

LIFESKILLS PROGRAMME

At CHIJ Primary School, we aim to help every student develop 21st-century skills of self-management and social awareness. The Life Skills Programme is an annual event in which our students learn self-management and self-sufficiency skills.

CHIJ CPC, together with our parent volunteers is proud to be part of the school initiative of this programme.

Along with the support of teachers, we guided the students through various lessons such as folding uniforms, tying hair table manners and dining etiquette, sandwich-making, cross-stitching and gift-wrapping.

These hands-on activities have made learning authentic for our girls and the joy of learning was evident in their happy faces. We hope that through these programmes, our students can be the students with inculcated Growth mindsets.

Simple Dan Ma Vertu, Forte Dans Mon Devoir



"Volunteering validated the notion that it's not just about my daughter attending primary school.; it's about her being part of a community, a social fabric bigger than herself, and that genuine growth is also dependent on how her community grows." Helping her peers and friends grow holistically enriches her life and experience. Volunteering as a PV is a joy and also encourages the gals to give back to the wider community when they are able to.

Tracy Ow

Mummy P2 Rose - Olivia

"One of the most fulfilling aspects of parent volunteering is the sense of contribution and making a difference in the lives of students and the school community as a whole. Not only that, it allows me to get to know my daughter's friends and other mothers whom I've befriended along the way. The whole spirit in IJ is about connection, love, laughter, and camaraderie."

Jane Pang

Mummy of P1 Hibiscus - Callie Buenviaje

P6 Ixora - Gabbie Buenviaje



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Making personalised pouch for my brother



Running stitch
Vroom... vroom...

I was very happy to have the opportunity to volunteer at the programme.

Having spent 11 years in an IJ school myself, I believe the value that an IJ education brings to each girl.

Nurturing our girls is a collective effort - one that involves a community of like minded parents, teachers.

Looking forward to many more opportunities to volunteer together with the other parents.

Roxanne Toh

Parent of P1 Rose - Gemma Shen



Primary 5
Sewing experts

Primary 1
Experts Dresser



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Primary 3 Volunteer

Let's make yummy sandwich.. !



Primary 4 Parent Volunteers

Wrapping Joy, one box at a time ...



Primary 4
Wrapped and Decorated my own gift box

I am writing to express my gratitude for allowing me the opportunity to participate as a parent volunteer for the first time in the gift-wrapping class for Primary 4 students at CHIJ. It was truly a rewarding experience for me as a Dad volunteer, and I feel privileged to have been a part of such a wonderful initiative. I have not been much of a hands-on dad when it comes to my daughter's Christie school activities and I decided to make the time and be more participative from this year onwards as my youngest daughter Courtney has started in primary 1 this year as well.

I thoroughly enjoyed interacting with the Primary 4 girls and assisting them in learning the art of gift wrapping. Their enthusiasm and eagerness to learn were truly inspiring, and it was a joy to see them develop their skills and creativity throughout the class.

I would like to commend the teachers and the CHIJ CPC group for organizing such a meaningful and educational activity for the students. It is evident that a lot of effort and dedication went into planning and executing this event, and I am grateful to have been a part of it.

Being able to volunteer in the school community in this way has been a truly enriching experience for me and my wife Celeste Rodrigues who helped with the Primary one-girls activity. I look forward to future opportunities to volunteer and support the school in its endeavors.

Thank you once again for allowing me to be a part of the gift-wrapping class. It was a privilege to work with the students and the CHIJ CPC and I am grateful for the memories and experiences that I will treasure for years to come.

Jude De Cunha

Dad of P4 Lily-Christie Gabrielle & P1 Orchid - Courtney Georgina