤奮練習，希望在中學生涯完結前為學校爭光，令學校在籃球學界上有一點成績。在密集式的訓練下，我們成功闖入四強，終於，萬眾矚目的學界四強賽事在今早進行，為爭取決賽的門票，我們誓死拼搏，只求不留遺憾。

今早我和隊友參加比賽會議時，教練說了一些自己在中學比賽的感受，令我們可以舒緩緊張的心情迎接比賽。

一輪比賽前的熱身後，教練安排陣容及講解戰術，教練故意安排我做後備球員，一開始我不明白他的用意，但教練所做的一定有他的原因。比賽在萬眾矚目的情況下開始，坐在看臺上的觀眾都在為自己的學校打氣。哨聲一響，比賽開始，在第一節我們和對手的比數都非常接近，我非常心急想出場出一份力，但無奈的是教練還未有安排，終於在第三節，教練在半場完結時的比賽會議說他需要作出調動。

第三節教練終於安排我出場，當時的比數是我方落後五分，我踏入球場後，有一種無形的壓力，最後在第三節完結時，我們反領先五分。第四節開始，教練安排調動我回後備席，直至比賽剩餘最後四分，我們領先一分，教練要求暫停比賽討論戰術，討論時要打出我們打不死的風格。暫停時間完畢，教練調回我上場，而且跟我說了一句：「嘉誠，盡力做好自己，人生是不停進步的！」當時我還不明白這句話的深層意思，所以我只好點點頭。比賽剩餘最後一分鐘，我

非常緊張，因為對手的戰意愈來愈強，而且領先我們兩分。那時候教練要求我們作出防守戰術，結果我們順利地防守到對手的進攻，球權歸我們，比賽最後二十秒，我們落後兩分，教練要求我們作出戰術，而且戰術是為作出三分起手而設，戰術發動得很順利，可惜的是我的起手沒有為球場帶來勝利。最後，我們在四強以兩分之差飲恨四強止步，無緣晉入決賽，而就讀中六的學兄在最後一年的中學生涯也不能圓夢。

正當我們失望至極的時候，教練召集我們到場邊進行賽後檢討，教練在檢討時沒有半句的責罵，只是有點失落，但他鼓勵我們再接再厲。解散後，隊友一個一個地離開場館，他們看著我的眼神，我幾乎要哭出來，教練在離開時摸了我的頭一下，而且對我點頭。

晚上，我獨自坐在沙發上沉思，腦海不斷回想最後出手的畫面，正當我失意時，竟然接到教練的來電，他跟我說：「嘉誠，我明白你的心情，你的努力是不會白費的，只是時間問題，今天是我特意將你安排做後備球員，用意是想讓快畢業的師兄多點上場時間，另外是想讓你感受一下後備替換上場的感受，後備上場比起正選更緊張，更難進入狀態。而我在第四節跟你說的那句話，是想舒緩你的心情，讓你盡情享受比賽。而人是不停地進步的意思不只是在籃球場上，人生都會遇到挫折，今天的你只是錯過了一個機會，未來還有更多機會，加油！」

當時我才真正明白教練今天安排的用意及領會到打籃球真的令我獲益良多，可以有一群好隊友、好教練陪伴自己成長。

今天的我雖然為大家帶來遺憾，但我們贏到了不放棄的精神，在那裏跌倒就要在那裏站起來，這才是真正強者！我並沒有因為輸掉比賽而情緒失落，反而因學會更多人生道理而感到開心。



涼茶

5D 劉詩敏

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「轟隆隆」一道響雷閃過天際，緊接著豆點大的雨滴落在我身上，衣服瞬間濕了一大片，我連忙以手遮雨跑進一間離我最近的屋簷下避雨。進入屋後我四周打量，我望著面前種類繁多的涼茶，思緒隨著雨絲漸漸飄遠了。

猶記得小時候父母在城裏打工，可以說我的童年是由外婆陪伴我成長的。當年外婆約六十多歲，但歲月的痕跡似乎並沒有在她臉上留下，依然可以看出她年輕時的風華絕代。外婆非常喜歡鑽研中藥藥材，時常與村子裡面的老人家討論藥材的功效，知道不同藥材互相搭配時對不同病癥的功效，外婆也因此經常煲涼茶給我喝。可是每當我看到白瓷碗中黑乎乎的，聞起來怪怪的，喝下去苦苦的涼茶時，我都會避開得遠遠的。外婆總會想方設法地讓我嚐一口，而我卻總是拒絕，這時外婆就會說：「這可是好東西，你這丫頭怎麼不識寶？」最後將整碗涼茶一口氣灌完。

到了上小學的時候，知識漸長了，再加上外婆的知識灌輸，知道涼茶是一種取材自多種草藥結合而成的茶水，它針對不同的病癥，會有不同的搭配，而它除了有各種治病及保健功效外，還能清熱去濕。可就算知道涼茶是個好東西，但我仍對它的苦味抗拒無比。

直到我上小學二年級的某一天，母親回鄉接我到深圳讀書。在上火車的前一晚，外婆亦照常在晚飯後煲了涼茶，可奇怪的是外婆沒有讓我喝，而是將我一把抱起，靜靜的坐在庭院裡，我貪婪地聞著外婆身上所散發的藥材的芬芳，細數著外婆臉上的皺紋，想到將與外婆分別時，心中甚感不捨。「丫頭，到了深圳要好好讀書，不要像怕喝涼茶一樣怕讀書苦。到了深圳後外婆不能照顧你了，你要勇敢面對自己的生活，知道嗎？」一滴滾燙的淚珠落在我的臉頰上，外婆抹了淚繼續道：「丫頭，你要記著人生就如涼茶一樣，雖然剛開始品嚐是

苦的，但只要細心品嚐就會嚐到那絲絲甘味。你現在太小，可能不明白，但你要記著，長大後你就會明白了。」之後外婆叮嚀了我很多，我已記不清了。

自從到深圳讀書後，我每年只回一次鄉下，而且逗留的時間也十分短暫。幾年後，母親為了給我更好的讀書環境，便一家移居香港。如今，我亦從一個鄉下女孩蛻變成了城市女孩。可是自此以後，我就從未回鄉探望過外婆，直到前不久收到外婆去世的消息。想到此處，淚珠也忍不住滑了下來。我向店員買了碗涼茶，我捧著碗喝了一口，當我嚐第一口的時候，感到很苦，五官都皺成一團，苦味纏繞著舌頭及整個口腔，怎也擺脫不了，臉上的淚痕似乎也是因太苦而流下的；當我嚐第二口時，苦味依舊，卻有所不同，但又說不出來是甚麼；到第三口時，感覺到了剎那間的甘涼，促使我一飲而盡，我想這就是外婆所說的甘吧！

外面的雨停了，一道彩虹出現在我眼前，我抹乾淚笑了，因為我似乎明白了外婆的話，人生的道路曲折而坎坷，如同苦涼茶，起初面對困難時苦不堪言，令人淺嘗而止，但人生不會只有苦的存在，一分耕耘一分收穫，不經歷些風雨又怎會見彩虹呢？所以，我們應笑對苦難。我想不肯嚐第一口苦茶的人，就如逃避困難的人，他們永遠將不知道苦味中的一絲甘。除此之外，涼茶有清熱降火的功效，我們每天會有各種各樣令人心煩氣躁的事，稍微有一點不順心意，就會觸發那條導火線，做出衝動的事，這時就應像涼茶的功效般，去除心中燥熱，冷靜的思考，以免做出令自己後悔的事。

我想，這就是外婆想透過涼茶告訴我的人生道理吧！想到此處，心中的那抹苦澀也消失殆盡了，望著面前深褐色的涼茶笑了，不由暗忖：「一碗小小的涼茶，竟蘊含著如此之大的人生道理。」

熱鬧過後，我卻感到失落

5D 王藝寰

熱鬧過後，我卻感到失落。與許久不見的朋友相聚約見，原本理應是一件快樂之事，但我卻在相聚後感到無比的失落。

今天是中秋節的正日，亦是五年來第一個正式的小學聚會之日。時光飛逝，五年的時光轉眼便過去，我對這群於五年前曾共同進退的生死之交的印象日漸陌生。此次到來的目的除了聚舊外，便是為了喚醒此份沉睡了五年已久的珍貴回憶。可惜，結果差強人意。

聚會的地點是一所韓國燒烤店，店的中央是一張可以容納二十人的桌子。顯然，這張便是我們訂座的餐桌。餐桌上坐著兩個男生，雖然他們坐著，但也感覺到他們比當年變高大了。除了男生外，女生的改變亦比我想象中大得多。當日青澀的女孩們臉上都添上了一抹彩妝。不過事實上他們的變化不單只有外在的方面，而我就像聚會上的一個異類。

我從他們話語的字裡行間中，發現了他們的巨變。話語再不是當年那些粗魯、任性的措辭語句，而是變得成熟、具有說服力。更重要的是，他們擁有我還沒開始計劃的東西——目標和夢想。

陌生的學院名稱及夾雜著英文的專業名詞在我耳邊縈繞，但我卻只能強顏歡笑。漸漸，我便變成整個聚會中的異類。

別人早早便計畫好自己的將來，有著自己的理想、目標，而我呢？終日無所事事地過著頹廢的生活。有人說過：「夢想都要經過一番努力才會成功。」但我卻連夢想也沒有，成功更是天方夜譚。

在期待已久的聚會上，我能做的只有強顏歡笑，專心傾聽同學們的分享，希望能融入他們的話題。可是，我失敗了。當日共同進退的好朋友已經遠離了我，此刻，我和他們只是擦身而過的路人而已。看

著中秋節晚上高掛於夜空上的月亮，我不禁明白了李白「舉杯邀明月，對影成三人」的感受是多麼的寂寞、孤獨。可惜的是，李白有月亮和影子的相伴，而我卻只有一人。

聖誕節賞燈有感

5D 康禧堯

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十二月二十五日，晚，寒風怒號著，猶如虎吼，呼呼作響，冷氣鑽進每一條縫隙，一如往常深切地讓人體會到，何謂冬意！

然而，這一晚，所有的人，不論老幼、都不約而同擠在街上，似乎無懼冷風的吹打，歡笑著、嬉戲著、這一晚是一年一度的聖誕節！

如此熱鬧喜慶的日子，我又豈會錯過？厚重的衣物，並無阻我邁出輕快的腳步。剎那間自己化身成一條細小的沙丁魚，在茫茫人海中左右穿梭，前往與朋友會合。

只是，我越往市區靠近，人流就越多，終使我的腳步停了下來，駐足在人與人之間。大家肩並肩行走著，一不小心，踩到了這個人的鞋跟；一不小心，又撞得那個人差點跌倒，當真是險象環生！

「滴答！」忽然一滴水珠毫無預兆地落在了我的臉頰。緊接著，第二滴、第三滴……一眨眼的功夫，天空竟然落下傾盆大雨，白亮的雨珠，毫不留情地擊打在身上，身子不禁哆嗦了兩下。人群霎時相互擁擠著，爭相走入有「瓦遮頭」的地方。

「哎唷！」這時旁邊傳來一陣叫痛聲，我循著聲音扭過頭，只見一老人躺在地上，僵僵著身子，雙手緊握著腳踝，看來應該是扭傷了。本應上前扶起老人家的我，腳卻一步都沒踏出去，而是死死地黏在地板上。

「他……應該不是碰瓷吧？你看那蓬亂的鬍子，還有身上破爛的衣服，他是乞丐吧？」腦海中瞬間閃過了許多想法，都讓我對眼前的老人越發產生抗拒。

老人依然躺在地上，面露痛苦的神色，披在身上的青布棉襖早已被雨水浸濕，但所有在場的人，包括我，都沒有半點想要幫忙的意思。

「不好意思！請讓一下！」一把明亮的聲音在人海中響起。跟著，一個健壯的男人從人群裡面擠了出來，只見他淋著雨，跑向老人家。「老人家，我扶著你能站起來嗎？」他一邊說道，一邊把老人家的左手搭在他的左肩上。「來，一、二、三！起來咯！」老人家在那男人的扶持下，一步一步，緩慢地走向我這方向。

「咦？」當那男人終於把老人家扶起來的時候，我這才看清楚，原來那男人不是別人，正是我朋友，一修！他也同樣有點驚訝的望著我，「你……怎麼在這裡……？」他問道。「呃，呃，嗯……」我也有點慌張的回道：「那個，我來幫你吧！」我一邊喊道，一邊去攙扶著老人家的另一邊，原本對老人家退避三舍的態度莫名其妙地消失得一乾二淨了。

安頓好老人家後，我望著一修卻不知該如何開口，他應該一開始沒注意到當時站在一旁，漠視一切的我……

「乞噠！」一修抽了把鼻涕，看著我傻笑，我望著他的模樣也忍俊不禁，「噗！」一聲笑了出來，「你看看你這樣子！走！我去買件衣服給你，把這濕的脫了！」我揮手示意。

五光十色的燈飾，璀璨的霓虹燈，在他的面前，都顯得黯然失色。而我，越加對自己先前那自顧自的行為感到懊悔不已。

「君子貴人而賤己，先人而後己」老師曾經在講堂上教誨的道理，我卻拋諸腦後。

雨，還在嘩啦嘩啦地下著，何時才會停呢？

沉迷

5C 鄧倩文

一心：

你最近忙著甚麼？我們上了中五後，很少約出來了，我十分想念你。

聽說最近有最新型號的手機上市，你應該已經訂購了吧！其實這款手機型號的拍攝功能十分多，有美白、有不同的色澤調校、亦有廣角功能，最吸引我的是雙鏡功能，能把相片的背景變朦，令整張相片更美。相信你都應該被這些新功能吸引吧！但是，我們不應該盲目追求潮流，不應被社會風氣牽引，應該建立一個良好的消費觀念，認清需要和想要，不要造成浪費和花去不必要的金錢，所以如果你的舊手機還能使用，就應該繼續使用，以免製造一件電子垃圾。現時，香港的堆填區日趨飽和，人均製造二點六七公斤的垃圾、冠絕全球，堆填的壽命僅餘兩至六年，面對堆填區爆滿的危機。香港山地少再興建堆填區只能維持六至十年。所以，不斷追趕潮流會浪費許多不必要的金錢，亦會製造不少垃圾，破壞環境。

一心，我知道你從小已經對電子產品十分有興趣。上到中學，功課、測驗都比小學時多，必定少了很多時間做自己想做的事。但是作息時間定時十分重要。尤其青春期的我們，這時候，是最需要營養吸收的黃金期。營養是保證正常生長發育和成熟的物質基礎。身體內分泌活躍、代謝旺盛，大小肌群及各組織器官會不斷增加，所以缺乏充足休息，導致身體疲累，損害健康。

電子產品的出現雖然帶來極大的好處，方便快捷得到各地的資訊，解決學習的困難，又可以提供不同娛樂。但是，長期接觸電子產品對我們的身體健康亦會造成不良影響。首先，視力問題方面，電子產品的屏幕藍光會令眼睛受損。台北曾經有位十九歲男孩，因每天至少花十六小時看平板電腦、手機，半年內不但近視增加到三千度，還

患上白內障。接著，長時間低頭容易令頸椎受損，所以過度沉迷電子產品會影響生活素質。

電子產品已經普及到每個人都會有，無論在飯桌上、教室還是交通工具裡，我們總會看到不少「低頭族」，無時無刻在網絡遊戲、討論區或在短訊中表達意見。其實，長時間流連在網絡世界，自然會減少與人面對面交流溝通的時間。長此下去，逐漸變得不懂與人相處，影響人際關係，社交圈縮小，還會不懂得人際溝通，待人接物等技巧。更可能成為隱蔽少年，有機會患上自閉症和抑鬱，影響著青少年個人成長的發展。」

最後，沉迷電子產品亦會影響學業成績，為了玩遊戲而減少溫習時間，成績就會一落千丈，更可能因晚睡而導致上課時集中力不足，便不能吸收課堂上所學到的知識。當派成績單時，因成績差被同學取笑。另外，又會與父母因成績問題而爭吵，令關係變差，從而影響個人的自信心和自尊。

一心，電子產品使我們生活更多色彩，但同時也是雙刃劍，當享受它帶來的好處，亦不能忘記它的弊端。切忌沉迷其中，恰當使用，分配時間，別辜負發明電子產品的背後理念。

祝

生活愉快

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二零一七年十一月十九日



風箏

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我向一直包容任性的我的爸爸、媽媽送上最真誠的道歉和衷心的感激。秋風送爽，清新的涼風伴隨溫暖卻不刺眼的陽光，照射在我的臉上，從大坳門的山坡上看到長空遼闊的景色，周圍的山丘連綿不斷，樹上的葉子也染得秋黃，提醒我們秋天的到來。

此時，四面八方也傳來了陣陣的煙燻香氣，讓人垂涎欲滴，小學生們的打鬧嬉戲聲音更是在耳邊打轉，他們玩耍的景象彷彿讓我找到多年前那稚氣未脫的身影，原來不知不覺中我也搖身一變成為一名少年了。除了提供郊遊外，大坳門也是香港少數放風箏的聖地，自然吸引了一家大小前來。許多家長握著子女的手與風箏的線，不徐不緩、一步一步細心的教導他們如何把風箏高高掛在長空上，一時父母被子女天真無邪的樣子逗得開懷大笑，小孩則因無法順利的放風箏到天上而感到生氣和不服，我舉頭一看，那隻風箏慢慢帶領我的思緒飄向遠處……

那些風箏在漫無邊際的天空上爭相炫耀自己身上的特色，急於在天空中自由翱翔卻沒有理會周遭的危機，只顧飛翔天際並不顧慮自身安全。那些天真、任性的風箏豈不是我嗎？一直急於擺脫父母的「束縛」，只希望能有自己的空間和獲取所謂的「自由」，但我卻從來沒有考慮潛伏在自己身旁的危險。可是一直把線牢牢牽著的人，卻從不間斷為風箏們擔心，父母在我們成長的路途陪伴我們，當我們遇到危機和困難時，父母永遠會使用不同的方法來營救我們，就像牽線的人得知天空上有阻礙其飛翔時會拉動著線，讓風箏能脫離危機、繼續飛翔。俗語有云：「養兒一百歲，長憂九十九。」不管何時父母仍會當我們是小孩子，那是一種福氣而不是打擾，為何現在我才會明白？

風箏可以翱翔在空中，既可高飛又可低飛。這不是單靠風勢才能辦到的，其實風箏最重要是把握操控的人。在漫漫人生旅途裡，我

們能夠像風箏無憂無慮馳騁於蒼穹中，不用去煩惱那些沒東沒西的瑣事，全賴放風箏的人在陸地上目不轉睛地留意風箏的一舉一動，否則風箏便會迷失方向無法飛往正確的位置。父母也一樣，他們基本沒有把視線從我們的身上移走，他們擔心我們的人生，同時也害怕我們會否成為一隻「斷線風箏」，受到外來力量的唆擺無法回航。是的，父母的嘮叨是我們的福氣，為何現在我才會明白？

風箏能在空中自由飛翔全因牽線的人，人之所以玩風箏是因為想看到風箏代替不能飛翔的自己，飛往更高更遙遠的地方。這大抵便是人類放風箏的樂趣和意義吧！父母也是一樣的，父母希望自己的子女比他們成為一個更有為的、一個對社會更有貢獻的人、一個有骨氣的人，青出於藍。假如風箏沒有牽線的人控制，即使有風吹來也不會飛翔，正如子女沒有父母的悉心栽培，即使學問多深厚也不會成為一個既有修養又有良好品德人。無知的我在此刻才明白父母的偉大，明白一直耍脾氣的那是幼稚的我。

「同學們，快收拾物品我們快要回校了！」班主任的聲音突然傳進我耳朵裡，原來太陽偷偷回家了，只剩下一片落霞，那些帶著一家人快樂回憶的風箏早已不見了，小學生的吵鬧聲和燒烤的香氣淡淡遠去。此刻的我只想快點歸家，向一直包容任性的我的爸爸、媽媽送上最真誠的道歉和衷心的感謝。在埋怨父母不懂我們的感受而向他們發脾氣前，我們應先問問自己有沒有理解父母的苦心和感受，有沒有活在當下把握與父母相處的時光，而不是只懂得埋怨他們。在這個世界上只有一樣東西不能拖延，那就是孝順，與其向父母胡亂生氣，倒不如珍惜和他們相聚的日子吧！

榜樣

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又是一年的開學日了，以往每年都是我隻身一人走在上學的路上，今年卻截然不同，我身邊多了一位友伴——黃修端。我們一起步入課室時，同學都向我們展示甜美的笑容，離別了一個暑假，同學相見時都感到特別親切和熟悉。我看見修端的嘴角也微微翹起，莞爾一笑，向同學點頭示意。

這個畫面卻令我感到很新鮮，似乎和記憶中的某個時刻冥冥中有種千絲萬縷的聯繫，那個腦海中的畫面慢慢浮現，過去的許多事情也被勾勒出來……

修端是去年才轉讀我們學校的插班生，還記得他初來乍到，靦腆地站在講臺上，整個自我介紹只有簡單的兩句：「我叫黃修端，請你們多多指教和包容。」他一直低著頭，走到我身旁的座位坐下，也沒有直視過班上的任何一位同學。

我們還以為他初來陌生的環境，不太適應，才會表現如此羞澀，原來，他就是不太愛說話，他與我是同桌，但我們一起坐了三天也沒有任何交流。

直到有一天，三五位同學興致盎然地走到我們的座位旁，想邀請我們旅行日一起燒烤。「好呀！我們那天還有什麼班會活動？」我對這個話題非常感興趣，立即放下手中的筆和書本，進入熱烈的討論中。我們聊了好一會兒，也不見修端抬頭回應同學的邀請，我正想拍一拍他的肩膀，他生硬地吐出三字：「不用了。」然後倏然地站起身，手中握著書本，頭也不回地走出了教室。來邀請我們的同學，包括我，每個人都氣憤得漲紅了腮子，那群同學每個人都擺出一副氣憤填膺的表情，剛才吱吱喳喳的討論了一下子變得興味索然。

過了一會兒，修端擺著一副嚴肅的表情走進教室，那群同學一看

見他回來，迫不及待地離開我們座位。我看見修端若無其事地坐下，心中的怒火情不自禁地從口中噴出來，「你……」我還沒有把我滿腔怒火盡訴出來，修端已打斷我的話：「業精於勤，荒於嬉，行成於思，毀於隨，我們已升上了高年級理應珍惜學習時間。」說完，又重投書本的懷抱，沉醉於浩瀚書海中。修端的一席話令我當頭棒喝，從玩樂的愉快氣氛和話題中清醒過來，心中的怒火也一下子被澆熄。自從這次以後，儘管同學對修端心中有芥蒂，但我卻想和他成為知心好友，甚至當他是我的學習榜樣。

開學後幾個月，我和修端共同完成一份報告，在繳交報告前一天，我們才發現問卷調查犯下了嚴重的錯誤，必須作出大幅的改動，晴天霹靂的我急得要哭出來，眼淚不但在眼眶中打轉，我勸修端說：「不如我們寫一些假數據上去吧！剩下這麼短的時間，糾正後再上街派發問卷，恐怕來不及了。」修端聽完，眉頭深鎖，臉變得更黑了，像是一場狂風暴雨的前夕，他嚴詞厲色說：「數據必須要真實的！」然後就大步流行走向電腦室。我們二人埋首在電腦桌前，很不容易修改問卷，但夜幕已悄悄降臨了。修端二話不說，手持問卷就跑出校門，見到合適的對象便走上前訪問他們，修端每次和他們說話時，都清楚地作出指示，而且半點沒有催促他們地意思，每次訪問完都會向他們連番感謝。

我們走著走著，來到一個燈光泛黃的角落，聽到不遠處傳來微弱的呻吟聲，走近一看，原來是以為婆婆摔倒在地上，修端緊張地俯下身，扶起老婆婆到旁邊的長椅上，修端不停幫老婆婆擦去身上的泥濘，還詢問婆婆家人的電話，似乎把問卷的事情拋諸腦後。我實在忍不住，拍一拍修端的肩膀，示意時間不早，我們要快點完成問卷，他回頭只看了我一眼，又不理會我了，我忍不住輕聲說：「老婆婆坐在這裡，自然有其他人會幫助她，我們還忙，不如先走吧。」「不行，人皆有惻隱之心，你怎麼可以這樣？」結果，我們派完問卷，很晚才回到家，當然報告也不能在限期前繳交，修端如實地把事情的原委告訴老師，老師不但沒有懲罰我們，還在全班人面前表揚我們，但是，我知道這個表揚只屬於修端一人。

相處日久，我發現修端的言行舉止無一不流露出中國文化的傳統美德。他常勸勉我們白駒過隙，時不我與，時機錯過，追悔莫及，感覺他就如歸有光筆下的張自新能「正色切責，若老師然」，是他時常提醒我要惜時，好學不倦，在他身邊總能感受到一股濃烈的書香氣氛。也是他用言行告訴我：「人而無信，不知其可」，他用誠心打動了同學和老師，也打動了我，他讓我明白人立足於社會，不可為一己之便，埋沒自己良心而說謊，不助人於危難之中，連基本的個人誠信和「惻隱之心」也丟棄。古語云：「益者三友，友直、友諒、友多聞」。他不但是我的朋友，還是我學習的榜樣。

修端輕拍我的肩膀，我從全年的時間空間回到現在，看著修端，也看看同學親切的笑容，發出會心的微笑。

我在蝸牛之中找到鬥志

6D 陳蔚淇

當一個人具有鬥志這種意念，無論人生遇到怎樣的難題及困難，都會堅持不懈，迎難而上去面對眼前的逆境。我一向是一個容易放棄及退縮的人，經過觀察蝸牛這種不令人起眼的動物後，我找到了鬥志這種意念。

一年前的放榜日。當天正正下著傾盆大雨，整遍天空都是迷濛的，令我產生了不祥的預感。天氣與我的心情正正一樣，我帶著迫不及待又迷惘害怕的心情進入學校。

大夥們都穿著整齊地坐在課室，臉上掛上滿懷期待又緊張的神情。當老師走進課室一刻，大家銳利的眼神彷彿要看穿成績單，我也不例外。當老師薄唇微啟，輕聲地喚出我的名字時，我雙腿如注滿鉛一樣沉重，緩慢得像老人一樣走出去，沒有勇氣面對成績，它就如洪水猛獸般可怕。但始終不能逃避現實，我還是從老師手中接過了成績單。

結果，結果，我沒有想到結果會比預期的差。當時我簡直是欲哭無淚，雙眼呆視著成績單，腦袋一片空白，不知作出甚麼反應，同時我的內心已崩潰及失望。心情就如當天天氣一樣是黑暗及迷濛的。但無論如何，結果已擺在眼前，我們仍要欣然接受。

踏出校門，抬頭望天，我感覺將來如被層層薄霧掩蔽的天際般模糊一片。我再看看那張決定我一生、卻薄如蟬翼的紙張，淚水終於強忍不著，頓時淚如雨下。內心的迷惘，恐懼無可形容。我知道我與大學的距離越來越遠了，為何我所付出的卻與收穫不成正比。無力感如亂麻般纏繞著我，我決定到城門河旁的行人道散心去，令內心的壓力得以釋放。

我頹然地在行人道上走著，低頭看到到行人道中央有一隻蝸牛在

風雨交加的情況下，努力掙紮著爬往屬於自己生活的草叢中。無論雨水怎樣打到牠的身上，也沒有令牠放棄，仍然為自己的目標向前地走著，堅持不懈，鍥而不捨地邁向成功的地方。牠的腹足，行走時就像磁石吸著金屬一樣吸住物體，再伸展長長的身體，像戰士一樣匍匐前進，向目標前進。蝸牛充滿著驚人的鬥志。身上那遍滿絲絲裂紋的殼，代表著蝸牛不斷地爬著，為了目標而奮鬥，經歷了不少風雨。牠們就是想用緩慢的行動挑戰生命。不向世界示弱及低頭，向世界證明牠們的存在及鬥志。

看著看著，時間流去。蝸牛已經到達屬於牠生活的草叢，證明了只要堅持不懈，無論在實踐的過程中有多少挫折及困難，只要堅持、有鬥志，總會達到成功。我嘴角牽出一絲微笑，笑是欣賞牠的努力不懈，更笑自己的懦弱。

晚上，我躺在床上，不禁回想起那隻蝸牛。漸漸地，我發現我即使一隻蝸牛也比不上。蝸牛在前進的過程中充滿困難，但卻沒有一點兒放棄的念頭，不會往後退。只會努力向前走著，只為目標而奮鬥著。牠的努力投射在牠身上，反襯出我的懦弱。難道我不及一隻蝸牛嗎？蝸牛可以做到的，我也可以做到。牠知道努力便能跨過一切障礙，不用理會別人目光。而我為何仍在這裏後悔著，停滯不前，我決定要超越牠。牠能成功，我也可以，我絕對不能比蝸牛差，我內心為自己打氣。

即使這次失敗了，也不代表前程盡毀，年輕就是本錢，失敗了可以再來過，只要自己不放棄，也可以打敗一切困難，最終達到成功。我抱著這種鬥志，在一年裡不斷學習，改善自己學習的不足，為求能在一年後實踐到自己的目標。一年後，我懷著重遊舊地的心情踏進試場。我把全部時間投進學習中，加強入大學的決心。不理會身邊的同學玩樂的聚會，我執起筆，開始在紙上書寫，與往年的感覺不同了，不再有壓力及緊張的情緒。

一轉眼，數月後，我拆開信封，那薄如蟬翼的成績單映入眸中。我欣喜若狂，再次淚灑滿面，情況與一年前不同，淚水代表高興及激

動。一年的努力，沒有白費。我感激蝸牛，沒有牠那年的奮鬥，也許我仍活在無盡後悔的深淵中。沒有蝸牛，也不能令我有鬥志，尋找另一個方法去達到成功。二十八分的佳績足夠令我進入大學，讀到心儀的科目。

我相信，只要有鬥志，任何事也能成功。不要害怕面對困難，因鬥志能令你戰勝一切。正所謂「世上無難事，只怕有心人」，相信自己一定能完成，困難也能迎刃而解。

對不起，我錯了

6D 鄒卓熙

「樂仁！樂仁！給你看看我在這個假期拍下的旅行照片！」一心興高采烈地向我奔過來，手裡拿著一本厚厚的相冊。相冊的封面是一心一家人：他與爸爸和媽媽的合照，在海邊的夕陽下，微微蕩漾的海水被照射得無比閃亮，與這一家人的笑容融為一體，似乎在照片定格的那一刻，整個世界都屬於他們。

是啊！我沉默了！為什麼我沒有這樣美好的家庭？上天對我太不公平！我從小到大，竟沒有存在如此溫暖的瞬間，從來沒有！我是一個特別不幸的人，媽媽在我出生的那一刻已辭別了這塵世，與我沒有說過一句訣別的話。我成長的記憶中，並沒有媽媽的一席，不是模糊，是一點兒也沒有。相比別人和諧快樂的一家，我想我是悲哀的。

「爸！我想去臺灣。一心一家人假期去旅行很開心，我也想出去玩玩。」回到家中，我向爸爸訴說了這一請求。爸爸聽了我的話，之後愕然地望着我，放下手頭上的工作對我說：「你不是已經開學了嗎？怎麼可以去旅行？」接獲被否決的訊號後，我心中生了一絲不爽：「反正我的學業這麼差，沒有什麼關係，你別管我！只要給我錢就行。」爸爸臉色如演活變臉戲劇般，眨眼間就充滿了憤怒：「我說不行就是不行，你是學生，本就應該以學業為重，不要整天異想天開！」我的怒氣也瞬間湧上心頭，「我——」。「叮——，叮——」爸爸的手機響起了，很明顯公司又有事情找他，他又要走了。

一直以來都是如此，爸爸只愛自己的工作，絲毫沒有體會過我的感受，我多麼渴望遠在天國的媽媽能來陪伴我，哪怕只是一會兒，一會兒也好。

我平躺在床上，呈一個「大」字型，大約如魯迅的《朝花夕拾》

裡的長媽媽一般，腦袋因為方才吵架變得空空的。房間只有我一個人，四周圍靜得可怕，在這一刻我身上所有的細胞都停止新陳代謝。就在電光火石之間、在千鈞一髮之際，我想到一個可以去臺灣旅行的方法——偷錢。既然我已經「萬事俱備，只等待錢」，不如一了百了，遠走高飛，那時我身在臺灣也沒有可以立刻回家，真是一個絕妙的方法！我如同吃了興奮劑般從床上站了起來，漸漸走近爸爸的臥室。

我蹣手蹣腳地潛進爸爸的房間，小心翼翼翻動各個可能有「寶藏」的角落，如同偵探搜索犯罪現場般一絲不苟。可令人失望的是我沒有找到我想要的，只是在床底發現一本相冊。與一心跟我分享的不同，它似是穿著一套原木色的西裝，跟色彩繽紛比起來更像一個簡樸的「紳士」。翻開厚重的封面，映入眼簾的是一對新婚夫婦，在海灘奔跑的瞬間。我認得出照片中的男士就是爸爸，那另一個人，無可否認便是母親。我心中的那份孤獨感、寂寞感如雨後春筍般瘋狂生長，暗暗作痛。當我繼續翻閱，翻到相冊的另外一個主題，頓時令我震驚不已——我的成長史。一張張陳舊的照片，記錄了我從一周歲開始慢慢長大，一直到我小學畢業，像電影自動播放一樣，在我的腦海中按了播放鍵。看完所有照片，合上相冊的我眼角泛起了淚光，不為別的，是為了在我的「成長史」上不斷重複出現的另一個人，也就是爸爸。我一直覺得我的遭遇十分悲慘，沒有嘗到絲毫的母愛，是多麼可憐。可是我卻忽視了一路陪伴我成長的父親，越是長大，就越是疏遠。父愛如山，母愛如水，故有所不同。雖然爸爸彌補不了我缺少的母愛，但他卻用時間來陪伴我，並給我最大的關懷。此刻我才明白，我絕非沒有家的孤兒，我還有一個默默用他那埋在心底的愛陪伴着我的父親。隨著自己不斷成長，也開始不斷向父親作出無理的苛索，但卻沒有說過一句謝謝。

我像失了魂似的，依舊平躺在諾大的床上，但腦海中浮過的，眼前所呈現的，竟是父親的模樣。我感覺第一次與他這麼接近，溫柔的時光滑過他的身軀，將那烏黑的頭髮渲染上一抹白色；不饒人的歲月吹過他的臉頰，帶走了年華，留下的是滄桑的痕跡。我知道，那些

「痕跡」都是為我而生。我缺少的母愛，是無法選擇的。但是在我眼前的這份濃重的父愛，亦是我必須珍惜的。

有那麼一刻，我突然想抱住我的這座「山」，我心中的這座「山」。我想對他說，我再也不要什麼快樂，我只要你的陪伴，直到你老去……

對不起，我錯了。

牆

6C 劉昭君

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沿着村頭麵店方向走着，經過冬日裏水面會結起薄霜的池塘，轉右走上十來步，再穿過一片稀疏的竹林，便能看見一面爬滿藤蔓、雜草叢生的紅磚牆—那是我爺爺故居的圍牆。其實若準確地說，那並不是一堵紅磚牆，不過是日久失修，表面的水泥脫落，露出原本的模樣罷了。

「我小時候看到的牆，可不是這樣的啊！」我禁不住在這雪地裏發出一聲感嘆，一大團白色的霧氣連忙從我的嘴巴中噴出，生怕我不知道身處寒冷的天氣般。

牆前面的雪地絲毫未被玷污過，我在上面踏上這個寒冬的第一個足印，手上開始拔下牆頭上的野草，開始憶起我的童年。

在我七、八歲時，爺爺仍在世，過年或過節時，最愛的便是到爺爺家了。門口的牆上總是貼着爺爺親手寫下的對聯和揮春，或是爺爺手繪的年畫；在牆的上頭，也與別家的不同，沒有尖尖的倒刺和玻璃渣子，而是栽滿了鮮花。在牆的裡頭，是溫馨的三世同堂畫面，爺爺膝下四個子女，在我幼時，每逢過年，大家都相聚到爺爺家過年，好不熱鬧。大人們有的圍着一圈搓麻將，大嬸和我媽媽在廚房裡忙着年夜飯，我和堂兄妹打鬧着，伴着年夜飯的香味聽着爺爺講故事……

「我跟你們說吶……這牆，可不簡單……」爺爺捋了捋花白的鬍子，笑咪咪地說。

「怎麼不簡單呢？不就是一堵牆嗎？」我們一群孫子孫女圍著爺爺追問。

「呵呵呵，當年我和你奶奶都是城裏的知識分子，被趕到鄉下來幹農活了，便一磚一瓦的建起了這個家，後來啊，村裏面帶著紅袖章

的人說我和奶奶『成分不好』，不由分說的便把這牆推倒了。那時候你奶奶肩上還背著你們二姑，肚子裡懷著你們三叔，手裡牽著你們大叔呢！」這時爺爺擰了擰我的鼻子說，「你的爸爸還不知道在哪兒呢，哈哈！」爺爺又接著說：「可這牆倒了，又怎麼樣呢？最牢靠的牆，在我們的心裏，那是一堵名叫『家』的牆啊！我和你奶奶拖著幾口子，在村裡到處借磚塊，最後又是一磚一瓦的，把這牆蓋起來了！你們瞧啊，這磚塊穩疊起來的形狀，像不像攜手的一家子？」

正當我們聽故事入迷時，大嬸一聲宏亮的「開飯了！」把我們都喚過去了。

這時候的牆，是一堵名為「家」的牆，每一名家庭成員就是一塊磚瓦，我們緊緊地抱在一起，好不溫暖。

「嘶！」我忍不住驚叫一聲，正在拔牆頭草的我被某條不知名的藤蔓上的刺割傷了，鮮血滴在雪地上，痛感瞬間將我從溫暖的回憶裡抽回現實當中，我不得不面對，往日那堵高大穩固的牆，已成頹垣敗瓦。

是什麼時候開始，這堵曾名為「家」的牆，變成了大家的「心牆」呢？前年爺爺去世，在他彌留之際，家中的大人們仍在他的床邊爭論著遺產分配，我坐在床邊看著爺爺，臉上除了病痛帶來的虛弱外，眼神如死灰一般，凝視著為遺產撕破臉皮的子女，再也不是往日裡說故事時，眼裏冒著星辰與火花的爺爺。

爺爺去世了，家裏的房屋和財產被爭奪得四分五裂，故居裡值錢的紅木椅子和首飾，也被大叔二嬸們瓜分了。最後爺爺的故居裡變得空落落的，牆裡也再也不會傳來天倫之樂的歡笑聲和飯香，牆上也再沒有鮮豔的年畫，取而代之的只是苔蘚和一牆藤蔓，家裏的大人也如約定般再沒到訪故居，不知是羞愧還是忘記了。

爺爺故居的這堵牆，已不再如以往光榮，磚瓦也鬆乎乎的，搖搖欲墜的樣子，如我們家人的關係一般。這堵牆，已成了我們家族間的「心牆」！隔絕了我們的交流，也鎖住了大人們骯髒的糾紛，更埋葬了往日一家溫馨的時光。

這時，雪地遠處傳來「嚓嚓」的腳步聲，我抬頭一看，竟時多年不見的堂兄！我和他之間已不如幼年時親暱，有些尷尬地點了點頭。

「你……你怎麼來了？」我問道。

「想念了啊……一家人在一起的時光。」他看了看我手中的雜草，「我也來幫忙吧！我還拿了油漆桶來補牆。」

「嗯！」我紅著臉回應道。

一起收拾牆壁時，我與堂兄聊了不少，這時，太陽出來了，牆頭的秋雪被曬得融化，那一刻，我覺得我們家的這堵心牆，似乎在一點一點地融化……

我和堂兄拿起電話，一個個地撥起了其他兄弟姊妹的電話號碼，我們相信，這道心牆必定能迎著冬日的陽光被曬得融化，而那堵名為「家」的牆，將在不遠的春回大地之際，一磚一瓦地再次疊起！最堅固的親情之牆將築在我們心中！

自此之後，我終於學會堅定不移

6D 陳潔清

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看着桌上舊舊的而又被擠壓得變了形的顏料管子和因多番使用而分岔毛躁的尼龍畫筆，我不禁又再回想起在中學時期那令我一生銘記的教訓，如果不是那次的經歷，我想我現在還是無力地待在乏味忙碌的寫字樓內，空有一副軀殼，而那雙手只機械地在停留在鍵盤上，而不是拿著五彩繽紛的畫盤，在那潔白無瑕的白紙上添上有力的一筆。

「一心！你想好要選什麼科目了嗎？」，鄰桌的同學把整個身子側向我，企圖看清我在選科意向表的選項，然而我亦未有阻擋，因為她亦無法從那空白的表格上知道我的意向。

「嗯，我還在考慮……」猶豫不決的語氣和那被我敲擊不定的筆桿，已顯示出我對此還有許多顧慮。良久，我緊握手上的墨水筆在「視藝科」和「生物科」的選項上搖擺不定，同桌似乎看到這一幕，她臉上露出了一絲驚訝，其後又說道：「不是吧？你想選視藝科？你有想過就業嗎？理科才能賺錢，才能成功啊！」其後她又帶着鄙視的眼光瞥了我一眼，眼神中充滿懷疑。聽到她這番話，本來在表格上準備打勾的手亦徒然停下來，心中的那股決心亦被這冷言冷語激起一片思想爭鬥，我想不出一句話去反駁她。

「一心，你想清楚了嗎？」看着母親不悅的神色，我只能暗暗地低下頭來，她顯然對我的決定不甚滿意，握着表格的手亦有些顫抖，眉頭緊皺在一起，嘴角下垂不見平日的親和。

「我是為你好，你想想就業，你想想社會……」一大堆理論朝我頭上砸來，我本來的一絲堅定已經被母親的苦口婆心，好言相向打擊得蕩然無存，我開始懷疑自己的決定，是我太幼稚了嗎？是我欠缺長遠考慮嗎？不論是同學，甚至至親，都對我的決定作出質疑，難道我的志向就如此不堪和一文不值嗎？自我懷疑佔據了我的頭腦，可是這

並不重要了，我懦弱的性格注定要隨波逐流，複製前人成功的道路，可能是對我的優柔寡斷的性格來說，是最快捷的道路吧！我不甘又無力地做了與自己志向截然相反的選擇，在那表格上填上違心的「別號」。

看著測驗卷上天飛的紅色原子筆痕跡，我的眼神變得黯然無光，看著卷子上亂填一通的答題和「憑運氣」決定的選擇題，此刻我才清楚知道這條道路不是我所期望的，強迫自己去模仿他人的成功根本就是完全錯誤的決定。我對一開始的猶豫不決感到後悔，仿如墮入無盡的深淵，在那狹窄的縫隙中掙扎求存，看著他人對科目的熱誠而奮鬥，鼻子一陣酸楚便湧上來，這刻後悔和憤恨交織，如果那刻我堅定立場，我也是辛苦卻又樂在其中的一員。

回到家中，我像一條脫水的魚攤在床上，我想那時的我就如同在屠宰場等待被宰割的動物一般，不安卻又無能為力。我把頭轉向書櫃，攝入眼中的是一幅幅用色鮮豔又充滿活力的畫作，那些是初中的畫作，那時的技巧生疏和生硬，但我卻從中看到了無拘無束的自在和快樂，想起過往的種種，一股不甘湧上心頭，多少次夜裏我埋首苦幹只為力求完美，多少次我又為興趣關門練習？我頓時醒悟，沒錯！我要堅守自己的夢想，我的人生該由我自己決定，機會應由自己把握，別人的流言蜚語哪能阻擋我？我決心要抬起繪畫的那股熱誠和堅定。

我抄起那擺放在抽屜深處的畫具，我要向對我抱有懷疑的人證明我的堅定！我不會輕易被打敗，我要捉緊任何練習的時間、參與各項比賽的機會和珍惜他人的點評。縱使中間有再多親友對我提出質疑，我都只是一笑而過，因為我知道這只是為我的康莊大道鋪路，現在他人的冷言相向我都虛心接受，因為我已經受過一次深刻的教訓，是對我的歷練，只有堅定不移才會帶我邁向成功之路。

很多人在面對選擇時總是猶豫不決，而這群人不是無法作出決定，而是在意他人的目光、害怕質疑、害怕別人取笑、害怕困難，於是當他人一句的無心之言，可能就會搖擺不定，為討好世俗的眼光而向現實妥協，可是這樣真的會快樂嗎？違背自己的志向只是減少了他

人的質問，取而代之的是更為令人感到不安的自我懷疑和掙扎，你會開始悔恨，悔恨自己當初為什麼不跟隨自己的心意，但後悔又有何用，只能吸取經驗，在面對更多的人生選擇題中堅定自己的意向，即使這條道路不順利甚至是被大石塵土封絕的道路，至少沿途的披荊斬棘會成為你寶貴的經驗，成為你成功的墊腳石。

世上的人數以億計，但每個人都有獨立的思想，任何一個決定並沒有既定的答案，只有堅守立場才能令你人生無悔。有人喜歡花兒的豔麗五彩，有人鍾情於小草的不屈不撓，亦有人欣賞湖水的平淡靜謐，每個人立場思想不同，無分對和錯，只有堅定才能令我樂得自在。

這一次的經歷令我明白了很多，看著快要乾涸的顏料，我趕緊用水塗抹開讓它不止於硬化風乾，我又不禁對眼前的一切會心微笑，這一切是我堅定的結果，自此之後，我終於學會堅定不移。



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MY MOST RESPECTABLE TEACHER IN PRIMARY SCHOOL

1A Sendy Lei

My most respectable teacher in primary school is Miss Kwok. She is a kind teacher. She is usually nice to students.

One day, I forgot to bring my umbrella and the weather was rainy. I felt so sad. Luckily, Miss Kwok gave me an umbrella so that I could go home. Also, sometimes I didn't know how to do my homework. Miss Kwok always taught me how to do it. I like her so much and I miss her too!

I will go back to my primary school and see my teacher Miss Kwok! Miss Kwok is my most respectable teacher in primary school. Miss Kwok, thank you so much!

A DIARY ENTRY

1A So Yu Hin

Saturday 15th October

Today I spent my time with my new friend Justin. His family recently moved here from Australia. His Chinese is not good so we chatted in English. We can communicate with each other very well. He's a little taller than me. He is handsome and he wears glasses.

I met Justin at Shatin MTR station in the morning. After meeting him, my sister, Yoyo joined us. First, we went to New Town Plaza for breakfast. We ate fast food at McDonald's. Both of us love to eat its hamburgers. After the meal, we went to a shop, which sold computers, machines, mobile phones, DVDs and video games. We stayed in the shop for a few minutes. We bought a DVD. That was a cartoon called Minions.

In the afternoon, Justin, Yoyo and I went to my home. My mother cooked a meal for us. It was a very delicious! After lunch, we watched a funny DVD called Minions. It was very funny!

When the movie was going to end, it was already evening. I took Justin back to his home because he has just come to Hong Kong for a month. He does not remember the way back home. He needed to walk more to remember it.

Today, I really enjoyed the time with Justin. I hope I can go to his home to play for a while next time.

MY SUNDAY

1B Chau Tsz Nga

Last Sunday, I got up at 9 o'clock in the morning. After brushing my teeth and washing my face, I had breakfast in the sitting-room. My mum made delicious breakfast for me. I had some sausages, sandwiches and a glass of milk for breakfast.

After breakfast, I sat on the sofa to watch TV with my mum. My dad sat on his chair to read newspapers.

At noon, we went to church. After that, we went to a nearby park to play. It was in Sha Tin. We played hide-and-seek. There were lots of flowers and trees in the park. The flowers were so beautiful that we took lots of photos of them. We also saw the sunset in the park and we left in the evening.

I had a wonderful time that day because I could play with my parents and see many beautiful flowers.

MY MOST RESPECTABLE TEACHER IN PRIMARY SCHOOL

1B Chau Tsz Nga, Jenna

My most respectable teacher in primary school was Mr. Chan. When I was in primary school, he taught me P.E. and he also trained me in the Volleyball Team. He was very nice and hardworking.

He was my most respectable teacher in primary school because he taught me lots of volleyball skills. My classmates and I won in the Inter-school Volleyball Competition because of him.

I still keep in contact with him and I visit him in my primary school every week.

MY MOST RESPECTABLE TEACHER IN PRIMARY SCHOOL

1B Chen Wai Sze, Betty

Miss Poon is my most respectable teacher. She has a round face. She has short, wavy hair. She works in Chi Hong Primary School.

She taught me Chinese and was my class teacher. She is very nice.

Although we often made her angry, she was always nice to us. Once, I was sick and could not go to school. When I was back to school the next day, Miss Poon patiently helped me to learn the lessons that I missed the previous day. I want to say “Thank You” to Miss Poon.

MY MOST RESPECTABLE TEACHER IN PRIMARY SCHOOL

1B Ngai Tsz Wing, Michelle

My most respectable teacher is Miss Lin. She is very gentle. I like her very much. Miss Lin taught me so many things. I am still very grateful to her! Miss Lin has long hair and she is very thin. She helped my classmates and me all the time. We all like Miss Lin.

When I was in Primary 4, I gave her a Christmas card. Miss Lin was very happy, so, I gave her Christmas cards when I was in Primary 5 and Primary 6. Although I am in secondary school now, I sometimes think of Miss Lin.

I want to thank Miss Lin for teaching me!

A DIARY ENTRY

1C Coey Tsui

Today, our school held a Fitness Day, I learnt how to stay healthy. I did a lot of exercise. I enjoyed it very much.

First, we listened to a talk about healthy eating in the classroom. Our class teacher told us that we should choose healthy food, for example, vegetables and light snacks. We shouldn't choose unhealthy food, for example, oily food and fast food.

Next, we made some healthy snacks in the Home Economics room. Our Home Economics teacher taught us how to make salad and sandwiches.

Before lunch, we played basketball. It was a competition. We won and felt very tired. However, it was a healthy activity.

In the afternoon, we went swimming in Jockey Club Shatin Swimming Pool with my classmates. I swam for 2 hours. I felt tired after swimming.

I enjoyed the Fitness Day because I had a wonderful time. I want to have a Fitness Day every year because doing exercise is good for our health.

MY NEW FRIEND

1D Athena Chiu

My name is Athena Chiu. I am a Form One student. My new school is Buddhist Kok Kwong Secondary School. My new friend is Jim Moon Yi. She has black hair, a small face, big black eyes, a small nose and a small mouth. She is thin and tall. She is often tired because she does not sleep at night!

Her favourite colour is black. She has a black bag. She likes spaghetti. She likes dogs. She likes playing basketball. On Saturdays and Sundays, she usually plays and listens to music.

At school, she is good at PE. She often gets over 75 marks in tests but she is not good at English. At recess, she likes going to the tuck shop. After lunch, she likes going to the playground. After school, she likes playing with me. I usually play basketball with her.

I want to be her friend because she is a good girl.

Lost years are worse than lost dollars.



THE BEST SHOPPING CENTRE IN SHATIN - NEW TOWN PLAZA

2B Mak Wing Yan

New Town Plaza- a good shopping centre! There is always something for everyone!

In New Town Plaza, you can buy a lot of things. The shops sell lots of different things, for example, clothes, shoes and stationery. There are some food stores like KFC and McDonald's. On the second floor, there is a piece of grassland, on which there are many tents. We can go inside and take photos there. It is very beautiful!

Some of the shops will give discounts and things are on sale regularly. Sometimes, there are lucky draws. If you are lucky enough, you will win a big gift. The biggest one recently is a flight to South Korea! A music show will be held on 18th October. Some teens play Mozart's works. Come and watch it. It will be amazing!

New Town Plaza is easily accessible by MTR, bus and taxi.



E-MAIL OF REPLY - ARTS ACTIVITY AND CENTRAL WALKING TOUR

2B Zenith Yau

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Dear Jo,

I am so excited and happy that you are coming to Hong Kong. I haven't seen you in 10 years! I miss you very much. I almost forgot how you look like. I hope that you can get a job in Hong Kong.

I think Art Jamming is better for you because no art skills are required for this activity. Just walk into the studio, grab a paintbrush and have fun creating your masterpiece! This is in Picasso Art Studio and the studio opening hours are 1-9 pm every day. I think we can go in the afternoon.

We can also go on the Central Walking Tour. First, it will bring us to St John's Cathedral, one of the oldest churches in Hong Kong and it was built in the shape of a cross with an impressive bell tower. Next, we will go to Central Police Station, one of the most famous historic buildings in Hong Kong with a mixture of western and Chinese building styles. Finally, the tour will bring us to the art galleries on Hollywood Road. We'll see modern art and Chinese antiques such as furniture and jewellery. The time of the tour is from 10 am to 12.15 pm. The dates are 18th-29th August.

I look forward to meeting you in August and wish you good luck in your interview.

See you soon!

Chris

WSW PLAZA – A ONE-STOP SHOPPING EXPERIENCE!

2C Ma Loi

You can find a wide variety of shops in WSW Plaza. WSW Plaza is the largest shopping center in Fo Tan. With over 200 shops and over 20 restaurants, it has something for everyone!

Conveniently located above the Fo Tan MTR station, WSW Plaza has a wide variety of shops from electronics shops, shoes shops, clothes shops, sports shops, cosmetics shops, drinks shops, restaurants and more. You can find different brands such as Apple Store, Nike, Bobbi Brown, Starbucks and Ruby Tuesday. You can enjoy the latest film at G Floor Cinema.

The highlight of WSW Plaza is Doraemon's World. This is an outdoor playground. You can take photos with Doraemon and his friends. There's also an ice-skating rink on the fourth floor. You can enjoy ice-skating time there.

We are holding a pop concert in the Sky Art Square on the ground floor. We have invited hip hop music performers such as 'Bridge' and 'Hot Dog'.

Take the MTR East Rail line to Fo Tan station. Then take the exit to the Palazzo and turn right to go to WSW Plaza.

ARTS FOR ALL

2C Li Wai Kwan, Tina

The Shatin Schools Arts Festival was held on 5-9 November in Shatin Town Hall. There were a variety of activities such as photography exhibition, drama show, pottery workshop and picture display. Many Shatin schools, including our school, took part in this event.

I went there with my family on 7 November. There were many people in the Town Hall so it was very crowded. I saw the dancing show, pictures in the art gallery and photography exhibition. I also listened to the folk music performance. Of all the arts, I like the photography exhibition most. I saw the beautiful scenery on the photos and learned some photography techniques so that I can help my family and friends take some nice photos. Moreover, I like folk music because I like singing and the song lyrics were mostly well-written.

After the event, I got to know different styles of painting and photography techniques. My family and I had a great time and I was inspired in knowing more about arts. I will join the Arts festival again next year.

*One minute on the stage takes ten
years of practice off stage.*



WILL THE INTERNET BENEFIT YOUNG PEOPLE IN THE FUTURE?

3A Chow Chi Wo, Jimmy (2016-2017)

Yes, I believe the Internet will benefit young people in the future. The Internet has a lot of information that can help with learning. So I think it will benefit young people.

To begin with, the Internet makes it easier to do research for school projects. Information can be easily found on the web by using search engines such as Yahoo or Google. Also, school projects often require computers to do.

In addition, the Internet is useful for learning a foreign language by using translation tools such as Google Translate. Students in Hong Kong have to learn English, and the Internet can help them in their learning.

Lastly, the Internet can help young people to make friends overseas and they don't even have to go overseas. By communicating with friends overseas, it can help young people to improve their English and learn about other countries' cultures.

To conclude, I think the web is going to benefit young people. We can find a lot of useful information on the Internet that help young people in their school work. In the future, we will need the Internet. Shouldn't we accept the Internet instead of rejecting it and stopping young people from using it?

WILL THE INTERNET BENEFIT YOUNG PEOPLE IN THE FUTURE?

3A Fu Yu Lung, Ken (2016-2017)

Nowadays, the Internet is more and more common in our daily lives. Besides the people in extremely poor countries, everyone is using the Internet. However, is it really good for young people? I think not.

Firstly, I think the biggest problem of the Internet, is that it will cause young people to get addicted. These days, a lot of students are already addicted—after school, they cannot stop themselves from turning on the computer or smart phones to play online games and chat with friends. If this problem continues, what will happen to these young people in the future?

Secondly, everyone knows we can meet new friends through the Internet. However, we cannot see the real people we are talking to on the Internet, so we cannot be sure if they are good people or not. As a result, we can easily meet dangerous people online—they can cheat us of money or more. In addition, they may also be a bad influence on us.

Lastly, the Internet will negatively affect the relationship between teenagers and their parents. When they are having dinner together, some teenagers just look at their smart phones to chat with friends or go online and ignore their parents.

To conclude, I think the Internet will negatively affect teenagers.

LETTER OF ADVICE

3A Tam Hin Siu, Joe

Dear Connie,

Thank you for your letter. I feel so sorry to hear about your problems. Here's some advice for you. I hope I can help you.

First, you said that you can't stop yourself from snacking. If I were you, I would stop buying junk food because junk food contains very little nutrition. Also, I would eat healthier food instead of junk food for snacks if I were you. For example, eat fruit like bananas and strawberries, or nuts instead of chocolate and chips. Then, you shouldn't eat so much snacks. You should eat snacks only after doing exercise. Also, you should sleep early so that you will have more energy to do anything.

Next, your father wants you to play team sports with others, but you don't like playing with others. I think you should get to know more friends in school. So if you don't want to play team sports with strangers, you can play with your friends. If your friends don't play team sports, or you are shy, you can do individual sports, such as swimming, jogging or skating. Then you should tell that to your father. I think your father will understand you. In this way, you can also do sports, but only by yourself.

I hope I can help you to solve your problems. If you have any other problems, you can send another letter to me.

Best wishes,
Joe Tam

WHEN YOUR DREAM CAME TRUE

3B Helen Chan

Paul loved browsing Youtube very much. He visited this website every day. He usually watched music videos on it. One night, Paul was watching videos online as usual. He clicked into a video that said everyone could be a Youtuber just liked him. Paul was interested.

Suddenly, Paul's mother came and asked Paul whether he had tidied his room yet. Paul did not answer as he started to see his own face on the website. Just one second later, Paul disappeared and became one of the Youtubers on Youtube. Everyone could see Paul and hear what he said. Paul felt speechless.

He could not leave the supervision of every Youtube users. Every moment and speech were being recorded. Paul started to feel nervous. He tried to seek help from his mother. However, it did not work.

He tried every way to leave this screen and go back to his normal life but all attempts had failed. He had to live in the screen forever...

LETTER OF ADVICE

3B Michelle Zhang

Dear Connie,

I'm very happy to hear from you. I feel so sorry to hear about your problems and hope my suggestions can help you.

I know you're a F.3 student. You said that you were feeling unhappy about being overweight because you had been eating a lot of junk food. Also, you can't stop yourself from snacking. Let me give you some advice. I think you shouldn't eat too much junk food. Eating too much junk food is bad for your health and will make you fatter and fatter. Of course, if you eat a little, I think it's okay. You have to learn to control yourself when you want to eat snacks.

Secondly, you said that your dad thought you needed to do more exercise and wanted you to join a sports team but you were not good at team sports at all. First of all, you have to understand your father. He wants you to grow up healthily. As you are not good at team sports, you can choose other sports. For example, you can choose swimming and running. You can keep running in the park every morning. That's good for your health.

I hope the above suggestions are useful to you. Don't forget to eat more fruit and vegetables! If you still have any problems and need my help, do write to me again.

Ms Lam

GIVING ADVICE TO KELLY

3C Lau Tin Chi

Dear Kelly,

Thank you very much for your letter. I'm sorry to learn that you're having some very difficult problems, but I hope I can help you. I think I can offer you some advice about how to deal with these problems.

You said that a boy in your class told you that he loved you. I suggest you just say 'NO' to him. You need to say it clearly, so that he won't think he has a chance to be your lover. It's better for both of you. You don't have to feel anxious when seeing him anymore.

You said that you had money issues. You found that \$400 of pocket money a week is too little for you. Actually, I think you should spend less money. Try not to buy too many clothes or shoes. You could try keeping a record of all the things you have bought.

You said that you did not do well at school. Maybe you can join some tutorial classes after school. Extra lessons will surely help you.

Don't worry, Kelly. Things will get better. I hope my advice is helpful to you.

Take care!

Aunt Agony

MY SPARE TIME

3D Cheung Yuk Ki

I have plenty of free time. I am usually quite free at weekends and I have about six hours of spare time every week.

I like swimming in my free time. It is my hobby and I can keep fit through swimming. I started learning this sport five years ago. My friend usually swims with me in Sha Tin Jockey Club Swimming Pool. We usually swim for two hours. After swimming, we often have lunch in a restaurant together. Then, we go home.

I also like playing mobile phone games. It is interesting to play mobile phone games and it is a good way for me to relax myself. I play twice a week. I do not play with other people. I prefer playing alone. I usually play for one hour each time and I play after I finish my homework. Although some people may say that spending too much time on mobile phone games can affect our studies, I can manage to strike a balance between studying and playing mobile phone games.

I really like swimming and playing mobile phone games. It is crucial for everyone to develop their interests and hobbies in order to make good use of their spare time.

*The longest journey begins with the
first step.*



AN ARTICLE FOR THE SCHOOL MAGAZINE

4A Crystal Chiu

I think drama is more fun than other subjects. Moreover, it is educational. The benefits of learning drama are polishing our speaking skills and gaining self-confidence, as well as helping us deal with different situations in our lives.

Speaking and communication skills are important. It is because we must talk with others in our daily life. There are three aspects of good speaking skills and effective communication. Firstly, we need to have eye contact and body language to express our ideas. Secondly, we should be aware of our volume and speak loud enough. Also, we should make sure that our pronunciation is correct to help the audience understand the drama. During rehearsals, actors and actresses polish their speaking skills by learning their own lines and doing role play with others because practise makes perfect.

Moreover, drama helps us gain more confidence. If you are a shy person, drama activities, rehearsals and performances help you gain confidence. Once you are used to acting on stage, you will not be shy like before. People practise a lot in drama groups so they gain more confidence. Getting used to speaking in front of other people and overcoming your fears are advantages too.

In addition, drama helps us develop the ability to deal with different situations. There are different types of situations in the real life such as job interviews, doing projects with classmates, having meetings and making phone calls. By taking parts in characters and scripts, we need to experience the different situations and learn how to deal with them by ourselves.

Last but not least, drama involves teamwork, it can help us make new friends and learn the how to work with others.

Learning English through drama has many benefits, including enhanced speaking skills and confidence, learning how to deal with situations and making friends. Join the Drama Club – you won't regret it!

AN EMAIL GIVING ADVICE TO A FRIEND

4B Lau Ka Pak

Good Essays

Dear Peter,

I had the same feeling last year when my parents started working night shifts. Since I was alone, no one played with me. I always felt bored at home until one of my friends introduced me to the Youth Club.

It is an activities club for young people. He told me that there are different activities I can do there, and I can also hang out with the people there too! I really like the club, so I always go to the club after school.

The people there are young. To join the club, you need to be 12-18 years old. The young people there usually play TV games, sing karaoke, dance and do a bunch of activities together! Plus, you can learn new skills, such as cooking, repairing home appliances, writing apps or creating games. They also do volunteer work for some old people or poor people. They visit them and talk with them to make them feel happy.

You get benefits at the Youth Club too! You can meet new people and you can also make new friends! What's more, you will gain self-satisfaction because if you hang out with people more often, you can learn new things.

Peter, can you come with me next week to the Youth Club?

Yours
John

WHEN DAVID MET AMY

4B Cheuk Hoi Chak, Edwin

David fell in love with Amy the first day he saw her. One day, David was brave enough to ask his dream girl a question. He asked, ‘Amy, would you like to go to the cinema with me this Saturday?’ ‘Yes, I’d love to,’ Amy replied.

Amy wanted to look beautiful on the first date with David, so she bought some new clothes and got a new hairstyle after school. Amy spent a lot of money because getting those new clothes and the new hairstyle were very expensive.

That evening, Amy wore the new clothes and went to see David. Before she went out, Amy’s mum said, ‘Have a nice time, Amy! Don’t be late home.’ ‘Okay. Bye, mum,’ Amy answered and then she went out happily.

When David met Amy outside the cinema, David was so disappointed and scared because Amy looked very strange. Amy had very short hair and wore very trendy clothes. She was in ‘Mong Kok’ style. Amy was heart-broken to see David’s disappointment.

Finally, David comforted her and said, ‘You don’t need to buy new clothes for me. You are beautiful enough.’ Amy wanted to clarify and said, ‘I got the new look because I am so happy to see you.’ They understood each other and went on the date. They were very happy that evening.

WRITING AN INFORMAL EMAIL

4B Sze Yin Tak, Issac

Dear Charles,

Hello, how are you? Do you remember the party we had last week? I think it was very interesting since the party game was fun and the food was yummy. Today, I am very busy because I need to prepare a school musical with my classmates. How are you doing lately? Are you free? I want to invite you to my musical. I think that will be exciting!

The story I am going to perform is 'The Dance'. We will perform it on stage. It is a love story. It is about a shy and lonely girl in a ballroom. She doesn't know how to love and what to do in a dance party. I learnt this short story in English lessons. Do you know this is a well-known short story?

My part in the performance is acting. I need to be the main character. This is a hard job as I need to remember many dialogues. I feel under pressure because it's my first time to act and be the main character. I think this is a good chance for me to learn. I will do my best and enjoy the challenge.

We have been rehearsing for two weeks. I think it's quite a long time for me to have rehearsals after school. We usually spend around three to four hours to rehearse. Maybe everyone is tired...so some people argued as they had different opinion. However, I still feel very happy about the rehearsals because I like working with others.

Charles, I really need your support. I need someone to cheer me up. I will do better in this performance if you can come. You will like this show. The performance will take place next Friday at 5:30pm in the school hall. I will wait for you.

I'm really looking forward to seeing you that day. I want you to come since you are my best friend. I hope you can reply me as soon as possible if you will come because I need to get a ticket for you. See you soon!

Best wishes,
Chris

MY PET!

4C Tsang Fai Kiu

Last year, I went camping with some close friends. We set up a tent. After that we took a rest. My friends played a ball game but I wanted to take a shower because I was very dirty. So I went to the riverside. When I was ready to undress, I saw a huge egg. I was so excited that I took the egg back to the tent. I wanted to cook the egg but when I went back to the camp, I did not want to eat it. So I put it into my bag and took it home. I wanted to hatch it.

I examined the egg in my room and touched it gently. I prepared a nest for it and used a lamp to keep it warm. I played with it and slept with it. One day, while I was reading, its shell cracked and a head popped out. Then I could not help but said, “Oh! My Jesus. This is a baby crocodile!” I looked at the lovely crocodile for a while. Finally, I decided to keep it.

The crocodile grew very fast. The tub of my house couldn’t keep it anymore. Then it couldn’t swim. So I asked my daddy. He said, “You can send it to the Animal Lover’s Club. Or if you do not want to leave it, you have to win the lottery. Then you can buy a big house and let it swim in a big swimming pool.” Afterwards, I made a decision...

One day, the crocodile and I sat in front of the TV. We waited for the lottery result. It would be released very soon. Finally, we were blessed by the Lucky God. At last, I bought a big house and I swam with my crocodile in a big swimming pool.

LETTER TO A FRIEND ENCOURAGING HIM TO JOIN THE YOUTH CLUB

4C Tse Chun Kit

Hi Alex,

How are you? I've heard that you often feel lonely and bored, so I think you would really enjoy the Youth Club, an activity club in which I am an active member. I think if you join the Youth Club, you can solve your problems and get many benefits.

First, if you join the Youth Club, you will make a lot of friends because there are a lot of activities such as basketball games and singing to get the club members involved. That can let you enlarge your social circle.

Secondly, if you join this club, you will not feel bored. There are many fun activities like basketball and table tennis games. You can develop your interests and potential.

Finally, the Youth Club holds some voluntary work every week. You can do voluntary work to help those in need. Then, you can spend your time meaningfully and kill your spare time. Also, it can make you feel less bored.

I hope you can come with me to the Youth Club. How about this Saturday? Let's go there together!

Yours, John

INVITATION TO A MUSICAL

4D Fiona Ye

Dear Alex,

How are you? I haven't seen you for a long time. Did any interesting things happen in your daily life?

I want to invite you to watch a musical in my school hall at 5.30 pm next Friday. If you have spare time that day, then you must come and have a look. I am the main character, who is a little girl in the musical.

The story is set in the ancient times. It's about a little girl who is abandoned by her father in the jungle. Luckily, a wolf passes by and it brings the little girl back to its pack. Soon, the girl grows up and she always wanders around the jungle. The king of the jungle, a horrible tiger, wants to catch the little girl and make her create fire. Fire is a thing that only humans can make at that time. Therefore, the little girl needs to run away in order to save her own life. However, the tiger is chasing her all the time and even kills the leader of the wolf pack to threaten her.

As I'm the main character in the musical, I need to practice hard in my spare time. When the little girl is forced to leave her family, the wolf pack, I have to sing a sad song and use my facial expressions to show that I'm very sad, but I still need to be strong to face the challenges. At the end of the musical, we all dance happily as the evil tiger is dead.

At the first rehearsal, when we were acting the most important part in the musical, the stage lights suddenly broke and our rehearsal had to stop. As a result, we lost a precious chance of rehearsing. It's such a pity.

After hearing the things I have said above, I sincerely hope that you will come. Please contact me as early as possible, then I can arrange a good seat for you.

Best wishes!

Yours, Joe



AN UNFORGETTABLE EXPERIENCE

SB Shum Ming Ho

Last Friday, Mary and her friends went to a jewellery shop to choose a birthday present for her mother. When Mary was choosing a watch, something happened.

Three masked men came into the jewellery shop. Their behaviour was so weird. Suddenly, they took out guns and said, 'Give all the jewellery to me! If you press the alarm button or say one word, you will get killed!' Everyone, including Mary and her friends, was threatened with guns. The robbers pointed their guns at the salespersons and started to sweep the jewellery into their bags. A woman saw a silent alarm button in front of her and she plucked up the courage to press it. Fortunately, the robbers did not know that.

The robbers were ready to leave the jewellery shop. They said, 'Don't do any stupid thing or we will kill all of you!' When they opened the door, they were taken aback to find themselves surrounded by the police. One of the robbers wanted to run away, then the police shot at him and he died. The police said, 'Hands up or we will open fire on you!' The robbers were afraid. Finally, they were arrested by the police. Mary and her friend felt relieved.

Everyone in the jewellery shop was very happy. They were saved by the police. Some of them were taken to the hospital. Mary and her friends said, 'It is an unforgettable day!'

A DEBATE SPEECH

5B Kelvin Au

I totally second the motion that people are judged by the clothes they wear.

The older I get, the more I realize that society is very judgmental. But don't get me wrong. I'm not saying that everyone is, but a handful of people are. I've noticed that people are often criticized by what they wear. 'Why are they so dressed up for?' people ask, or it could be the complete opposite – 'Why are they not dressed up?' If you're dressed nicely, people judge. If you are not, people judge. You can never win. But it shouldn't have to be this way.

To start off, just because somebody dresses a certain way doesn't mean that's who they really are. For example, if someone is wearing very beautiful or designer's clothes from head to toe, that doesn't necessarily mean they have money or come from a rich background. Similarly, if a person is wearing worn-out clothes, that doesn't mean they are poor. They could have money. It's just that maybe they don't spend it on clothes.

So rather than focusing on what people are wearing, we should focus on their personal qualities more. I think there is so much more to a person than what they wear. You may not like the way a person dresses but surely you could love their personality.

My point is people have different styles and tastes when it comes to clothes. Everyone has the right to express themselves and some people do so by dressing up. Some just don't. Yes, they may have a style completely different from yours, but that doesn't mean they are any less of a person than you are. People like to dress up for themselves, not for anyone else.

So the next time you see a person wearing something you're not a fan of, just look away. You may not like it, but they surely do.

Above all, remember what our parents taught us when we were young: Don't judge a book by its cover. Thank you.

A TERRIBLE DAY

5C Li Ki Ip, David

Last week, Mary and I wanted to buy a watch in a jewellery shop because it was May's birthday. Mary and I visited different jewellery shops. When we entered one jewellery store, a salesperson showed different watches to us fervently. The shop sold different types of watches that we had not seen before, so we spent a long time choosing the perfect watch for May. However, a terrible thing happened.

Three masked men rushed into the jewellery store. They carried deadly looking firearms, including guns and rifles. The robbers pointed the guns at the staff and customers. All people in the store were very scared. We were trembling. The robbers broke the display cabinets, then they looted a lot of expensive and valuable jewellery in the shop and swept the watches into their bags. They shouted loudly to threaten us. At that moment, a salesperson was extremely brave that he quietly pressed the silent alarm button and alerted the police.

When the robbers discovered the salesperson's action and realised the police were on their way, they immediately left the jewellery store. Suddenly, I plucked up my courage to follow the robbers. I photographed the robbers with my smartphone. I discovered that a robber dropped his ID card while he was escaping. I picked up the ID card and kept it quickly.

Ten minutes later, a lot of police arrived and started the investigation. I showed the photo to the police and passed the ID card to them.

Within twenty minutes, the police told us that the robbers were caught red-handed in the park nearby. They thanked me for providing the

important information so that they could catch the robbers quickly. People at the scene applauded for me.

This incident was terrifying but unforgettable.

AN ARTICLE FOR THE SCHOOL NEWSPAPER (2012 DSE PART A)

5C Li Hiu Ying

1. The best part of my job

As a famous news reporter, I can gain other's life experiences, knowledge and critical minds in a very short time. My job has enabled me to meet many famous people. This is the best thing because if I were not a news reporter, I wouldn't even have the chance to meet them. I can listen to a lot of useful or interesting things that they have seen or met.

When I first worked in society after my secondary school, I found that no one would teach you like your school teachers. However, when I interview the famous people, they are my teachers. They are sharing with me what is happening in their lives. I have learnt so much from their experiences. I am proud to say this job has enriched my life.

2. The biggest challenge I have ever faced in my job

As a news reporter, we couldn't choose the news that we like to report, so the biggest challenge is to go to dangerous places. For example, when there is a typhoon, I still need to be responsible, report the news to the citizens and let them know the news about the weather immediately. Thus, I think it is the biggest challenge I have ever faced in my job.

3. My school days

When I first worked in society, I missed my secondary school life very much. Although there was a lot of homework, many people such as my teachers and friends cared about me. In the past, I was the weakest student in my class. However, thanks for my class teacher, Miss Chan,

who encouraged me and motivated me to work hard, my academic results became better. Meanwhile, my secondary school life became shorter. At the end, they have all become good memories. I am here to tell every secondary student to treasure your school life. It would be the best gift.

4. My future expectation

As a news reporter, I still have lot of shortcomings. Therefore, I would like to improve them and one of my plans is to learn other languages as I have to interview many foreigners. By learning other languages, it can help me understand what the foreigners are talking and thinking about much better. For me, I am interested in other languages, such as Japanese. Different pronunciation makes it more attractive and at the same time, learning other languages is also learning other cultures. It will make me more knowledgeable.

INFORMATION LEAFLET - SPORTS DAY 2017

5D Sampson Zhou

Sports Day 2017 will be held on 8 October 2017.

1. *Time and place*

9.00 am - 3.00 pm at Central public sports ground

2. *Registration and dismissal*

Registration will take place at school as normal. Buses will then take students to the sports ground. Dismissal will be at the sports ground at 3.00pm. Teachers will dismiss their own classes. Students will then make their own way home.

3. *Uniform*

Students must wear regular PE uniforms to Sports Day.

4. *Food and drinks*

Last year many students brought a lot of unhealthy food, like crisps, fatty food and fizzy drinks to the sports stadium on Sports Day. However, many students, including quite a few athletes, felt ill after snacking and lunching on them. As a result, athletes didn't perform well in their events. Because of this, junk food and fizzy drinks aren't recommended to be brought on the Sports Day.

5. *Junk food and fizzy drinks*

Junk food and fizzy drinks contain too little carbohydrates to energise your body. So you can hardly gain energy from these types of food



but feel exhausted after participating in the sports events. In addition to that, junk food and fizzy drinks are unhealthy and expensive. Most of them contain large amounts of sugar, fat and salt while none of them is healthy. For example, excessive salt can cause dehydration which will make you feel ill and tired.

6. Wholesome snacks recommended

Fresh fruit and seasonal vegetables are strongly advised as sufficient and necessary nutrients can be provided. They are definitely healthy enough to be a good choice. For instance, the minerals in the vegetables help us prevent lots of diseases so that you can get yourself prepared in a better state. As for snacks, perhaps you can bring some sandwiches, energy bars and so on. There are lots of carbohydrates which can be quickly absorbed and digested. As a result, it can replenish your energy lost and thus your sports performance can be enhanced.

Sports Day is a major school event that is a lot of fun for everyone. To ensure that it runs smoothly and that you enjoy the day, it is important that you follow the instructions and advice in this information leaflet!



*Knowledge is a treasure, but practice
is the key to it.*



LETTER TO THE EDITOR

6A Chui Wing Hong

Dear Editor,

As a regular reader of your column, I am writing to express my views on allowing the public to use the school's sports facilities during after school hours.

Different people hold different views on this issue. Some people reckon it is a good idea while some people do not agree. From my perspective, it is definitely not a good idea. I will outline my reasons in the following paragraphs.

To begin with, the public and the school sports teams will compete using the sports facilities after school. Allowing the public to use the school's sports facilities will disturb the school sports teams from practising as they have to share the equipment with the public. Very likely, the school sports teams will have fewer opportunities to use the sports equipment. In the long run, their performance in sports will turn bad and they will lose in inter-school competitions. Thus, the school image will be affected. Thereby, allowing the public to use the sports facilities is not a good idea.

Here comes my next reason – security problems. Allowing the public to use the sports facilities means there will be more outsiders at school. Some people with bad intentions may come and do something bad to the school. For instance, they may hurt students and destroy the sports equipment. They may even steal the school's equipment such as tennis rackets and computers. Some may even enter the classrooms to steal students' personal belongings such as mobile phones, schoolbags and

wallets. Hence, it can be quite dangerous to allow the public to enter the school.

Last but not least, it will increase the workload of all the staff members at school. Undoubtedly, janitors will need to spend more time on cleaning the school as some people may throw rubbish on the floor. Teachers may need to be on duty to see if there are any problems, for example, some people may not know how to use some sports facilities and the teachers will need to offer help. Nowadays, teachers are extremely busy. They have to prepare lessons, mark students' homework, not to mention that they have to perform other administrative duties. Allowing the public to use the school's sports facilities will definitely increase the workload of the staff members.

All in all, it is definitely not a feasible idea to allow the public to use the school's sports facilities after school as this will cause security problems, increase the workload of the school staff members and reduce the time of the school sports teams on using the sports facilities. I suggest that the government can consider building more sports facilities in the community rather than allowing the public to share the school's sports facilities.

Yours faithfully,
Chris Wong

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

6A Winnie To

Dear Editor,

I am writing to express my view on the parents' action of installing apps on children's mobile phones in order to monitor them.

We all agree that family relationship is of utmost importance and always valuable. Harmony depends on good communication. It is common to see that some parents in Asian countries are installing apps on their children's smart phones to ensure that they use these devices responsibly. When being asked 'whether parents should do that or not', most children will say 'they shouldn't do that.' However, I believe that it is a kind of care and concern.

There is no doubt that teenagers will complain about parents' invasion of their privacy. However, this is just a matter of perspective. From another point of view, parents are concerned about us. They want to ensure that we use mobile phones effectively and won't get addicted to the Internet. Let's take an example, some parents may also check our blogs, emails and even phone messages. All of such annoying behavior doesn't respect our private lives but their reason for doing it is because of love. We should be glad that they do so. In other words, installing apps to monitor their children can show that parents care about their kids.

One of the important reasons leading parents to install apps is internet technology. It facilitates interpersonal communication whereas we should never overlook the side effects. People always criticize the Internet as the seedbed of cyber crime. That's why parents want to monitor their children's activities. Also, the downside of cutting-edge technology is the

fact that we will grow over-dependent on it as we have adapted to our daily routines. The smart phone games cause teens to ignore their studies and they keep staying at home playing the games that may cause anti-social behavior as well. Therefore, dad and mum just don't want their kids to become highly dependent on technology.

It is reasonable to understand parents' behavior. They keep nagging at the young generation because they want to protect their kids. It's due to parents' care and we should appreciate that. It only shows that they care about their children.

When teens go back home, they surf online by locking themselves in their room. It builds a wall between families and children. Parents want to have a good relationship with their kids. That's why they install apps and want to know more about their children.

Therefore, I hope teenagers can understand what their parents do is for the sake of themselves instead.

Yours faithfully
Chris Wong, Shatin

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

6B Chan Ka Ho

Dear Editor,

In response to the letter ‘Love Should Wait’ written by P. So yesterday, I would like to express my own opinions on this issue.

Firstly, P. So mentioned that some young teenaged boys and girls hold hands and even kiss in public. I agree with him. I also think that young teenaged boys and girls do not behave well in parks and on public transport. Nowadays, many teenagers think that it is natural for lovers to hold hands and kiss in public places. However, they are not considerate towards others because their behaviour affects other people. There is no doubt that holding hands and kissing in public cause embarrassment to others. Also, if they are in school uniform, the reputation of their schools will be negatively affected. Therefore, it is unacceptable for young lovers to hold hands and kiss in public.

Secondly, P. So mentioned that young people should be concentrating on their studies instead of wasting time on romance. I completely agree with this point. I think that good academic performance is very important to teenagers, so they should not waste time on romance. They should prepare for their public exams because the exam results are very important for their future. Dating will affect their public exam results. So, young people should be concentrating on their studies instead of wasting time on romance.

Finally, I agree that parents should not allow their teenaged children to start dating before they are 18. I think that teenagers are not mature enough to handle their problems and it is easy for them to be broken-hearted. Besides, most teenagers do not know how to form a lasting relationship. As a result, parents should not allow their teenage children to start dating before they are 18.

To sum up, I think that ‘Love Should Wait’. Teenagers should not start dating too early.

Yours faithfully

T. Lam

STREET SLEEPER SUPPORT

6C Fung Lok Tin

Why Take Part?

Recently, there are many street sleepers in Hong Kong. It is because they can't afford to rent a house. Thus, they choose to live in the streets or under the bridge so that they don't need to pay any rent. Living in the streets is dangerous because they have to face a lot of problems. So it is meaningful for us to help the street sleepers by giving a scarf to them.

About the Charity Project

The charity project will be held this Saturday in our school. During the activity, our principal and the teaching staff will knit scarves. The materials for scarves will be provided by our school. So students don't need to bring anything. In addition, students can also donate some money to help street sleepers. All proceeds will go to Street Sleeper Support.

The Work of Street Sleeper Support

Street Sleeper Support is a charity in Hong Kong. Its target is helping the street sleepers. This organization always holds some activities for helping street sleepers. For example, some mats will be provided for the street sleepers to defend the cold weather in winter. Also, street sleepers from other countries would get assistance too. The money donated will be spent on helping the street sleepers in other countries.

Taking part in a charity project is a meaningful job. Don't miss out this opportunity of helping the street sleepers.

AN EMAIL TO PARENTS

6C Danica Law

Dear Mum and Dad,

How are you? I've been struggling lately with a tough decision, so I'm writing you this email to let you know about it. Please give me your support.

I'm in a dilemma. I want to take up an acting career, but I know you want me to pursue an academic subject at another institution. If I don't follow my dream, I know I'll regret it for the rest of my life. You see, I didn't grow up wanting to be a nurse, lawyer or doctor. I just want to be an actress and devote my whole life to it.

I know what your concerns are. You think it's not going to be easy taking up an acting career; the salary is not as good enough as being a professional, and it is going to be hard to maintain my livelihood. However, I would still rather be an actress because I can get job satisfaction out of it. Being a well-known actress can also get a good salary. An acting career is not as bad as you think.

Life has its good and bad sides. Every time I encounter an ill fortune, I gain more experience and knowledge to solve the problems ahead. I want to make my own way and be an actress. I hope one day you would be proud of my achievement. And the Hong Kong Academy for Performing is the place to prepare me for my acting career. I will be 18-years-old soon and desperately want to do some meaningful things in my life. For me, life is a chance for us to dare to dream. If I don't give my dream a go, I'll never know if I can be successful or not. If I lack the courage to pursue my dream, would you feel proud of me?

I'm sure you'll agree there is more than one way to be successful. Acting is the best choice for me. Everyone has their own role in the world. As a F.6 student, it's time to make my own name. I hope you'll support me and let me make my own choice.

Love
Chris

A DEBATE SPEECH

6D Li Yik Wai, White

Good morning, adjudicators, ladies and gentlemen.

It is my honor to stand here and give a speech on today's motion 'Watching TV makes us smarter'. As the captain of the affirmative side, I would like to present three arguments in favour of today's motion.

To begin with, watching TV can broaden our horizons. With globalization, TV programmes are usually produced by the cooperation of transnational corporations from different cities, different countries and different continents. For example, I am sure you have noticed that there is a fraction of K-pop stars like PSY participating in the reality shows in mainland China, Hong Kong and Japan as special guests. During the communication among host and participants from various nationalities, it is not difficult for you to appreciate the cultural diversity around the world. Moreover, travelling programmes also demonstrate the prominent scenery in the world like Yellowstone National Parks, Mount Fuji and even Antarctica. Following the TV host, we will know how the landscape was formed, who discovered it and what happened there in the past. And I bet all of you will be mesmerized by the wonder of nature around the world, which will certainly widen your horizons. Hence, it goes without saying that watching TV is beneficial to our expansion of horizons.

Apart from that, we can acquire advanced knowledge outside classroom through watching TV. When it comes to TV programmes, you may think that it is full of entertainment, sparing no effort to pursue audience ratings. However, do you know that TV programmes could be educational and inspiring? In fact, by inviting specialists in particular or professional fields like doctor, lawyer, engineer and scientist, TV

programmes could introduce their careers: what are the prerequisites of being a professional are, what they usually do, and what difficulties they may face. As such, we can gain some professional knowledge of these fields and have a better understanding of these professions, which is rare to learn in school curriculum. Thus, there is no denying that watching TV is of a great benefit to our intellectual development beyond the scope of the studies in school.

Last but not least, watching TV is conducive to our language proficiency. In this day and age, it is common to see that there is a large amount of TV series in different languages, ranging from Cantonese to Japanese. I am sure you all have a basic knowledge of English, but most of you may find it difficult to express your feelings, tell a simple joke or even greet your best friends in a native way, since you don't live in an English-speaking environment. Yet, by listening to the conversations among the characters in TV series, you will realize how easy it is to use English to communicate with your friends in daily life, because most TV series are based on real situations and the casts consist of famous stars whose mother language is English. As a result, you can master this kind of language gradually by watching the performance of native speakers, showing you how to convey messages effectively with a wide range of vocabulary and colloquial speech. Therefore, it is beyond doubt that watching TV benefits our language proficiency.

The opposition may argue that although there are a portion of unknowledgeable TV programmes, most people are more willing to watch mediocre soap operas which show nothing but cliché to the audience. Theoretically, this could be the case. However, these soap operas may enable you absorb knowledge in particular areas sometimes. For example, by watching historical TV dramas, you can perceive the full picture of some historical stories; by watching political dramas, you can have a better understanding of our legal system; by watching science fiction dramas, you can appreciate the advancement of technology. As a result,

you will learn a lot while watching TV dramas. In a word, this argument is untenable.

To wrap up, watching TV makes us smarter in a variety of aspects. By watching TV, we can widen our horizons, we can accumulate our knowledge, we can enhance our language proficiency. Therefore, today's motion must stand. Thank you.

Drama Scripts



UGLY ZOE OR BEAUTIFUL ZOE?

4A Chui Pui Wu, Xiao Yongxin, Li Ching, Poon Hiu Wa, Au Yeung Chi

Scene 1 (Classroom)

Narrator: There's a girl called Zoe. She is so ugly. No one likes to make friends with her. Worse still, many classmates like to bully her and make fun of her. Zoe is so unhappy as she has no friends. One day, when she is on her way to school, some classmates laugh at her back. Zoe looks down and feels so unhappy. When she walks to her desk, she finds that some classmates walk away...

Ling & Winnie: *(drawing on her desk)* Oh, she's back ... Ha Ha Ha

Zoe: *(looks sad)* Oh, what has happened? Who drew on my desk? My teacher will punish me if she sees it. *(No one answers her but laughs at her. Zoe cries and cleans her desk)*

Emma & Gigi: You deserve it! You're so ugly. We don't want to look at you. *(Gigi and Emma laugh and go back to their seats)*

Teacher: Good morning class, let's take out your book and start your reading. *(walks around the classroom and sees the vandalism on Zoe's desk)*

Teacher: Why did you draw on your desk?

Zoe: No, it's not me.

Teacher: So who did it?

Zoe: I don't know.

Teacher: You're a liar. I need to punish you. Go and stand in the corner. *(Other classmates laugh)*

Narrator: Zoe stands in the corner and feels unhappy.

Scene 2 (Covered Playground / Tuck shop)

Narrator: *(the bell rings)* It's recess now. Zoe goes to the tuck shop alone. She has no friends. She's thirsty so she buys a drink. When she's drinking, two classmates walk towards her.

Allen & Alex: I'm so thirsty. Oh, that ugly girl is drinking. *(Takes away her drink)*

Zoe: Hey, it's mine. Don't take it away. It's mine.

Allen & Alex: We can do anything nasty to you, you ugly girl. Ha! Ha! Ha! Don't tell the teacher. *(walk away)*

Zoe: People bully me because I'm ugly. I can't stand it anymore. Why am I not beautiful?

(End of Scene 2)

Scene 3 (Bedroom)

Narrator: At night, when Zoe is sleeping, she dreams of a fairy.

Fairy: Zoe, my dear, I know you're unhappy. Don't cry.

Zoe: Who are you? I don't know you.

Fairy: Of course, you don't know me. I'm a fairy. I can do anything for you. I can give you one wish now.

Zoe: *(looks happy)* Really? Anything? You can do anything for me?

Fairy: Sure, why not? I'm a fairy.

Zoe: I hate myself. I'm so ugly. I have no friends.

Fairy: Do you want a change?

Zoe: What change?

Fairy: Do you want to be a beauty?

Zoe: Yes, I do, but I know I can't.

Fairy: Well, I can do that for you.

Zoe: Really?

(End of Scene 3)

Scene 4 - Bathroom

Narrator: The next day, Zoe wakes up. She goes to the toilet. When she looks in the mirror, she is very surprised.

Zoe (*played by Tiffany*): Who are you? Why are you in my toilet? (Rubs her eyes) Oh, why do I look so different?

Zoe: Oh, I remember, maybe last night, the fairy... Wow, I look so beautiful now. I'm so Happy!

Narrator: When Zoe arrives at school, many strange things happen.

Emma & Gigi: Hi, Zoe, you look great today. Would you like to have lunch with me today?

Zoe: (*look surprised*) Um... ok..

Classmates 1 & 2: Great! See you at lunch time.

Classmates 3 & 4: Hi, Zoe, are you thirsty? Here, have a drink.

Zoe: (*looks surprised*) Thanks

Narrator: The classmates are so nice to Zoe but she can't get used to it. She feels happy but at the same time, she feels unhappy. She knows her classmates like her because of her beauty only. She is afraid that she will have no friends again if she turns ugly.

(End of Scene 4)

Scene 5 (Classroom)

Narrator: One day, the sky turns dark and it rains heavily. Suddenly, some zombies entered the classroom. The zombies want to attack the classmates (*Emma and Gigi*). Other classmates are scared and run away. When the zombies are about to bite them, Zoe stops them.

Zoe: Stop it! Hey, you guys are so strong (*talks to classmates 5 & 6*). Let's stop the zombies together.

Classmates 5 & 6: I'm not afraid of them. Fighting zombies is a piece of cake.

Zoe: Great, let's go.

Narrator: They defeat the zombies successfully. Emma & Gigi are saved.

(End of Scene 5)

Scene 6 (Classroom)

Emma & Gigi: (*Other classmates are around, talking to the guys and Zoe*)
Thanks for saving us. You are my hero.

Zoe: (*Smiles*) Are we friends?

Emma & Gigi: Sure, why not?

Zoe: But I want to tell you guys something.

Emma and Gigi: ok.

Zoe: I think we cannot judge someone by their appearance. We need to be sincere to our friends no matter whether they are beautiful or ugly.
Right?

Others: Right, I agree. We are friends forever. (*Hug each other*)

(End of Scene 5)

Scene 7 (Bedroom)

Narrator: That night, when Zoe is sleeping, she dreams of the fairy again.

Fairy: Hey, dear, what do you want this time?

Zoe: I want to look as I used to. I don't need to be beautiful to have true friends.

Fairy: Ok, are you sure? You may lose your new friends.

Zoe: I don't want to have friends because of my beauty only.

Fairy: Ok, I got it. *(The fairy disappears)*


Scene 8

Narrator: The next day, Zoe becomes ugly again. She goes to school. She sees Emma & Gigi
Emma & Gigi: Good morning, Zoe! Let's go to school together.

Zoe: Sure. Let's go.

Narrator: Emma & Gigi like Zoe because they know Zoe is so helpful and sincere. They are good friends. They have a lot of fun at school. Now we know that we need to be sincere to each other if we want to have good friends. That's the end of the story.

Thank you.



*Treat other people the way
you hope they will
treat you.*

IT HAPPENED IN AUSTRALIA – A LEARNING JOURNEY

(Drama Script for 1617 Speak-Out Act-Up Improvised Drama Competition)

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Drama Scripts

(A HK girl goes on a working holiday In Australia)

Characters:

Simon, wildlife park ranger

HK girl, Amy

A few animals: kangaroo, koala, wombat, emu

Scene 1

HK girl arrives at conservation centre, reports for duty.

Simon: Hello, welcome to the Australian Wildlife Conservancy. How can I help you?

Amy: Hi, This is Amy from HK. I'm reporting for duty here for my working holiday.

Simon: Oh, welcome. Nice to meet you. I'll show you to your room first.

Amy: Thank you.

Simon: Here you are. It's a room for 8, mixed dorm. Please take this lower bunk bed. You're the only one at the moment. It's our low season. Perhaps, you'd like to take a shower first and then come & help with dinner?

Amy: Sure, sure.

(Simon leaves. Amy talks to herself)

Amy: What? A dorm for 8 people? Mixed? I have my own room

back in HK! Bunk bed? God! Hard as a rock. Help with dinner? I came here to work for them & they don't even make me dinner?Why am I here? Why did mum make me come here?

(Sobbing, kicking the bed)

I'll call & tell her!!

(Tries using the phone. No signal)

OH! Not working? What? No signal? What kind of hell is this?

Scene 2

Simon: Hey! Wake up. It's 5.30 already. You're supposed to report for duty at the office at 5am. Hey, Amy!

Amy: Yes, yes. Give me 15 minutes. God! It's driving me crazy.

Simon: It's your first day of work... I'll show you what to do. I'm shaving some sheep today. Come.

Amy: Shaving the sheep. That should be great fun.

(Simon shows Amy how to shave a sheep)

Amy: Oh, that's wool? It's not a spool of thread?

Simon: Did you think the wool will turn into a sweater by itself? A lot has to be done before a sweater is made.

Amy: I see. May I try?

(Amy shaves a sheep clumsily & the sheep tries to run away.)

Sheep: Hey, lady, do you know how to shave me? That's my tail! Are you serious? You start with my tail? Now, I need to take a dump!

Amy: Oh! You pooped on my hands!

(Sweating & tired, lets the sheep go)

Simon, help! Look at me! *(holding up both hands with poo)*
It's no fun at all.

Simon: We work for a living, not for fun, kiddo. Of course, they poop. They're living animals. Go there & wash your hands.

Scene 3

Simon: Since you've been working hard today, I'll do the cooking. Maybe, you can sit on the porch & take a look at the sunset.

Amy: Oh! Thanks. I definitely need a rest.... Wow! Look at the beautiful clouds & sun! ... Hey, what's that? A kangaroo?

(Runs to the Kangaroo)

Kangaroo: Hey! You want to kill yourself? You're in my way. I'm jumping to the other side of the field.

Amy: You jump in a funny way *(Imitating how it jumps)* Are you carrying a baby with you? I've read books that you do? May I see? *(reaching out to the kangaroo's pouch)*

Kangaroo: Excuse me, lady! Stop touching me! That's harassment!

Amy: *(Really interested in the kangaroo)* And I know that you're a very good boxer. How do you fight?

Kangaroo: Like this! *(Punches her & jumps away)*

Scene 4

Simon: Are you feeling any better after yesterday's kangaroo incident?

Amy: I'm Ok.

Simon: That's good. We're going to check on the koalas today.

(They arrive at the koala enclosure)

Simon: Here we are. Don't they look cute?

(Amy jumps and waves, trying to get the koalas' attention. Koalas look up slowly and go back to sleep)

Simon: They are sleeping right now. In fact, they sleep more than 20

hours a day.

Amy: 20 hours? Are you kidding me? Then what else do they do?

Simon: Nothing much. I'm going to get some equipment, be right back.

(Amy climbs over the enclosure, goes over to pet the sleeping koalas but they ignore her.)

Koalas: G-o- a-w-a-y.

(Turns away from Amy. Simon returns)

Amy: Why do we need to conserve koalas anyway? They can't work so they're not useful,. They sleep all day and are such picky eaters.

Simon: We have a responsibility to protect all wildlife to maintain the earth's biodiversity. They are threatened and becoming extinct because of humans...

(Amy nods in understanding)

Scene 5

Amy returns home.

Mum: Welcome home darling! You've been away for a year. I miss you! How was your working holiday experience?

Amy: Fantastic. I wish I could stay longer. I learnt so much, mum. Let me go and unpack first then I'll tell you more.

Mum: Sure, pass me your laundry and I'll do it for you.

Amy: It's ok, mum. I can do it myself. I'm not a kid anymore.

Mum: *(pleasantly surprised)* Oh, alright.

THE END

Behind bad luck comes good luck.



20 YEARS HONG KONG - CRIME – SCAMS NOW AND THEN

(Drama Script for 1718 Speak-Out Act-Up Improvised Drama Competition)

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Mom, Dad, son & daughter in the living room, having breakfast. Son & daughter leaving for work.

Son: Bye... Got to run.... Late.. (*getting sth from the table & eating while leaving home*)

Daughter: Bye. Wait for me. My bus is coming, too.

Mom & dad: Bye. (*They start clearing the table*)

Mom: Hey honey. Perhaps, you could grab some eggs on your way home after work?

Dad: Okay, I'll go to work now. (*leave home*)

Dad: Why isn't the light changing?

(*A passer-by stand next to him. A weak old lady walks near him, waiting to cross the road. Falling when she wants to cross the road*)

Dad: Oh, no. Are you ok? Let me help you.

Lady: You're such a good man.

(*They cross the road. The old lady sudden falls down.*)

Dad: Oh! Are you ok?

Old Lady: Oh! (*cry painfully, rolling up her pants.*) Oh, why did you push me? You're so mean.

Dad: What? I didn't push you!

Passer-by: What? How could you? Look! There are bruises on her leg and she's bleeding!

Dad: No, I didn't push her!

Passer -by: Lady, you're bleeding. You need to go to the doctor!

Old Lady: but I don't have any money.

Passer-by: Hey, man. You should pay for that. Give her \$500.
 Dad: Excuse me? Look! It really isn't me... I'll be late for work...
 Passer-by: Pay for this old lady's medical fees! You heartless man!
 Lady: Oh! It hurts so much....
 Dad: Okay. Fine. Take it. *(Give them the money & gone)*
 Passer-by: Get up. We 've made good money today. Let's go yum cha. *(happy)*
 Lady: Wait. Let me wipe this off *(Wipe off the bruises & blood from her leg)* OK, Let's go. *(Old Lady gets up & walks away with the passer-by)*

(Phone ringing)

Mom: hello?
 A: Mom! Mom! They've got me! Help! Help! *(Errrrr.... Errrrr...! Sound of being beaten)*
 Mom: David? Is that David?
 B: We've got your son! Give us \$10,000 at once! Transfer the money right now! Don't hang up. I'll tell you the account number.
 Mom: Em.....
 A: *(Scream again)* Help! Mom! Help!
 Mom: Oh, NO! Yes, Yes, I'll the money right now... Please don't hurt him!

(Home)

Son: Mom & Dad! You're simply too naïve. That's why you are cheated. Why didn't you call me to find out?
 Mom: They didn't give me time! Everything happened so fast....
 Daughter: We must call the police. These people cheated you out of your kindness & love for us. They're malicious!

Dad: We're getting old & we're stupid.....

David: *(Sigh)* Never mind. Sis, you call the police. My stupid phone isn't working ver well. *(leave the living room. Daughter calls the police)*

Daughter: Hello, police station? I want to report.....

(Son's room)

Son: Mom & Dad are so gullible! So silly!.... *(surfing the net)*
OK, let me look for a new phone.....Wow! This looks great! How can they sell this at such a low price? Oh, there is an enquiry button. Let me ask them online.

“Why are you selling your phones at such a low price?”

A: “ Because we order in bulk.”

Son: “OIC”. What a bargain. Let me type in my name & account no. “David Li. 1234 5678 9999 0000” That's it. Can't wait.

A: Haha. These guys are really stupid And greedy. “Goods will be delivered in one week”

Son: Hey, it's been almost 2 weeks. I still haven't got my phone... Let me ask them. *(Use computer)*

Ah? Where' s the website..... What? What?.... Err..!
Errr.....! No! No!

Mom, Dad & Daughter: What's wrong?

Son: It's a fake website. I've got cheated!

Mom: My God! You can lose all your money like that? Just by clicking some buttons?

Dad: Without seeing their faces or hearing their voices?

Daughter: that is what we call cyber crimes.... Oh! Who can we trust nowadays?

Son: Nobody! Nobody!

Dad: Don't say that. We should still have faith in people. We just have to stay alert.

Mom: yes, and use our judgement.

Daughter: Ok. Let me call the police again.



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