

SCOLAR English Alliance 2020/21

1.	Programme	Rugby English Active Learning (Code: RB01P)
2.	Programme Partner	<p>The Hong Kong Rugby Union is the governing body for rugby union in Hong Kong. Founded in 1952 and since 1988 an affiliate of World Rugby, the Union organises the world-renowned Hong Kong Sevens as well as its own domestic leagues across all age groups, genders and standards of play.</p> <p>The Union successfully ran the “Rugby English Active Learning” programme for SCOLAR English Festival 2007 and English Alliance 2011/12, 2013/14 to 2019/20.</p>
3.	Programme Aims and Expected Outcomes	<p>Participants will have an opportunity to –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • have basic understanding of the rules of non-contact TRY rugby; • execute basic skills of TRY rugby; and • develop interest in reading stories/information texts on sports in English.
4.	Programme Content	<p>Participants will –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • read and learn what rugby game is and its core values, e.g. discipline, team work, respect opposition, meaning of win and loss, etc.; • read and learn key rules of rugby game; • play mini rugby games and rugby 7’s games; and • watch a video about rugby game.
5.	Participants	<p><u>Student participants</u> 20 to 30 P4-6 students per school <i>(All sessions should be attended by the same student participants.)</i></p> <p><u>Teacher participant(s)</u> 1 to 2 English language teacher(s) per school for observing and supporting students’ learning</p>
6.	No. of Sessions	Four 1.5-hour sessions
7.	Date and Time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Between October 2020 and May 2021 (Monday to Friday, except public holidays) • Dates and time of the sessions will be arranged with successful applicants.
8.	Venue	<p><u>At Hong Kong Rugby Union’s sports grounds</u> <i>(each class will accommodate up to four schools)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • King’s Park Sports Ground; or (11 Wylie Path, King’s Park, Homantin, Kowloon) • Tin Shui Wai Community Sports Ground (Tin Sau) (Tin Kwai Road, Tin Shui Wai, New Territories) <p>OR</p> <p><u>At premises of participating schools</u></p>
9.	How to Apply	Complete and fax the application form (Annex II) to the Language Education and SCOLAR Section

10.	Remarks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lots will be drawn in case of over-enrolment.• Schools will be informed of the application result by the Programme Partner.• Students from international schools in Hong Kong may be engaged as assistants in the programme.• All participating students will be invited to join the Friday Student Programme of Hong Kong Sevens 2021 for free. Details will be available in early 2021.
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