

Marymount Secondary School

Annual School Plan

2025 - 2026

Contents	Page
1. School Vision and Mission	2
2. Annual School Plan 2025-2026	3 - 8

1. School Vision & Mission



Our mission is to create in a school with a cherishing and challenging atmosphere that facilitates the holistic development of students in areas such as the spiritual, moral, intellectual, physical, social and aesthetic aspects. The school is a happy place for studying and learning, a place students would like to identify with and be proud of.

According to our catholic and cultural traditions, and through care and concern for each individual person, we seek to form students:

- whose acquisition of knowledge and skills is joined to Christian values
- who will become reflective and will accept their strengths and weaknesses
- who will come to a knowledge of God and put Christian values into practice
- who are sensitive to the needs of others, especially the poor
- who fulfill a role in serving others to build a just and compassionate society.

Through a balanced curriculum and varied functions, the school aims at fostering students to become responsible citizens, who are sensitive to the needs of others, especially the poor, and who will fulfill their role in building a just and compassionate society.

In the spirit of openness and close co-operation built on mutual trust, respect and appreciation of the distinct roles of one another, the Management Committee represented by the Supervisor, the Principal and Staff work together for the common goal of providing quality education for the students.

2. Annual School Plan 2025-2026

Major Concerns

- 1. To enhance students' well-being through building a greater sense of purpose in life
- 2. To cultivate students' ownership for them to be future-ready learners

1. Major Concern: To enhance students' well-being through building a greater sense of purpose in life

In the past six years, with a clear focus on students' values formation, we have provided a solid foundation for nurturing our students with six core values of reverence, gratitude, compassion, integrity, perseverance and wisdom. Building upon this good foundation, we will continue to deepen our work in nurturing the values of our students in the coming years. This year, we will continue our collaboration with Bei Shan Tang, a renowned organization specializing in values formation. To focus on the core value of Reverence this year, with the invaluable support of the Bei Shan Tang Foundation, we established the vision: "At MSS, everyone is valued and loved, builds resilience, and learns to make wise decisions in God's light." Led by this guiding principle, our Values Formation Team, Guidance Team and RAC will work together to create initiatives that encourage students to value themselves, others, and the community. This will enable us to cultivate a culture of respect within the school community, so that everyone feels valued and our students will thrive healthily and happily.

Based on the achievements, feedback and reflections in 2024-2025, the school has identified the follow-up actions below:

- To implement mental and physical health initiatives that enhance students' balanced habits and healthy lifestyle when navigating through challenges in their personal lives and academic studies.
- To encourage students to realise their purpose in life through a strengthened Careers and Guidance framework by integrating strength-based training and parental engagement to facilitate informed and meaningful life planning.
- To empower students to demonstrate positive core values by fostering self-respect, peer appreciation and active service to the community in promoting a culture of love and respect.

Target	Implementation Strategy	Success Criterion	Method of Evaluation	Time Scale	Responsible person	Resource Required
Students' well- being can be enhanced	 Consolidate skill-based infograph in different developmental stages ★ Enhance students' focus on the present (Mindfulness/Emotional regulation) ★ Strengthen support for Non-MPS students ★ Encourage balanced habits and promote a healthy lifestyle ★ Provide opportunities for relaxation before and after the exam ★ Equip students with online literacy skills and knowledge of etiquette rules ★ 	An increased number of students showing they have a positive self-image 70% of students agree that they are satisfied with their lives	APASO Programme survey	Sept 2025 - Jun 2026	Bei Shan Tang Lab School Team Guidance Team Values Formation Team	Life-wide Learning and Sister School Grant Bei Shan Tang Lab School Project LevelMind @Jockey Club
Students can identify their unique talents and their purpose in life through constructive life planning	 Consolidate the framework of Careers and Guidance development Provide parents with information/ education on different career pathways ★ 	Refining the framework 70% of students and parents agree that the activities can help them and their daughters to broaden their perspectives and develop life skills	APASO Stakeholder survey Programme survey	Sept 2025 - Jun 2026	CLPT	Life-wide Learning and Sister School Grant

Target	Implementation Strategy	Success Criterion	Method of Evaluation	Time Scale	Responsible person	Resource Required
Students can demonstrate positive/ core values (Reverence) in their daily lives.	 Students can value themselves (Reverence) ★ Students can value others ★ Students can value our community and country ★ 	70% of students agree that they can demonstrate Reverence in their daily lives	APASO Programme survey	Sept 2025 - Jun 2026	Values Formation Team	Life-wide Learning and Sister School Grant Bei Shan Tang Lab School Project
Students can cultivate a passion for long-term goals/ establishing a direction for life	 Promote the Compassionate Systems Framework to teachers to gain a better understanding of students' needs ★ Refine our daily check-in system with HRs ★ Co-create a safe and generative space on homeroom, team and school level to support students to shine and thrive Promote a sense of national identity ★ 	70% of students agree that they feel supported in their personal development	APASO Stakeholder Survey	Sept 2025 - Jun 2026	Pastoral Care Committee	Life-wide Learning and Sister School Grant Compassionate Systems Framework

2. Major Concern: To cultivate students' ownership for them to be future-ready learners

This year, we are continuing our effort in developing our learners into thinkers by establishing a Culture of Thinking in the school and enhancing the sense of ownership in learning among students. With a focus on supporting students' development as effective thinkers and active agents in the process of learning through the formal and informal curriculum. Building on the good practice of incorporating various thinking routines in classroom learning to scaffold and promote higher-order thinking and self-directed learning skills among students, students will be further empowered to think and learn collaboratively and discover the joy in learning this year. To align with the emerging educational trends and our school's major concerns, we continue to actively engage in various learning and teaching related programmes and services offered by the Education Bureau (EDB), The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK), Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) and Catalyst Education Lab (CEL) to enrich and refine our school-based curriculum and learning and teaching strategies. In order to be equipped with future-ready mindsets, we will continue to strengthen our teaching staff's and students' digital literacy skills by exploring the possibilities of integrating AI in learning and teaching to cultivate greater ownership in students' learning experience.

Based on the achievements, feedback and reflections in 2024-2025, the school has identified the follow-up actions below:

- To cultivate a reflective and self-directed learning culture to actively engage students in purposeful inquiry, knowledge co-construction and opportunities to showcase their achievements in learning.
- o To foster students' deeper understanding of global issues and strengthen perspective-taking skills through refining curriculum coherence and providing authentic learning experiences across Key Stages of learning and Key Learning Areas.
- To equip teachers and students with digital literacy skills to enhance teaching and learning effectiveness and encourage students to learn more actively and collaboratively to assist their thinking and learning.

Target	Implementation Strategy	Success Criterion	Method of Evaluation	Time Scale	Responsible person	Resource Required
To develop students	 Establish suitable learning 	An increased	Teacher	Sept 2025 -	Subject	Service Providers
into competent	routines in the classroom to	number of students	observation	Jun 2026	Panels	
learners	internalize students' thinking ★	showing				Diversity Learning Grant
	• Empower students in the co-	competence in their	Students'		Curriculum	
	construction of knowledge and	learning	performance		Committee	Life-wide Learning and
	find joy in learning ★ • Create opportunities for students to learn from mistakes	70% of students agree that they are	Subject Evaluation			Sister School Grant
	and direct their own learning *	engaged in their	Stakeholder Survey			
		learning process				
To develop students	• Engage students to reflect on	An increased	Teacher	Sept 2025 -	Subject	Service Providers
to take charge of	their learning through self-	number of students	observation	Jun 2026	Panels	
their learning	verbalising thinking moves ★	taking up				Diversity Learning Grant
	• Promote students' self-	ownership in their	Students'		Curriculum	
	questioning skills in directing	learning	performance		Committee	Life-wide Learning and
	their learning goals ★ • Provide opportunities for students to confidently	70% of students agree that they are	Subject Evaluation			Sister School Grant
	showcase their learning	aware of their own	Stakeholder Survey			
	outcomes ★	role and achievement in				
		learning				

Target	Implementation Strategy	Success Criterion	Method of Evaluation	Time Scale	Responsible person	Resource Required
To develop qualities	Develop students'	70% of students	Teacher	Sept 2025 -	Subject	Service Providers
in students for global	understanding of multiple	agree that they can	observation	Jun 2026	Panels	
readiness	perspectives from local,	relate to the				Diversity Learning Grant
	national to global 🛨	happenings from a	Students'		Curriculum	
	 Provide opportunities for 	local to national	performance		Committee	Life-wide Learning and
	students to contextualise their	and on a global				Sister School Grant
	learning and make connections	scale	Subject Evaluation			
	with national and global issues					
	and their everyday life ★					
To develop mindsets	• Promote the wise use of	70% of students	Teacher	Sept 2025 -	Subject	Service Providers
for future-readiness	digital means in the	agree that they feel	observation	Jun 2026	Panels	
	exploration of subject	digitally equipped				Diversity Learning Grant
	knowledge ★	and supported in	Students'		Curriculum	
	 Encourage students to be 	their learning	performance		Committee	Life-wide Learning and
	supportive of one another's					Sister School Grant
	learning by thinking together		Subject Evaluation			
	*					HKJC AI for Education
			Stakeholder Survey			Students Project

- End -

