

Parent-child Parallel Group 2

Parent-child parallel group for gifted ADHD Children and their Parents

Date and Time	Target Group
1, 8, 15, 22 & 29 Dec 2012, 5 Jan 2013 (Sat) 10:00 a.m.– 11:30 a.m. (6 sessions)	Parents of P3 and P4 gifted students with ADHD

Venue : Lecture Theatre 105, The Hong Kong Academy for Gifted Education
Sha Kok Estate, Shatin
New Territories, Hong Kong
(between Buddhist Kok Kwong Secondary School and Yue Shing Court)

Speaker and Facilitator : Ms. Fung Mei Yee, Senior Education Psychology Consultant and Registered Social Worker

Course Description : 1. to increase parents ' knowledge of the characteristics of children with ADHD
2. to cater for the special needs of twice exceptional children
3. to develop twice exceptional children's executive function skills
4. to understand twice exceptional children's affective characteristics and acquire the skills in handling their emotional problems
5. to identify various strategies to help students of different learning styles (visual, audio or haptic)

Course Objectives : Upon completion of this programme, parents should be able to:
1. understand children's learning and behavioural characteristics
2. create a supportive environment for children to develop their executive function skills (effective organizational and self-management skills)
3. explore children's strengths and overcome their learning challenges
4. understand the learning characteristics of children and provide appropriate support for them
5. understand children's emotional needs and establish a positive parent-child relationship

Course Outline : Session 1: Identify the characteristics of twice exceptional children and the challenges they face
Session 2: How to cater for the special needs of twice exceptional children
Session 3: To assess children's executive functions
Session 4: Setting long-term and short-term goals for executive function skills development
Session 5: Support strategies for students of different learning styles
Session 6: Skills to facilitate a better parent-child relationship

Course Format : Activities include group discussions, games and assignments

- Medium of Instruction** : Cantonese
- Course Fee** : HK\$1,000 (One parent and one gifted child)
- Registration Information** : Parents should apply through the online registration system on our website
- Enquiry** : Tel.: 3940 0104
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Brief introduction to Speaker:

Ms. Fung Mei Yee

Ms. Fung gained her bachelor's degree in Social Work with a Major in Rehabilitation Services at City University of Hong Kong. As an experienced registered social worker, she provided group and personal counselling, and was responsible for coordinating activities for more than 20 years. She has a lot of experience in special education. She was the Coordination Officer of the Early Education and Training Centres of Heep Hong Society. She has a thorough knowledge of the assessment, intervention, individual training plans and parent counselling services for children with special needs.

Ms. Fung is also the mother of a gifted child. She strived for years to put the theories of gifted education into practice. She coordinated and led a support group for parents of primary school gifted learners. She has a lot of experience in developing children's full potential and making learning a pleasure.

Ms. Fung was the Visiting Lecturer at Hong Kong Institute of Vocational Education (Lee Wai Lee) and taught the Higher Diploma Course in Child Care and Education. She is devoted to promoting parenting education. She has completed her master's degree in Education at Hong Kong Baptist University with Majors in Early Childhood Education and Counselling Services.