



東華學院
TUNG WAH COLLEGE

Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Physiotherapy

物理治療學 (榮譽) 理學士

The programme aims to prepare students to **become professional physiotherapists** that meet the requirements of the local registration board and international entry-level physiotherapy education standards.



Programme Leader

Professor Grace Szeto

PhD, MSc(Appl Sc), Curtin University, Australia

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Registered Physiotherapist (Hong Kong)

Registered Physiotherapist (Australia)

Medium of Instruction	English
Total No. of Credits	132 credits
Years of Study	4 years
JUPAS Catalogue No.	JSST05



QF Level: 5

QR registration no.: 18/000434/L5

Validity period: 01/09/2018 to 31/08/2028

Programme Objectives

- To nurture students to become professional physiotherapists with a caring attitude and strong interpersonal communication skills;
- To develop students' commitment for lifelong learning and ability to serve the healthcare needs in the community;
- To provide students with a diverse range of learning experiences, including small group teaching and discussion with teachers, community service and realistic clinical practice opportunities. The programme includes over 1,000 hours of clinical placements in different settings such as hospital in-patient and out-patient departments, as well as community-based rehabilitation centres;
- To enhance students' all-rounded development as a mature healthcare professional with problem-solving and leadership skills, as well as global perspective.

Professional Recognition

The programme has been successfully re-accredited by the Hong Kong Council for Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications from 2023 to 2028. The original accreditation was obtained in 2018-2023.

The programme has received accreditation from the Physiotherapists Board of the Supplementary Medical Professions Council (SMPC) in June 2022. Graduates are eligible to apply for registration as **Registered Physiotherapists** “註冊物理治療師” for practice in Hong Kong.

Career Prospects & Further Studies

- After obtaining the registration with the Physiotherapists Board of Hong Kong, graduates will be able to work in the Hospital Authority, subvented non-governmental organisations (e.g. rehabilitation services, elderly services, community centres, sheltered workshops and special childcare centres), the Education Bureau (special schools, early childhood education and training centres), and private organisations (e.g. private hospitals, private clinics, nursing homes and homes for the elderly).
- For further studies, graduates will be eligible to articulate to higher degrees in research such as Master of Philosophy (MPhil)/ Doctor of Philosophy (PhD), or enrol in taught Master degree programmes in Physiotherapy locally and overseas.

Programme-Specific Requirements

- Preference will be given to applicants who have obtained Level 4 or above in Biology / Physics in HKDSE.
- Preference will be given to applicants who have obtained Level 4 or above in English Language in HKDSE.
- Preference for interview invitation will be given to selected candidates who place the programme as their Band A choices in JUPAS.

Programme Information



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Tuition Fee

Year	Tuition Fee (HK\$) (with subsidy)
Year 1	\$ 82,890
Year 2	\$ 82,890
Year 3	\$ 82,890
Year 4	\$ 82,890
Programme Total	\$ 331,560
Annual Average	\$ 82,890

* Tung Wah College will adjust the tuition fee of its programmes based on the Composite Consumer Price Index to be announced by the Government annually.

* The tuition fee for the programme under the Study Subsidy Scheme for Designated Professions/Sectors (SSSDP) is the net fee paid by a student after deduction of subsidy from the Government. In 2024/25 academic year, the annual subsidy under the SSSDP is \$79,770 for laboratory-based undergraduate programmes. The annual subsidy amount may vary in each academic year subject to the decision by the Education Bureau.

* All fees paid are non-refundable and non-transferable.

Students'/ Graduates' Sharing



Luka Chow

Graduate of Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Physiotherapy (2022)

Now a Physiotherapist II at Alice Ho Miu Ling Nethersole Hospital

"Hard work today is the preparation for patients in the future". This is my motto which is inspired by my teachers at Tung Wah College. Apart from the knowledge and practical skills learned from the classroom and clinical practicum, we are taught to be passionate and caring physiotherapists. I would like to express my gratitude to my teachers for their guidance and encouragement throughout these 4 years, leading me toward a pathway to be a good physiotherapist. I promise myself that graduation does not put an end but kicks off a new chapter of my learning.

Admission Requirements

For Year 1 entry to degree programmes, applicants should meet one of the following requirements:

- Starting from 2024, the renamed Liberal Studies subject, which is now known as Citizenship and Social Development, of the Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education Examination (HKDSE) will be changed from being graded in five levels to being marked as "Attained" and "Not Attained". In this connection, the College has decided the general admission requirements for Bachelor's degree programmes (First Year Entry) will be adjusted as follows from 2024/25 Entry onwards:

HKDSE Subjects	Core Subjects				Elective Subject / Applied Learning
	Chinese Language (1)	English Language (2)	Mathematics (Compulsory Part)	Citizenship and Social Development(3)	Elective
General Entrance Requirements	Level 3	Level 3	Level 2	Attained	Level 2

; OR

- Have passes in AS Use of English and AS Chinese Language and Culture plus one AL subject/two AS subjects in HKALE and Level 2 for Chinese Language and English Language plus passes in three other subjects in HKCEE; OR
- Have obtained the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma with a minimum score of 24 and fulfilled the English language requirements:
 - English A: Language and Literature (Higher or Standard Level) – Grade 4; or
 - English A: Literature (Higher or Standard Level) – Grade 4; or
 - English B (Higher Level) – Grade 4; or
 - English B (Standard Level) – Grade 5; or
 - English Literature and Performance (Standard Level) – Grade 4; or
 - English Text and Performance (Standard Level) – Grade 4; OR
- Have met the 2nd cut-off line⁽⁴⁾ of the respective province for admission to mainland key universities in the National Joint College Entrance Examination (JEE) and the scores of English Language is over 100 (普通高等學校聯合招生考試 (JEE, PRC) 達到所屬省市報讀第二批重點高校分數線⁽⁴⁾ 以上及英語科達100分或以上); OR
- Have obtained equivalent qualifications (such as meeting the admission requirements of a degree programme offered outside Hong Kong).

Notes

- For non-Chinese-speaking learners, alternative Chinese Language qualifications will be accepted for students who have met the specified conditions: (a) students who have learned Chinese Language for less than 6 years while receiving primary and secondary education; (b) students who have learned Chinese Language for 6 years or more in schools, but have been taught an adapted and simpler Chinese Language curriculum not normally applicable to the majority of students in local schools. Apl Chinese (for non-Chinese speaking students) should, in general, be accepted as an alternative Chinese Language qualification, among other acceptable alternative Chinese Language qualifications.
- Students with HKDSE English Language results at Level 3 or below are required to complete non-credit bearing English enhancement course(s) in the first year of study.
- The past result of Liberal Studies (Level 2 or above) will be considered as "Attained" in Citizenship and Social Development. The results of both subjects would NOT be included in the admission score calculation starting from 2024/25 entry.
- Or the "cut-off line for undergraduate studies" (for provinces and cities where the 1st and 2nd cut-off lines are combined) 或「本科批次」分數線 (適用於「本科一批」及「本科二批」合併為「本科批次」的省市)



▶ APPLICATION - admission through JUPAS

<https://www.jupas.edu.hk/en> (JUPAS Catalogue No.: JSST05)

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