

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to you in response to the invitation to speak in the public conference of BCA discussion.

As a P3 parent, I am strongly against any policy that would cause unnecessary pressure to the children as young as 8 years old. There have been numerous incidents reported that schools have affected by the result of TSA/BCA. In order to get higher scoring, excessive training have been applied to students in P3. Even though the new format has been established as “newly improved”, I do not believe the pressure has been lifted accordingly.

Moreover, the attitude of EDB, especially the chief of EDB has acted irresponsibly throughout the whole incident. It is a formal complaint against him because of his attitude treating student matters recklessly. The trust between the public and the EDB has been seriously broken because of him. There is no ground to believe any changes (BCA) would give students and parents, especially in P3, the necessary breathing space we need.

The ONLY immediate fix to the situation, is to call off this year’s BCA/TSA, and take serious steps in re-lay every important policy within Hong Kong Education system. I urge the government to see sense and take drastic actions to re-gain trust from the public.

Thank you.

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