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Dear KJS Families,

At Kowloon Junior School, student conferences are one of the ways that we report students' progress, achievements and next steps in learning to parents. The purpose of the Student Conferences is to empower students to be actively responsible for the ownership of their learning and to promote reflection whilst enabling them to communicate their learning and celebrate progress and achievement with their parents

Students are responsible for leading the conference, and also take responsibility for their learning by sharing the process with their parents. This involves students demonstrating their understanding through a variety of different learning situations.

The conference involves the students discussing and reflecting upon examples of their learning that they have previously chosen to share with their parents. These examples have been previously selected with guidance and support from the teacher. The students identify strengths and areas for improvement, a process which enables parents to gain a clear insight into the kind of learning their child is doing and offers an opportunity for you to discuss it with your child.

Student Led conferences overview:

- All conferences and sessions will be held **in person** on 02/05 (3:15 -6:00 p.m.) and 03/05 (all day, 8:30 - 3:00, no school for Year 1-5 students except when they are attending their conference)
- The Gateway will be used for sign-up from **5 pm on Thursday 18th April for those families who have multiple children in school (sibling priority) and for Year 3 parents (due to Chinese sign up)**





- All other parents can sign up from ***5pm on Friday 19th April***
- You will book a **45 minute** slot in your child's classroom which will allow you to engage in a variety of learning experiences with your child. This 45 minutes will also include a 10 minute meeting with the class teacher and your child (a 3 way conference)
- The **Chinese** team will be meeting with **Year 3** children and their families. This will need to be booked.
- The **Expressive Arts** team will provide opportunities for students to lead their parents through experiences connected to the music and drama curriculum. Students will also have an opportunity to engage with their Seesaw reflections on Music and Drama with their parents during this time.
- The **PE** team will facilitate opportunities for children in **Year 3-5** to share, discuss and demonstrate their learning in PE. Years 1 and 2 had this opportunity previously.
- There is no booking required for Expressive Arts or PE. You can visit before or after your visit to the classroom.

Kind regards,

The KJS Leadership Team

