



香港資優教育學苑

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[**Gifted Programme**]

Archaeology Course (Level IV)

Discover Underwater Archaeology and Artefact Restoration (Phase 1)

Institute of Hong Kong Underwater
Archaeology Research



Application Deadline
17 Dec 2025 12:00 noon

Result Release
23 Dec 2025

Intended Learning Outcomes

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

1. use various methods to compute probabilities in appropriate ways;
2. recognize real-life activities related to probability;
3. apply various counting skills in solving practical problems;
4. explain basic concepts of probability and use them appropriately.

◆ Gifted Programme Introduction

This course offers a comprehensive introduction to underwater archaeology, combining theory and practice to explore artefact restoration and heritage preservation. Students will study the development and achievements of Chinese underwater archaeology and learn fundamental concepts such as site formation, detection methods, and excavation techniques. Practical training includes underwater mapping, photography, and artefact drawing, providing hands-on experience with professional archaeological tools. Through real-world case studies, participants will deepen their appreciation of marine cultural heritage, strengthen their understanding of preservation principles, and cultivate a stronger awareness of cultural identity and national heritage responsibility.

The course consists of **THREE phases**. Selection for each phase will be based on students' performance. Phase 2 and Phase 3 are **tentatively scheduled** as below:

Phase 2: every Sat from 11 Apr 2026 to 14 Feb 2026

Phase 3: every Sat from 4 Jul 2026 to 5 Aug 2026

◆ Schedule

Session	Date	Time	Theme	Venue
1	3 Jan 2026	9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	^Archaeology Talk (Level II): Chinese Underwater Archaeology and Conservation (A2ACH001T)	HKAGE
2	10 Jan		^Archaeology Talk (Level II): Underwater Archaeology Theory (A2ACH002T)	
3	31 Jan		Underwater archaeological mapping	
4	7 Feb		Underwater archaeological photography	
5	14 Feb		Artefact drawing	

^This talk is part of the course; students do not need to apply separately.

◆ Suitable for

- S2 to S6 HKAGE student members in 2025/26 school year
- Class size: 30

◆ Pre-requisite

No special prerequisites are needed.

◆ Medium of Instruction

Cantonese (Supplemented by Putonghua) with Chinese handouts.

◆ Screening

Please answer the screening question in the online application form.

*The screening question is designed to help the applicant understand the course level and the course content. The question must be answered by the student applicant and it can only be attempted once. The answer cannot be changed once the application is submitted. Selection is based on students' performance in answering the question. Only students who can demonstrate motivation and the knowledge of Archaeology in the screening question can be enrolled in the programme

◆ Certificate

E-Certificate will be awarded to gifted students who have:

- attended at least 3 sessions (*Including A2ACH001T and A2ACH002T); and
- completed all the assignments with satisfactory performance