

**Kindergarten Education Scheme
School-based Learning Activity of Chinese Culture
Display Form**

HKSPC Thomas Tam Nursery School

Name of School

2023-2024

School Year

N4

Grade Level

Name of Activity

Visit Flagstaff House Museum of Tea Ware

Objective(s)

To cooperate the teaching theme “China” by site visiting, children can get to know:

- the history of tea
- the function of tea
- different types of tea ware
- the changes of tea ware over the generations

Brief Descriptions:

In the teaching theme “China”, children learn that tea is one of the China’s traditional food culture. After participating in tea-tasting activities at school, children are interested in different types of tea and tea ware. Therefore, by visiting the Flagstaff House Museum of Tea Ware, children may gain a deeper understanding of the changes in tea ware over the generations.

During the visit, the children visited the permanent exhibition hall of the Flagstaff House Museum of Tea Ware under the guidance of the museum’s docent. They also visited the special exhibition of the year - ‘The Art of Living: Stationery and Tea Accessories of the Chinese Literati’. The children were able to see the tea utensils used in China in the past, such as the traditional Chinese purple clay teapot, as well as colourful foreign porcelain teapots, etc. The children can feel the cultural differences between China and the West from the patterns of these ancient and modern tea utensils from all over the world.

This visit also allowed the children to learn about different types of tea, such as black tea and green tea. Besides using their vision to appreciate the tea leaves, the children also tried to use their sense of smell to explore the aroma of the tea.

The children were all very engaged in the visit. They get to know more on the evolution of tea utensils over the generations, and have a deeper understanding of tea and tea utensils, appreciated the precious and historically significant tea utensils.

Record of Activity (E.g. Children's Work / Photos / Videos of the activity)

