



“Other Learning Experiences” Activities

Vegetation Maintenance Works

1. Target

S.1 to S.6

2. Aim

- Take part in our routine vegetation maintenance works
- Learn about the common wetland plants and invasive exotic species

3. Details

- Learn to use some simple horticultural tools
- Carry out outdoor habitat maintenance works, e.g. weeding and removal of invasive exotic species, at designated sites in the Wetland Reserve

(Remarks: This activity ties in with the “Other Learning Experiences” in the learning category of “Moral and Civic Education” as required in the New Senior Secondary Curriculum)

4. No. of participants

20-40 (includes at 2-5 teacher and officer-in-charge)

5. Time required

2.5 hours

6. Rundown

Activity	Time
Briefing and demonstration on how to use the tools	30 mins
Practical session of outdoor vegetation management works	1 hour 45 mins
Sharing and conclusion	15 mins

7. Points to note

- (a) This activity is conducted in Cantonese only.
- (b) Participants should wear light-coloured and long sleeved clothing and trousers for outdoor activities. Participants should also bring along some drinking water, sun block, rain gear and mosquito repellent.
- (c) Participants should follow the instructions of HKWP staff and instructors, and be cautious in handling the apparatus provided. The Park reserves the rights to claim for any damages of the apparatus caused by the participants.
- (d) Since participants are required to participate in outdoor activity, the accompanied school officer shall pay attention to the physical condition of the participants.
- (e) In case of inclement weather conditions or the Hong Kong Observatory issues the Thunderstorm Warning, Amber/Red/Black Rainstorm Warning or Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 1/ No. 3 during the activity, all outdoor activities will be switched to indoor gallery visits. When the Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 8 is hoisted, the Park will be closed and all on-going activities will be terminated.
- (f) To avoid affecting the activity time and rundown, participants should be punctual for the activity.
- (g) Hong Kong Wetland Park reserves all rights about the activity arrangement.