Education Bureau Circular Memorandum No. 67/2022

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To : Heads of Primary and Secondary Schools

2022 National Security Education Day: National Security Education Exhibition Boards cum "Little National Affairs Experts" Interactive Quiz Game Resource Pack

Summary

This circular memorandum aims to inform heads of primary and secondary schools about the details of the National Security Education Exhibition Boards and "Little National Affairs Experts" Interactive Quiz Game Resource Pack (Resource Pack) in support of the implementation of national security education. Schools are encouraged to borrow the exhibition boards for display in school and promote the above-mentioned game to students.

Details

2. The Standing Committee of the National People's Congress passed the National Security Law of the People's Republic of China on 1 July 2015 and designated 15 April each year as the National Security Education Day to raise public awareness of national security and create a positive atmosphere of safeguarding national security. The 15th of April this year marks the seventh National Security Education Day, and the year of 2022 also marks the 25th anniversary of Hong Kong's return to the motherland. The Education Bureau (EDB) issued a circular memorandum earlier on to invite schools to take part in the "2022 Let's Join Hands in Safeguarding National Security" Programme jointly organised by the EDB and the Security Education to take root in schools. For details, please refer to the **EDB Circular Memorandum No. 35/2022**.

3. It is the responsibility of schools to implement national security education through the school curriculum. National security education is a part of, and inseparable from, national education. To support the smooth implementation of national security education in schools, the EDB renews/enriches the related learning and teaching resources through various support measures to enrich students' understanding of our country, nurture in students a sense of belonging to our country, a sense of national identity, and their awareness and responsibility of safeguarding national security.

4. The EDB has newly developed the National Security Education Exhibition Boards (Chinese version) for schools to enhance students' knowledge and understanding of national

security. The first set of exhibition boards, with the theme of "What is national security?", introduces to students the definition, different domains and importance of national security through lively and interesting illustrations. This set of exhibition boards, which comprises four boards, is available in primary school and secondary school versions for loan to schools for display on their school campuses for one week. For details, please refer to **Annex 1**.

5. To support schools in the implementation of Constitution, Basic Law and national security education, the EDB has compiled the Resource Pack, which provides interactive quiz games in phases to enable students of different key stages to learn about the Constitution, the Basic Law, national security and the development of our country in a relaxing and interesting atmosphere, thereby deepening their understanding of the country and fostering their sense of national identity. The latest set of "Little National Affairs Experts" interactive quiz games (applicable to upper primary and secondary schools) is now available. The EDB recommends that schools encourage students to participate in the above-mentioned game on the days before and after the National Security Education Day to cultivate their self-directed learning attitudes and capabilities. Schools can also make arrangements in other appropriate classes/times to

facilitate the participation of teachers and students so as to promote Constitution, Basic Law and national security education proactively. The following is the website of the "Little National Affairs Experts" Interactive Quiz Game (Chinese version only): www.edb.gov.hk/ne.



6. For the purpose of encouraging schools to make good use of the Resource Pack and cultivate students' self-directed learning attitudes, the EDB has launched the "Little National Affairs Experts" Learning Award Scheme to show appreciation to outstanding students. Please refer to **Annex 2** for details.

Enquiry

7. For further enquiries, please contact the following sections of the Curriculum Development Institute:

- National Security Education Exhibition Boards: Dr WONG Kam-fung, Grace (tel.: 2892 6513) or Ms WU Shuk-ting, Connie (tel.: 2892 6654) of the Personal, Social and Humanities Education Section.
- "Little National Affairs Experts" Interactive Quiz Game Resource Pack or "Little National Affairs Experts" Learning Award Scheme: Mr NG Him-loi (tel.: 2892 6315) or Ms YUEN Ka-man (tel.: 2892 6316) of the Moral, Civic and National Education Section.

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National Security Education Exhibition Boards (Chinese version)

Aims / Objectives

With a view to enhancing students' understanding of the Constitution, the Basic Law and national security, the Education Bureau (EDB) has developed the National Security Education Exhibition Boards for schools to display on campus.

Details

2. This set of four National Security Education Exhibition Boards is available in primary school and secondary school versions for loan to schools for display on their school campuses for one week. Each exhibition board measures about 1.96 m by about 1.16 m and comes with a supporting stand. The EDB service contractor will be responsible for all the transportation, installation and dismantling arrangements of the boards. Schools are only required to provide suitable space for displaying the exhibition boards, and to ensure the boards are properly stored during the exhibition period.

3. The first set of exhibition boards, with the theme of "What is national security?", introduces the definition, different domains and importance of national security through lively and interesting illustrations. The boards will be available for loan from 23 May to 12 August 2022. Schools can apply according to the time slots specified in the application form. The EDB will allocate the boards on a first-come, first-served basis. Interested schools can scan the QR code below to gain access to an online platform, complete the electronic application form and press the "Submit" button on or before 18 July 2022 (Monday). Successful schools will be contacted by the EDB service contractor to arrange delivery and installation.

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Design of Primary School Exhibition Boards



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Design of Secondary School Exhibition Boards







"Little National Affairs Experts" Learning Award Scheme

Objectives

The award scheme aims to encourage schools to make good use of the "Little National Affairs Experts" Interactive Quiz Game Resource Pack, cultivate students' self-directed learning attitudes, and show appreciation to outstanding students.

The website of "Little National Affairs Experts" Interactive Quiz Game Resource Pack (Chinese version only): www.edb.gov.hk/ne

Eligibility

- Primary Section: Primary 1-6 students
- Secondary Section: Secondary 1-6 students

Details

Schools participating in the award scheme please fill in and submit the form on or before 10 June 2022 via the link below to provide the number of students who have participated in the "Little National Affairs Experts" Interactive Quiz Game from 1 September 2021 to 31 May 2022.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeqUaPNNoO1Vg1dnNrypDEh43Ss hKi6piS5aiD3f786MBNNBg/viewform?usp=sf link

• Each school can only submit the form once.

Awards

- Schools will receive souvenirs to be given to students after successful submission of the above-mentioned form **on or before 10 June 2022**.
- For the top 30 schools with the highest student participation rate^{*} in the period from 1 September 2021 to 31 May 2022 (including the students' participation in the series released earlier and the latest set) in each primary and secondary section, they may be invited to participate in the award presentation ceremony of the "2022 Let's Join Hands in Safeguarding National Security" Programme in August 2022 (tentative) and receive a Certificate of Merit.

**Participation rate is calculated as the percentage of participating students to the total number of students in the school.*

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