

## Report of the Standing Committee on Civic Education 2016

1. The Standing Committee on Civic Education has 42 members. The Standing Committee mainly operates the School Talks Programme and the Court Visits Programme for secondary school students in Hong Kong.
2. This is the tenth year in which the Standing Committee on Civic Education had operated the School Talks Programme and the Court Visits Programme (following on the good work done previously by the Secondary Schools Talk Project). A total of 6 schools participated in the School Talks Programme and 42 schools participated in the Court Visits Programme this year.
3. During Court Visits, students observed court proceedings in the High Court under the supervision of members of our committee, followed by a debriefing session where students listened to explanation of the proceedings they had just seen, and were encouraged to ask any questions they wanted concerning the legal system and the profession. During School Talks, our members speak to senior students on a wide range of topics concerning the Rule of Law and topics concerning young people.
4. Our programme has grown from strength to strength. In particular, following the Occupation Movement in 2014 and a number of controversial issues concern the legal system and the concept of the Rule of Law in 2015, schools have shown unprecedented interest in our Programme. Many schools have become our regular supporters, and the number of participating schools continued to rise. Insightful, mature and piercing questions were raised by students – and teachers - on issues of constitutional law and civil liberties. We are heartened by the responses shown by the younger generation during the visits and talks.
5. Past experience shows that there is difficulty in finding members to take up Court Visits on an *ad hoc* basis. Therefore, we have designed a roster system whereby members of the Standing Committee will be assigned to take up Court Visits on specified dates. If any member assigned is not available to take up any of the assigned visit, he or she would be responsible for arranging for another barrister to help out. With the full cooperation among members of the Standing Committee, this roster system has been proven a great success.
6. A list of participating schools from **22<sup>nd</sup> January 2016 to 19<sup>th</sup> January 2017** is attached to this report. The table includes schools who have taken part in the School Talks Programme and the Court Visit Programme. We hope that our programmes will continue to grow next year and in the years to come.
7. I would like to thank all the members of the Standing Committee, staff members of the Bar (particularly Doreen and Jessica) as well as other members of the Bar and the Judiciary who have selflessly dedicated their time and effort in helping in the programmes and making them such a success.

Hectar Pun, SC  
Chairman  
Standing Committee on Civic Education

21 December 2016

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**List of participating schools from the last AGM 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2016 to 19<sup>th</sup> January 2017**

<b><u>Name of School (English)</u></b>	<b><u>Name of School (Chinese)</u></b>
Baptist Lui Ming Choi Secondary School	浸信會呂明才中學
Belilios Public School	庇理羅士女子中學
Buddhist Mau Fung Memorial College	佛教茂峰法師紀念中學
Chan Shu Kui Memorial School	陳樹渠紀念中學
Clementi Secondary School	金文泰中學
De La Salle Secondary School NT	新界喇沙中學
Diocesan Girls' School	拔萃女書院
Fung Kai No.1 Secondary School	鳳溪第一中學
Good Hope School	德望學校
HK & KLN KFWA Sun Fong Chung College	港九街坊婦女會孫方中書院
HK SKH Bishop Hall Secondary School	香港聖公會何明華會督中學
HKCWC Fung Yiu King Memorial Secondary School	香港中國婦女會馮堯敬紀念中學
HKFEW Wong Cho Bau Secondary School	香港教育工作者聯會黃楚標中學
HKTA Tang Hin Memorial Secondary School	香港道教聯合會鄧顯紀念中學
Holy Trinity College	寶血會上智英文書院
Island School	港島中學
King's College	英皇書院
Kwun Tong Government Secondary School	觀塘官立中學
La Salle College	喇沙書院
Leung Shek Chee College	梁式芝書院
Liu Po Shan Memorial College	廖寶珊紀念書院
LKWFSL Lau Wong Fat Secondary School	世界龍岡學校劉皇發中學
Lok Sin Tong Ku Chiu Man Secondary School	樂善堂顧超文中學
Methodist College	循道中學
Ning Po College	寧波公學
Ning Po No.2 College	寧波第二中學
Pentecostal School	五旬節中學
Po Leung Kuk Laws Foundation College	保良局羅氏基金中學
Pope Paul VI College	保祿六世書院
Pui Tak Canossian College	嘉諾撒培德書院

<b><u>Name of School (English)</u></b>	<b><u>Name of School (Chinese)</u></b>
Sha Tin Government Secondary School	沙田官立中學
Sing Yin Secondary School	聖言中學
SKH Lam Woo Memorial Secondary School	聖公會林護紀念中學
SKH Lui Ming Choi Secondary School	聖公會呂明才中學
St Antonius Girls' College	聖安當女書院
St Mark's School	聖馬可中學
St Rose of Lima's College	聖羅撒書院
St Stephen's College	聖士提反書院
St Stephen's Girls' College	聖士提反女子中學
Tack Ching Girls' Secondary School	德貞女子中學
Tsuen Wan Public Ho Chuen Yiu Memorial College	荃灣公立何傳耀紀念中學
Tsung Tsin Christian Academy	基督教崇真中學
United Christian College (Kowloon East)	匯基書院（東九龍）
VTC Youth College (Tin Shui Wai)	職業訓練局青年學院(天水圍)
Ying Wa College	英華書院