

# St. Francis Xavier's School, Tsuen Wan

## Application for Secondary One Discretionary Places (S1DP) 2025-26 Admission Criteria and Weightings

### A. Admission criteria and weightings

Criteria	Weightings
1. Performance in interview (refer to Item C)	20%
2. Academic performance - Rank Order provided by the Education Bureau - results at school	40%
3. Conduct - conduct - comments by primary schools ( <i>Recommendation letters are not needed.</i> )	25%
4. Performance in extra-curricular activities - internal or external (e.g. sports & art) - awards	10%
5. Participation in church / community activities e.g. Young Pioneers of Christ, choir, altar server & voluntary services	5%

B. Selection will be based on applicants' academic performance, participation in extra-curricular activities and conduct etc.

C. All applicants will be invited for an interview.

- The interview will be conducted:
  - on a group basis
  - in Cantonese
  - within 15 minutes
- Applicants will be selected according to the following criteria:
  - problem-solving & analytical skills
  - communication skills
  - creativity
  - team spirit

D. Number of Secondary 1 Discretionary Places (2025-26): 40

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1. Basic requirements: Good at Chinese, English and Maths & Excellent conduct
  2. Form collection period: starting from 11 November 2024 to 16 January 2025  
(both dates inclusive)
  3. S1DP application period: starting from 2 January to 16 January 2025  
(both dates inclusive)
  4. Application methods:
    - Application forms can be collected at the school office or downloaded from the school website
    - Apply via the SSPA e-Platform
  5. Form submission method: Submit **IN PERSON**  
Documents required
    - i) Copies of school reports for Primary 5 (whole year) and Primary 6 (first term)
    - ii) A copy of the applicant's Hong Kong Identity Card
    - iii) Application form for S1DP issued by the Education Bureau
    - iv) Copies of certificates of ECA awards (if any)
    - v) Copies of certificates of achievements in other aspects (if any)
    - vi) A self-addressed **stamped** envelope

*\*Remarks: There is no need to provide any letters of recommendation from primary schools.*
  6. Notification for interview: By post before the end of January
  7. Date of interview: 15 February 2025 (Saturday)
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Office hours: 9:00 am - 4:30 pm (Monday to Friday)  
9:00 am - 12:00 noon (Saturday)  
Contact number: 2492 0226  
School website: <http://www.sfxs.edu.hk>