



2017 – 2018 Circular to Parents (115)

Australia Study Tour and English Immersion Programme

5 March 2018

To our dearest parents,

I have great pleasure to introduce to you the Australia Study Tour which is organized by the English Department of our school. The tour aims at broadening the horizon of our students and enabling them to learn and understand a foreign culture. It will also strengthen their English language skills and enhance their learning motivation. The details are as follows:

I. Australia Study Tour

All participating students will have lessons of local curriculum with students of Tyndale Christian School, a well-known Christian college in Australia. They can practise English and experience the lifestyle in Australia during the homestay. Moreover, students will have sightseeing and appreciate natural landscape.

Date	: 6 August 2018 – 16 August 2018 (11 days)
Number of Participants	Maximum 20 (Interviews are required)
Target Group	: S1 – S4 students
Destination	Sydney, Australia
Accommodation	: Homestay (Stay with the families from the partner school)
Fee	: HKD\$ 21,000
Fee included	: Tour fee*, air tickets, airport tax, fuel surcharge and travel insurance <i>*Tour fee includes school fee, a certificate, entrance fee of scenic spots, meals, accommodation fee and transport fee.</i>
Features	: 1. The tour will be led by STCC teachers. It is exclusive for STCC. 2. Participants will attend lessons with local students at Tyndale Christian School. 3. Participants can experience the education system in Australia and be prepared for their overseas study in the future. 4. Participants can get to know the lifestyle of the locals. 5. It is an authentic environment for students to use English.
School to be attended	: Tyndale Christian School (http://www.tyndale.edu.au/)

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II. English Immersion Programme

To enable students to have more in-depth understanding of a foreign culture and enhance their English Language skills, our school will organize one more overseas programme this summer, English Immersion Programme.

Date	: Mid-July 2018 – Late-August 2018 (Approximately 5 weeks)
Number of Participants	: Maximum 4 (Interviews are required)
Target	: S1 – S4 students
Destination	Sydney, Australia
Accommodation	: Homestay (Stay with families from Toongabbie Christian School)
Fee	: HKD\$ 30,000 (School subsidy included)
Fee included	Tour fee*, air tickets, airport tax, fuel surcharge and travel insurance <i>*Tour fee includes school fee, course fee, certificate, entrance fee of scenic spots, meals, accommodation fee and transportation fee.</i>
Features	1. No teachers from STCC will keep the participants accompanied to Australia. Instead, participants will be taken care of by a guardian who is the representative from the agency in Australia. 2. Participants will attend lessons with local students at Toongabbie Christian School, a famous Christian School in Sydney. 3. Participants can experience the education system in Australia and be prepared for their overseas study in the future. 4. Participants can get to know the lifestyle of the locals. 5. It is an authentic environment for students to use English. 6. It is a golden opportunity to enhance students' self-management skills.
School to be attended	: Toongabbie Christian School (http://www.tcs.nsw.edu.au/)

More information will be delivered in the Parents' Briefing Session. You may find the information of the briefing session below.

Date: 15/3/2018 (Thursday)

Time: 6:45-7:30pm

Venue: Activity Room (1/F)

Application forms of the two overseas programmes will be ready in the General Office **from 12 March 2018 onwards**. The completed application form should be returned to the office, together with the supporting documents and a crossed cheque, on or before **23 March 2018**. The cheque should be made payable to 'ECF Saint Too Canaan College' with the name and class number of students written on the back of the cheque. Should you have any queries, please contact Ms Kong Suet Ha, the Head of English Department at 2372-0033.

In the Lord's service.

Li Pak Hung PhD
Principal
ECF Saint Too Canaan College

Reply Slip

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Dear Principal,

I acknowledge the content of Circular to Parents (115) and I

* will attend the Parents' Briefing Session.

* will not attend the Parent's Briefing Session.

Parent's Name: _____ Parent's Signature: _____

Student's Name: _____ Class: _____ ()

Date: _____