St. Antonius Kindergarten
Information on Admission

(1) Note on application for admission

Number of new students: 30 children for each K1 class in A.M. & P.M. session, a total of 120 children. The number of new children for K2 and K3 classes varies according to different situations in each year.

Minimum age: K1 (2 years 8 months), K2 (3 years 8 months), K3 (4 years 8months)

Obtaining application form: Obtain from school in person (1/F.,Yau Tong Road, Kwun Tong,Kowloon) or download from school website (www.stakg.edu.hk)

Date: 9th September 2019 or after (Public holidays closed)

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00p.m. (Monday to Friday)
9:00a.m. to 12:30p.m. (Saturday)

(2) Return of Application Forms (No set quota for number of returning application forms):

Date: 9th September 2019 or after (Public holidays closed)

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00p.m. (Monday to Friday)
9:00a.m. to 12:30p.m. (Saturday)

(3) Note on returning application form

Please return the application form and the following relevant documents/certificates and obtain the interview date and time in person. Application by mail is not accepted.

a. Completed application form
b. Original and photocopy of the child's birth certificate and/or other identity document (e.g. Hong Kong single entry permit, passport, Identity card, or other documentary evidence of legal residence in Hong Kong)
c. Original and photo copy of immunization record
d. Three 1.5" X 2" Passport Photos
e. Application fee HK$40 (to be collected together with the completed application form). The application fee is non-refundable whether the application is successful or not.
f. Three self-addressed stamped envelopes. The envelopes should be 9 inches in length, two with HK$2.00 stamps and one with $7.30 stamps.
g. Catholicism certificate and copy (if the child or parents are baptized.)
h. Proof of sibling(s) who is studying or has graduated from the kindergarten (please provide true and photocopy of the first page of school handbook or graduation certificate)
i. Parents may show their preference for their children to attend AM or PM class. But the kindergarten will make the final decision depending on the availability of school places.

(4) Application for the "2020/21 Registration Certificate for Kindergarten Admission"

Parents are required to submit an application for the "2020/21 Registration Certificate for Kindergarten Admission" (hereafter referred as "2020/21 RC") to EDB **from September to November 2019**. The "2020/21 RC" will be opened for applications in September 2019. Application forms and guidance notes are available at District Offices, Post Offices and the Regional Education Offices of the EDB. They can also be downloaded from the EDB's website (www.edb.gov.hk).

(5) Admission Criteria

1. Interview performance
2. Applicants with sibling(s) currently studying in or formerly graduated from the kindergarten will be given higher priority.

(6) Interview Arrangements

1. The kindergarten will arrange interviews for all applicants.
2. Interviews will be conducted on 2nd November 2019. The time will be arranged during submission of the application form.
3. Parents should accompany their children for the interviews.
4. Interviews may be arranged in group and/or individual format, and we will have a briefing session, please reserve around one hour and fifteen minutes for the whole process.

(7) Announcement of Admission Results

We will inform parents of the admission results before 20th December 2019 by post.

(8) Registration Arrangements

1. Successful applicants: Parents should complete the registration procedures for their children from 9 to 11 January 2020 ("Centralised Registration Dates") by submitting the original copies of the " RC" to the Kindergarten and paying the registration fee to the kindergarten.
2. Applicants on the waiting list: Parents should complete the registration procedures for their children according to the date specified by the school. Parents are required to submit the original of the " RC" to the kindergarten and pay the registration fee as well.
3. Please be reminded that if parents cannot submit the " RC" during the registration process, the kindergarten may not be able to complete the registration for their children. Hence, parents are reminded to submit applications for the Registration Certificate to EDB within the specified period.
4. The registration fee for 2020/21 is HK$970. If the child concerned studies in the kindergarten, the registration fee paid will be refunded in September 2020. Should parents decide to change school after registration, please notify the kindergarten in writing. The kindergarten will return the " RC" but the registration fee will not be refunded. Upon obtaining the " RC", the kindergarten will no longer keep the school place for the child.