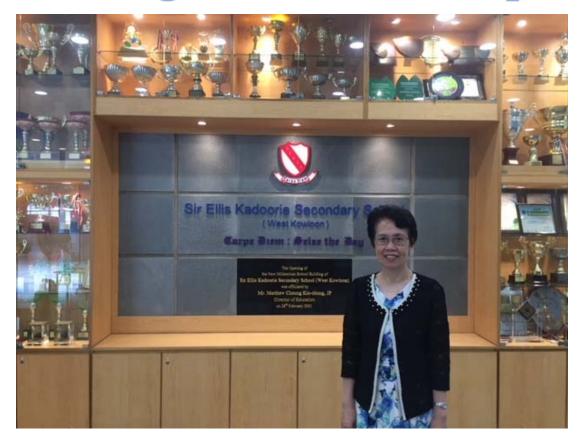
Message from the Principal



It has been an amazing year for me as I was able to see students excel in different areas. I was especially impressed by their performance in Sir EK's first ever musical "Brave New World". Their talents and passion for performing arts were well received by all guests, parents and students. Special thanks to all staff especially the two assistant principals, the organizing committee, the fashion show teachers-in-charge and most importantly, all the student performers and helpers for making this musical possible. In addition, we also received outstanding results in sports last year. Three boys from Basketball and Football Teams were selected to represent Hong Kong in Interport matches. One of our girls also had the great honour to be selected to the Allianz Junior Football Camp in Germany this summer holiday. We are proud of her as there were only two quotas for Hong Kong students. Sir EK students do demonstrate potentials in different areas. Last year, we had two students admitted to the University of Hong Kong and one admitted to the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology. With determination, I'm sure that our students will be able to perform even better in learning and develop their untapped potential.

The existing 3-year School Development Plan (2015-2018) is coming to an end in August 2018. A new 3-year School Development Plan (2018-2021) will start with effect from September 2018 with the theme "TOGETHER WE THRIVE". The 3 major concerns which as follows:

1. Excelling Effective Learning and Teaching

- * To nurture students' learning habits and skills
- * To develop self-directed learning
- * To nurture enquiry-based learning by promoting STEM education

2. Excelling Students' Core Values and Potential

- * To cultivate students' positive values and polish their interpersonal skills
- * To assist students to do life planning and gain foresight in career development
- * To maintain close liaison with alumni for the betterment of student development
- * To strengthen students' spirit of doing community services

3. Excelling Teachers' Professional Development

- * To enhance the culture of sharing and collaboration among teachers
- * To enhance teachers' professionalism by strengthening self-reflection and self-enhancement

Through the implementation of the programmes stipulated in the 3-year School Development Plan (2018-2021), both students' learning and teachers' teaching are surely able to be enhanced.

The efforts made by the PTA is highly valued. I would like to take this opportunity to express my sincere gratitude to the Chairperson, Ms Stefania Gabriel, as well as all the executive members of the PTA who have offered their unfailing support to our school. I must also show my deepest appreciation to all the teachers and parents for their hard work in making Sir EK a warm and supportive environment for students to learn and flourish.

With the joint effort of teachers and parents, I am confident that we can build up the best learning environment for our students. It is without any doubt that Sir EK will continue to create an impact on our pillar of the future in the coming school years.

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