

A letter to Mr. Joshua LAW, Secretary for the Civil Service

Dear Mr. LAW,

It is known from the latest Policy Address that a civil service college will be established in 2026 in Kwun Tong. The site has been identified in Shine Skills Centre, which serves over 300 students with different types of disabilities.

We, as the parent of students with special needs, oppose to the plan as we are worry that the vocational training opportunities for disabled students will be exploited. As Shine Skills Centre (Kwun Tong) is the most comprehensive training centre for people with special needs in Hong Kong, its closure will definitely affect a large group of students as well as their parents. While the government claims that there will be another integrated vocational training centre, the positioning of the new centre is still unclear. This would arouse huge concerns among us.

In view of this, we would like to urge the government to consider the possibility of relocating the said civil service college, so as to provide disabled people an equal opportunity of higher education and career development.

Sincerely,



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Parent of a student in Shine Skills Centre