

# Nomination Scheme 2023/24 (Submit Student Personal Profiles)

## Frequently Asked Questions

- 1. Should the documents submitted be related to the subject of the Screening Programme?**

The documents to be submitted are not limited to those related to the subject of the Screening Programme. Any documents that can demonstrate the student nominee's gifted attributes can be submitted.
- 2. Is it compulsory to submit softcopies of intellectual assessment reports?**

**No.** The intellectual assessment report is not a compulsory document.
- 3. How can I get an intellectual assessment report?**

Through the psychological assessments conducted by registered psychologists. The Hong Kong Psychological Society has a list of their registered members (<http://www.hkps.org.hk>).
- 4. What kinds of creative works could be submitted?**

Any kind of creative work (e.g. **creative writing - story, poem, song, script, etc., research studies, science/engineering/technology inventions, etc.**) can be submitted. The creative work can be in the form of audio, video, word, pictorial format, etc.
- 5. What should I do if the file size is too large to be uploaded to the Online Nomination Platform?**

You can first upload the file to the Cloud Platform and then provide the **relevant URL link** on the Online Nomination Platform.
- 6. What are the screening criteria for HKAGE student membership?**

The Student Personal Profile submitted will be **conscientiously examined** by the Selection Committee of the HKAGE according to the "Three-Ring Conception of Giftedness", to select **appropriate students who would benefit most from the programmes offered by the HKAGE.**

  - 1. Above Average Abilities:**
    - General abilities: processing information, integrating experiences, and abstract thinking
    - Specific abilities: the capacity to acquire knowledge and perform in an activity
  - 2. Creativity:** Fluency, flexibility, and originality of thought, openness to experience, sensitivity to stimulations, and a willingness to take risks
  - 3. Task Commitment:** Perseverance, endurance, hard work, self-confidence, perceptiveness and a special fascination with a special subject
- 7. Do student nominees nominated via School Nomination and Parent Nomination enjoy equal opportunities to become HKAGE members?**

Yes. They enjoy **equal opportunities** to become HKAGE members.
- 8. How many new members are admitted every year?**

In general, the HKAGE admits around 1500 new members annually but this is subject to adjustment in certain circumstances.
- 9. How much does the HKAGE charge for its programmes?**

All student programmes and services are free of charge except for certain specified activities (e.g. overseas study programmes).
- 10. When and where do the HKAGE programmes usually take place?**

Most of the programmes are held at weekends or during school holidays at the HKAGE premises, HKAGE Satellite Centres or venues provided by the training service providers (e.g. universities, secondary schools, etc.).
- 11. What language is used as the medium of instruction in the programmes offered by the HKAGE?**

Most of the programmes are conducted in Cantonese, but there are also programmes taught in English or Putonghua.
- 12. Can primary student members apply for secondary programmes?**

Depending on their ability and interest, primary student members may apply for secondary programmes that have no class-level restriction for enrolment.