

SAHK Jockey Club Elaine Field School
2022- 2023 Parents Notice

The Arrangement of Influenza Vaccination

29th September, 2022

Dear Parents,

[This is the summary of the Chinese version as attached]

In Hong Kong, influenza is usually common in periods from January to March and from July to August. Influenza vaccination is one of the effective means to prevent seasonal influenza and its complications. Person who is **attending a primary school in HK, with intellectual disabilities, DA recipient or person aged 50 years or above** are entitled to a Government full subsidy per dose of influenza vaccination. The school will hold an Influenza Vaccination Programme, details are as follows.

2022-2023 Influenza Vaccination Programme	
Date :	18 th October, 2022 (Tuesday)
Time :	10:15a.m.
Place :	The Hall of SAHK Jockey Club Elaine Field School
Organization :	United Christian Nethersole Community Health Service
Charge :	HK\$145/dose (except for the person who is attending a primary school in HK, with intellectual disabilities, DA Recipient or aged 50 years or above). Payment will be deducted through auto pay. Parents are not required to pay by cash to the school.
Remarks :	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fluarix Tetra (Quadrivalent) influenza vaccine will be offered by GlaxoSmithKline (GSK) and manufactured in Germany, the vaccine is proved to be an effective protection against the following Influenza viruses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● an A/Victoria/2570/2019 (H1N1)pdm09-like virus ● an A/Darwin/9/2021 (H3N2)-like virus ● a B/Austria/1359417/2021-like virus (B/Victoria lineage) ● a B/Phuket/3073/2013-like virus (B/Yamagata lineage) 2. For child aged less than 9 years old who never received influenza vaccination before should ideally have 2 doses, given at least 4 weeks apart. 3. For those students who are not suitable for injection on that day or need to take the second dose, parents should bring them to the community health centers for vaccination services. Students cannot take the re-injection in school.

Please fill in the reply slip and consent forms, return it on or before **6th October, 2022 (Thursday)**. For any enquiries, please feel free to contact the nursing officer, Ms. Chan Wai Ling.

Mr. Suen Yau Man
Principal

