

TSUEN WAN PUBLIC HO CHUEN YIU MEMORIAL COLLEGE
ENGLISH LANGUAGE CURRICULUM PLAN (2024-2025)

I. Objectives

For All Forms	<p>a. To develop a balanced and coherent school-based English Language curriculum that caters for the diverse needs of students</p> <p>b. To provide our students with an English language environment that is conducive to the development of a high level of language competence to equip them for working and furthering their studies in the medium of English</p> <p>c. To develop students as responsible citizens through integrating national education and priority values in the curriculum</p> <p>d. To develop students as active, independent learners of English by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ using a variety of graded teaching materials that help students to acquire effective language and study skills ➤ promoting extensive reading across the curriculum ➤ providing engaging and instructive extra-curricular activities that complement the formal English curriculum <p>e. To promote team-building and experience-sharing among English teachers for improving effectiveness in teaching and learning</p>
For Junior Forms	<p>To arouse students' interest in English and build up a solid foundation for learning it through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ a structured approach to teaching students how to read and respond to texts ➤ the introduction of a fair range of informational and language arts texts of different subjects, themes and genres ➤ language-across-the-curriculum ➤ STEAM ➤ the teaching of vocabulary learning and building skills
For Senior Forms	<p>a. To prepare students for the public examinations and tertiary education by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ setting major teaching focuses at Form 4 to consolidate students' previous knowledge and skills acquired ➤ fine-tuning their writing styles and boosting their eloquence ➤ promoting extensive reading across the curriculum <p>b. To extend students' language and study skills and develop their critical thinking skills through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ a wide range of authentic reading, listening and viewing materials ➤ the teaching of grammar at the sentence and text levels (i.e. sentence building and analysis) ➤ further focused teaching and recycling of vocabulary

II. Topics to be Covered

Junior Forms

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Paper 1 Reading		Paper 2 Writing	Paper 3 Listening	Paper 4 Speaking	Paper 5 Grammar
<i>Longman English Edge (Second Edition) 1A (2023 Edition)</i>	<i>Oxford Essential Thematic Anthology Book 1</i>	<i>Longman English Edge (Second Edition) 1A (2023 Edition) & Oxford Essential Thematic Anthology Book 1</i>	<i>Pilot Performance Plus Task-based Listening Level 1 (6th ed) (2024)</i>	<i>School-based materials</i>	<i>Longman English EDGE JS1A (2023 ed.) Aristo Developing Skills for Junior Secondary Learners: Grammar & Usage (Set B) Book 2</i>
Unit 1: Nice to meet you! Text types: Letter, profile	Unit 1: No place like home Unit 2: Hello, World! Unit 3: A day in the life of a Russian student Unit 4: Books on wheels, water and hooves	Longman Edge Unit 1 Profile	Unit 1: School and friends Unit 2: School life	Individual presentation: preparing a speech	U1: Tenses (present & future) U2: Tenses (simple past & present perfect) U3: Tenses (past continuous) U5: The passive
Unit 2: Just for fun! Text type: Interview, article	Unit 5: Food lab Unit 6: Dining out Unit 7: Caring for your pets Unit 8: Being a pet photographer	Anthology Unit 6 Diary entry Longman Edge Unit 2 Article	Unit 3: Food Unit 4: Pets	Individual presentation: communication strategies	U17: Participle adjectives U18: Making comparisons U8: Modals (giving advice and talking about necessity) U9: Modals (Talking about possibility) U10: Modals (Making requests and asking for permission)
Unit 3: Sport for all Text types: Article, profile & infographic	Unit 9: The Renaissance Man Unit 10: Hidden figures Unit 11: Explore Japan Unit 12: Do you celebrate these festivals?	Anthology Unit 12 Speech Longman Edge Unit 3 Picture Story	Unit 5: Festivals Unit 6: Sport	Group interaction: asking questions & making responses	U6: Conditionals (types 0, 1, 2) U11: The to-infinitives U12: The bare infinitives U13: The gerund
Unit 4: Amazing experiences Text types: Article, infographic, blog entry	Unit 13: Hiker's paradise Unit 14: Extreme selfies Unit 15: A word of advice Unit 16: Filtered!	Longman Edge Unit 4 Informal email	Unit 7: My city – Hong Kong Unit 8: Teen challenges	Group discussion: communication strategies	U15: Articles U16: Someone, anything, nowhere Sequencing

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Paper 1 Reading		Paper 2 Writing	Paper 3 Listening	Paper 4 Speaking	Paper 5 Grammar
<i>Longman English Edge (Second Edition) 2A (2023 Edition)</i>	<i>Oxford Essential Thematic Anthology Book 2</i>	<i>Longman English Edge (Second Edition) 2A (2023 Edition) & Oxford Essential Thematic Anthology Book 2</i>	<i>Pilot Performance Plus Task-based Listening Level 2 (6th ed) (2024)</i>	<i>School-based materials</i>	<i>Longman English Edge (Second Edition) 2A (2023 Edition) Pilot's English Grammar & Usage Book 2</i>
Unit 1: Great storytelling Text types: Article, blog entry	Unit 1: Organize your life Unit 2: Prosperous New Year! Unit 3: My pet's funeral Unit 4: Modern communication	Longman Edge Unit 1 & LA Short story	Unit 1: Shopping Unit 2: Social media	Individual presentation: preparing a speech	U1: Present tense U2: Past tense U3: Future tense Passive Voice
Unit 2: Green living Text types: Article, infographic	Unit 5: The sick planet Unit 6: The future of the planet Unit 7: Automated holiday Unit 8: Life safari	Longman Edge Unit 1 Speech Longman Edge Unit 2 Problem-solution essay	Unit 3: Health and fitness Unit 4: Travel	Individual presentation: communication strategies	U7: Prepositions U8: Adjectives U9: Adverbs U11: Modals U15: Connectives
Unit 3: Getting along with others Text types: Blog entry, play	Unit 9: Beautiful butterflies Unit 10: Endangered animals Unit 11: Dressed to kill Unit 12: How an accidental discovery changed fashion	Longman Edge Unit 3 Blog entry Anthology Unit 16 Magazine article	Unit 5: Animals Unit 6: Fashion and appearance	Group interaction: asking questions & making responses	U4: Nouns U5: Nouns & articles U6: Pronouns U10: Indirect questions U12: Relative clause U13: Reported speech
Unit 4: Language and communication Text types: Article, blog entry	Unit 13: Onstage! Unit 14: Land before time Unit 15: Turning over a new leaf Unit 16: Money sense	Longman Edge Unit 4 Informal letter	Unit 7: Mysteries and stories Unit 8: Attitudes	Group discussion: communication strategies	U14: Conditionals

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Paper 1 Reading		Paper 2 Writing	Paper 3 Listening	Paper 4 Speaking	Paper 5 Grammar
<i>Longman English Edge (Second Edition) 3A (2023 Edition)</i>	<i>Athens Reading Explorer: Theme-based Anthology Intermediate (2020 3rd ed.)</i>	<i>Longman English Edge (Second Edition) 3A (2023 Edition) & Reading Explorer: Theme-based Anthology Intermediate (2020 3rd ed.)</i>	<i>Pilot Performance Plus Task-based Listening Level 3 (6th ed) (2024)</i>	<i>School-based materials</i>	<i>Longman English Edge (Second Edition) 3A (2023 Edition) Pilot's English Grammar & Usage Book 3</i>
Unit 1: Healthy body, healthy mind Text types: Article, poem, advice column	Unit 1: Food and health Unit 2: Call of the wild Unit 3: History detectives	Longman Edge Unit 1 Letter of advice	Unit 1: Film and entertainment Unit 2: Helping people in need	Individual presentation: preparing a speech	U1: Tenses U3: Indefinite pronouns U4: Adverbs U5: Asking questions U6: Modal verbs U7: Talking about preferences
Unit 2: Advertising Text type: Article	Unit 4: Traditions and rituals Unit 5: Finding wonders Unit 6: Reef encounters	Longman Edge Unit 2 Proposal	Unit 3: Invention and innovation Unit 4: Live performances	Individual presentation: communication strategies	U2: Noun phrases U8: Gerunds, to-infinitives & bare infinitives U9: Participle phrases U10: Passive voice
Unit 3: Let's innovate Text type: Article	Unit 7: Dollars and scents Unit 8: Great explorers Unit 9: Identity	Longman Edge Unit 3 Blog entry	Unit 5: Future living Unit 6: Climate change and the environment	Group interaction: asking questions & making responses	U11: Reported speech U12: Conditionals U13: Connectives
Unit 4: Future living Text types: Article, story	Unit 10: Facing change Unit 11: Fact or fake? Unit 12: Going to extremes	Longman Edge Unit 4 Feature article	Unit 7: Social issues Unit 8: Work and career	Group discussion: communication strategies	U14: Phrasal verbs and idioms U15: Punctuations and interjections

Senior Forms

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Paper 1 Reading		Paper 2 Writing	Paper 3 Listening	Paper 4 Speaking
<i>Oxford Advanced Exam Skills Papers 1 & 2 volume 1 (3rd ed.)</i>	<i>Athens Anthology for HKDSE Exam (2nd edition)</i>	<i>Oxford Advanced Exam Skills Papers 1 & 2 volume 1 (3rd ed.)</i>	<i>Aristo Developing Skills Paper 3 Book 4 (2024 ed.)</i>	<i>School-based Materials</i>
Unit 1: Hit the books! Text types: informal email, blog entry	Unit 1: Working holiday makers Unit 2: A language at your fingertips	Unit 1 Short: Online article Long: Blog entry, informal letter	Unit 1: Entertainment	Skill-building HKDSE papers
Unit 2: Getting along Text types: Magazine article, advice column	Unit 3: Please leave your skateboard at home Unit 4: My friends online	Unit 2 Short: Article, blog entry Long: Article	Unit 2: Successful People & Amazing Deeds	Skill-building HKDSE papers
Unit 3: Winner takes all Text types: Interview, newspaper report	Unit 6: A building reborn Unit 7: A monster in the classroom	Unit 3 Short: Article Long: Article	Unit 3: Studying, school life and work	Skill-building HKDSE papers
Unit 4: Lights, camera, action! Text types: Film review, magazine column	Unit 8: Street gymnastics Unit 9: Grow your own	Unit 4 Short: Film review, biography Long: Feature article	Unit 4: Sport	Skill-building HKDSE papers
Unit 5: Happy travels Text types: Travel journal, reflective essay	Unit 13: Mind your mobile manners Unit 14: The ukulele	Unit 5 Short: Reflective diary, feature article Long: Reflective article, letter to the editor	Unit 5: Cultures of the World	Skill-building HKDSE papers
Mock Tests 1-5	Unit 15: A wonder trip to Thailand		Unit 6: The individual and society	Skill-building HKDSE papers

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Paper 1 Reading		Paper 2 Writing	Paper 3 Listening	Paper 4 Speaking/ SBA	
<i>Oxford Advanced Exam Skills Papers 1 & 2 volume 2 (2nd ed.)</i>	<i>Athens Anthology for HKDSE Exam (2nd edition)</i>	<i>Oxford Advanced Exam Skills Papers 1 & 2 volume 2 (2nd ed.)</i>	<i>Aristo Developing Skills Paper 3 Book 5 (2018 ed.)</i>	<i>HKDSE Papers</i>	<i>SBA</i>
Unit 6: Pop talk Text types: short stories, article	Unit 16: True genius: the life of Steve Jobs Unit 17: An orientation camp	Unit 6 S: Short story	Unit 1: People and society	Skill-building HKDSE papers	Print fiction and Print non-fiction
Unit 7: The future is here Text types: discursive article, radio show transcript	Unit 18: Looking after our oceans Unit 19: Preparing Generation Z for the workplace	Unit 7 S: Article L: Blog entry	Unit 2: Health, well-being and wonderful things	Skill-building HKDSE papers	
Unit 8: The darker sides of society Text types: editorial, problem-solution report	Unit 20: Has the digital revolution made us better off? Unit 21: More about the sharing economy	Unit 8 L: Report L: HKDSE 2021	Unit 3: Work, play and beyond	Skill-building HKDSE papers	
Unit 9: Eco-warriors Text types: Letter to the editor, one-sided argumentative essay	Unit 22: Curb your sweet tooth Unit 23: Helen Keller	Unit 9 S: Formal letter L: Letter to the editor	Unit 4: Earth, nature and the environment	Skill-building HKDSE papers	
Unit 10: Happy travels Text types: Travel journal, reflective essay	Unit 24: Rikki-Tikki-Tavi Unit 25: Should we limit tourist numbers?	Unit 10 S: Speech (HKDSE 2021) L: Proposal L: HKDSE 2022	Unit 5: Media and communication	Skill-building HKDSE papers	
Mock Tests 1-5	--	--	Unit 6: Science, technology and what lies ahead	Skill-building HKDSE papers	

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Paper 1 Reading	Paper 2 Writing	Paper 3 Listening	Paper 4 Speaking	SBA
<i>Pearson Complete Exam Practice for the HKDSE + HKDSE Past Papers + Mock Exam Papers</i>				
Set 1 HKDSE 2017	Writing Assessment Set 1 Part A & B2	Set 1 HKDSE 2017	Set 1 HKDSE 2017	Non-print fiction and Non-print non-fiction
Set 2 HKDSE 2018 and 2019	Writing Assessment Set 2 Part A & B2	Set 2 HKDSE 2018 and 2019	Set 2 HKDSE 2018 and 2019	
Set 3 HKDSE 2020	Writing Assessment Set 3 Part A & B2	Set 3 HKDSE 2020	Set 3 HKDSE 2020 Inter-school Speaking Practice	
Set 4 HKDSE 2021 and 2022	Set 4 Part A & B2	Set 4 HKDSE 2021 and 2022	Set 4 HKDSE 2021 and 2022	
Mock Papers HKDSE 2023		HKDSE 2023	HKDSE 2023	