

Summer Term Programs

Jun - Aug 2024

Kindergarten - Primary - Secondary



Language & Enrichment



Tuition & Test Prep



Admissions Consulting

WHICH ARCH PROGRAM IS FOR YOU?

ARCH Education (Central) provides a wide range of academic services, including language enhancement, skill-based enrichment courses, academic tuition and test preparation for students ages 1.5-18, while ARCH Education Consulting's global team guides students to prepare for boarding schools and university applications in the UK and US.

AGE	ARCH EDUCATION CENTER (CENTRAL)					ARCH EDUCATION CONSULTING
	LANGUAGE	LANGUAGE & ENRICHMENT			ACADEMIC & TEST PREP	UK US BOARDING SCHOOLS & UNIVERSITIES
		THINK	SPEAK	DEBATE	READ + WRITE	
1.5						
2-6	Aspire English				Foundation	
7-8	Mini Mandarins					
9-10		Level 1	Junior	Starter	Junior	Boarding School Admissions Guidance Profile Building, Entrance Exam Prep, Interview Prep, Ongoing Guidance & more
11-12			Intermediate	Level 1	Intermediate	
13-14		Level 2		Level 2	Advanced	University Admissions Guidance Aptitude Tests, Profile Building, Personal Statement, Application Strategy & more
15-16				Level 3		
17-18						Alevel AP IBDP Pre-U (all subjects)

**For course details, please refer to the appropriate application form.
 Levelling assessment is mandatory for all new students. Class assignment is subjected to assessment result and teacher's recommendation.*

YOUR K-12 EDUCATION PARTNER



LEVELLING ASSESSMENT

Students sit a pre-course assessment to identify which programs best suit them.



ENRICHMENT PROGRESSION PLAN

We provide a study plan for each age category to map out the path for the students, tailored to their aspirations.



ENRICHMENT & ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

We give suggestions should we feel complementary assistance is necessary.



PARENT-TEACHER COMMUNICATION

Our teachers provide verbal and written progress feedback to students and parents at regular intervals which may involve in-person or online discussion.



THINK

Our **Critical Thinking Socrates Program** aims to instill in students the key transferable skills and intellectual tools necessary for effective lifelong learning. Mastering critical and lateral thinking skills will prepare students for the transition from local to international schools, the intense research of IB, the in-depth investigation of A Levels and current affairs analysis for DSE Liberal Studies.

Skills Highlights:

- ◆ Questioning
- ◆ Essay Writing
- ◆ Presentation
- ◆ MUN
- ◆ Elections
- ◆ Critical Thinking
- ◆ Improv
- ◆ Debate
- ◆ Model Presidential

Level 1 (P4-P6) (SO1) Ages 9-11

- ◆ Why are vegetables always found in the front section of the supermarkets?
- ◆ Why is something as identical as the iPhone so expensive?

In this season, we will explore the relationships between companies, communities and cultures. Discussing topics ranging from how our diets and cravings are shaped by colors and symbols to how companies influence the design of our homes and neighbourhoods. Develop your sense of observation to question the surroundings we live in, as we discuss how we make ourselves and our society better!



Level 2 (S1-S3) (SO2) Ages 12-14

- ◆ Does buying from poor countries have to be hurtful to the poor?
- ◆ Does the government have to stand for something or someone?

Living in times of unprecedented global events helps us understand not only the important roles that the government plays but also the perspectives we need to take when looking at abstract problems that have real consequences on our daily lives. This summer course will look at the issues of class, cash and clashes around the world, in search of a better understanding and solutions to both local and global issues that are shaping our communities.



READ+WRITE

Junior, Intermediate and Advanced learners can take a combined Reading AND Writing course. This will allow our faculty to assess each student's language arts skills and identify areas for improvement for the coming school year. For initial skills development, Foundation learners will be offered independent reading and writing courses.

"I learnt more about understanding poems and articles, as well as going deeper when I read. My reading speed has increased as well. I liked the way of teaching. The discussions in class improved my speaking. I also liked the questions asked as they made me think."

— M.Y.



Vocabulary Building



Literary Analytical Skills



Writing Techniques



Grammar Booster

Junior (P4-P5) (RWJ) - Ages 9-10

Fairy Reality

Reinterpret the classics with a plot twist on selected classics such as Goldilocks on CCTV as well as The Sleeper and The Spindle. Compose a poem to retell the story from a different perspective and create an argumentative defense for misunderstood villains like the big bad wolf.

Intermediate (P6-S1) (RWI) - Ages 11-12

Fables

With an anthology of fables from Europe to Africa, let us distill wisdom from the animals of the wild to write your own narrative as an allegory for mankind. Explore the modern interaction between human and wildlife to write your own sensational newspaper tales.

Advanced (S2-S3) (RWA) - Ages 13-14

Heroes

Explore tales of inspiration from an Anthology of Heroic Epics and selected Memoirs. Develop engaging writing styles and word choices that bring stories to life. Employ these skills to write a narrative for a historical figure and a memoir for a person of exemplar personal virtues.

Reading Foundation (P2-P3) (RF) - Ages 7-8

Venturing into the Imaginary World

Go on an epic Out of This World Moon Pie Adventure and journey to find the Ogre. Learn to use literary devices such as sensory imagery and Onomatopoeia to add flair to your writing. Take your fantastical summer journey amongst the stars and blast off with your English reading!

Writing Foundation (P2-P3) (WF) - Ages 7-8

Space & Fantasy

Take your imagination to the next level and create a menu for a fantasy restaurant on Mars for astronauts and aliens from outer space! Play around with expository writing to bring out the history of your cafe in space and use descriptive techniques to invent a dish better than green eggs and ham.

SPEAK

The world is full of public speakers. We see them on TV, hear them on the radio, and learn from them at school. But how do the ones we admire get so good? Practice! Our **Public Speaking Program** helps students improve their presentation skills and empower them with the techniques to articulate themselves with confidence.



Critical Thinking



Political Science



Global Issues



Ethics



Speech Writing



Junior Level (P4-P5) (PSJ) Ages 9-10

Summer Life

Learn classic poems and the skills to deliver recitals rich in emotions. Master the verbal and non-verbal techniques to capture the attention of your audience. Immerse in guided writing of a personal story that you will narrate to share your experiences and feelings with your peers.



Intermediate Level (P6-S1) (PSI) Ages 11-12

Advocacy & Conviction

Learn to speak with distinction by leveraging both enhanced language and improved stage presence, prepare and deliver an expository speech to raise awareness on important social issues. Carry that understanding to formulate a persuasive speech to argue your position and propose solutions.

DEBATE



With over 50 students from 15 schools, the Hong Kong Debate Tournament 2023 organized by ARCH Education in May drew to a jubilant close as debaters celebrated the return of in-person debate competition. Over the two tournament days, students spared over globally relevant motions to pertinent socio-economic topics.

Students will have the chance to join
Hong Kong Debate Tournament 2024!*



Starter (P4-P5) (DBS) - Ages 9-10

To kickstart students' combined ability to think and articulate, our starter debate class aims to inspire the next generation of young debaters. By engaging students through their personal experiences and immediate pressing social issues, they can gain confidence and find their voices through individual and group work.

Level 1 (P6-S1) (DB1) - Ages 11-12

This level of debate class introduces the world of competitive debate to budding speakers through interactive group work and constant feedback from our coaches. A combination of spoken and written practices will ignite the students' ability to think critically about what matters.

Level 2 (S2-S3) (DB2) - Ages 13-14

Formal debate skills are honed to shape orators at this stage. Through peer brainstorming and technical exercises, our coaches will guide students through frameworks of analysis that enable them to delve into local and global issues which otherwise may seem abstract and disconnected.

Level 3 (S4+) (DB3) - Ages 15+

Four competing teams in a round, live-fire interjection during a speech or sharp questions from the floor. Aspiring debaters joining this course will be trained through a series of tournament level debate motions to develop the competence to analyze, compose and deliver full speeches at the standard of regional tournaments.

*Tournament arrangement to be confirmed and provided.

EXPERIENTIAL PROGRAMS

Combine your academic competencies across the subjects at school with the professional guidance of industry experts. Guiding students in learning experiences that connect their career and scholastic aspirations through real world exposures. Develop their future readiness and enhance their intrinsic motivation to learn and succeed.



CRIME SCENE FORENSICS

Ages 7-13

Led by CSI experts, children will witness mysterious cases, analyze clues like fingerprints, DNA and blood splatters, and solve cases like Forensic Scientists!



ART & DESIGN

Ages 7-10

Let's glam your children up by teaching them to create their own outfits to stroll the catwalk with confidence and style under the guidance of renowned label fashion designer!



DR. SCIENTIST

Ages 7-13+

Explore the world of medicine by engaging in hands-on experiences with actual medical tools, inspiring children in the fields of medical science and biomedical technology!



MINI HUMAN BIOLOGIST

Ages 7-8

Lead children on a journey to discover how genetics influence appearance and characteristics through hands-on experiments that unveil the secrets of DNA structure and heredity.



JUNIOR ROBOT MECHANIC

Ages 8-10

Under the guidance of our robotics and programming expert, children will have the opportunity to construct and program their own incredible mechanical creations, blending fundamental coding principles with valuable STEM skills!



STEM PLUS

Ages 12+

Children will acquire the skills to develop AI applications and program the Jetson Autonomous Robot, a cutting-edge technology developed by MIT and Nvidia. They will receive guidance from data scientists and AI specialists from Nvidia, ensuring a comprehensive learning experience!



GRAFFITI WORKSHOP

Ages 7-12+

Encourage children to engage in collaborative and creative expression by working together on a graffiti mural. They will have the opportunity to explore various art forms and techniques inspired by Banksy, allowing them to convey their thoughts and emotions in a unique way.

MINI MANDARINS

Our New Strategic Partner Offers Mandarin Classes!

We are excited to announce that ARCH Education has formed a strategic partnership with Mini Mandarins ("MM") to offer Mandarin Chinese classes to children ages 1.5 to 10. Founded in 2014, MM has been teaching Mandarin with interactive pedagogies focused on the appreciation and application of the language. Our Signature program offers an immersive theme-based learning environment whereby children are encouraged to apply Mandarin in daily life.



Signature Programs Ages 1.5-8

Our Signature Program aims to help students develop confidence in Mandarin oral and literacy skills and be inspired to learn in a positive manner. Our classes are taught by native Mandarin teachers who have attained distinction level in Putonghua Shuiping Ceshi.

One of the most distinctive features of our program is that students will do role-plays in a super-fun simulated area called the Mini Metro where they can put their learning into practice. Students can also develop a deeper understanding and appreciation of the Chinese culture through Chinese Tang Dynasty poems, stories and songs.



Mini Tots



Mini Foundations



Mini Masters



Summer Fun Workshops

Ages 3-8

Get ready for a thrilling summer packed with exploration, creativity, and new findings at our Summer Fun Workshop. Awarded as the winner of Hong Kong Living and Expat Living's Best Kid's Language Learning Center, we provide an enriching and fun learning experience for children. They will actively participate in a hands-on craft activity and get the chance to engage in role play at the "Mini Metro", which will be centered around the theme of a Fire Station. Our goal is to provide an enjoyable and interactive learning experience that brings education to life.



邏輯思維
Logical Thinking



科學探索
Scientific Explorations



唐詩吟唱
Tang Poetry



藝術欣賞
Art Appreciation



歷史文化
History and Culture



ASPIRE ENGLISH

English Foundation Programs for Kindergarteners

Developed by early childhood educators, our courses offer a springboard which empowers young children to transition from hearing stories to giving book talks, and from comprehending text to creating their own pieces. Students will develop a range of skills, including phonemic awareness, vocabulary, comprehension, to become future ready readers and writers.

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Welcome, Future Readers!



Storytelling

For Ages 2.5-3.5



Phonics

For Ages 3+



Readers & Writers

For Ages 4+

ADVENTURES SUMMER CAMP

Ages 3-7

Seeking a summer camp that blends joy, education and discovery? Come join us for an unforgettable summer brimming with language development, critical thinking, hands-on STEM activities, and exciting architecture adventures. Our immersive and engaging courses are designed for young learners, offering a wide range of options to spark creativity, ignite curiosity, and foster essential skills. With flexible scheduling and expert instructors, our camp provides an incredible opportunity for children to engage, explore, and excel in a supportive and vibrant environment.



English Language

Ages 3-7



Critical Thinking

Ages 3-7



Interactive Learning

Ages 4-7



ACADEMIC TUTORING

We also offer subject tutoring to help students develop a stronger academic foundation and provide a platform to advance students' learning through Passion Projects and Competition Training.

BRIDGING THE GAPS OF CURRICULA

Expecting to transition into a new curriculum in September? ARCH's experienced instructors provide support to ensure you are ready for the new and heightened academic challenge. Scenarios include but not limited to:

- **IBMYP → IBDP:**
From studying "Science" to Physics, Chemistry and/or Biology
- **IGCSE → IBDP:**
From scientific calculator to graphing display calculator (GDC)
- **Local School → IBDP:**
How to prepare EE and IA?
- **IBMYP/Local School → AP/US System:**
How to conduct written responses for Maths and Science subjects?



IBMYP | IBDP | (I)GCSE | GCEAL | IAL | AP

- Group and 1-on-1 classes taught by official examiners and experienced instructors
- Tailor-made lessons to assist students adapt to different teaching/testing styles and boost scores on mock exams
- Comprehensive exercises and tests to consolidate knowledge
- Subjects include:

- English	- Mathematics	- Economics	- Politics
- Chinese	- Further Maths	- History	- Philosophy
- French	- Calculus AB/BC	- Geography	- Psychology
- German	- Biology	- Business	- Sociology
- Latin	- Chemistry	- Environmental Science	- Design & Technology
- Spanish	- Physics		

"I would like to thank my teacher for helping me on my Extended Essay for Mathematics over the past year. With his help and guidance, I received an A with a score of 29/34. Thank you for giving me guidance with my Maths Extended Essay!"

– C.C.

"I believe the tutoring my son got from ARCH tutors towards the end of his exam preparation was important in giving him the added confidence to finally achieve a 7 in IB English (higher level). His IB result was more than enough to meet the LSE offer."

– Mr. Ng (Parent)



TEST PREPARATION

UK Boarding School Prep

UKISET PRE-TEST | 9+ | 11+ | 13+ (Ages 8-16)

- All UK boarding school entrance test formats (computerized and school-specific papers)
- Courses include: Verbal Reasoning, Non-Verbal Reasoning, English, Maths, Sciences and other subjects
- Interview prep/Critical thinking: Skills enrichment to prepare for admissions interviews



US Boarding School Prep

Boarding School Boost Program (Ages 10-14)

- Suitable for students entering into US Boarding Schools and want to prepare for the transition to the US curriculum
- Tailor-made and flexible: 1-on-1 lessons with our experienced tutors
- Courses include: Vocabulary, English Literature, Mathematics, Sciences, Humanities and other subjects



UK University Aptitude Test

UCAT | LNAT | TSA | ESAT | MAT | TMUA | PAT | HAT | ELAT | STEP & more

- Skill-based courses and 1-on-1 lessons to cover Oxbridge, Medicine and Law aptitude tests
- 150+ Oxbridge graduate tutors to cover all disciplines

US Test Prep

Our experienced US test prep tutors offer intensive group and private lessons to prepare you for the US standardized tests.

- **MAP** (Up to Ages 12)
- **SSAT** (Ages 12-14)
- **SAT & ACT** (Ages 15-17)

In-house
Mock Papers

Drilling
Courses

Private
Lessons



UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS

To maximize your chance of being admitted to global universities, our admissions consultants are experienced in providing comprehensive support:



Profiling/
Academic Planning



Extracurricular
Activities Guidance



Test
Preparation



School
Selection



Essay/Statement
Guidance



Recommendation
Guidance



Interview
Preparation



Waitlist/
Application Strategy



Communication
with Schools



Ongoing
Guidance

Our university admissions consulting teams have helped students successfully apply to the following UK & US universities:

UK Universities included*:

- University of Cambridge
- University of Oxford
- Durham University
- Imperial College London
- King's College London
- London School of Economics
- University College London
- University of Bristol
- University of Edinburgh
- University of Warwick

Subjects included:

- Architecture
- Business Management
- Computer Science
- Economics
- Engineering
- History
- Human, Social & Political Sciences
- Law
- Mathematics
- Medicine
- Natural Sciences
- Psychology
- Philosophy, Politics & Economics

US Universities included*:

- Boston University
- Brown University
- Carnegie Mellon University
- Columbia University
- Columbia University and Sciences Po
- Cornell University
- Georgetown University
- Harvard University
- Johns Hopkins University
- Northwestern University
- Pomona College
- Stanford University
- Tufts University
- University of California, Berkeley
- University of California, Los Angeles
- University of Pennsylvania
- University of Southern California
- Yale University





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