



30th March, 2026

Important Notice: Regarding the Cessation of School Operations (2526/107)

Dear Parents,

We would like to express our heartfelt gratitude for your trust and support over the years. It has been a privilege to grow alongside your children and witness their innocent and brilliant moments. Today, it is with a heavy heart that we announce that following careful deliberation and a difficult decision by the School Board, **our school will cease operations after the end of the academic year on July 31, 2026.**

Reasons for Cessation of Operations

In recent years, the educational environment has faced severe challenges. Our school has been significantly impacted by the following factors, making continued operation unsustainable:

- **Continuous Decline in Birth Rate:** The sharp decrease in the number of school-age children in the district has resulted in lower-than-ideal enrollment.
- **Heavy Rental Pressure:** Facing rising operating costs and rental burdens, the school has done its utmost to persevere; however, it is no longer sustainable to maintain high-quality teaching resources in the long term.

Follow-up Arrangements for Students

The school promises that for the remainder of the semester, our teaching team will remain fully dedicated to ensuring children complete their studies in a loving and caring environment. Regarding transfer matters, we will provide the following support:

- **Placement Transition:** We are actively communicating with the Education Bureau (EDB) and neighboring kindergartens to assist affected students in transferring smoothly.
- **Document Support:** The school will prioritize processing students' assessment reports, recommendation letters, and necessary transfer documents. Upon completion of the final settlement in or before July, the school will return the "Registration Certificate for Kindergarten Admission" (RC) to facilitate registration at new schools.
- **Consultation Services:** The Principal and teachers will provide assistance and individual consultations for parents encountering difficulties during the transfer process.

For our **graduating K3 students**, the school will continue to handle primary school transition matters and ensures that the **Graduation Ceremony will be held as scheduled on June 27, 2026**, to create beautiful memories for the children.

Student Transfer Subsidy

As N1 to K2 toddlers will need to purchase new uniforms and school bags due to transferring, the School Board will provide a "**Uniform Subsidy**" of **HK\$1,000** to each student who was originally scheduled to promote within this school for the 2026/27 academic year and completes the current (2025/26) curriculum. These funds will be distributed by July 10, 2026.

This decision was extremely painful for the School Board and all staff. We sincerely apologize for the inconvenience and anxiety this news may cause. In the days ahead, we hope to maintain close communication with all parents. Attached are the preliminary Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) and the contact information for other kindergartens in Cheung Chau. If you require further assistance, please feel free to contact the school office at any time

Sincerely,

Supervisor: Cheng Chiu Yin

Principal: Chow Ching Man

KMS Anglo-Chinese Kindergarten · Nursery



Parental Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Q1: Why is the school ceasing operations?

A: Due to the continuous decline in the birth rate leading to a sharp drop in enrollment, combined with rising rental costs, the School Board made this difficult decision to ensure teaching quality is not compromised by a lack of resources.

Q2: What is the final date of operation?

A: The school will operate until **July 31, 2026**. All teaching, festivals, and school affairs will proceed as usual until then.

Q3: How will existing students transfer?

A: We are actively contacting neighboring kindergartens and have requested support from the Education Bureau (EDB). There are currently sufficient school places in the district.

Q4: Will the school help with the transfer?

A: Yes. We will prioritize academic reports, learning portfolios, and recommendation letters. Please contact the school office if you face difficulties.

Q5: Will the K3 Graduation Ceremony be canceled?

A: Absolutely not. It will be held as scheduled on **June 27, 2026 (Saturday)**.

Q6: Can N1, K1, and K2 students be guaranteed admission to other schools?

A: While the final decision rests with the target school, we will coordinate with the EDB to ensure every affected student can enroll by August or September 2026.

Q7: Will teachers stay until the end?

A: All staff have pledged to remain at their posts to ensure teaching quality remains unchanged.

Q8: Who can I contact for urgent inquiries?

A: Please call the school office at 2981 0066 or email kmkg@kmvn.edu.hk during office hours.

Q9: When can I take back the "Registration Certificate" (RC)?

A: The school will begin returning the RC after parents have paid the **July 2026 tuition** and cleared all miscellaneous fees. We expect to return them by **July 10, 2026**. Parents must sign for the document in person.

Q10: Can I take back the RC earlier if my child transfers early?

A: Yes. If you transfer before July 10, please notify the office. Upon settling the final month's fees, we will return the RC on or before the last day of attendance.

Q11: If my child decides to transfer early (e.g., in May or June), can I still get the "Uniform Subsidy"?

A: No.

- EDB Regulation: Per EDB regulations, tuition must be paid monthly while the student is enrolled.

- Eligibility: To qualify, the student must complete the full 2025/26 academic year and have an attendance record for July 2026.
- Administrative Requirement: All July tuition and fees must be settled.

Q12: In what form will the "Uniform Subsidy" be issued?

A: To meet audit requirements, it will be issued as a **cheque**. Parents must sign a receipt in person at the school office.

Q13: If my child is in N1 but did not register for K1 at this school for next year, am I eligible for the subsidy?

A: No.

- Scheme Intent: To support students forced to change their plans due to the closure.
- Eligibility: Since you had already planned to leave after N1, you are not considered affected by the closure for subsidy purposes.
- Service: We will still ensure the child completes the N1 curriculum with full document support.

Q14: What help will the Education Bureau provide?

A: The EDB will monitor school place availability and provide placement information to parents if needed.

List of Other Kindergartens in Cheung Chau District

CCC Cheung Chau Church Kam Kong Kindergarten

Telephone: 2981 2223 / 9350 5370 (WhatsApp)

Address: 14 School Road, Cheung Chau

Cheung Chau Sacred Heart Kindergarten

Telephone: 2981 0506 / 9064 0314 (WhatsApp)

Address: 1 Tung Wan Church Road, Cheung Chau

Chan En Mei Lutheran Day Nursery Hong Kong Lutheran Social Service, LC-HKS

Telephone: 2981 0243 / 5448 2127 (WhatsApp)

Address: G/F, Block A, 150 Tai Yan Yuen Road, Cheung Chau, Hong Kong

Lui Kwan Pok Lutheran Day Nursery Hong Kong Lutheran Social Service, LC-HKS

Telephone: 2981 0545 / 6464 8052 (WhatsApp)

Address: G/F & 1/F, 7 Church Road, Cheung Chau