

30th April, 2025

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Re: HKDSE Physical Education 2025–2028 Network Programme

To enhance the teaching and learning of students' senior secondary education, the school is offering the HKDSE Physical Education (P.E.) elective through Network Programme. Students participating in the programme may eventually have the chance to sit the 2028 HKDSE Physical Education examination upon satisfactory performance as determined by teachers from the school and the programme organiser. Details of the programme organiser will be announced in due course. Programme details are stipulated below:

1. Curriculum and examination details

The curriculum framework for the P.E. elective embodies the key knowledge, skills, value and attitudes of students through sports. The subject includes theoretical learning parts and practicum. Details of the subject's curriculum can be found here: <u>https://www.edb.gov.hk/attachment/en/curriculum-development/kla/pe/curriculum-doc/PE%20C&A%20Guide_e.pdf</u>

i. Theoretical Learning Parts

The theoretical curriculum covers nine compulsory modules. There is no elective module or Schoolbased Assessment in this subject.

ii. Practicum

The P.E. elective emphasises a strong theory-practice linkage. In the practicum, students are required to do physical fitness training and apply theories learnt in the theoretical parts.

iii. HKDSE Examination

Students completing the P.E. Network Programme may take part in the 2028 HKDSE P.E. examination. The public exam in 2028 will consist of a theoretical examination component (Papers 1 & 2), which has a 60% weighting, and a practical examination component (Paper 3), which has a 40% weighting. The practical exam part (Paper 3) consists of assessment routines for two selected physical activities and four physical fitness components as stipulated below.

Assessment	Item(s)	Weighting
Physical Activity 1	Badminton/ Basketball/ Football/ Volleyball/	131/3%
	Table Tennis/ Handball (Choice of 1)	
Physical Activity 2	Athletics/ Gymnastics/ Swimming (Choice of 1)	131/3%
Physical Fitness	Sit-ups/ Pull-ups/ Sit and Reach/ 1609m Run	131/3%

2. Lesson arrangements for the 2025-26 school year

Date: every Saturday from Sep 2025 to Jul 2026 (exact dates to be confirmed)

Time: 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Venue: outside school (exact venue to be confirmed)

Language: Both the medium of instruction and the language version of examinations will be Chinese. In case of leave (with doctor's certificate for sick leave), letters should be addressed to the Principal with the parent's signature.

3. Expectations

Students are expected to complete and submit assignments on time as required by the programme instructor.

Unit tests and examinations are held regularly. Continuation of the programme is dependent upon satisfactory performance in both lesson time and assessments, as well as achieving an attendance rate of 90% or above.

Should the student's performance be deemed below standard, he may be required to withdraw from the programme. The school reserves the right to make the final decision on entering your child into the HKDSE examination for this subject.

4. Dropping of elective subjects

Participation in this programme does not count as an HKDSE elective offered by the school. Therefore, following the school-based policy, students participating in this programme may not drop any electives until after the Mid-year Exam in S.5. Students can drop at most ONE elective scheduled in the lesson timetable. The school reserves the right to make the decision regarding the final approval of the dropping of elective subjects.

5. Fees

The course fee is covered by the Diversity Learning Grant (DLG), which is a subsidy disbursed by the Education Bureau to schools in offering Network Programmes. However, students are responsible for the payment of the HKDSE examination fee.

6. Eligibility

Students who wish to take part in HKDSE Physical Education 2025–2028 Network Programme must fulfil ALL of the following eligibility criteria:

- i. An active member of a school's sports team (or equivalent), in which the sport is one of the specified Physical Activities of the HKDSE practical examination;
- ii. Achieving an overall pass in the physical fitness of the HKDSE practical examination;
- iii. Attaining Grade B or above in Conduct in the 1st term of the 2024-25 school year;
- iv. Demonstrating a high level of commitment to the school sports team;
- v. Achieving a high level of attendance in regular school team (or equivalent) training.

Please sign and return the reply slip to Mr. Wong Ching Kwan on or before **9th May, 2025** (Friday). For enquiries, please contact Mr. WONG Ching Kwan, the Physical Education teacher at 2546 0117.

(Mr. WONG Ching Kwan) for Principal

Reply slip <u>Re: HKDSE Physical Education 2025–2028 Network Programme</u>

Circular No. 263 (24-25)

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Dear Principal,

I, the parent of ______ of Class _____ (No. ____), acknowledge confirm that I have received and noted the content of the HKDSE Physical Education 2025–2028 Network Programme detailed in your letter dated 30th April, 2025.

I *<u>allow/ do not allow</u> my son to take part in the HKDSE Physical Education 2025–2028 Network Programme and take Physical Education as an extra elective subject for my son's senior secondary education.

Signature of Parent/Guardian :_____

Name of Parent/Guardian

Date

* Please delete as appropriate.