

Thematic Seminar Information:

“Developing EQ in Gifted Learners”

Course Code	Date and Time	Target Group
SR/AE/020910	24 June 2010 (Thursday) 2:00p.m. – 5:00p.m. (3 hours)	Primary and Secondary School Teachers, School Guidance Teachers & School Social Workers
Medium of Instruction	Cantonese	

- Venue** : Function Room, 1/F, HKPC Building
78 Tat Chee Avenue, Kowloon, Hong Kong
- Speaker and Facilitator** : Dr. Chau Yuen-fan, Iris
Play Therapist & Registered Psychologist
- Course Description** : This seminar focuses on how to deal with the social and emotional issues faced by some gifted learners, in particular, their rebellious and deviant behaviour in classroom and the strategies that teachers could adopt to develop gifted learners' emotional quotient (EQ).
- Course Objectives** : Upon completion of this course, participants should be able to:
- Understand how to deal with the rebellious and deviant behaviour of gifted learners in classroom
 - Know the strategies of helping gifted learners to manage their emotions
 - Know the skills of developing the social competence of gifted learners
 - Know some strategies and the implementation outcomes from some cases
- Course Outline** : 1. How to deal with the rebellious and deviant behaviour of gifted learners in classroom?
2. Effective strategies to help gifted learners to manage their emotions & impulsivity
3. Ways to develop the social competence of gifted learners
4. Case sharing with examples of interventions
5. Q & A
- Certificate/CPD Hours** : Certificate of Participation and 3 CPD hours will be awarded to all participants
- Course Fee** : Free of Charge (Funded by The Hong Kong Academy for Gifted Education)
- Number of Nominees per school** : No fixed quota

- Registration Information** : Please apply **online** from the website of The Hong Kong Academy for Gifted Education at http://hkage.org.hk/en/tz_programmes.html
Registrant is required to obtain approval from his/her school principal or supervisor to attend this course by submitting a signed “**Nomination Form**” to the HKAGE through fax or email in order to complete the registration process.
The “Nomination Form” can be downloaded after submission of the online registration form by registrant. The same form will also be sent to the registrant via email as a reminder.
- Deadline for Registration** : **11 June 2010 (Friday) 5:00p.m.**
Note: Acceptance is on first-come-first-served basis.
Registrants will be notified of the outcome by 18 June 2010 (Friday) through email. If school nominees do not receive our notification, please contact us at 3698 4025.
- Contact Person** : Miss Fong Tel: 3698 4036 or Email: tpd@hkage.org.hk
- Remarks** :
1. ALL online applications should be nominated and approved by the school authority. Prior application is required and walk-ins will NOT be entertained.
2. Applicants please check the enrollment results via their email accounts registered with The Hong Kong Academy for Gifted Education.
3. The course organiser reserves the right to reject those applications without submitting sufficient data.
4. The course organiser will take video and photos of the activities during the course. The photos and materials taken may be used in print and electronic publications by the course organiser for educational purpose.
5. Car park arrangement: No car parks will be provided at venue. Please part at nearby car parks (e.g. Festival Walk).

Brief Introduction to Speaker

Dr. Iris Chau has been the fieldwork supervisor of Master of Social Sciences (Counselling) at the University of Hong Kong for many years. She received her PhD from the University of North Texas, specializing in counselling and she had been the supervisor of the Play Therapy Centre of the University of North Texas. She taught in the Hardin Simmons University and became a registered psychologist in British Columbia.

In 1997, Dr. Chau received the Research Award of Association for Play Therapy. Dr. Chau has had many years of experience in play therapy and helping children, adolescents and adults with emotional and psychological problems. In Hong Kong, Dr. Chau has been conducting a lot of professional training for teachers, social workers, counselors and medical workers and has vast experience in providing teacher seminars. She has been interviewed numerous times by the media and has also authored many books. She is also the invited speaker of a radio programme “Wisdom in Generating Wealth”.