

EDUCATION BUREAU CIRCULAR MEMORANDUM NO. 43/2026

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To : Supervisors/Heads/Teachers of all government and aided (including special schools), caput schools and schools under the Direct Subsidy Scheme

“China in Splendour: The Ethos and Spirit of the Pillars of Our Time” Thematic Exhibition

Summary

The purpose of this circular memorandum is to inform heads of primary and secondary schools (including special schools) offering local curriculum about the “China in Splendour: The Ethos and Spirit of the Pillars of Our Time” Thematic Exhibition (the “exhibition”) and invite all primary and secondary schools to participate in the above exhibition.

Background

2. To deepen Hong Kong young people’s understanding of our country’s development and achievements under the leadership of the Communist Party of China, the Curriculum Development Institute organises the above exhibition in 2026. The exhibition introduces the life stories of a number of pillars of our time as well as their contributions to our country, enabling students to connect what they learn with knowledge from various subjects. At the same time, it aims to inspire the younger generation to contribute to the future development of our country and to pass on the spirit of these pillars of our time.

Details

3. The exhibition will be held at the Patriotic Education Centre. Starting from 13 March 2026, it showcases the deeds of twelve national pillars of our time and the national spirit they manifested, covering areas, such as culture, science, military, arts, architecture, and sports. Relevant learning and teaching resources will also be provided. The exhibits comprise textual information, replicas, valuable historical photos and video records. In addition, the Centre will provide guided tours, a talk and learning activities. Schools can reserve a timeslot for their visits by choosing sessions from Monday to Friday (excluding public holidays).

Schools are also required to arrange grouping of participants in advance to facilitate admission of different groups to the talk, the thematic exhibition and related learning activities by rotation during the visit (please contact the Patriotic Education Centre for details).

4. The content of the exhibition is aligned with the curriculum emphases of relevant subjects, key learning areas or cross-disciplinary areas, such as Primary Humanities, secondary Chinese History, History, junior secondary Citizenship, Economics and Society, senior secondary Citizenship and Social Development, Values Education (covering proper values and attitudes such as diligence, perseverance, national identity and responsibility), and national security education.

5. Schools can also apply to visit “The 80th Anniversary of Victory in the War of Resistance Thematic Exhibition and Learning Project” on the same day of visiting the thematic exhibition. Students can learn about the history of the War of Resistance to enrich their learning experience in patriotic education.

6. All primary and secondary schools could apply for visit reservations via the following reservation webpage of the Patriotic Education Centre. Schools should make reservation at least three weeks prior to the visit. After submission of the school’s reservation form, the Centre will contact the teacher-in-charge to confirm the reservation and make related arrangements for the visit.

Reservation Webpage of the Patriotic Education Centre:

<https://www.hkpec.hk/article/1009>



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7. For reservation and arrangements of school visits, **please contact the Patriotic Education Centre at 2770 0071.**





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