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[Gifted Programme]

Workshop / Introductory

Introduction to Botanical Scientific Illustration Workshop

Instructors from Kadoorie Farm and Botanic Garden



Application Deadline
5 Feb 2026 (12:00 noon)

Result Release

6 Feb 2026

Intended Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of the programme, the participants should be able to:

1. Recognise the essence of botanical illustration and its significance in both art and science, fostering a sense of purpose and engagement.
2. Understand how to apply watercolour techniques to create detailed and accurate botanical illustrations, enhancing artistic skills.
3. Experience personal joy and satisfaction through the creative process, promoting overall well-being and self-expression.

◆ Gifted Programme Introduction

The programme is designed based on KFBG's Introduction to Botanical Scientific Illustration: Watercolour, covering key topics such as:

- "What is Botanical Scientific Illustration",
- "Understanding How Watercolour is Applied to Botanical Scientific Illustrations",
- "Understanding Plant Structures" and
- "Drawing Botanical Scientific Illustrations Using Watercolour".

Botanical scientific illustration bridges science and art, using watercolour to vividly depict plant structures. These illustrations are essential for Floras and scientific literature, requiring both strong botanical knowledge and precise artistic techniques.

The workshop integrates plant taxonomy with artistic creation, guiding participants to explore the dual realms of scientific illustration through dynamic watercolour renderings. This approach allows students to experience the interplay between plant science and aesthetics.

For our gifted student members, the programme goes beyond technical skills and contributes to their overall well-being by:

- promotes stress reduction through calm, focused observation and creative practice;
- provides a healthy outlet for self-expression, helping students manage emotions and build confidence;
- enhances emotional regulation and concentration by engaging in patient, detailed artistic work;
- fosters a sense of accomplishment and self-efficacy, reinforcing positive self-concept and motivation; and
- encourages flow, creating an immersive experience that supports psychological well-being.

◆ Schedule

Date	Time	Venue
2 May 2026 (Saturday)	9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Kadoorie Farm and Botanic Garden Lam Kam Road, Tai Po, New Territories

◆ Suitable for

- S1 – S6 HKAGE student members in the 2025/26 school year.
- Open-minded, curious, and joyful members who have a passion for art and a love for nature.
- Physically fit members who are comfortable with light outdoor hiking.
- Class size: 30
- ❖ Student members will be selected randomly by the computer system. The decision of HKAGE regarding the selection results is final.

◆ Medium of Instruction

Cantonese

◆ Certificate

E-Certificate will be awarded to participants who have attended all the sessions and shown active participation in class activities.

◆ Pre-requisite

No special prerequisites are needed

◆ Remarks

No meals will be provided. Kindly bring your own lunch for the workshop.

◆ Enquiries



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