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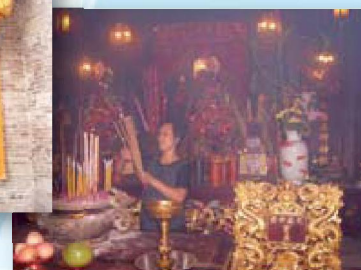
17th September, 2008

Dear Diary,

Last Monday I went on a school day-trip. First we went to the train museum (which was built in 1913) where we learned more information about trains in other countries. The most important displays are the rolling stock and railway memorabilia.



Second, we went to Man Mo Temple (which was built in 1892). Located on Fu Shin Street, the temple was built nearly a century ago. This temple serves as a major centre of worship for the Tai Po area. It serves as a place to settle town affairs and discuss religious matters for Tai Wo Market.



Third, we went to Old District Office North, built around 1907. Until 1961, the building still housed a magistrate's court. This typical turn-of-the-century, colonial-style building was one of the first examples of Western architecture in the NT. But nowadays we cannot go inside because it is used by the Boy Scouts.

Lastly, the Activity of the Day, we had a class skipping competition. We all played happily today.

Fung Man



4D Tsang Cho Kiu, Mercury

16th April, 2009

I have enjoyed this wonderful Easter holiday with my friends. However, I've spent much money during the holiday.

On 9th April, I had a barbecue with my friends – Venus Chan, Ng Tsz Yan, Cheung Yun, Mars Cheung, Matthew Ma and Jupiter Law in Tai Mei Tuk, Tai Po. We started at about 1 p.m. The weather was quite hot and I was glad that I had brought a towel. Unfortunately, Yan started to use a bottle of water to sprinkle at Mars and Matthew. They ran away as fast as possible. Finally, Matthew got hurt by a stone chair. Mars was the poorest one, his light grey T-shirt almost became dark grey.

Yan thought that was still not enough. She rubbed her hands with the charcoal and tried to catch Mars' arms and she succeeded. Mars' arms became dirty. Jupiter rubbed his hands with charcoal, too. He attacked Yan and her arms became dirty, too. The boys thought Yan was crazy, therefore they took away Yan's belongings, a bag and a jacket. However, Yan didn't stop, she continued to attack the boys.

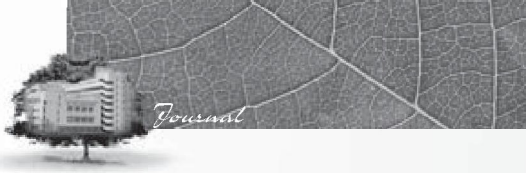
So, did Miss Choi discover that Venus and I were safe? We just sat there and watched the war between Yan and the boys.

This holiday I almost spent half of the time with them. I love Easter without much homework, especially Mathematics and Additional Mathematics homework.

- Jupiter rubbed his hands with charcoal and showed them to Matthew and Mars.



- Poor Mars in light and dark grey T-shirt.

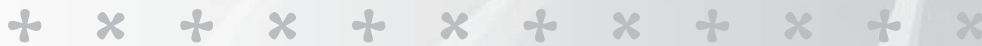


1B Lau Hiu Yi



Today is my birthday. My relatives come to my home to celebrate with me.

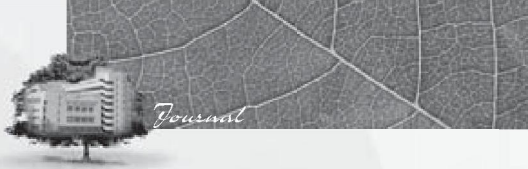
My mum and my relatives were very happy but I was not. I was afraid of my relatives. I was just a little girl. Both my dog, Luck and I, were very scared. Aunt Mary stepped on Luck's back and Luck couldn't move. But Aunt Mary was chatting with Aunt Peggy. Uncle Tom was bored. He saw a bee flying into my home and he wanted to kill it. My cousin Jack was holding some slices of cake. He put a slice of cake on the table in front of Luck. And he wanted to give his father another slice of cake and a cup of tea. But a building block was in front of his feet. I wanted to stop him but I didn't know how to speak. So, he fell on the floor. The tea and the cake dropped onto the floor. My home was so messy then. I wanted to run away. I hope my relatives will not come to my home next year.



1B Li Man Chong



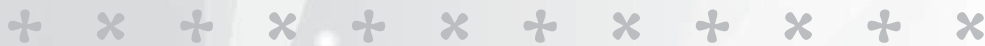
It was a fun day in my home. All my family members gathered at the sitting room and did their things. My grandmother was knitting and the ball of yarn was on the floor. The cat saw the ball and caught it. The cat's tail was tied with the baby's toy. The toy fell on the baby. He was scared and his milk splashed onto my brother's face. My brother fell down because he stepped on a toy car. The cake fell onto my younger brother and his gun shot my cousin and he hit my father. My father hit the bee and the bee stung the dog and it frightened all the family members. Finally, the pot hit my mother. It was a fun day just because my grandmother was knitting and caused all these things. It was the funniest day in my memory. But I was so lucky that I did not get hurt.



1B Tse Chi Wai



Last Sunday, my family and I went to a classical music concert in Hong Kong. The theatre was beautiful and we sat in it. The concert started thirty minutes later. The first one was Chopin's music. It was a wonderful piece and I liked it very much. My father and mother fell asleep ten minutes later. I asked them why they were asleep. 'As the music was wonderful,' they answered. I found it was a funny answer.



1B Tse Chi Wai

17th September, 2008

Dear Diary,

Last Saturday, I spent the day with my new friend Cindy. We had a great time. Let me tell you about it. First, I met Cindy at the University MTR station at half past eleven in the morning. My brother and sister were with me. We went to Ocean Park for the whole day. It was a lot of fun. Cindy was drenched to the bone when we played Raging River. She looked very cute.

Then it was time for lunch. Cindy, my brother, sister and I went to the KFC in Ocean Park. We all ordered the chicken combo, I thought, because the chicken was big and tasty.

After that, we went to see the Sea Jelly Spectacular. There were more than 1000 jellyfish of all sizes, shapes and colours from all over the world. Next, we went to Atoll Reef, which has been designed with the theme of Indo-Pacific Coral Island. It is home to around 1500 species of fish, including sharks.

In the evening, we left Ocean Park at six o'clock. Then we went to Mong Kok to have dinner. We went to a noodle shop. Finally, it was time for us to go home, so we walked to the MTR station. I'm glad we spent the day together and I hope we can do it again sometime soon.

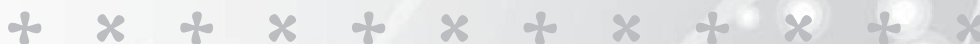
Theresa



1B Vong Chung Hei



Many people visited us during Chinese New Year holidays. They were cousins, grandmother, etc. My cousins were very naughty because they liked playing tricks on people. Our grandmothers chatted together. One of the grandmothers held a cup of tea in her hand so that she felt the warmth. My cousins were shooting the toy guns. They hurt my little sister's eyes. So my little sister cried out loudly. My mum cooked many yummy dishes to us. I felt very proud of my mother. I had a very unforgettable experience.



1C Pun Chi Wing

17th September, 2008

Dear Diary,

Last Saturday, I spent the day with my new friend Kenneth. We had a great time. Let me tell you about it. First, I met Kenneth at Tai Po Centre at nine o'clock in the morning. We had breakfast at KFC. After that, we did some exercises in the park. That was a lot of fun. In the park, we had a race. I lost. Kenneth is really a very good runner!

In the afternoon, we went to a Japanese restaurant for lunch. Kenneth ordered sushi and soup noodles. I ordered them, too. The food was delicious. After that, we went shopping with my family. We bought some things. Then we played badminton and football in Fun Shin Sports Centre. Kenneth told me some jokes when we took a rest.

In the evening, Kenneth and I went back to my home. We had dinner at my place. My mother cooked dinner for us and Kenneth and I helped her. We had seafood for dinner. It was delicious. I felt very happy because Kenneth and I each bought a T-shirt. I had a nice day with Kenneth. I hope we can do it again sometime soon.

Chi Wing



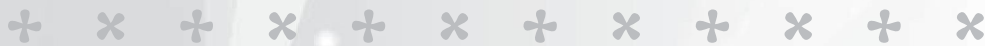
1C Chan Yan Ting



Yesterday, Zeus and I went to a famous park for a picnic. The park was on a wonderful island. I looked up the clouds and the sun. The weather was great. It was very peaceful there. I saw some people playing ball games and walking a dog.

Zeus saw a baby carriage going to fall into a pond. He saved the baby and the woman thanked him very much.

I was afraid that Zeus might fall into the pond too. Finally, he was saved, too. He said that was the greatest thing he did in his life.

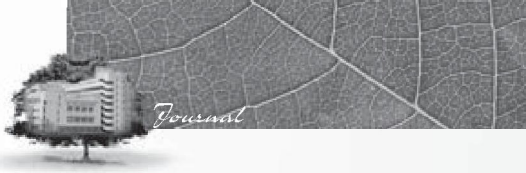


1C Mo Hiu Lam



My relatives and I went on a picnic during summer holidays.

It was a bivouac, so we put up a tent to sleep at night. My cousins played with a cow on the grassplot. Suddenly, they made the cow angry. The cow ran to them. They were frightened, so they ran away. Our parents wanted to make some food to eat, so they found some firewood to set a campfire. There was a plane in the sky. The exhaust fume formed a letter 'H'. It was so funny. It made us laugh. They found it funny. That place was refrigerant and made us relaxed. We could enjoy the nature there and the air was very clean. So, I loved there and I was very happy that I could camp there. If I live there, I will be healthy.



1C Pun Chi Wing

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Today, my family and relatives went on a picnic. We camped on the hill. We had a lot of fun there. I cooked food with my father. It was interesting. It was the first time I cooked in the wild. It was fun. My cousin played tricks with my sister. They were happy and laughed. My brother enjoyed the view and drew a picture. We played “hide and seek” and badminton. We had dinner together after the games. It was delicious. It was a wonderful day. I had fun with my family and relatives. We played together happily. I wanted to go on a picnic again.

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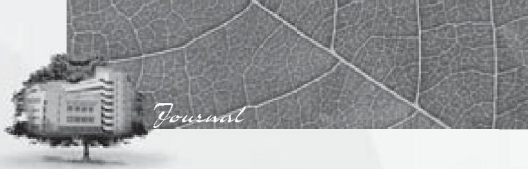
1C So Lok Yin

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Last Sunday, my family and I had a wild camp. The air there was very fresh. It was a good place for camping. My mother put up a tent after we had arrived there. I was so excited about it. Then my father made our dinner. Uncle took the firewood responsibly. My father was good at cooking. Our dinner was yummy.

My sister and I chased each other. Suddenly, a cow chased us. We were frightened and ran away. When we were running, we saw a boy playing a tele-controlled airplane, but it seemed to be out of control and fell down from the sky.

It was my first camping experience. I would never forget.



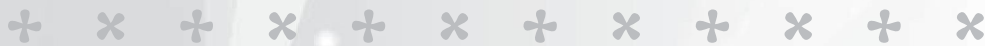
1C Wong Chun Long



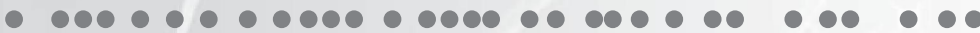
My family went for a wild camp during Easter holidays.

We arrived at the camping area and met some friends. They were brothers and they had a dog. They were very friendly and helpful. They were all very experienced campers. They helped us and taught us how to put up a tent and light up a campfire. They impressed me a lot.

On the third day, something very exciting happened. A cow ran up to two boys. But they were lucky, because we called the police to solve the problem. Finally, we knew that the boys wore red t-shirts and trousers, so the cow was irritated and ran up to them.



2A Lo Fuk Ying, Iris



The teacher that inspired me most is my class teacher and mathematics teacher, Miss Wong. She is thin and tall. She has long curly hair. She always wears a dress. I think she is good at matching her clothes.

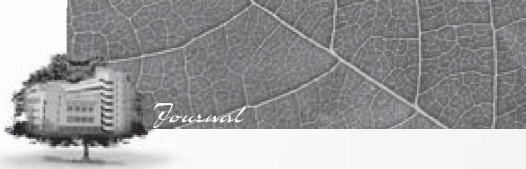
She is a kind-hearted teacher. She helps me to improve my Maths. Although she gives us a lot of homework, she wants us to get higher grades. She helps me to solve problems such as friendship.

I am grateful to Miss Wong for all that she had done. I appreciate her teaching attitude. In addition, she is friendly. I always tell her secrets and she makes me happy.

Her personality inspires me. She is nice to students and I should be nice to other people.

Her birthday is in January. I have prepared a present with my friends. I hope she will be happy.





2B Lau Yin Yu

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18th March, 2009

Dear Mr. Chow,

First, let me introduce myself. My name is Emily Lau. I am the Promotion Prefect of Sun Fong Chung College. I would like to invite you to give a talk about yourself in our seminar. It will be held on 6th March.

It will be our honour if you could attend our seminar. It would be wonderful if our students can learn from your story of success. After the seminar, there will be a Question & Answer session. Refreshments prepared by our students will be served after the talk.

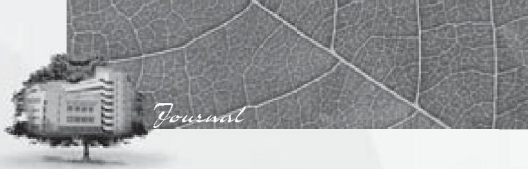
If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 26567123. All of my fellow students look forward to seeing you!

Yours sincerely,

Emily Lau



1B Chow Cheuk Him



2B Shek Lok Yi



18th March, 2009

Dear Diary,

It was such a terrible night!

Mary and Cherry invited me to a party. However, I had nothing to wear. I needed some new and trendy clothes. So I went to a mall to do some shopping. I had to choose some unique and trendy clothes. I hoped I can get some compliments from the people at the party.

I saw a black dress in a boutique. I went into the boutique and tried it on. But the dress was too small. It did not fit me and it was so tight. Then I went to another shop. I noticed a trendy red dress. I loved it indeed. So I decided to buy it. I put it on and wore it to the party.

I reached the ballroom at eight o'clock. I was looking around to see what people were wearing for the night. I was shocked as I saw Mary and Cherry were in the same red dress. I was so upset and embarrassed. I thought I had to spend more time looking for the right clothes.

Time to bed now

Goodnight, Diary!

Lok Yi



2B Yim Lai Hung

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18th March, 2009

Dear Diary,

It was such a terrible night! It was the most terrible moment!

Amy invited me to a party. I looked at the clothes in my wardrobe. I discovered my dress were old and not fashionable. They were also tight. I had nothing to wear to the party.

In the afternoon, I went shopping in a nearby shopping mall. I wanted to find a suitable dress to the party. I saw many different dresses in the boutiques. I found a stylish one. It was purple. But it did not fit me. It was too tight. I left the shop and went to another boutique. I saw another red dress. It was cool. I decided to buy it. I thought I would be the most glamorous girl at the party.

When I arrived at the ballroom, I noticed there were already many people. I looked around to and I tried to look for my friends. I hoped I could get some compliments from them. Then I saw three girls wearing the same red dress that I was wearing. I was so embarrassed. The other guests saw us four girls wearing the same dress. They laughed loudly. I left the party. I did not want to stay there any longer.

I was like a fool. Next time, I will choose to wear a unique suit.

Time for bed now.

Goodnight, Diary.

Lai Hung

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2C Keung Lok Heng, Justin

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My favourite shopping centre is In's Point shopping centre. It is located at the junction of Waterloo Road and Shanghai Street. The reason that I love shopping there is that there are a lot of toys such as Legos and Star Wars figures, which are my favourites. Although the toys there might not be cheaper than those in other shopping centres, they have a lot of choices for you!

The biggest reason that I am surprised is there are a lot of old things! If you want to buy some old toys that you could only buy in the past, you can find them there! Although In's Point shopping centre is very small and old, in my opinion, it's better than other shopping centres. It's the best place that I have ever been!



To be a leader, you should be a very confident person and know how to work with others. Last summer, I joined a training camp for the house captains and committee members in my school. The aim of the camp was to let us know our strengths and weaknesses. We also learnt to be patient and nice to others.

The focus of the camping trip was to train students to be leaders in school. We learnt to solve problems by completing tasks in different activities. One of the activities was night walk. Before the walk, our teacher divided us into two groups. He gave each group one simple map which just showed the starting and finishing points. We were also given some hints to find our way. I was in Group 2. In my group, some of the members were afraid of darkness at night. It was dark and we could not use our flash lights. After a while, our eyes adapted to the darkness and we could see things gradually. My group members were all scared and there was no leader to guide us, we reached the destination slower than the other groups. Our teacher, Mr. Yiu encouraged us. Then we walked faster. We walked along the bridge. We could see Yuen Long. The view at night was terrific. We were not scared anymore, and we walked faster. Finally we reached our destination.

In this activity, I discovered that my group members' mood could be changed easily. We should give encouragement to others. Then, we could finish the trip more quickly.

In the second activity, students in each group had to pour water into a bottle. Inside the bottle, there was a small ball. We had to keep pouring water into the bottle until the ball left the bottle. It was a difficult task. I had a lot of arguments with other group members. In the end, we succeeded. We learnt that we had to listen to others' opinions and find the best way to finish the task. We had to trust other members.

I built up a close relationship with the other house captains and I learnt a lot from this camping trip. It prepared me to be a successful house captain. So it was a meaningful camping trip. I will never forget the days all the house captains worked together.



Have you ever been to Nanjing before? Nanjing is a city which is full of historical sites and traditional culture. Have you ever tried the great food in restaurants in Wuxi? Last Christmas, I visited many historical sites and the sister school of Sun Fong Chung College with my schoolmates. In this article, I will tell you about the great places you have never visited before and the stories you have never heard before.

In Wuxi, we visited the Grand Canal of China, Lake Tai, Yixin and Dongli Academy. In Nanjing, we went to Dr. Sun Yat-sen Mausoleum and Gate of China. When I visited The Nanjing Massacre Memorial Hall, the things I saw struck me. I would never forget the terrible things the Japanese had done to my fellow countrymen. I felt so upset about all the things that happened.

On a cold day, we visited the Luo She High School. The school was so big. I couldn't imagine the size of the school before the visit. There were many students and teachers at school. I had two lessons with the students there. The first lesson was Chinese Language. Their Chinese language skills were excellent. The second lesson was a P.E. lesson. It seemed the students there were having their extra-curricular activities. Then came the highlight of the day. Doris, my classmate, and I went to visit a local family. I had lunch with that family. I had a chance to try the local food. The hosts were so nice. They kept cooking us many great dishes. After lunch, my tummy was full. Then they took us to the park and shot many photos. I thought the people in Wuxi were really nice. They gave us gifts. I would never forget them.

The next day, we visited the Nanjing Massacre Memorial Museum. Over three hundred thousand Nanjing Residents were massacred by the Japanese Army in December 1937. The Japanese Army were very cruel. They killed babies, children, adults and the elderly. They did not have mercy. Still, the Japanese Government has not apologized to the Chinese victims.

I learnt so many things about the history of Nanjing. I had a great time with my classmates. The people in Nanjing were so nice and it was indeed a memorable journey. I will never forget this trip for my whole life.



Last year I visited my grandparents' ancestral village in the New Territories. After I had arrived at the village, I found that the area had been abandoned for a long time. When I walked around, I could not see any people in the village. I felt so scared because I suspected there might be some ghosts following me.

It took me three hours to get there. I had to go there by bus for about thirty minutes, and then by ferry for twenty minutes. After that, I had to take the MTR for fifty minutes. At last, I even had to take a taxi to get there. When I arrived there, I had already spent \$300 dollars. It was so expensive! But it was alright because this was my first time to visit my grandparents' place.

I strolled along this old village. Suddenly, I saw a woman sitting on a bench. I could not see her face but I heard her giggling to herself. The sound really freaked me out.

I walked and walked, and finally I saw my grandparents' house. There were a lot of tall grasses around the house. The house was big and was in a good condition. There were eleven rooms in the house. I was very surprised because I had never seen such a big house before.

I entered one of the rooms and lied on the bed. The bed was very comfortable. I was looking at the ceiling for a while. All of a sudden, I could feel that the bed was rocking hard. The floor was cracking and the closet was bouncing...

'What's happening? Help! ...'

'Wake up, you lazy pig!' my mom yelled. Oh, it was a nightmare only. But where was my grandparents' village? What did the house look like? No one answered me.



4D Ho Wai Yiu



Today was my school outdoor learning day. We went to Lei Yuen Mun Park and Holiday Village.

There were many recreational facilities, including a badminton court, a dancing room, a karaoke room, and an arts and crafts room.

When we arrived at Lei Yue Mun Park and Holiday Village, we listened to the leader's introduction to the park facilities.

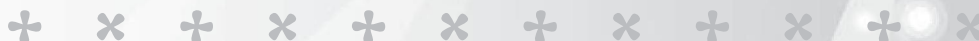
Then, I went to arts and crafts room with Candy and KID (they are in 4B). We made a bangle. It was very colorful, I loved it very much.

And then, we went to the dancing room with Virginia (she is in 4C). Dancing was very difficult for me. I was grateful to the dancing teacher.

After dancing, we went to the canteen for lunch. But we did not sit together.

After lunch, I went to the arts and crafts room with Candy and Virginia again and we made a flower. It looked very funny but beautiful. Then, we went to play squash in the squash court; it was very hard for me because the ball was smaller than the badminton shuttlecock.

Finally, we went back to school. Now, I am tired.



4D Yao Xue Amy



Wow! Wow! Wow! Today is a horrid day! We met a group of monkeys at the bus-stop near the school.

Last Saturday, we went back to school to prepare for the speech festival. On the way home, while Wanie and I were eating candies, I saw a tree bough shaking. Was it a typhoon? Impossible! Oh! It was a monkey! When we saw it, the monkey stared at us, too! He was down the tree fast. And it ran at us. We screamed loudly, threw away the candies immediately and crossed the road. The monkey was clever! He ran to the candy. At first, he was suspicious. He picked it up and looked at it seriously. In a flash, he ate it up in one big bite.....MONSTER.....

We thought it had gone, so we went back to the bus stop. Unfortunately, the monkey brought his mother, father, sister, brother, cousins and so on. THE MONKEYS RETURNED!!

For safety, we got in a taxi and escaped.