# School-based Curriculum Development Section (Primary)

# Helping Cross-boundary Students at the Starting Line of Their English Language Learning Journey

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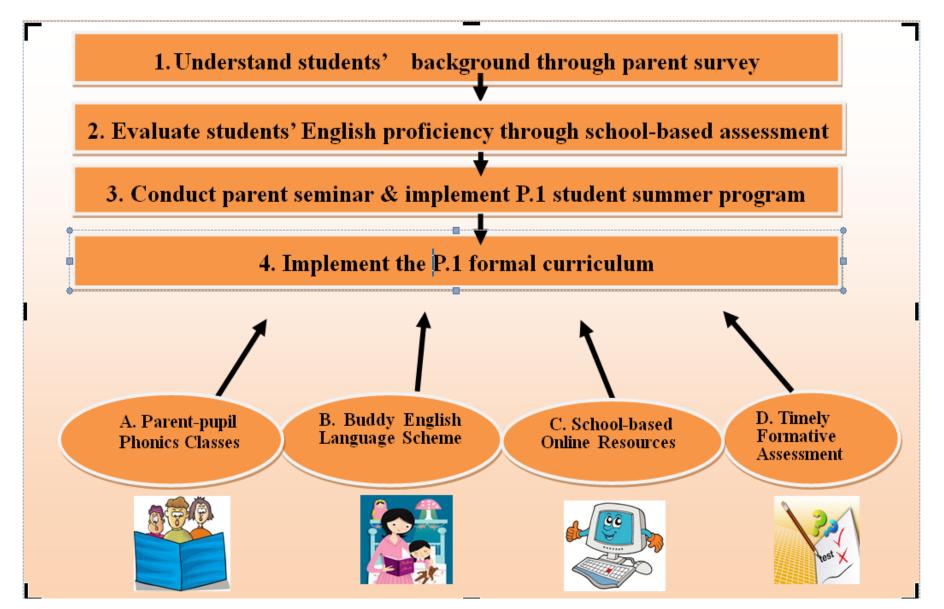
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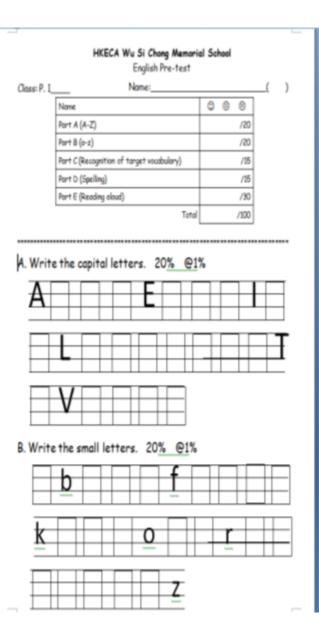
# 1. Understand Students' Background

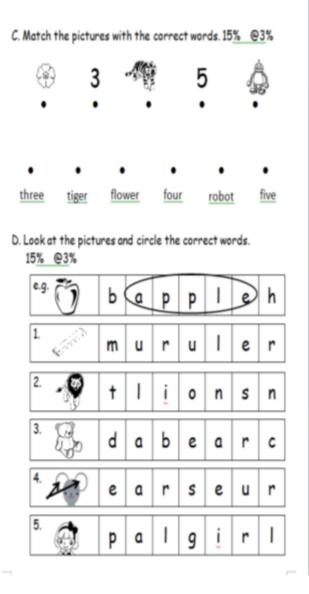
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新来港学生问卷	Students' Background:
學生姓名:日期:	<ul> <li>Does the student live in Hong Kong?</li> <li>Did the student study in a</li> </ul>
<u>學生个人資科</u> 1) 學生年岁 (直至 2014年9月)	kindergarten?
2) 學生是否在香港居住? □是 □否	<ul> <li>Did the student travel in Hong Kong?</li> <li>Will the student study in a HK</li> <li>secondary school?</li> </ul>
3) 學生来港前有否入讀幼兒園或幼稚園? □沒有 □有(讀寫出學校名稱:	Land of the state
4) 學生曾经遊歷香港嗎? 口是	English Learning Experience  •Does the student have experience
5) 學生是否會在香港升讀中學? 口是 口否	learning English before coming to HK?
英语学习 6) 學生来港前有学习英语吗? 学习的时间有多久?	<ul> <li>Does the student have support in English at home?</li> </ul>
口没有 口少于1年 口1-2年 口2-3年 口3-4年	•Does the student have exposure to
7) 學生在家有人協助他/她學習英语吗? 口有     口没有	English at home?
8) 學生在家有接触英语嗎? (例如电视、电影、卡通片、书籍、互聯網) 口有     □没有	
9) 請寫出你對學生學習英語的期望:	→ Parents' Expectation

### **Purposes of Pre-Primary 1 Test**

- Assess the magnitude of the situation
- -Diagnose early means early intervention
- -Identify who needs more help or less help
- -Identify what needs to be addressed
- -Plan early of how and when different teaching and learning tasks are to be implemented

# 2. Evaluate Students' English Proficiency





E. Read aloud the following words. 30% @3%

1. orange	6. banana
2. monkey	7. rabbit
3. green	8. yellow
4. ball	9. mother
5. pencil	10. car

### 3. Conduct Parent Seminars & Student Summer course

Engage parents in understanding students' learning

Introduce the School's online resources

Helping parents to understand education in Hong Kong in terms of Pedagogy, Homework and Assessment Policies

English language learning and teaching pedagogy in HK:

- Balanced focus on the four skills of reading, writing, speaking and listening
- English is learned through communicative approach and based on ESL theories
- Phonics is treated as important building blocks for English language learning

Helping Parents to Understand Homework Requirements

- •A wide variety of homework e.g. Reading, online information research
- Parental support speeds up children's learning

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Homewor	k abbreviation
	. 科豕課間構
₩R	閱讀理解工作紙
<b></b> ₩DR	閱讀理解練習
**HR	圖書閱讀(家長需簽名)
<b></b> ₩OR	網上閱讀(Smart ABC)
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₩ S&C	家長簽名及學生改正
	週記(四至六年級)

# Helping parents to understand education in Hong Kong in terms of Pedagogy, Homework and Assessment Policies

•Purposes of assessments: Assessments are viewed by the School as a process to improve learning and teaching

Parents should use assessment information to understand their children's development

#### •Modes of assessments:

Dictations, formative assessments, quizzes, writing grades, project learning

#### •Frequency of assessments:

2 summative assessments each term

#### **Assessments**

### ◆ 學習評估目的◆

- 讓學生、教師及家長了解學生在學習上的長處和短處
- 收集學生學習顯證,作為回饋教師和學生改善學與教的基礎

### ★ 學校評估政策 >>

- >透過評估,促進學生學習
- 採用進展性及總結性評估
- ▶多元化方式,全面評估學生的學習 成效
  - \*口試、聆聽、筆試、專題研習、 演唱/奏、技能活動...等

### ❤ 學校評估政策❤

· 進展性評估:課堂學習、\*默書、作 文、專題研習、小測或各種技能活動 ,適時評核學生的學習成效。

### (\*成績計算在相關學科內)

總結性評估:每學期進行兩次。除筆 試外,中、英文及普通話進行口試; 音樂進行歌唱評估。視藝一至四年級 沒有總結性評估。

### 3. Conduct Parent Seminars & Student Summer course



•Speed up students' English language learning by better use of the summer holiday

#### •Focus:

- Alphabet recognition,
- Alphabet writing
- Phonics
- English songs exposure
- Use of IT technology (QR Code)
- Solicit parental help
- Lasts for 5 days



You can watch the following video to revise how to read the letters.

#### Day 1: Singing 'The ABC Song'

The ABC song (Big letters and small letters)
https://www.youtube.com/watch?y=75p-N9YKqNo&list=PL92

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75p-N9YKqNo&list=PL92 83EBA918D222DA&index=1



Parents can also go to our website to listen to the songs:

家長亦可登入本校網址聆聽以上歌曲:

www.wusichong.edu.hk/電子學堂/英文科/Songs for

P.1 Bridging Course

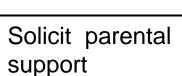


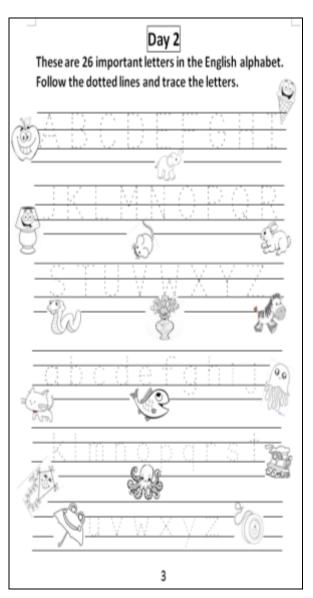
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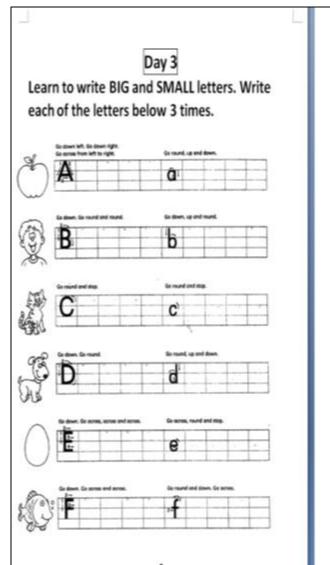
Singing 'The ABC Song'				
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Parent's 家長 Signature 簽名				

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Use of IT technology QR code

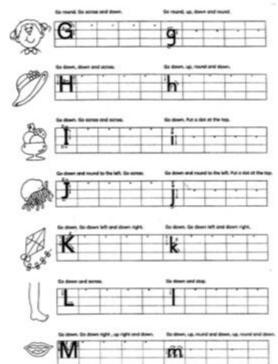




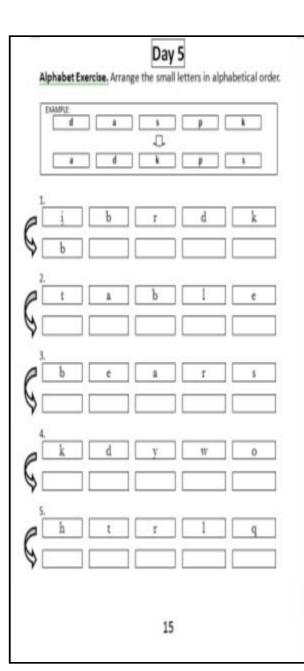


#### Day 3

Learn to write BIG and SMALL letters. Write each of the letters below 3 times.



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Day 5 :Singing 'Phonics Song'

A song about small letters, big letters, and English words with the related letters

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BELIZK pi1Zs&list=PL9283EBA918D222DA

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Sing the song to your parents and ask them to sign their names if you can finish the song. 請家長聆聽你唱以上英文歌,然後簽名。

Date 日期	28/8
Parent's Signature 家長簽名	

#### Others (其他網上歌曲)

#### Alphabet Song

Along A to Z song with sequence of writing the letters https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zAlX1V3lK5s



Hi! How are you?

https://www.youtube.com /watch?v=pMsCxic1moM



HI, hi! How are you? Fine! I'm fine! Thank you. Hello, hello! How are you?

Okay! I'm okay. Thank you.

HI, h!! How are you?

Good! I'm good! Thank you.

HI, NI How are you? Fine! I'm fine! Thank you.

Hello, hello! How are you? Okayl I'm okay. Thank you.

HI, N! How are you?

Good! I'm good! Thank you.

Hello Song

https://www. youtube.com/ watch?v=aeQl

How are you?

Let's make a circle Let's make a circle Let's make a circle Good Idea

Hello, hello, hello, hello, hello, hello, hello, hello,

Let's walk this way Let's walk this way Let's walk this way Good Idea

How are you?

Hello, hello, hello, hello, hello, hello, hello, hello,

Let's clap our hands Let's clap our hands. Let's clap our hands Good Idea!

How are you?

Hello, hello, hello, hello, hello, hello, hello, hello,

Hello, hello, hello, hello, hello, hello, hello, hello How are you?

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# 4. Beginning of the Formal P.1 curriculum in HKECA Wu Si Chong Memorial School

### 僑港伍氏宗親會伍時暢紀念學校



- •Teachers slightly adjust their expectations on P.1 e.g. do not expect students to be able to dictate sentences or long vocabulary at beginning of the term
- •Pay attention to needs of the CBS e.g. do some action songs, chants as they feel tired after long-hours of travelling in the morning
- •Some curriculum adaptations e.g. Action Alphabet and Phonics Table

# **Phonics Table**

Consono	ınts∂	Sound₽		Examples.
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hard ₽	C₽	k₽	<b>c</b> at₽	<b>c</b> up₽
soft ₽	C₽	S€	<b>c</b> ycle₽	<b>c</b> ity₽
d₽		d₽	<b>d</b> og₽	ba <b>d</b> ₽
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n₽		n₽	<b>n</b> et₽	no <b>n</b> fat∂
ng∘		ng₽	so <b>ng</b> ₽	wing₽
p₽		p₽	<b>p</b> an∂	<b>p</b> en₽
ph∘		f₽	<b>ph</b> one∂	<b>ph</b> oto∂
gu₽		kw₽	<b>qu</b> ick₽	quit∂
gu₊		k₽	anti <b>qu</b> e₽	mos <b>qu</b> ito₽
re		re	<b>r</b> at₽	<b>r</b> ent₽
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S₽		Z₽	as₽	is₽
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Consonants₽	Sound₽		Examples <sub>4</sub>	
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wh₽	W€	<b>wh</b> en∘	<b>wh</b> ip₽	whiz₽
wh∘	h∘	who₽	<b>wh</b> ole∂	whose₽
X€	ķs₽	si <b>x</b> ₽	ne <b>x</b> t₽	bo <b>x</b> ₽
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Z₽	Z₽	<b>z</b> ebra₽	<b>z</b> ig <b>z</b> ag <sub>2</sub>	bu <b>zz</b> ₽

Vowels (short)⊬











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	a₽	Example:	e₽	Example:	į₽	Example:	O	Example:	U₽	Example:
	ab₽	c <b>ab</b> ₽	eb₽	web₽	ib₽	r <b>ib</b> ₽	ob₽	job₽	ub₽	rub₽
	ac₽	b <b>ac</b> k₽	ec₽	neck⊬	ic₽	nic₽	OC4	doc₽	UC₽	duck∂
	ad₽	d <b>ad</b> ∂	ed₽	b <b>ed</b> ⊬	id₽	ki <b>d</b> ₽	od₽	n <b>od</b> ₽	ud₽	b <b>ud</b> ₽
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ch	sh₽	<b>ch</b> efℯ	<b>Ch</b> anel₽	<b>ch</b> iffon₽	
sh∘	sh ₽	shot₽	shift₽	fish₽	

# A. Parent-Pupil Phonics Class

Purposes	To help parents understand what their child is learning at school To equip parents with some basic phonics skills so that they can help their child at home
Duration	6 weeks (Saturdays)
Target Participants	CBS and parents/ NAC and parents
Content	34 phonemes (A to Z; long vowels (a/e/i/o/u); digraphs ch/sh/th/wh

# The Parent-Pupil Phonics Classes



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WU SI CHONG MEMORIAL SCHOOL
Parent-Pupil Phonics Class (2014-2015)

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# Action Alphabet in classrooms

A as in Ankle

P as in Point

## B. The Buddy English Language Scheme

#### Phase 1

- 4 weeks (September)
- Consolidation of alphabet learning
- Multiple ways to help students to recognise, sequence and write letters

#### Phase 2

- 5 weeks (December)
- Basic greetings, Listen to instructions, Numbers, Colours & Body parts)
- Develop basic reading aloud, word recognition and listening skills

### The Buddy Scheme: Phase 1

1. Recognise letters presented in normal sequence



2. Recognise letters in random order



4. Write letters

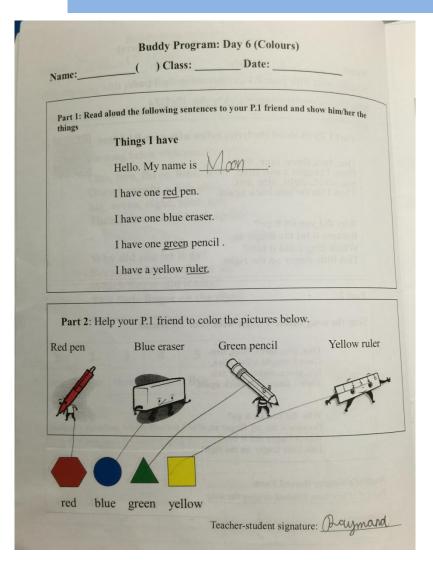


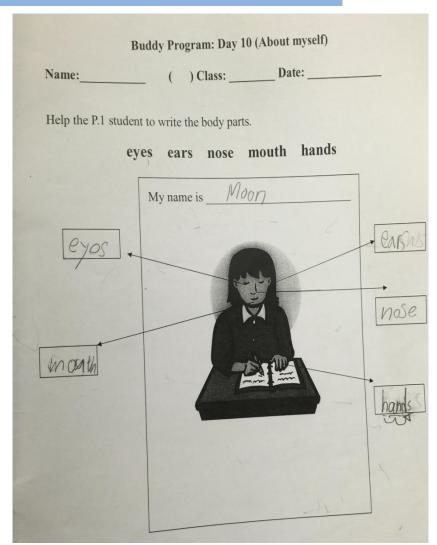
3. Arrange letters in correct sequence

## **The Buddy Scheme: Phase 2**

Day	Curriculum Content
Day 1	Greeting and Myself
Day 2	Greeting and Myself
Days	Listening to Instructions
Day 4	Listening to Instructions
Day 5	Numbers
Day 6	Colours
Day7	Colours
Day 8	Body Parts
Day 9	Body Parts and Actions
Day 10	Body Parts and Actions

### Close connection to the P.1 curriculum





#### **Buddy Program: Day 3 (Listening to instructions)**

Name:	(	) Class:	Date:	

#### Classroom Language

#### Part 1

Ask your P.1 student to do the things below.

- 1. Stand up, please.
- 2. Sit down, please.
- 3. Take out your book, please.
- 4. Open your book, please.
- 5. Close your book, please.
- 6. Drink some water.

#### Part 2

Ask your P.1 student to read aloud the sentences below. Student-teacher does the actions

- 1. Stand up, please.
- 2. Sit down, please.
- 3. Take out your book, please.
- 4. Open your book, please.
- 5. Close your book, please.
- 6. Drink some water.

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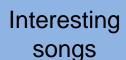
Sing the song with your P.1 partner using the I-pad.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9ir 17qTiZ4



#### Part 1 Sing the song below with your P.1 friend

One, two, three, four, five.
Once I caught a fish alive,
Six, seven, eight, nine, ten,
Then I let it go again.
Why did you let it go?
Because it bit my finger so.
Which finger did it bite?
This little finger on the right.



#### Student's Reading Aloud Record Form

Put a ✓ if you have finished singing the song.

Reading aloud	1	2	3	4
	· ·			

Teacher-student signature:

### C. Online School Resources

 School website http://www.wusichong.edu.hk/



# **Phonics Learning**



# **Dictation Preparation**

P.1	P.2	P.3	P.4	P.5	P.6
Dictation(1)	Dictation(1)	Dictation(1)	Dictation(1)	Dictation(1)	Dictation(1)
Dictation(2)	Dictation(2)	Dictation(2)	Dictation(2)	Dictation(2)	Dictation(2)
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# Songs and Chants

## **Online Stories**

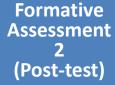


#### You-tube Stories 1. The shepherd boy and the wolf http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xrDhoS37ceg 2. The ant and the dove http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9rwY4K1KV2E 3. The North wind the sun http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2oLYIixRMxU&feature=related 4. The Princess and the pea http://www.youtube.com/watch?NR=1&v=paKzPXySzLA 5. The ant and the grasshopper http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tWif9kMLxL4 6. The elves and the shoemaker http://www.youtube.com/watch?v= J8NBnRaVTs&feature=related 7. The man and the wolf http://www.voutube.com/watch?v=qk8W6WEQ-u0&feature=related 8. Ali Baba and the forty thieves http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ki\_mhaXyRi4&feature=related 9. Stone soup http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fPdVKQgog24&feature=related 10. The golden goose http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X3hdbFNC3s8&feature=related 11. The six blind man and the elephant http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Vrkhm0HT8iY&feature=related 12. Jack and the bean stalk http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oh9pHHONJJE&feature=related 13. The three little pigs http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8WvFwsiS2hc&feature=related 14. The wolf and the seven little goats http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dxYdSDZQiVY&feature=related 15. The King and Donkey Ears

http://www.voutube.com/watch?v=L5uWYz9DtUM

# **D. Timely Formative Assessment**

Formative
Assessment 1
(Pre-primary 1
Test)





Formative Assessment 3



Formative Assessment 4

- In August
- Alphabet recognition
- Alphabet sequencing
- Alphabet writing
- Read aloud some basic vocabulary on numbers, colour, toys

- In October
- Alphabet recognition
- Alphabet sequencing
- Alphabet writing

- In late October
- Mock Paper of Summative Assessment

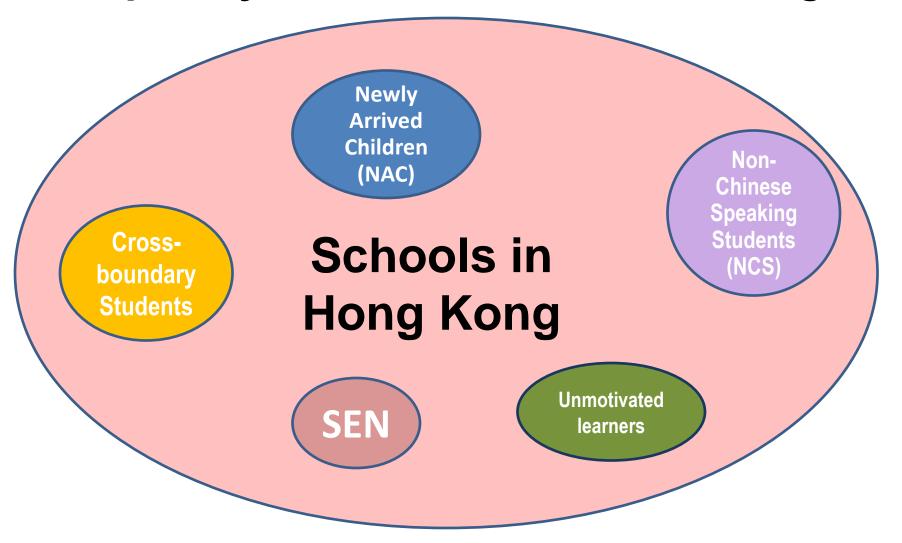
- In January
- Basic Phonics

## Familiarization with Examinations in HK

- ★ 家長如何有效指導孩子學習 >>
  - 模擬試卷
    - \* 依時限完成
    - \* 家長指導作答要求
  - 答案網上發放
    - \*家長指導訂正

- -School uses Mock Assessment Papers to help CBS familiarize with assessment requirements in Hong Kong
- -P.1 students are given last year's school assessment papers
- Students do the papers at home with parental support
- -School releases answers online

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