

## 香港基督教服務處培愛學校

## Hong Kong Christian Service Pui Oi School

## Dear Parents:



2021 has entered the final countdown stage, and the Christmas holiday will begin soon. This is also the time to review the past and plan for the future. Due to the impact of the epidemic this year, students are only having half-day schooling and some of them have treatment classes in the afternoon. Besides, all outing activities are also suspended. Students' learning is deeply affected and parents are under pressure because of the intensive child caring. In order to make a breakthrough of these difficulties, the concept of "Flip Classroom" is adapted. Teachers use the extensive means of e-learning, make good use of Google Classroom as well as other online learning resources. All of the above strategies can strengthen students' self-directed learning and allow them to continue learning while at home.

Now in Hong Kong, the local COVID-19 cases are cleared. I believe that if we strengthen our infection control, students' learning can gradually resume normal. Of course, there are still many variables. For example, since Hong Kong is an international city, the rapid spread of "Omicron" can also be a threat to us. Most importantly, no matter what the variables or difficulties, we must always face them positively and optimistically.

The joyous Christmas of the world is approaching; it is the day to commemorate the birth of the Lord Jesus Christ. Jesus' name means "Jehovah' s salvation". The days under the epidemic are exhausting. No matter what situations we encounter, God will liberate the salvation and glorious peace to us. Yesterday was the Winter Solstice and it was also the longest night of the year. After the Winter Solstice, the sunshine will gradually increase. I believe that the most difficult time has passed and the bright dawn will come soon. Above all, we trust on our Lord Jesus who will present true peace and joy to all of us in the new year!

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