

Parent Seminar

The Latest Development of Gifted Education in Hong Kong and Service Provision for Gifted Children

Date and Time	Target Group
1 st November, 2014 (Sat) 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Parents of gifted children

Venue : Rm 502 Lecture Hall, The Boys' and Girls' Clubs Association of Hong Kong, 3 Lockhart Road, Wan Chai

Speaker : Professor NG Tai Kai
Executive Director, The Hong Kong Academy for Gifted Education

Course Content : This seminar focuses on introducing the development of gifted education in HK with the most up-to-date information and new services that will be available to gifted children .

Course Objectives : Upon completion of this seminar, parents should be able to:

- understand the latest local development of gifted education;
- obtain new information of available services for gifted children ;
- identify the suitable resources and services to nurture their gifted children.

Course Outline : 1. Seminar contents:

- Introduction of the latest development of gifted education in HK
- Sharing on service provision for gifted children
- Tips for selecting suitable resources for nurturing gifted children

2. Q & A and concluding remarks

Medium of Instruction : Cantonese

Course Fee : Free of charge (Funded by The Hong Kong Academy for Gifted Education)

Quota : 150

Registration Information : Parents should apply through the online registration system on our website <https://hkage.org.hk/b5/parent/Registration/courses/courseLogon.php?pid=87>

Deadline for Registration : 22nd October, 2014 (Wed), 5:00 p.m.

Note:

1. Acceptance is on first-come-first-served basis
2. Registrants will be notified of the outcome by 24th October, 2014 (Fri) through email.

Enquiry : Tel.: 3940 0104 or Email: ps@hkage.org.hk

Remarks : The course organiser (the HKAGE) will take photos and videos during the programme. The photos and/or videos may be reproduced in electronic forms and/or printed publications for educational, research and marketing purposes upon the participants' consensus in registration.

Introduction to Speaker:

Professor NG Tai Kai
Executive Director
The Hong Kong Academy for Gifted Education

Professor Ng was appointed as the Associate Dean of Science of the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST) in 2004. Since 2010, he has also served as the Director of the HKUST's Centre for the Development of the Gifted and Talented. He is also a member of the Curriculum Development Council (CDC) Committee on Gifted Education. He has spared no effort to promote the development of gifted education in Hong Kong and provide local gifted students with a comprehensive range of dedicated courses to help them reach their potential and broaden their horizons.

As a physicist, Professor Ng has made remarkable achievements in his field. In 1993, he received an Honourable Mention in the Achievement in Asia Award of the Overseas Chinese Physics Association. In 2000 and 2002, he was elected as a Fellow of the American Physical Society and awarded the Croucher Senior Research Fellowship respectively. Besides academic research, he has also been dedicated to primary and secondary education, making invaluable contributions to improve the quality of science education in Hong Kong. For instance, he has collaborated with the Education Bureau to organise teacher training programmes and develop physics teaching materials, as well as served as a member of the Curriculum Development Council Committee on Science Education.