## Online Learning with "English Builder"

A new online learning programme is helping students practice the four skills of English in an interactive and fun new way.

Students can log on to the 'English Builder' website each week to read up-to-date articles. There are vocabulary, comprehension, listening and speaking exercises. Students are given class time to use the site and are encouraged to access it at home.

Panel Chair, Ms Ronna Pun, in charge of the programmes under the English Enhancement Scheme, hopes this programme will foster independent learning.



Students in the MMLC



Students can see their score straight away



Mr John Hoyle

## **NSS Short Story Course**

2S and 2A are taking part in a short story writing and storytelling programme to prepare them for the changes to the new senior secondary curriculum. Mr John Hoyle teaches writing skills such as including detailed descriptions and how to structure a story appropriately.

He is teaching 2A and 2S with the help of Mr Cheung Chi Wai and Ms Martin who will then run the course with Form Two in 2008-09 school year and will share their experience with the rest of the department.

## **Sharing with** Sha Tin College

F.6 students took part in the 'Inter-school English Culture Sharing' programme with Sha Tin College in April and May.

The students asked questions and discussed a range of topics in English. Leung Yan Ling (6A) commented that the international school students were very talkative and encouraged others to speak. It was her first opportunity to visit an international school and she hopes to participate again in a similar programme.

Although she was nervous at first, Winnie Chan found the experience to be a rewarding one." We found that they were actually very nice and friendly. We talked about their school-life, interests and hobbies. It's a special experience for all of us."





Students at the 'Inter-school English Culture Sharing' programme.

On their return to school, students used the information collected during the conversations to write a report.

The programme was organized by Ms Cheung Wing See. "It's really a precious opportunity for students to have such an inter-school English activity. By the way, it benefits them in all aspects!"

We extend our appreciation to those students and staff involved from Sha Tin College.



English Ambassadors at the game booths.



Easter Wonderland





A student choosing her question Students redeeming prizes at the prize collection counter

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