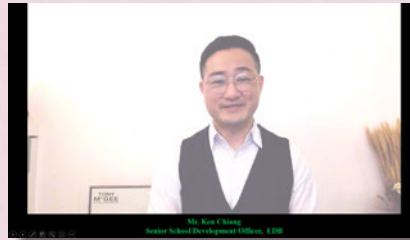


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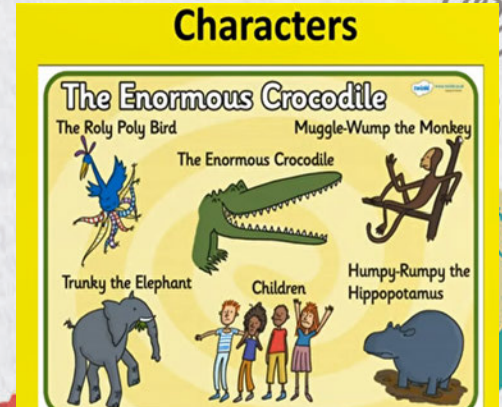
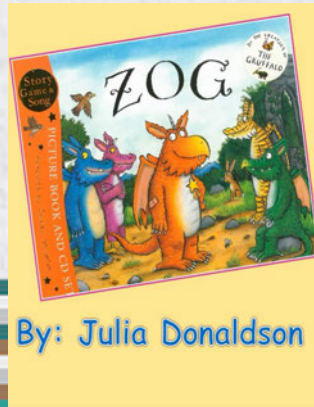
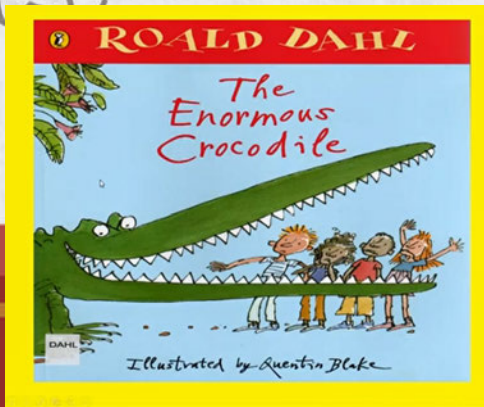
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Adapting to a new mode of English learning amid the challenges of COVID-19

With the COVID-19 pandemic as a context for adopting an innovative mode of learning that transcends boundaries, our “English Party Day” was held on April 23, 2021 to energise our literacy-rich environment and afford students ample opportunities to engage with the use of English to enrich their lives, academically and personally. This event commenced with a virtual opening ceremony officiated by Mr Chiang, Senior Officer of the School-based Curriculum Development Section, Education Bureau, to deliver an opening speech to mark this auspicious occasion and reaffirm the sustained efforts we have made in strides in promoting English learning in the wake of the global pandemic and the extreme circumstances.

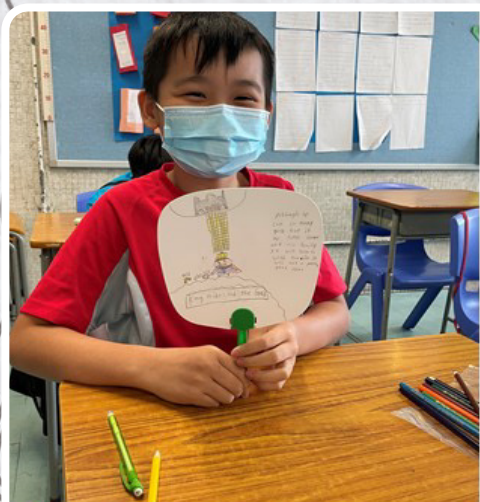
Getting the Best out of Digital Learning



Thanks to the generosity of our affiliated schools, a team of dedicated native-speaking English teachers made the best of digital technology and creativity to relate stories in a lively approach through recorded presentations, captivating the imagination of students while giving them exposure to authentic English in context. It was followed by a thrilling contest in which all the audience tuned in to watch the aspirants narrate children's stories to portray the main character against the background of puppet shows and drawings, putting their literary and artistic talents to good use.

Handiwork Showcasing Artistic Talents

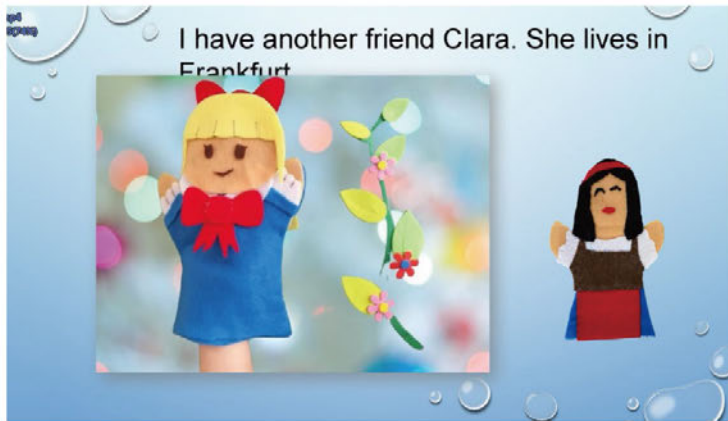
Social distancing and other restrictions in times of a pandemic did not hamper the learning process, but rather presented an opportunity for us to gain new perspectives and transform in meaningful ways. With a shift away from traditional games and booths to class activities, students immersed themselves in sharing their favorite storybook with the close-knit class and creating diversified artwork, ranging from headgear, hand puppets, paper fans, eco-friendly bags, bookmarks to mini-storybooks. In making the virtual event accessible to parents to involve them as much as possible, we invited parents to cast their vote online along with teachers for "My Favorite Story Award", "The Most Confident Interpretation Award" and "The Best Puppet Design Award", among others.



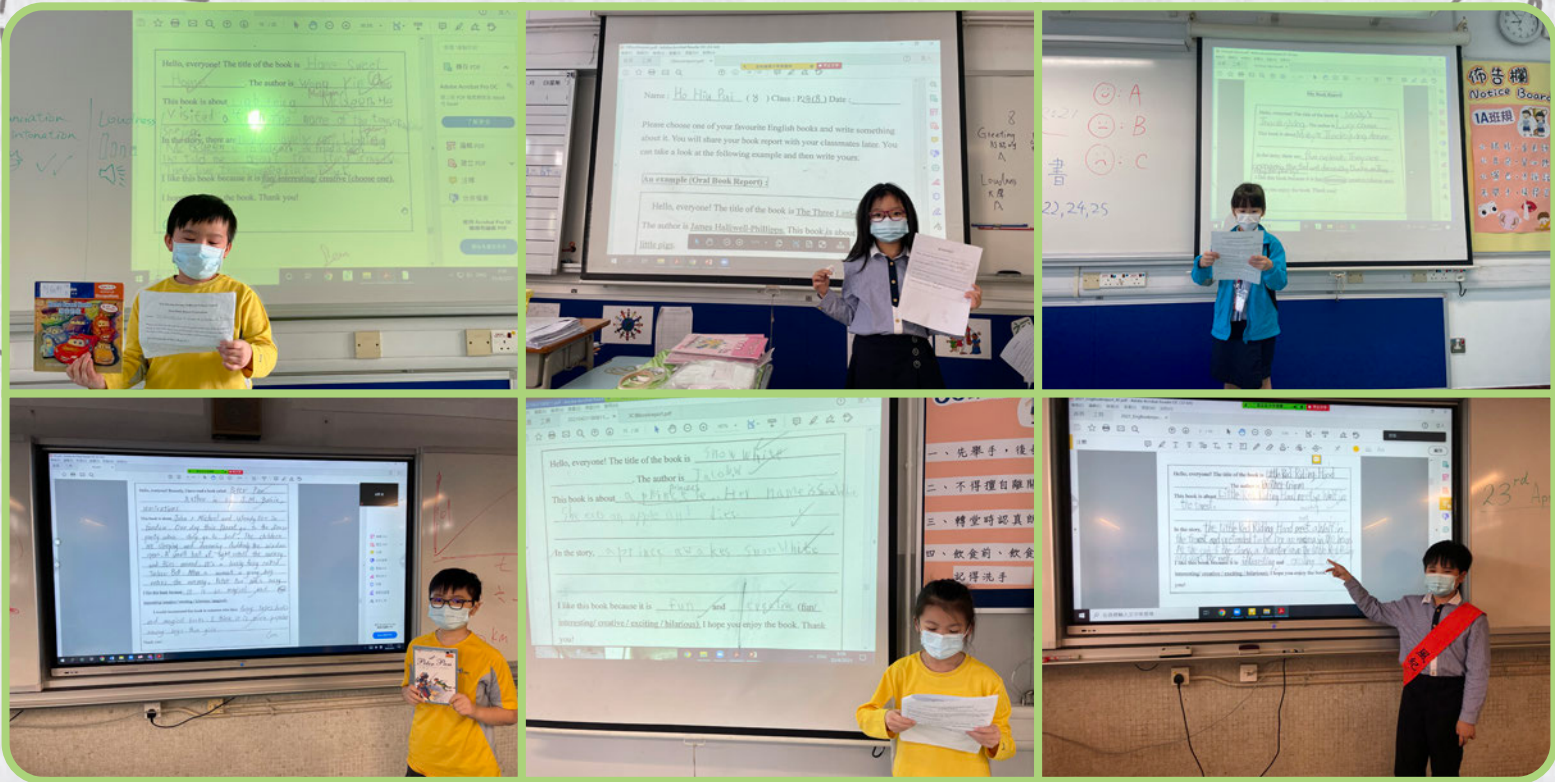


Students Inspiring Passion for English

Building upon the success of our preceding school-wide activities, this event provided us with inspiration and insights into preparing students for a promising future, and it was a great success. Our students had a most enjoyable time, and everyone participated enthusiastically in a wide array of activities. The following are the testimonials of the award-winning students and their parents:



Book Sharing



Budding Stars Leading the Way in Online Voting



Little Red Riding Hood My Favourite Story Sharing



1B Lai Tsz Ying :

I am so happy that I can receive the prize. I hope I can join the similar function next time. Then, I can learn more through the activities.

Parents :

這次活動很開心。在訓練過程中可以增加與芷熒的親子時間及加強了芷熒的說話技巧，希望下次可參加類似的活動。



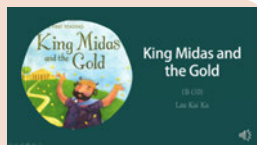
2C Chan Chin Hok:

I am very happy that I can get this good result. I can get the prize from the principal. This is my first time to act in the story. I am thankful for my school.

Parents :

謝謝學校及老師給了這個機會讓我參加了這次的活動。有賴各位喜歡及支持，將來我一定會更加支持，參加學校的各項親子活動。

King Midas and the Gold Most Confident Performance



1B Lau Kai Ka

I am happy to receive this award. Here, I am most grateful to my mother, because she carefully taught me some of the difficult words I do not understand.

Parents :

好多謝老師推薦女兒參加英文活動得獎，十分開心！得到老師的鼓勵，參加比賽後，女兒也變得喜歡了英文科。希望日後的上課日子，有更加多體驗和教導！

The North Wind and the Sun Most Confident Performance



1D Chou Chun Nok Lawrence:

I am very happy and excited. Thank you teachers for helping me to get this award. Also, thanks to my classmates who voted for me.

Parents :

Without teachers' daily knowledge and teaching, my son would not have been able to achieve this award. My son is very proud to be one of your student in Class 1D. Once again, thank you to the school for educating the whole class to a high standard under this tough COVID-19 year.

Goldilocks and the three Bears Best Puppet Design



2E Chow San Wun Shirley:

I want to show my great appreciation to my school for giving me this opportunity. I am so happy and I hope I can have more chances to perform. I really want to say thank you to my teacher who helped me throughout the activity.

Parent:

莘媛得到獎項感到非常興奮，也很感激活動中老師給予的幫助。作為家長的我非常感謝學校能提供這麼開心的學習活動讓她快樂地學習。

The Tale of Peter Rabbit Best Puppet Design



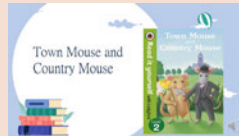
2D Leung Pak Ho Marus:

Before the competition, I worked very hard for it. I want to thank my teacher who taught me a lot of knowledge.

Parent:

這是一次很好的機會給柏皓演出的經驗，而柏皓每天也很用心和勤力地練習。多謝老師的支持，鼓勵和指導，令柏皓獲益良多。

Town Mouse and Country Mouse Best Puppet Design



2E Ma Sze Ching:

I am really glad to win the prize. We can share the love of learning English through English Party Day. This form of expression has given me the opportunity to use my puppet for presenting the story "The Town Mouse and The Country Mouse". I would like to thank my teacher and my parents. They always give me great support and guidance. I sincerely appreciate their time and consideration.

Parent:

Thank you for allowing Katie to be a part of this wonderful English activity with the contestants. I would like to sincerely thank all English teachers for hosting English Party Day!

The Fox and the Grapes My Favourite Story Sharing 3A Chow Yi Ching



3A Chow Yi Ching:

I am so grateful to receive this award. I learnt a lot of story telling skills in this competition. Many thanks for my teacher's careful guidance. I feel great and joyful.

Parent:

We are so lucky to be able to participate in this event. I tried to make a hand puppet for the first time in this activity. I find it is very interesting.



The Moon in Pond Most Confident Performance



3A Au Suet Kiu:

I was very surprised when I knew that I have got the prize of the speaking performance. I took a lot of time to practise for the show. I felt tired but happy.

Parent:

Thank you for giving Zuki such an opportunity to participate in this activity. Zuki has improved her speaking English and built up her confidence during practising for the show. She has also got a chance to learn from and appreciate the performance of other students in this activity. We hope such even will be held again next year.



1C Kung Tsz Yuet:

Thank our teachers for teaching us!

In this group presentation, I have a lot of fun with my teammates. I am very glad to get this award.

Parent:

We want to express our gratitude for giving my daughter, Tiffany Kung, to have an opportunity to join this group presentation. Having this award will boost her confidence in speaking English. Also, thank you for creating a fun and positive classroom atmosphere and making her love learning English.



1C Wong Sum Yau:

I am very happy to receive this award. I had a great time with my classmates on English Party Day. I hope to play together again next time.

Parent:

First of all, I am very happy that Elsie can get this award. Elsie really enjoyed the school activities that day. We hope to participate again next time.

Heidi Best Puppet Design



3A Lai Cheuk Kiu:

Thank you for offering me the chance to join this activity. I would like to thank Boaz and Esther for making these beautiful puppets which assisted me to have a better presentation. I also

learnt the importance of teamwork.

Parent:

I am so delighted that my daughter, Kasandra, was invited to join the English Party Days' activity. The activity aroused her interests in English by interacting with teachers and classmates. Besides, it is meaningful that the role of Heidi can draw people attention about the importance of environmental protection. Thank you so much for providing the opportunity and offering this prize to Kasandra.

4D Kwong Wing Sum:

I am so happy to participate this event. I am looking forward to joining it again!

Parent:

Thank you for providing this opportunity for me and my daughter, Esther. I hope to participate this activity again next year.



4D Tse Ching Tung:

I had never thought I would have the chance to get any awards during the time of making puppet. Now, I was very excited.

Parent:

首次參與設計活動，從沒頭緒到完成布偶，與兒子政彤透過參與過程得到無限的歡樂和滿足感。



The Foolish Fox My Favourite Story Sharing



4A Ko Hoi Ki:

I am so proud that I could join the English Party Day with so many excellent schoolmates. Folktales teach us the proverb, no pain, no gain.

Parents :

It was nice to be able to see this excellent activity taking place on the campus. This was a great online show with so many beautiful voices and lovely crafts made by our LCK kids. I can't wait to see what they work on next.



Hansel & Gretel Most Confident Performance



4A Ho Cheuk Huen:

I want to take this opportunity to thank all of you who voted me as the 'Most Confident Performer' at English Party Day. I would like to express my sincere appreciation to my mother. She helped me to understand the difficult words and I would like to send my gratitude to my teacher who raised me up of my performance. Thank you.

Parents :

好高興芍萱有機會參與這項英文活動，使她有良好的經歷和鍛鍊，在學校學習的日子裡，得着豐碩的成果。



The Elves & the shoemaker Most Confident Performance



• I live with a poor shoemaker and his wife. The shoemaker is old and makes the shoes slowly. I like making boots and shoes with him.

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4B Chan Pui Yee:

I am so excited to get the award. Thanks for my teachers and parents' encouragement! I do want to join it again if I have a chance in the future.

Parents :

很高興珮儀在英語故事活動中得獎，她由害怕英文到得獎，中間進步真不少。衷心感謝學校及老師，提供一個多元化的空間，讓珮儀在英語及視藝有所進步。



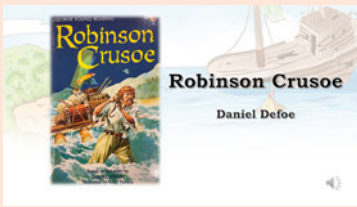
4E Zhang Pak Ho:

I am surprised and excited to receive this award. During the storytelling, I tried my best to practice. I practice again and again because I knew a famous Chinese saying "NO BEST, ONLY BETTER.!" Also, I would like to thank my teacher who always supports and encourages me. And I will keep it up for my study afterwards.

Parents :

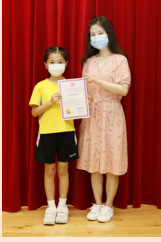
很榮幸柏皓能參加這次活動並獲獎。在此過程中，柏皓學會了付出努力、不斷嘗試。特別是學校對他的肯定與鼓勵，大大增加他的自信心。感恩。





Robinson Crusoe My Favourite Story Sharing

2D Kwan Tsoi Nam Ally:



I want to thank all the teachers and classmates for their trust and support. I will turn my thanks and gratitude into action in the future and strive for better performance!

Parents :

我覺得這次故事分享活動非常有意義，可讓學生有更多發揮自我的機會，亦可分享自己喜愛的東西，建立更好的友誼。

5A Wong Chun Sun Justin:



I am glad that my effort gets return. This is my first awards of story telling. I have practiced hard for it for months. Here, I want to thank my teacher who teaches me lots of skills on presentation and oral speaking. He is always caring and helpful.

Parents :

我覺得這次故事分享的活動很有意義，可令學生得到更多自我發揮的機會，亦可與其他同學分享故事內容，藉此建立更友好的關係。



Alice in the Wonderland My Favourite Story Sharing

5A Kwok Ella Wai Man Galang :



It is my honor to know that I won a prize in English Party Day. I would like to thank my teacher and my family for teaching me the skills to read aloud the story better and for helping me to do the practice and rehearsal.

Parents :

Being chosen as one of the storytellers of English Party Day was a good opportunity for Ella to boost her confidence. Also, I appreciate the help of her teacher during the rehearsal. I am proud of my daughter for doing such a great job!

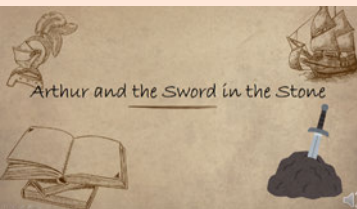
6A Ng Ka Yui:



I am so glad to participate in this school event and receive the award. It was my first time to be an illustrator of a storybook. Through this activity, I realized that I am very interested in this aspect. So, I am grateful to the school for giving me such an opportunity to be a part of this event.

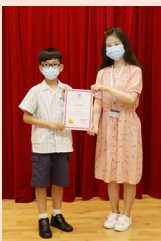
Parents :

I feel happy that my daughter could participate in this school event. Also, I am very proud of her, for getting this honorable award. I am grateful to see the satisfaction and sense of achievement of her when she was drawing pictures for the storybook. I would like to thank the school for giving my daughter another learning opportunity and experience.



Arthur in the Wonderland Most Confident Performance

5B Lo Shing Kit:



I am honoured to have received the Most Confident Performance Award. Thanks to my teachers for their encouragement, and for letting me know that I can do well. I have learnt that I should add emotion and rhythm to my speaking. Thank you!

Parents :

感謝神賜智慧和能力給予聖傑，使他剛強壯膽地勇敢面對和挑戰自己內心的恐懼，在活動中表現出色，當中知道老師們對聖傑的愛護與教導，作為家長的我既心感安慰亦心存感激。願神賜福予你們。阿們！

5C Ngai Hei Yin Marcus





The Little Prince My Favourite Story Sharing

5C Ngai Hei Yin Marcus

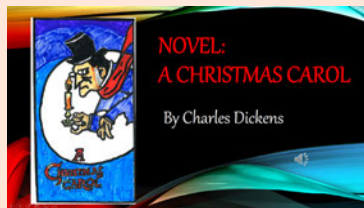


6A Chan Wang Hei:

First, I would like to say thank you to my school. Thank you for giving me an opportunity to share my story! I put great effort in this event. I will keep this attitude in other events. Thank you.

Parents :

好多謝學校舉辦是次活動，在準備過程中，宏熙加倍注意自己英文的發音和如何投放感情以聲音去「演活」一個角色，透過重複的練習令自己進步，培養責任心，是一個鍛煉孩童的好方法。宏熙亦很享受練習過程，沒有比賽壓力，得獎後還樂上半天呢！



A Christmas Carol Best PowerPoint Design

5C Ngai Hei Yin Marcus:

When I was practicing for the English Party Day, I was told to draw a bunch of drawings. I gladly drew them for 3 days until I was finished. I copied every details, every single thing I drew was made with dedication and determination. And, when I was requested to record for a story, I was a little nervous, but after some practice, I got the hang of it.

Parents :

With teachers' guidance, our son, Marcus Ngai has developed into a confident and capable child. During preparing English Party Day, he completed the tasks independently without our assistance. Thanks for all teachers, schoolmates and parents who like Marcus's English speech, drawings and vote for him as support and compliment.



6A Leung Lok Hang:

Thank you for your vote of confidence and I will continue to work harder than ever to strive for excellence.



The Wizard of Oz Best PowerPoint Design

5E Wong Cheuk Lam:

I was surprised to get this award because I never expected to receive this. I am honored to be given this award. It makes me feel more interested in English.

Parents :

We are surprised that Cheuk Lam could achieve this award. We are glad to know that she is interested in designing and English from this event. After this event, we would like to let her develop her potential in these aspects. Last but not least, thank you to the school for giving unflinching support to Cheuk Lam and making her successful.



6D Cham Lok Hei Curtis:

I was really happy because I never imagined that I could receive this award. I have to thank my teacher who taught me how to act like a real character. I hope I will have a chance to participate in this event in the future. It was great fun!

Parents :

I was surprised that Curtis could obtain this award. Thank you LCK for giving Curtis this opportunity, and for the teacher's kind guidance. My son has had much fun during the competition. This event has provided much joy to my son's primary school life.

