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Dear Parents / Guardians,

New Senior Secondary (NSS) Curriculum First Survey on Students' Preference for Elective Subjects

Under the NSS curriculum, students are required to take two elective subjects in addition to the four compulsory core subjects of Chinese Language, English Language, Mathematics and Liberal Studies. (Please note that as Applied Learning course will be available only in S5 and S6, there is no need for S3 students to concern themselves with the matter at this stage.)

The briefing session originally scheduled for Tuesday 19 November to offer guidance to S3 students on their choice of NSS elective subjects had to be cancelled due to the suspension of school announced by the Education Bureau. As an alternative arrangement, a booklet containing detailed information concerning all NSS subjects, both core and elective ones, has already been distributed to S3 students, an electronic version of which will also be made available through e-Class and the school website. Parents who have further enquiries after going through the booklet are welcome to contact Ms Ho Ka-lai at 2577 5433.

I hope that parents will now engage their daughter in meaningful and thorough discussion regarding the six elective subjects that they are interested in studying, taking such important factors as interest and ability into consideration, and afterwards, arrange the subjects in the appropriate priority order. The information from this survey will be essential in shaping the subject design of the NSS curriculum (2020-2021), and the school will make every effort to cater for students' interest and academic prospects.

Please complete the survey form overleaf and have it returned to the Class Teacher on or before Monday 2 December, 2019. For operational needs, late submission will not be accepted. Thank you very much for your attention.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'CSK', written over a horizontal line.

CHENG SIU Kam-sheung
Principal

New Senior Secondary (NSS) Curriculum

First Survey on Students' Preference for Elective Subjects

Please fill in the numbers (1 – 6) in the 'Priority' column, 1 being the most preferred elective subject while 6 being the least preferred elective subject . (Each number can be used ONCE ONLY.)

Code	Elective [Medium of Instruction]	Priority *
A	Geography [English]	
B	History [Chinese]	
C	Chinese History [Chinese]	
D	Economics [Chinese]	
E	Physics [English]	
F	Chemistry [Chinese / English] *	
G	Biology [Chinese / English] *	
H	Business, Accounting, and Financial Studies # (BAFS : Accounting module) [English]	
I	Business, Accounting, and Financial Studies # (BAFS : Business Management Module) [Chinese]	
J	Information & Communication Technology [Chinese]	
K	Music [English]	
L	Visual Art [Chinese]	
M	Technology and Living (Food Science and Technology) [Chinese]	

Students can study one of these modules only.

Remarks:

Based on the availability of resources, students' preferences as well as students' language capability revealed in the first relevant survey conducted in November-December, 2019, the school will make a decision on the number of Chemistry* and Biology* elective groups to be offered and the medium of instruction to be selected. The decision will be announced in the second survey to be conducted in February, 2020.

Parent / Guardian's Name: _____

Parent / Guardian's Signature: _____

Name of Student: _____

Student's Signature: _____

Class : _____ Class No. _____

Date: ____ / ____ / 2019