



香港資優教育學院
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SALUTE TO OUR GREATEST PHILOSOPHERS: PLATO

Plato was a Classical Greek philosopher, mathematician, writer of philosophical dialogues, and founder of the Academy in Athens, the first institution of higher learning in the Western world.

Along with his mentor, Socrates, and his student, Aristotle,

Plato helped to lay the foundations of Western philosophy and science.

How Plato responded to Socrates and how Aristotle discussed thoughts of Plato?

Date: 27 November 2010 (Sat)

Time: 9:00am – 12:45pm

**Sign-up Time: 8:45am*

Venue: E306, Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre

Target: All HKAGE Student members

Medium of Instruction: Cantonese

Registration: Please apply through online registration <http://hkage.org.hk>

Enrollment is based on a first-come-first-served basis.

Application Deadline: 25 November 2010

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