## Ying Wa Girls' School Annual School Plan (2023-2024)

Themes: Enlighten, Empower, Embrace, Engage

## **Major Concern 1: Enlighten – To explore new learning opportunities for students**

Objectives	Strategies / Programmes	Success Criteria	Methods of Evaluation	Responsible person
To facilitate students' learning of STEM knowledge	<ul> <li>Continuation of promoting STEM Education</li> <li>Enhance the AI curriculum in collaboration between STEM Department and Computer Department.</li> <li>STEM Enrichment Program consisting of diverse STEM training workshops will be held throughout the year</li> <li>STEM trips outside HK</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Implement the AI modules in junior curriculum</li> <li>Students' capabilities unleashed through engaging in workshops, inter-school competitions and trips</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Teacher and student comments and reflections on implementation of STEM education</li> <li>Number of STEM related activities and competitions participated by students</li> </ul>	OR & KH (AI curriculum) OR (STEM Enrichment Program) OR (Competitions & Trips)
To optimize the school curriculum and setting to align with the latest education trend	<ul> <li>Provision of Tourism and Hospitality Studies in S4 as an new elective subject</li> <li>Implementation of 1 GSP lesson in S1 to try out Citizenship, Economics and Society</li> <li>Review the minimum quota for S4 elective subjects</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Successful implementation of Tourism and Hospitality Studies, both teacher and students can accurately grasp the curriculum</li> <li>Relevant learning and teaching resource have been developed and procured</li> <li>Review of minimum quota was completed</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Feedback from teachers and students</li> <li>Annual reports of subject departments</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>THS Dept (KK &amp; YK)</li> <li>CS (S1 GSP)</li> <li>Academic Com (S4 elective quota)</li> </ul>
To develop cross-curricular mindset and activities	<ul> <li>Implementation of cross-curricular / co-curricular learning and teaching activities) to cater for students' different interests, abilities and aspirations</li> <li>English and History</li> <li>History, Chinese, Chinese History, Civic Education Committee and SAC</li> <li>RE and STEM</li> <li>National Security Education</li> <li>Implementation of National Security Education, Basic Law education on different subjects</li> <li>Promotion of values of respectfulness and responsibilities</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>More Cross-curricular / co-curricular activities as compared with previous year</li> <li>Students will receive about 90 hours of Basic Law Education through formal curriculum in different subjects and extracurriculum activities (3-year cycle)</li> <li>Students became more aware of the importance of developing national identity and upholding national security</li> <li>At least one learning and teaching activity completed</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Department minutes</li> <li>Feedback from teachers and students</li> <li>Checking teaching schedule</li> <li>Observation and event evaluation</li> <li>Teacher comments and reflection</li> </ul>	Cross-curricular activities  • AW & JN  • JN, YN, NT  • LM & OR  National Security Education (JN)

Major concern 2: Empower – To facilitate teachers, students and parents to excel

Objectives	Strategies / Programmes	Success Criteria	Methods of Evaluation	Responsible person
To enhance emotional /menta and physical hea of students and teachers		<ul> <li>35 Guidance Assistants received knowledge about mental illness common among adolescents and SEN</li> <li>3 Game booths were organised in the Wellness Week to deliver messages of positiveness and ways to manage emotion</li> <li>More time for S1 and Guidance Assistants to build up their relationship were created</li> <li>Students and teachers develop techniques and coping strategies to manage stress and improve resilience</li> </ul>	Data collection     Teachers' and students' feedback	<ul> <li>All Guidance Teachers</li> <li>SENCO (CG)</li> <li>School Social Workers</li> </ul>
To enhance the social skills of students who have difficulties in communication	Collaborate with Learning Diversity Team and provide social skills training sessions for students with obstacles in peer relation	<ul> <li>3 sessions of social skills training were organised for students with obstacles in peer relation</li> <li>Social skills of students improved</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Data collection</li><li>Teachers' and students' feedback</li></ul>	<ul><li>2 Guidance Teachers</li><li>SENCO (CG)</li></ul>

To unleash the potential and creativity of students and parents	<ul> <li>Provision of customized curriculum of Chinese Language for NCS in S1 and S2</li> <li>New Parent Education programmes supported by the Parent-Teacher Association (PTA) with core and elective programs</li> <li>Lein Pilot Scheme of Asian Academy</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>NCS students better supported thru pull-out Chinese class</li> <li>A series of activities and talks were held to develop healthy parent-daughter relationship</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Teachers' and students' feedback</li> <li>Evaluation conducted by the PTA</li> </ul>	<ul><li>SENCO (CG)</li><li>PTA (TT CH)</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Join Pilot Scheme of Asian Academy of Family Therapy</li> </ul>	Totationship		

## ${\bf Major\ concern\ 3:\ Embrace-To\ understand\ one\ self,\ the\ school,\ the\ surroundings,\ the\ society,\ the\ nation\ and\ the\ globe}$

Objectives	Strategies / Programmes	Success Criteria	Methods of	Responsible
			Evaluation	person
Dare to catch your dream and embrace failure	• A series of talks on <i>Dream catching and students' empowerment</i> in morning assemblies	Students' engagement in terms of their eagerness to join the Q&A session after the sharing of the speaker	<ul> <li>Teacher comment and no. of questions being raised after the sharing</li> </ul>	OLE (CS)
Out of comfort zone and connecting to others	<ul> <li>Re-running of S1 High Events</li> <li>S3 Adventure Day (whole day)</li> <li>S4 Learning Project (5 days)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>75% agreed that the programme has helped them to better understand oneself, recognize the importance of communication</li> <li>Students enjoy the collaboration with peers</li> </ul>	• Students' feedback	<ul> <li>Guidance Com (WW)</li> <li>CS</li> <li>ECA Com (CS WF)</li> </ul>
To promote diversity and inclusive culture	<ul> <li>Global Week 19-23 Jan (A double lesson in S1-3 classes)</li> <li>Course on Global Education in the S4         Learning Project</li> <li>Visiting Mosque in Jan</li> <li>Guests sharing in CSD lessons (throughout the years)</li> <li>Invite NCS to host a booth during the Global week</li> </ul>	Over 50% students agreed that they have learned difference in values and practices across culture and they can appreciate and respect these differences.	<ul><li>Teacher comment</li><li>Students' feedback</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Global Exposure Com (CS)</li> <li>ECA Com</li> <li>CSD Dept (MO)</li> </ul>

To treasure YW history and heritage	<ul> <li>Heritage tour by heritage ambassadors for parents in the Parent Academy and alumnae in the Homecoming Day</li> <li>Opening of 1926 Heritage Block and sharing by Dr Ting on Heritages sites nearby in the Homecoming Day</li> <li>Introducing the artifacts of the 1926 Heritage Block by short videos, produced by Heritage ambassadors team</li> <li>Introducing 1926 Heritage to S1 during the Orientation programme in late August</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>75% enrollment of the tour/talk for parents and alumnae</li> <li>75% attendance rate of the tour/talk for parents and alumnae</li> <li>75% of the participants of the tour/talk agreed that the programme has enriched their understanding of YW history and heritage</li> </ul>	Survey from parents, alumnae and students.	Homecoming Day Com (CS)
To promote sustainability	<ul> <li>A course in S4 Learning Project</li> <li>Promotion of Energy Conservation and Waste Recycling via the promotion of ECO AMIGO</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>75% participants can appreciate &amp; respect the diversity in ecosystem and cultures of our society</li> <li>Stock-checking exercise on the solid waste in school</li> <li>More convenient recycle boxes would be provided for students</li> <li>Conduct the Trial run of how to save energy in using air-conditioning.</li> <li>5% reduction in the electricity consumption across the years</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Survey from students on S4 learning project</li> <li>Sharing of data by ECO AMIGO</li> </ul>	• CS • TH WW

## Major concern 4: Engage – To transform into better facilitators and learners

Objectives	Strategies / Programmes	Success Criteria	Methods of Evaluation	Responsible person
To engage students in learning with the help of new technology		<ul> <li>More interactive strategies used in lessons</li> <li>New technologies and different eLearning platforms explored and used</li> <li>Students become more interactive in lessons</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Number of teachers trying new technologies in lessons</li> <li>Teachers' and students' feedback</li> <li>from department minutes</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Academic Com (KS)</li><li>IT Com (CL)</li></ul>
To engage students in experiential learning	<ul> <li>5 days Learning Project will be arranged for S4 students in 2nd term</li> <li>To train Heritage Ambassadors in promoting Heritage Education</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Students take an active role in the training session</li> <li>15 students recruited and trained</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Teachers' observations</li><li>Students' feedback</li></ul>	ECA Com (WF)
To widen students' exposure	<ul> <li>Hong Kong Laureate Forum</li> <li>Global Week</li> <li>Global Citizenship Scheme (GCS)</li> <li>Sister Schools Scheme</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Students are engaged to share with guest speakers</li> <li>Student took initiative to learn outside classrooms</li> <li>Students have the chance to visit schools and interact with students in mainland China</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Observation</li> <li>Feedback from teachers and students</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Global Exposure Team (CS)</li> <li>Civic Edu Com (JN)</li> </ul>
To engage students in various activities in Homecoming Activities	<ul> <li>cum Opening of 1926 Heritage Block in March 2023</li> <li>Homecoming Concert on 18 May which involves the participation of students, alumnae, parents and invited guests</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Students engaged in planning, acted as MCs and performers</li> <li>PTA and AA actively involved</li> <li>Students' participation in the concert as performers or helpers</li> </ul>	Observation     Department/Committee's evaluation meetings	CS     Music Dept (ML)
• To start planning of School's 125 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebrations	Brainstorming and Preparation of 125 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration programmes	Sub-committees setup with teacher and student's active participation	Feedback from teachers and students	• HN CS