



# Buddhist Wong Fung Ling College

## 2021/2022 Non-Chinese Speaking Students

### Joyful Learning Group Newsletter Issue 1

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**We are happy to see you all again! Due to the easing of the pandemic, this year we can FINALLY organize more school activities for our NCS students to encourage them to engage more in their school life. Let's see what they have done in the first term!**

## Eager to learn

### S.1 Bridging Course in Summer Holiday



Teacher is talking about the rule of the chopstick game.

Eager to learn is one of the Fung Ling Spirits we want to pass on to our students. The S.1 Bridging Course is our attempt to introduce this spirit to the new comers. The course is designed to not only help them adapt to the new environment they will be exposed to in the next 6 years, but also teach them about the Chinese culture. We believe understanding the local culture could help pave their way in Hong Kong.

Being a huge part of the Chinese culinary culture, chopsticks are this year's theme in the Chinese lesson of the Bridging Course. After learning about the history of chopsticks, students got to have some hand-on practice to master the art of chopsticks. Despite the difficult time when everyone wears a mask, they had fun learning.



It seems they are having trouble picking up the papers with chopsticks!



# Chinese Enhancement Class

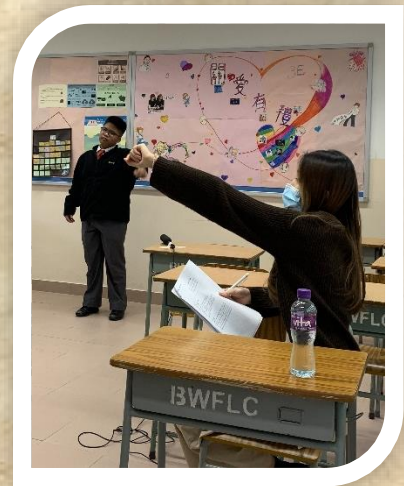


Students focus on the lesson and try to do their work.

Our school believes the acquisition of Chinese language is a basic life skill students need to be equipped with in order to survive in Hong Kong. Hence, a professional tutor is hired to help students build a solid foundation. During the class, students practised writing Chinese sentences with the help of the tutor. The interaction has been fruitful all year long.

# Chinese Speech Training Class

In addition to academics, our school encourages students to participate in extra-curricular activities. 11 students across S1-3 participated in the 73<sup>rd</sup> Hong Kong Schools Speech Festival, in which they performed two Chinese poems, competing against other Hong Kong local students. Their time and effort is awarded by excellent result as almost all of them received a Certificate of Merit or Proficiency. Let's take a moment to appreciate their great achievement as follows.



Class	Name	Result	Class	Name	Result	Class	Name	Result
1B	Abdur-Rehman	78 (Proficiency)	1B	Catherine	76 (Proficiency)	2B	Jenna	75 (Proficiency)
1B	Zoran	78 (Proficiency)	1B	Gurbir	79 (Proficiency)	2B	Jaskarn	70
1B	Jenish	82 (Merit)	1B	Jyoti	75 (Proficiency)	3B	Ivan	77 (Proficiency)
1B	Nischal	70	1B	Leion	80 (Merit)			



They look so confident performing the poem!



Teachers are teaching them how to pronoun the Chinese characters accurately.