

Kindergarten Education Scheme

School-based Learning Activity of Chinese Culture

Display Form

Hong Kong Society for the Protection of Children Ma Tau Chung Nursery School

Name of School

2025-2026

School Year

N2-N4

Grade Level

Name of Activity

Appreciating a Traditional Chinese Magic Show

Objective(s)

- 1) Through appreciating a traditional Chinese magic (Gu Cai Xi Fa) performance, deepen children's understanding of traditional Chinese arts and culture, and foster their sense of national identity.
- 2) Through handling and manipulating the props used in Gu Cai Xi Fa, encourage children to try learning the performance techniques of this traditional magic art.

Brief Descriptions:

To begin, one of our teachers will give the children a simple introduction to the performance. A professional performer will then take the stage to present a traditional Chinese magic show, known as Gu Cai Xi Fa. The performer will first practise the special hand gestures and magic words for "summoning magical power" together with the children, before going on to perform with a variety of props. Throughout the show, some children will be invited to join in and become part of the performance. The performer will also reveal the secret behind the "magic wand appearing" trick right on the spot, and invite children to come up and try using the props themselves, giving them a taste of the fun and wonder of this traditional art. After the performance, the teacher will lead the children in saying thank you and offering their New Year wishes to the performer.

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

