

**Exchanges between educational bodies in Hong Kong and educational institutions in the Mainland  
(statistics since the 1995/96 school year)**

Date	Participating Organisations		Nature/purpose of the exchange	Remarks
	Organising institution *	Educational bodies of HK		
29.5.96-5.6.96	State Education Commission	Subsidised Primary Schools Council	To visit schools in Beijing	21 participating primary school heads were given paid leave
16-21.6.96	Tianjin University	Hong Kong Subsidised Schools Council	To visit schools in Tianjin	Participating secondary school heads were given paid leave
7-14.10.96	State Education Commission	Hong Kong Subsidised Schools Council	To visit the Education Commission and schools in Shangdong Province	31 secondary school heads were given paid leave
2-22.4.97	East China Normal University	Hong Kong Subsidised Schools Council	A 21-day course for Hong Kong secondary school heads	20 secondary school heads were given paid leave

\* Names of the organisations in the Mainland are translated from the Chinese text.

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	Organising institution *	Educational bodies of HK		
29.5.97-1.6.97	Hangzhou Education Bureau	Subsidised Primary Schools Council	To visit schools in Hangzhou	20 school heads, teachers, students and parents joined the activities Participating school heads and teachers were given paid leave
8-11.9.97	Beijing Municipal Education Commission	The Committee on Respect Our Teachers Campaign	To celebrate Teachers' Day in Beijing	14 participants including representatives from schools, kindergartens and ED Participating school heads and teachers were given paid leave
30.9.97-5.10.97	The Hong Kong Soong Ching Ling Children's Foundation Limited Ta Kung Pao	30 secondary schools	Educational visits to Beijing/Shanghai/Xian - to familiarise students with the history and culture of China	1,000 secondary school students, school heads and teachers joined the activities Participating school heads and teachers were given paid leave