

**Tai Po Sam Yuk Secondary School**  
**Regulations of the 21st Hong Kong-wide Primary School on-site Writing Competition**

**Objectives**

1. To enhance primary school students' interest in writing
2. To strengthen primary school students' psychological preparedness for examination situations.

**Eligibility**

P.5 to P.6 students

Students may only take part in both the Chinese Section and the English Section of the competition at the same level.

**Competition Format**

The topic will be announced on the site,  
with a 45-minute time limit to write an essay.

Chinese Section (At least 250 words)

English Section (At least 200 words)

**Registration Fee**

HKD\$150 each section

HKD\$250 for both sections

**Competition Date**

Sunday, 30 November 2025

P6 CHI	09:30–10:15
P6 ENG	11:15–12:00
P5 CHI	12:45–13:30
P5 ENG	14:30–15:15

**Venue**

Tai Po Sam Yuk Secondary School

**Award Ceremony (Distinction Prize)**

**Sunday, 1 March 2026, 3:00 p.m.**

The ceremony will be held at our school.

The list of awardees will be announced separately.

**Judging Panel (in no particular order)**

<b>English Section</b>	Dr. Jane Andrews, Professor of Education, University of the West of England Dr. Ian Craig, Visiting Professor, University College London Dr. Pam Dettman, Associate Lecturer, University of London Dr. Catherine Tetz, Assistant Professor, La Sierra University
<b>Chinese Section</b>	Prof. QIAN Gang, Honorary Lecturer, Journalism and Media Studies Centre, HKU Prof. POON Ming Kay, Professor, Department of Chinese Language and Literature, CUHK Dr. SIU Yan Ho, Lecturer, Chinese Language and Literature, HKBU

School Teachers as Judges: : Mr. James WARJRI, Ms. Rachel YEAP (English Section)  
Ms. Lee Kwai Ying, Ms. Wong Tsz Shan (Chinese Section)

**Awards:** All awards will be determined by the advisory judges. Their decisions are final and no objections from participants will be accepted.

**(A) Sections:** P.5 Chinese, P.5 English, P.6 Chinese, P.6 English

**(B) Individual Awards:**

1. Champion: One per Section. Awards are a certificate and book coupons with a total value of HKD\$1,000.
2. First Runner-up: One per Section. Awards are a certificate and book coupons with a total value of HKD\$600.
3. Second Runner-up: One per Section. Awards are a certificate and book coupons with a total value of HKD\$400.
4. Outstanding Award: For participants scoring 85 marks or above. Awards are a certificate and book coupons with a total value of HKD\$100.
5. Distinction Award: For participants scoring 75–84 marks. To be awarded with a “Distinction” certificate.
6. Merit Award: For participants scoring 60–74 marks. To be awarded with a “Merit” certificate.

**(C) School Awards :** The total score is calculated based on the combined points from the levels and categories in which a school participates. All schools reaching the required score will receive an award.

- **First Class Award:** Schools with a total score of **100 points or above** will receive a certificate and book coupons with a total value of HKD\$1,000.
- **Diamond Award:** Schools with a total score of **70–99 points** will receive a certificate and book coupons with a total value of HKD\$600.
- **Platinum Award:** Schools with a total score of **40–69 points** will receive a certificate and book coupons with a total value of HKD\$400.

<b>Award</b>	<b>Team Award Points</b>
Champion	7
First Runner-up	6
Second Runner-up	5
Outstanding Award	3
Distinction Award	2
Merit Award	1

### Notes for Participants:

1. After registration is accepted, the school will assign the venue and seat number on the admission ticket and stamp for confirmation. The confirmed admission ticket will be sent/delivered to the participant's school on or before 14 November.
2. On the competition day, participants must present the stamped and confirmed admission ticket together with their student ID card (or a handbook with a photo) for identity verification. If the admission ticket is lost, a replacement may be obtained at the school office on the competition day for a fee of HKD\$10.
3. If participants do not receive their admission ticket by 24 November, please contact Mr. Tang Wai Man or Ms. Siu at 2665-3459.
4. Submitted entries will not be returned. The organizer reserves the right to upload the entries and/or participants' photos to the Internet and/or publish them in print.
5. The same participant may apply for both the Chinese Section and the English Section of the same level.
6. Entry Fee: HKD\$150 per item. For two items, the total fee will be HKD\$250.
7. Participants must arrive at the venue 15 minutes before the competition starts for identity verification and seating arrangements.
8. Late arrival or absence will not be compensated with extra time or rescheduling.
9. Participants must bring their own stationery, including black or blue ballpoint pens and correction pen/tape.
10. Only Section applications through schools are accepted. Individual applications will not be accepted.
11. As the competition day coincides with the school's Open Day, waiting areas will be provided for teachers and parents.

### Application (*Computer submission is recommended*):

Registration must be submitted by schools through our online registration system.

### Registration System



<https://shorturl.at/d7NCU>

### Remarks

1. The teacher-in-charge of each participating school should submit the student list online, and post a copy of student list with a crossed cheque (covering the full payment) to our school by **10 October 2025**.  
✧ Cheque payable to: *Tai Po Sam Yuk Secondary School* (或「大埔三育中學」).
2. School Address: Tai Po Sam Yuk Secondary School, No. 2, Tai Po Tau Drive, Tai Po, N.T.
3. The deadline for application is **10 October 2025**.
4. Please note: Once the application has been submitted, **all fees are non-refundable**.
5. The admission tickets (with participant number and venue indicated, and stamped with the school seal) will be sent to the teacher-in-charge on or before **17 November 2025** for distribution to the students concerned.
6. Please remind participating students to bring their admission ticket and a photo-bearing identification document (such as a handbook/student ID card) to the competition venue on the day. A replacement for a lost admission ticket may be obtained on the day for a fee of **HKD\$10**.