# THE ENGLISH EXPRESS



### S.K.H. YAN LAAP MEMORIAL PRIMARY SCHOOL ENGLISH NEWSLETTER

## Welcome Back To School

On 2nd September 2019, Principal Yee led the school's opening ceremony, welcomed all of the P.2 - P.6 students back to school and said a big "Hello!" to all of our new P.1 students. *How do you feel about coming back to school? Are you excited? What did you do in your summer break?* Come and tell Mr Gavin and maybe he can write about it in the next issue of The English Express!

# P.1 Orientation Day

The P.1 students all had a chance to meet Mr Gavin and take part in an exciting English lesson. They acted out a special version of "The 3 Little Pigs" and voted on their favourite ending which was where the pigs escaped from the wolf.

The students were all very engaged and Mr Gavin said after the event, "This was my first chance to meet the Yan Laap Memorial students and I was super impressed by their English ability as well as their willingness to try. I can't wait to teach them more this year."





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## Mid-Autumn Festival School Event

On the evening of Thursday, 12th September, our school organised a Mid-Autumn Festival Party. It was an amazing event with musical performances by some former students as well as a very special performance by Principal Yee, her son and her daughter. There were fun games.The children and their families ate lots of yummy food and shared the joyful occasion.







# Meeting Our Native English Teachers

This year we have 3 new Native English Teachers. Our English Express Team interviewed them so we can all know more about



## Mr Gavin

them.

#### What are your hobbies?

I enjoy running as well as reading and travelling. I like doing puzzles and playing board games, too.

What is the main difference between Hong Kong and your home town?

I am from Sunderland in the U.K. Sunderland is quieter than Hong Kong. The shops in Hong Kong close much later so it is more convenient.

#### What do you like about our school?

We are very lucky to have such a wonderful school. Also, the teachers are all very friendly and dedicated to helping the children learn. Finally, the students are an absolute delight to

teach.

#### Interviewed by Allen, 5A

Interviewed by Jerry, 5A

#### What are your hobbies?

I enjoy running and drawing.

#### Do you like Hong Kong? Why / why not?

I love Hong Kong because it has everything. You can go hiking and there are beautiful beaches.

What is the main difference between Hong Kong and your home town?

Hong Kong has taller buildings and less grass. *What is your favourite festival?* 

I enjoy the Mid-Autumn Festival as it is a time for families to gather and share in Chinese culture.



#### Interviewed by Cinda, 5A

#### What are your hobbies?

I enjoy exercising, going to the cinema and hiking. Do you like Hong Kong? Why / why not?

I love Hong Kong because there is a lot to see and do. It is not just a busy city but it has nature and beaches, too.

#### What do your like about our school?

The students are polite and friendly. I also think the English room is very pretty.

#### What is your favourite festival?

I like Christmas as it is exciting to give and receive presents.





**Miss Rachel** 



### Miss Claudia



# **Meeting New P.1 Students**



Our English Express Team has interviewed a P.1 student from each class. Let's meet them together! Class 1A





Nicholas in my class What is your favourite animal? I like dogs because they are







## Class 1C

What is your English name? Tyler Who is your best friend? Samson in my class What is your favourite colour? I like red because it is very beautiful.



Tyler was interviewed by Sasha, 5B









What is your English name? Cleo Who is your best friend? Aga of 1E What is your favourite animal? I like wolves because they are smart.



Cleo was interviewed by Kolinna, 5B

## Class 1D

What is your English name? Usagi Who is your best friend? Angelina in my class Nhat is your favourite animal? I like rabbits because they are lovely.



### Class 1E

What is your English name? Chloe Who is your best friend? Ayden in my class Who is your favourite cartoon character?

I like all the princesses because they are beautiful and I want to be a princess when I grow up.



Chloe was interviewed by Eugenia, 5E

Usagi was interviewed by Kini, 5A



# **Star Student Awards**

Mr Gavin has chosen a star student from all of the classes he teaches. These students always try their best in English lessons and they are polite and hard-working.

Miss Rachel and Miss Claudia will choose their own star students in the coming issues.



Jerry 5A Allen 5A Cinda 5A Kini 5A Kolinna 5B

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Sasha 5B

Anna 5E

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Eugenia