

# HONG KONG CHRISTIAN SERVICE PARIO KINDERGARTEN (SHATIN) APPLICATION FORM (2020-2021)

Child's  
Photo

Office use only:  
Submission date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Application fee:  Cash  
 Cheque (No: \_\_\_\_\_)  
Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_  
Application No: \_\_\_\_\_

## 1. CHILD INFORMATION

Name in Chinese		Name in English	
Date of Birth	/ / (dd/mm/yyyy)	Sex	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Place of Birth		HK Birth Certificate / Passport No.	
Residential Address			
Residential Phone No.		E-mail Address	
Class Applied for	<input type="checkbox"/> K1 (3-4 yrs old) <input type="checkbox"/> K2 (4-5 yrs old) <input type="checkbox"/> K3 (5-6 yrs old)		
	<input type="checkbox"/> A.M. <input type="checkbox"/> P.M. <input type="checkbox"/> Whole Day		<i>Fill in numbers to indicate your preferences (1 is the most preferred, 2 is less preferred, and so on)</i>

## 2. PARENTS INFORMATION

	Father	Mother
Name	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(*Please put a "✓" in the box for contact person)		
Occupation		
Work District		
Mobile Phone		
Religion / Church		
Relative in case parents cannot be reached :		
Name :	Relationship :	Contact No. :
Correspondence Address	<i>(If your residential address is <b>NOT</b> the same as your correspondence address, please indicate below)</i>	

- ★ Please put a "✓" in the appropriate boxes
- ★ The application form is required to be filled by child's parents or guardian. Information provided in this application form will be used for the selection of applicants for admission to the school. In accordance with the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance, information of unsuccessful applicants will be destroyed after the completion of the entire admission exercise.

- ★ Please put a "✓" in the appropriate box to choose the way of receiving application information from our school:
    - By post (Please submit the form together with five self-addressed and child-name-stated envelopes with \$2.00 postage stamp affixed on each.)
    - By E-mail (Please state the email address accurately in "Child Information" section. The receipt of the application fee will be distributed on Information Seminar. Should parents wish to get the receipt in advance, please submit the form together with one self-addressed and child-name-stated envelope with \$2.00 postage stamp affixed on.)
- Please turn the page →**

### 3. OTHERS INFORMATION

Previous/Present School : _____ Class : _____
Name of applicant's sibling(s) currently studying in our school : _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Class : ____ / <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate (Year: _____)
Family Status : ____ Brother(s) ____ Sister(s) ____ School of Sibling(s) : _____)
Child Take Care By : <input type="checkbox"/> Parents <input type="checkbox"/> Grand-Father/Mother <input type="checkbox"/> Maid <input type="checkbox"/> Others : _____
How long do you stay with your child every day? What would you do with your child in weekends or holidays?
Any activities have your child participated in?(e.g.: Playgroup)
Please specify clearly if your child has any food/drug allergy or needs special care, so that we can pay attention to.

### 4. PARENTS QUESTIONNAIRE

4.1 What is your expectation about your child studying in our school?

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4.2 What kinds of parent-child activity would you expect from our school?

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4.3 How did you know our school ?

- Internet  Banner  Phone inquiry  Friends  Sibling(s) study in this school  
 Others : \_\_\_\_\_

4.4 The reason(s) of applying our school.(can select more than one answer)

- Close to residence  Experienced teachers  Good Reputation  School Culture  
 School environment  Religion  Appreciate our teaching style  Confident to our institution  
 Recommended by relatives/siblings  Others : \_\_\_\_\_

4.5 Opinions of our school tenet in Christian :

- Strongly agree  Agree  Neutral  Others: \_\_\_\_\_

\*I declare that all information provided in this form is accurate and complete.

★ Please put a "✓" in the appropriate boxes

Guardian signature : \_\_\_\_\_ Date : \_\_\_\_\_

# HONG KONG CHRISTIAN SERVICE PARIO KINDERGARTEN (SHATIN) Application Guide

## Application Procedure

1. **Completed application forms should be submitted to school in person or by post.**
  - ◆ All the blanks in the application form **MUST BE COMPLETED**, and with child's photo attached.
  - ◆ Application fee of HK\$40. This is a **non-refundable, non-transferable administration fee. Please pay in *cash or cheque only*.** (Cheque made payable to the "Hong Kong Christian Service Pario Kindergarten" with child's name stated on the back of the cheque.) ***Remember not to pay in cash by post.***
  - ◆ For applicant choosing to receive information by post, please submit the form together with five self-addressed and child-name-stated envelopes with \$2 postage stamp affixed on each. (*Please ensure payment of sufficient postage or your application will be disregarded.*)
  - ◆ Only hard copy documentation will be accepted.
2. You will receive the application number through the means you selected for receiving information after one week of your submission. Please note down your application number for future reference.
3. Application Deadline: 25<sup>th</sup> October 2019
  - ◆ Count as the postmark date.
  - ◆ Admission assessment **may not** be arranged if the application form submitted after deadline.
4. Parents who submit the application before deadline will be invited to attend the Information Seminar on middle-November, 2019 in order to know more about the routine of the school.

## Interview Format

1. Interview Date : Early December, 2019
  - ◆ For the detailed interview arrangement, parents will be informed by the means you selected for receiving information three weeks before interview dates.
  - ◆ Group interview
  - ◆ Mainly in Cantonese (English and Mandarin is available if children are needed)
2. For fair admission opportunity, all qualified applicants (submission before 25<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2019) will be arranged for interview
  - ◆ Interview will be arranged for children who are at least 2 years 8 months old on or before 1<sup>st</sup> Sep 2020 only
  - ◆ Children who are absent for or do not complete the interview without any notification in advance will have their school places surrendered.

## Admission Criteria

1. Children performance in the interview.
2. Sibling(s) studying in the school will be in priority.
3. Parent(s) or sibling(s) being a graduate of the school will be in priority.

*\*\*Children who study in the school will be first considered.*

## Results Announcement and Registration Details:

1. Results announcement: The results will be send to the parents before late-December 2019, according to the contact method selected by the parents (post / email). If there's any accommodation after the registration, we will contact parents in our waiting list by phone call as soon as possible.
2. Registration Arrangement: For those successful applications, please bring along with the registration certificate / admission permit and the registration fee \$970 (half-day class)/ \$1,570 (full-day class) to our school for registration during the centralized registration dates (to be confirmed) as the guidance of the Education Bureau.
3. Should there are accommodation available after registration, we will inform the children on waiting list through phone call.
4. Should parents decided to cancel the school registration, parents are required to inform the school in writing. School will return the registration certificate within one week but the registration fee is NOT refundable. School will NOT retain the accommodation for the child.

# HONG KONG CHRISTIAN SERVICE

## PARIO KINDERGARTEN (SHATIN)

Since 1952, Hong Kong Christian Service (HKCS) has been working towards a humane and just society. We uphold the vision of "Towards a Benevolent and Just Society, Holistic Development for All" and provide early childhood education service for family in Hong Kong over 40 years. We have 9 nursery schools, 2 kindergartens and 1 preschool with suitable, professional and quality services genuinely. We merge and apply child developmental theories and different early childhood education findings into the curriculums and programs in order to inspire children's creativity and critical reasoning. We enrich and improve early childhood education that children can be nurture and grow up with the changing society.

### 1. Mission

- Childhood is a unique and precious stage of our lives. Our mission is to provide our children with a safe, healthy, interesting and interactive environment.
- We respect children's individuality, we will also help children develop their ability of self care and learn how to co-operate with each other while promote their self esteem.
- Through quality services, we offer our children an all-round development.

### 2. Objectives

- To promote balanced intellectual, physical, emotional and social development of children, encourage their enthusiasm for learning, and establish good habits of daily lives. The purposes of doing so are to prepare them for entering into schools by achieving a balanced growth both physically and emotionally.
- To nurture their artistic senses by organizing enjoyable cultural events.
- To assist working parents in educating and taking care of their children, so that they can have peace of mind when going to work.
- Some corporations also provide child-care services to their staff and their children.

### 3. Target Service Recipients

Children aged three to six (Medical certificate issued by registered doctor).

### 4. Curriculums

- Children oriented curriculums and programs designed according to children development, ability and interest.
- Activity approach, Initiate children's self-determining abilities by theme and project study.
- Children make use of their creativity, analyzing ability and adventurous spirits to experience and attain knowledge.

### 5. Parent-School Cooperation

Parent-school cooperation is the goal of the school. We develop intimate interactions between parents through parents talk, parent representatives meeting, parent-child activities and so on. Parents have in-depth understanding toward children through learning report and portfolio.

### 6. Professionals

We employ teachers who love children and have been professionally trained for pre-school services.

### 7. Health Meal

We encourage healthy eating habit and lifestyle. The meals are specifically designed by pediatrician and dietitian to ensure balance nutrition. There are breakfast, lunch, tea and fruit for children everyday from the school kitchen.

### 8. Scope of Services

- Half-Day Kindergarten Education Service
- Whole-Day Kindergarten Education Service

### 9. Service Hour

Kindergarten Service:

Monday – Friday

- A.M. – 8:30 am to 12 noon
- P.M. – 1 pm to 4:30 pm
- Whole Day – 9 am to 4:30 pm

※ Close for Saturday, Sunday and public holidays.

※ School holiday for Christmas, Lunar New Year and Summer etc. will be announced in advance.

### 10. School Fee

Under the "Free Quality Kindergarten Education Scheme", our half day class is fully subsidized by EDB, our whole day class is also partially subsidized by EDB and the amount of school fee is authorized by EDB. Parents can apply for "Kindergarten and Child Care Centre Fee Remission Scheme" of Student Finance Office. 2019-2020 authorized school fee is listed below for reference:

- ※ Half – Day (K1 – K3 children who are in the scheme )
  - \$0 /month
- ※ Whole – Day (K1 – K3 children who are in the scheme )
  - \$1,830 /month (Included Meal Charge \$430)