

S4MSP002C

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[ Gifted Programme ]

**Mind Sport Course (Level IV)** 

# **Contract Bridge Team Training 2024-25 (Senior Phase II)**

Instructors from Hong Kong Academy of Bridge



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# **Intended Learning Outcomes**

Upon completion of the programme, participants 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.

#### Phase II Introduction

The course aim to provide advanced training for students with prior knowledge in contract bridge and form a school team. School team members will undergo advanced training to strive for the opportunity to represent the academy 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 (Phase I to III) throughout the year for school team members who are attending their 2<sup>nd</sup> year of training. 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.

# **Schedule**

#### Senior Class - Phase II

Session	Date	Time	Venue
1	21 Jan (Tue)	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
2	4 Feb (Tue)	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m.	Room 203, HKAGE
3	11 Feb (Tue)	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
4	18 Feb (Tue)	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
5	22 Feb (Sat)	9:30 a.m 12:30 p.m.	Room 203, HKAGE
6	25 Feb (Tue)	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
7	4 Mar (Tue)	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
8	11 Mar (Tue)	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
9	18 Mar (Tue)	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
10	23 Mar (Sun)	2:00 p.m 5:00 p.m.	Room 105, HKAGE
11	25 Mar (Tue)	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE
12	1 Apr (Tue)	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m.	Room 204, HKAGE

# Suitable for

Students who have participated in Contract Bridge Team Training 2024-25 (Senior Phase I) (S4MSP001C); OR Students who have not participated in S4MSP001C but have prior knowledge in bridge, may enquire via programme@hkage.org.hk

Class size: 16

# **Medium of Instruction**

Cantonese with Chinese Handouts

#### Certificate

E-Certificate will be awarded to participants who have:

- attended at least 9 sessions; and
- completed all the assignments with satisfactory performance

#### **Phase III Schedule**

In Phase 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.)

# Senior Class - Phase III Schedule (S4MSP003C)

Session	Date	Time	Venue
1	6 May	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m. (Tue)	Room 204, HKAGE
2	13 May	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m. (Tue)	Room 204, HKAGE
3	17 May	9:30 a.m 12:30 p.m. (Sat)	HKAGE (Room to be confirmed)
4	20 May	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m. (Tue)	Room 204, HKAGE
5	24 Jun	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m. (Tue)	Room 204, HKAGE
6	8 Jul	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m. (Tue)	Room 204, HKAGE
7	15 Jul	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m. (Tue)	Room 204, HKAGE
8	22 Jul	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m. (Tue)	Room 204, HKAGE
9	29 Jul	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m. (Tue)	Room 203, HKAGE
10	3 Aug	2:00 p.m 5:00 p.m. (Sun)	Room 105, HKAGE
11	5 Aug	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m. (Tue)	Room 203, HKAGE
12	12 Aug	4:30 p.m 6:30 p.m. (Tue)	Room 204, HKAGE



