

SHUNG TAK CATHOLIC ENGLISH COLLEGE

'All Write Now!'

English Writing Competition 2023

Application Form

(Please use a separate form for each entry.)

Chiu Yin Tung,

Current Level:

Primary **☑** 5 / **□** 6

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Chosen Topic:

☐ 1. On your school's Open Day, you accidentally discovered a time capsule that was buried 65 years ago. Write a story about what you found inside the time capsule and what stories they would tell about the school's past.

☑ 2. Imagine you embodied with the superpower to travel back in time to visit your school's very first day when it opened 65 years ago. Write a journal entry to describe the experience.

(Please enter your work in the text box below. Start a new page as needed.)

Sunny,

Monday, 25th September 2023

Today, I was playing in the park with my friends. We were very happy. Then, I picked up a stone and then suddenly I teleported to a strange place.

I was confused at first, so I didn't know what to do. I walked around, thinking of something to do and I thought of going to my school to see what had changed. I didn't know how to go, so I went to ask a person for help. I saw a boy with short brown hair, his clothes were dirty, and he was thin from malnutrition. I asked him, 'Do you know where Castle Peak Catholic Primary school is?' He told me to follow him because he was on his way to school. I then realized I travelled back in time, 65 years ago, and today is my first day at school.

When I arrived, I felt elated because I always wanted to experience what it was like on the first day of school. So, I followed him to the classroom. The chairs and tables were very old. There were no computers or air-conditioners. They used chalk instead of whiteboard markers.

Then I saw a student playing tricks on the teacher. The strict teacher punished him using a wooden stick. I was very scared of this teacher, because the teachers that I have met are very nice. I was very surprised when I found out that there wasn't any food for the students to eat. Everybody was very thin, but I was fat. The students were skipping and playing football using newspapers. Then I heard a broadcast, but they used a loudspeaker instead.

We had a PE lesson and we played basketball ourselves. The PE teacher only watched us play but they

didn't coach us. I met a boy named Sam. We played basketball together but suddenly a boy pushed me over
rudely. The PE teacher punished him by hitting him with a thin wooden stick. He whimpered loudly.

Overall, the PE lesson was a lot of fun. Air-conditioners weren't invented yet. So, when we got back to
the classroom, not surprisingly, it was boiling hot inside. In the art lesson, I drew a bird. My classmate Joe
laughed like a bully at my drawing and pesteringly drew on my drawing of a bird. He too got punished by
the teacher.
When I was exiting the school, a rock fell on the floor. I picked it up and suddenly got teleported back to
today. I think we are very lucky, and we live a very comfortable life. I think we should appreciate our
teachers more.

All entries should be submitted via email to <u>allwritenow@stc.edu.hk</u> Submission Deadline: Tuesday 31st October, 2023