Grant Scheme on Promoting Effective English Language Learning in Primary Schools School-based Implementation Plan

School Name: <u>Tung Tak School</u> (English)
Application No.: <u>C097</u> (for official use)

(A) General information:

1. No. of English teachers in the regular staff establishment (excluding the Native-speaking English Teacher): ____6__

2. No. of approved classes in the 2018/19 school year:

	P.1	P.2	P.3	P.4	P.5	P.6	Total
No. of approved classes	1	1	1	1	1	1	6

3. No. of operating classes in the 2018/19 school year: (if different from the number of approved classes)

	P.1	P.2	P.3	P.4	P.5	P.6	Total
No. of operating classes							

4. Programmes/projects implemented or support service(s) in relation to English Language curriculum received in the past five years (more rows can be added if needed):

Name of programme/project/ support service	Grade level	Focus(es) of programme/project/ support service	External support (if any)		
PLP-R/W P.1 to P.3		Reading and Writing	NET section, EDB		
Key Stage 2 Integration Programme (KIP)	P.4 to P.6	Reading and Writing	NET section, EDB		

(B) SWOT Analysis related to the learning and teaching of English:

Strengths	Opportunities
1. English teachers are experienced and enthusiastic. They work collaboratively to enhance teaching effectiveness through co-planning and	1. Teachers are willing to further enhance their professional capacity in English teaching.
 working with external organizations. 2. PLP-R/W and Key Stage 2 Integration Programme (KIP) have been implemented in KS1 and KS2 effectively to develop students' literacy skills. 	2. Teachers, including the NET teacher, share teaching ideas and develop learning and teaching resources to cater for students' diversified learning needs.
3. Non-Chinese Speaking (NCS) students and the NET teacher create opportunities for students to communicate in English.	3. Google Classroom, which has been launched since September 2018 facilitates students' self-learning at home.
4. Most students are motivated in English learning.	
5. Parents support various school activities.	
Weaknesses	Threats
1. Many local Chinese students are new immigrants from Mainland China with	1. With only one class in each level, English teachers need to take
limited English while NCS students are fluent speakers. The learning diversity among students is great.	up all the administrative work and prepare teaching resources for that level, leaving them no space to further develop graded
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diversity among students is great. 2. Students, especially local Chinese students, lack authentic contexts to use	up all the administrative work and prepare teaching resources for that level, leaving them no space to further develop graded

(C) Measure(s) taken through the grant under the English Enhancement Grant Scheme for Primary Schools, if any: (More rows can be added, if needed.)

Area(s) of Development	Usage(s) of the grant	Grade Level
School-based reading curriculum	- Hired a supply teacher	P.4 to P.6
	- Hired a teaching assistant	
	- Purchased printed books	

(D) Focus(es) of the school's proposed school-based English Language curriculum initiative(s) to be funded under PEEGS

	Proposed target area(s) of development (Please ☑ the appropriate box(es) below)	Proposed usage(s) of the Grant (Please ☑ the appropriate box(es) below)	(1	Time scale Please ☑ the appropriate ox(es) below)	(P)	rade level lease \(\subseteq \) the opropriate \(\subseteq \) below)
Ø	Enrich the English language environment in school through - conducting more English language activities*; and/or - developing more quality English language learning resources for students*	Purchase learning and teaching resources Employ full-time* or part-time* teacher (*Please delete as appropriate)	N N	2019/20 school year 2020/21 school year		P.1 P.2 P.3 P.4
	(*Please delete as appropriate) Promote reading* or literacy* across the curriculum in respect of the updated English Language Curriculum (Primary) under "Ongoing Renewal of the School Curriculum – Focusing, Deepening and Sustaining" (*Please delete as appropriate)	Employ a full time* and a part-time* teaching assistants (*Please delete as appropriate) Procure service for conducting English language activities			\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	P.5 P.6
	Enhance e-learning in respect of the updated English Language Curriculum (Primary) under "Ongoing Renewal of the School Curriculum – Focusing, Deepening and Sustaining"					
	Cater for learner diversity with equal emphasis on more able and less able students in respect of the updated English Language Curriculum (Primary) under "Ongoing Renewal of the School Curriculum – Focusing, Deepening and Sustaining"					
	Strengthen assessment literacy in respect of the updated English Language Curriculum (Primary) under "Ongoing Renewal of the School Curriculum – Focusing, Deepening and Sustaining"					

(E) How to implement the proposed school-based English Language curriculum initiative(s) funded by PEEGS? (More rows can be added, if needed.)

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(1) Hire a part-time teaching assistant to assist English Language English language environment at P.1 to P.4 Background and Objective Music has always been regarded as a powerful tool in assisting students' language learning. A "Sing to Learn" programme is proposed to be developed and implemented at P.1 to P.4. Not only does it add colour to the English lessons but also promote English learning in facilitating students to consolidate vocabulary items and language structures that they have acquired from their General English (GE) lessons. Through incorporating the target language items, sentence patterns, and phonics knowledge covered in GE lessons into songs by the school English teachers, students will be provided numerous opportunities to recycle the target vocabulary items and sentence patterns learned. As many students have difficulty in discriminating similar English phonemes, a fun phonic game or activity to consolidate their phonics skills will be followed. Instead of having a single lesson for the program once a week, ten minutes of each double General English lessons will be dedicated to the "Sing to Learn" programme. There will be three 10-minute session per week for P.1 to P.3 students and four 10-minute session per week for P.4 students.	P.1 – P.4	2019/2020 P.1 and P.2 All year round Co-planning Developing learning and teaching materials Try-out of the materials Peer lesson observation Evaluation	(preferably measurable)	This song programme will be run every year from P.1 to P.4. The teaching and learning resources will be modified and updated for continuous use in future.	
The follow-up activities after singing songs will be weaved systemically among different modules. Since the song lyrics include the vocabulary, sentence patterns, and phonics knowledge covered in GE lessons, the songs are closely related		P.3 and P.4 All year round - Co-planning	70% of P.1 to P.4 students' speaking assessment result will		

The deliverables/outputs should be <u>measurable</u> and <u>closely related to the purposes of related initiatives</u>.
 Sustainability of the initiative could be maintained through the <u>knowledge transfer/capacity building of teachers</u> and the <u>utilisation of the deliverable produced</u>.

³ Both qualitative and quantitative tools should be employed to evaluate the effectiveness of the initiative.

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Core tead Lead by English t NET wil "Sing to be hired	the English Panel Head, a cordinate chers of the target levels (P.1 to ll be responsible for development Learn" program. A part-time tead to assist the core team for the ntation of the programme.	P.4), and the school of the school-based aching assistant will		 Developing learning and teaching materials Try-out of the materials Peer lesson observation 	improve by 10%. 100% of English teachers involved will be equipped to run the new programme individually after completion of this project.		
teaching The part- degree proficien	d qualifications and experience assistant -time teaching assistant is expected holder, preferably in Music. It in English and preferably ce in primary schools.	d to be a bachelor's He/She should be		- Evaluation	100% of English teachers involved acquire skills in teaching English through songs.		
The pa team/Eng - comp - prepa and	f the part-time teaching assistant rt-time teaching assistant will glish teachers to: cose the songs and write the lyrics; re learning and teaching resources fact the singing activities.				100% of English teachers involved will apply the skills of teaching English through songs at their teaching at P.1 to P.4.		
	re language items to be covered are sofor each level Tentative vocabulary and language Items - adjectives for describing people - emotions - fruits	Language Activities - singing and listening to songs					

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	items in the classroommeans of transportsensestoysgreeting						
P.2	 actions daily activities housework jobs quantifiers rooms weather asking for permission 	- singing and listening to songs - rewriting part of lyrics					
P.3	 animals fables festivals personality picnic sports subjects asking for directions 	- singing and listening to songs - rewriting part of lyrics - singing and listening to jazz chants					
P.4	 clothes and texture comparative environmental protection hobbies procedures sports day making request asking for opinion 	- singing and listening to songs - rewriting lyrics - writing short jazz chants					
Co-plar							
-	nning anning meeting will be held we	ekly. The core team					

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will discuss and decide on the target language items, sentence patterns, and phonics knowledge covered in GE lessons to be					
recycled into the songs. The part-time teaching assistant will assist English teachers in composing the music and writing the					
lyrics based on target vocabulary items and language structures					
covered in the GE units. The part-time teaching assistant will demonstrate how to sing the songs at the meeting. Apart from					
composing sings through recycling the language content covered in the General English lessons, the core team will also					
source other online free videos available					
Implementation					
The teaching assistant will assist school English teachers to conduct the singing parts during lessons and school English					
teachers will be responsible for the follow-up activities. The					
song will be recorded and uploaded onto our school website. Students can practise singing the song at home.					
Evaluation					
School English teachers will evaluate the lessons during level co-planning meetings. Teachers will also feedback on the					
learning and teaching resources developed. The core team will modify the teaching materials.					
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Sample Session					
Target level: P.2					
Module: Travelling around					
Target vocabulary items: Transportation					
Target sentence structure:					
How do you come/go to? I come to school					
Learning and teaching activities					

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Teacher will sing out the song with students. The teaching assistant proposed to be hired will accompany the less able students to sing out the song. Lyrics will be shown while singing. Teacher will highlight the key vocabulary items and the language structures.					
A sample song available at YouTUBE could be found through the link below.					
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yiBfiJiGn2o					
After singing the song, teacher will ask students to rewrite the lyrics using the sentence patterns.					
e.g. How do you go to Ocean Park?					
I go to Ocean Park by bus.					
A song that teachers have located from YouTube will be sung with students to help students familiarised with different places in Hong Kong.					
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bE_jIVDC7-g					
As many students have difficulty in discriminating similar English phonemes, phonic activities to consolidate their phonics skills will be followed.					
Teacher will go through the different means of transportation. The sound "tr" will be highlighted. Teacher will ask students to clap their hands when they sing the words "train" and "tram".					
Teacher will then elicit students the words start with "tr" (e.g example, "tree", "trick", "treat"). Teachers will read aloud the core text and students will underline the words start with "tr". Teacher will guide students to read out the words correctly.					
After that, teachers will write down some words start with "tr"					

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(e.g. "truck", "trap", "trash", "trim") and guide students to work out the pronunciation.					
(2) Hire a part-time teaching assistant to conduct a school-based at P.5 to P.6	English p	orogramme "Future	e Fashion Designer" to en	rich the English l	anguage environment
Objectives Through developing and delivering a fashion-related programme in English, students will be able to use target sentence patterns and vocabulary items. They will be exposed to an English-rich environment and use English in an authentic context through the process of making a mood board. Core team Led by the English Panel Head, a core team consists of the NET, level teacher who will teach the target level will be formed. The core team will: - co-plan and co-develop the programme and teaching resources; - deliver the programme; - evaluate the programme; and - conduct sharing sessions. Expected qualifications and experience of the part-time teaching assistant The teaching assistant should be proficient in English and possess a bachelor degree, preferably with working experience in manufacturing industry and in primary schools.	P.5- P.6	2019/2020 P.5 Sept 2019 – Jan 2020 Co-planning Sept 2019 Teaching of the relevant GE unit in GE lessons Oct 2019 – Jan 2020 Implementation of the programme during the afternoon session Feb – May 2020 Teacher-student conference once every two weeks	A resource pack covering consists of the lesson plans, learning and teaching materials will be developed for the 10 activity sessions per level at P.5 and P.6. 80 % of P.5 to P.6 students' confidence in speaking will enhance. 100 % of the English teachers involved will enrich their knowledge in the teaching of creative thinking and research skills	This new programme will be run every year in P.5 and P.6. The teaching and learning resource will be modified and updated according to students' needs every year. Sample sessions and the presentation by students will be video-taped	Lesson observation and review will be conducted. Students' performance in speaking exam will be analysed. Questionnaires for teacher and student participants will be conducted after the programme.
Duties of the teaching assistant The full-time teaching assistant will assist school English teachers to plan, design and deliver the programme. He/She will also assist in arranging students to attend a fashion show and guide some of the groups in completing the project.		Jun 2020 Rehearsal and presentation Jul – Aug 2020			

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Implementation of the fashion programme After covering the relevant units about fashion during GE lessons, students will work in groups for the programme.				Evaluation and refinement of the programme			
10 afternoon sessions will be arranged to prepare students for the project. Students will learn about the factors to consider in designing uniform. A visit to a fashion show will be arranged so that students will have better idea of how a real fashion show will be like. Students will then work in groups to design a uniform for a particular group. Students will present their design in a form of a mood board, a collage with images, text, and samples to illustrate the design of the uniform. Group conferencing will be arranged. Students will meet either the school English teacher or the teaching assistant once every two weeks to report their progress and teachers/the teaching assistant will provide advice or assistance when necessary.				2020/2021 P.5 and P.6 Sept 2020 – Jan 2021 Co-planning Sept 2020 Teaching of the relevant GE unit in GE lessons			
year and session.	Students will then present their work at the end of the school year and students from other levels will join the presentation session. Teachers will provide feedback to students after the presentation.			Oct 2020 – Jan 2021 Implementation of the			
Tentative working schedule for the "Future Fashion Designer" Programme				programme during the afternoon session			
Month Sept				Feb –May 2021 Teacher-student conference once every two weeks			
Oct – Jan	Afternoon programme	English teachers, with the assistance of the part-time teaching assistant proposed to be hired, will conduct the programme		Jun 2021 Rehearsal and presentation Jul-Aug 2021 Evaluation and			

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		during the afternoon activity lessons.		refinement of the programme			
Dec		Students will attend a fashion show.					
Feb – May	project and teacher-student conference	Students work in groups. Each group will meet with the English teachers or the teaching assistant once every two weeks.					
Jun	Showcase	Rehearsal and Presentation					
Tentative	Tentative programme outline						
	Primary 5						
Task: Mak	te a mood board for upc	cycling an old T-shirt					
Session	Focus	Connection with the GE curriculum					
1 – 3	Introduction of fashion industry through reading the biographies of famous fashion designers	Reading: - language features of biographies					
4	Learning vocabulary about clothing through fashion	Vocabulary items: - colour - clothing items					

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	show watching						
5	Debriefing after the fashion show	Writing: - writing a recount					
6	Preparation for interview	Speaking: - eliciting a response by					
7	Conducting interview with people for their preferences	asking questions - maintaining an interaction through asking and replying to questions					
8 – 9	Mood board making	Writing: - summarising and organizing information collected through interview conducted - writing short descriptions					
10	Presentation in front of the class	Peer assessment - providing feedbacks Speaking: - presenting ideas					

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Task: Upo	Primary 6 Task: Upcycling an old T-shirt based on the mood board made in P.5						
Session	Focus	Connection with the GE curriculum					
1	Factors to consider when upcycling an old T-shirt	Vocabulary items: - colour - weather					
2	Refining the mood board developed in P.5	Writing: - writing short descriptions					
3	Presenting the finalized design	Speaking: - presenting ideas					
4	Understanding the procedures of upcycling an old T-shirt	Reading - procedure text					
5	Writing the procedures and clothes for upcycling the old T-shirt	Writing: - procedure text for upcycling the old T-shirt					
6	A visit to a cloth market to buy clothes needed	Writing: - writing a shopping list					

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7	Upcycling the old T-shirt based on the procedures written	Reading: - procedure text for upcycling the old T-shirt written					
8 – 9	Rehearsal for the fashion show	Speaking: - presenting ideas					
10	Interclass fashion show						