# School Nominations Direct Admission Scheme (SNDAS) Programme and Admission Requirements of Designated Programmes in the 2025/26 Academic Year

## I. Programme information

(a)	University	The Chinese University of Hong Kong
(b)	Programme	BEd in Early Childhood Education
(c)	JUPAS programme code	JS4372
(d)	Programme duration	5 years

## II. Programme admission requirements

Admission requirements				
(a)	Nominees should attain the score in either one of the following English tests:			
	(i) TOEFL: Internet-based test (iBT) – score: 80 or above; or Paper-delivered			
	test – a sum score of 550 or above			
	(Remark: TOEFL MyBest <sup>TM</sup> Score is not accepted); or			
	(ii)IELTS: Academic Overall Band: 6.0 or above			
(b)	Attained Grade 8 or above in practical grade/ performance grade at examination			
	organised by ABRSM (or other internationally recognised music examination			
	bodies)	Preferred		
(c)	Attained Grade 5 or above in theory at examination organised by ABRSM (or	Preferred		
	other internationally recognised music examination bodies)			
(d)	Received awards / prizes in local competitions in the musical / drama / visual			
	art / sports field			
(e)	Active participation in extra-curricular activities in the musical / drama / visual			
	art / sports field			
(f)	Nominees should demonstrate strong interest and talents in the musical / drama			
	/ visual art / sports field			

### III. Application requirements

	Application requirements				
(a)	JUPAS application				
(i)	Band A choice in nominee's JUPAS application				
(ii)	Submission of Other Experiences and Achievements in Competition / Activities (OEA)	Mandatory			
(iii)	Submission of Student Learning Profile (SLP)				
(b)	(b) Other application materials				
(i)	Submission of a 1-minute self-introduction video				
(ii)	Nominees may demonstrate in a personal statement in no more than 300 words why they are interested in the programme.	Mandatory			
(iii)	Recommendation letter				
(iv)	Submission of Secondary 5 and Secondary 6 school reports	Preferred			
(v)	School's assessment on the predicted HKDSE grades				
(vi)	Submission of at least one short video of instrumental performance of existing music	Optional			

#### IV. Assessment of application

	Assessment	
(a)	Nominees should demonstrate outstanding performance in the interview.	Mandatory

### V. Enquiry and nomination submission channel

(a) Enquiries from schools / students on the programme can be addressed to:

Name: Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, CUHK

Telephone: 3943 8947 / 3943 0324

Email: sndas@cuhk.edu.hk

(b) Nominations from school principals should be submitted via:

Online system (URL link: <a href="https://admission.cuhk.edu.hk/jupas/sndas.html">https://admission.cuhk.edu.hk/jupas/sndas.html</a>)