

# Kindergarten Education Scheme

## School-based Learning Activity of Chinese Culture

Name of School Yan Chai Hospital Yau Oi Kindergarten/Child Care Centre

School Year 2023-2024

Grade Level K3

### Name of Activity

Guided Tour & Letterpress Printing Experience Workshop@ Hong Kong Open Press

### Objective(s)

- Learning about the Four Great Inventions of China (paper making)
- Experiencing the Process of Printing Text and Drawings Using Printing Technology
- Cultivating Students' Appreciation for the Wisdom and Techniques of Ancient Chinese People

### Brief Descriptions:

On May 8th, the K3 children visited the Movable Type Workshop and learned about different printing presses from various eras, as well as the tools required for movable type printing and their unique characteristics. The instructor demonstrated how to arrange the individual movable type characters on the typesetting tray, explaining that the grooves on the characters help identify their orientation. They also showed the use of "melon beaters" for spacing, "lead strips" for line spacing, and "flower needles" for adding decorative patterns.

**Record of Activity** (E.g. Children's Work / Photos / Videos of the activity)



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