

# Po Leung Kuk Child Care Service - Purpose and Goal

#### **Purpose:**

According to the needs of society and family, we provide diversified child care services so that they can obtain high-quality care and education.

#### Goal:

- Through proper care and concern, we ensure children to grow up healthily in love.
- Provide an enlightening environment to nurture the exploratory and self-study spirit of the young children for laying the foundation of lifelong learning.
- Assess and follow up periodically according to children's developmental needs. Curriculum designed based on children-centre approach, in order to assist their whole person development.

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#### Service Quality Standards (SQSs) and Criteria:

- SQS 5: The service unit/agency implements effective staff recruitment, contracting, development, training, assessment, deployment and disciplinary practices.
- SQS 6: The service unit regularly plans, reviews and evaluates its own performance, and has an effective mechanism by which service users, staff and other interested parties can provide feedback on its performance.
- SQS 7: The service unit implements policies and procedures to ensure effective financial management.
- SQS 8: The service unit complies with all relevant legal obligations.

#### Social worker Column

## **Sharing is caring**

One of the earliest social skills to learn in early childhood is sharing. However, commanding children to "share" their toys with others may not be the best way to teach them charity. Let's take a look at some ways we can teach our kids the virtue of sharing.

## **Understanding why**

"Sharing" is a complex concept to grasp in early childhood. Understanding the other's need of and weight it against their own, alongside controlling emotions and urge - these are no easy task for child newly introduced to social interactions. Egocentrism in early childhood is common to all humans, as that is the phase when we first learn about ourselves and develop our own personality. It is reasonable even for adults to not share things we own and cherish, likewise it is natural for children to be a bit "stingy". Parent understanding and properly guiding children to share is crucial.







## **Encourage to share**

#### 1. Role-play scenario

Parents can simulate a scenario of how sharing would be beneficial through role-playing. For example, parent can be the role that share a toy, while the child is receiving the kind act. Throughout the process parents can guide the child to express feelings when others share the toy with them, asking question like "are you happy when I share the toy?" and similarly expressing it is also happy to be the one sharing. After understanding that sharing brings merits and happiness to both side, sharing would be more altruistic.

# Social worker Column

#### 2. Story telling

Children around age 5-6 may not understand the virtue of sharing. Parents can also try telling story to convey the message:



Once upon a time, there is a little bunny who has been starving. Little bunny goes around in the forest and ask other animal "please give me a bite?". Sadly no one is willing to share their food. Finally little bunny and a little mouse found a pear at the same time, luckily little bunny got the pear first. Little mouse begs "please give me a bite" and little bunny refused, but then the sadness in little mouse's eyes reminds little bunny that it was once also hungry for food. At the end little bunny understands the importance and happiness of sharing.



## 3. Learn to respect

Sharing is an act of respect and altruism. While sharing is generally an act of kindness, it is equally important to educate child it is fine to not share, as well as how to politely and rationally decline other's ask to share. Similarly, children need to learn to manage their desire, be patience and respect that others can refuse to share. Crying, making a scene or even forcefully taking what they need is incorrect means to obtain what they want.



# 4. Compliments

Positive reaffirmance comes very handy for encouraging child to share what they have with others. Parents can be more lenient and avoid faulting children for sharing. Try explaining to children that sharing is an act of kindness and incentivise them to the right direction.

https://healthyseed.org/article-details/%E6%95%99%E5%B0%8E%E5%AD%A9%E5%AD D%90%E5%88%86%E4%BA%AB%E6%9C%89%E5%A6 %99%E6%B3%95











I'm the little flag-raiser!







Parent-Child Trip





The weather was very good









It's so fun to film at TVB!















Good health!



# Recommendations for holidays



Slides, sand pool, rock climbing, swings



Hand-cranked boat



Pedal drift car

All-day play package price (10:30-16:30)

Adult/Child: \$150/person Children/Elderly: \$80/person



self visit, Hydroponic Planting Herb Planting, Sheep viewing



28 meter grass slide

Fee-based activities

Zipline Experience

# **BBQ** price is extra

**Public transport** 

- 1. Minibus 55k (minibus terminus next to Sheung Shui MTR station)
- 2. Bus 78k (Sheung Shui MTR Station)



Activ	ities Preview
3-28/3	Happy Fruit wo Event
6,13,20,27/3	Caring Mom/Dad Group
17/3	Family Flower Exhibition
21/3	March Birthday Party
28/3	Jockey Club Children Oral Health
	Project
	(Dental examination) 9:00-11:00
	(Parent Seminars) 11:00-12:00
29/3	World Culture Day
24/3-11/4/1	Parent-child Easter egg
	design activity
5/4	Parent-child sports day
10/4	Parent-child activities –
	Walking with love
14/4	K3 visits Traffic Safety City
17/4	Easter Celebration and
	April Birthday Party
6-7,8-12/5	Joint School Children's
	Art Exhibition
23/5	Music event "Dumpling Band"
24/5	Family Dragon Boat Festival
	Rice Dumpling Making Fun
30/5	Dragon Boat Festival

Celebration and May Birthday



Dear Parents and Guardians: Please feel free to contact us should you have any questions or feedback.

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