



香港資優教育學苑

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[**Gifted Programme**]

Mind Sport Course (Level IV)

Contract Bridge Team Training 2024-25 (Senior Phase I)

Hong Kong Academy of Bridge



Application Deadline
4 Sep 2024, 12:00 noon

Result Release
6 Sep 2024

Intended Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of the gifted programme, gifted students should be able to:

1. improve plannings and skills in multiple aspects, including bidding, play, and defense;
2. apply logical thinking skills in making decisions in the game;
3. build trust and teamwork among partners and teammates.

◆ Gifted Programme Introduction

The course aim to provide advanced training for students with prior knowledge in contract bridge and form a school team. The team would represent HKAGE to participate in competitions. During the course, we would continue to have lecture on more efficient bidding system, declarer play technique, defense signal and strategies; practical timeslot would be included every session. There would be 3 phases throughout the year. In each phase, at least one competition opportunity with external teams would be arranged. The format of the competition would be friendly match with other secondary school students or even open tournament.

Bridge is the game of logic. It also the game of calm and partnership. Students' emotional intelligence, resilience, and communication skills will be improved greatly through the mill of training and competitions.

◆ Phase I Schedule

Session	Date	Time	Venue
1	17 Sep (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
2	24 Sep (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
3	8 Oct (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
4	12 Oct (Sat) (Postponed, Make-up class arrangement to be confirmed)	9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. (Postponed, Make-up class arrangement to be confirmed)	Room 203, HKAGE (Postponed, Make-up class arrangement to be confirmed)
5	15 Oct (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
6	22 Oct (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
7	29 Oct (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
8	5 Nov (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
9	12 Nov (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
10	19 Nov (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
11	23 Nov (Sat)	9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Room 203, HKAGE
12	26 Nov (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE

◆ Target Participants

- Students who have participated in Mind Sport Course (Level III): Contract Bridge Team Training 2023-24 (Phase II) (A3MSP002C); OR
Students who have not participated in A3MSP002C but have prior knowledge in bridge, should attend an interview first. For details about the interview, please contact us via email programme@hkage.org.hk
- Class size: 16

◆ Certificate

E-Certificate will be awarded to participants who have:

- attended at least 10 sessions; and
- completed all the assignments with satisfactory performance

◆ Medium of Instruction

Cantonese with Chinese handouts

◆ Phase II & III Schedule (2025 Year)

In Phase II & III, students will be taught more advanced skills and provided with the opportunities to compete with external parties (Friendly matches, secondary school leagues, open tournaments, etc.)

Phase II Schedule (Tentative)

Session	Date	Time	Venue
1	21 Jan (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
2	4 Feb (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
3	11 Feb (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
4	18 Feb (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
5	22 Feb (Sat)	9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	HKAGE
6	25 Feb (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
7	4 Mar (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
8	11 Mar (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
9	18 Mar (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
10	23 Mar (Sun)	2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	HKAGE
11	25 Mar (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
12	1 Apr (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE

Phase III Schedule (Tentative)

Session	Date	Time	Venue
1	6 May (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
2	13 May (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
3	17 May (Sat)	9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	HKAGE
4	20 May (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
5	24 Jun (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
6	8 Jul (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
7	15 Jul (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
8	22 Jul (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
9	29 Jul (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
10	3 Aug (Sun)	2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	HKAGE
11	5 Aug (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE
12	12 Aug (Tue)	4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	HKAGE