School-based Learning Activity of Chinese Culture

Yan Chai Hospital Wing Lung Kindergarten / Child Care Centre

School Name

2022-2023 K1-K3

Academic Year Class

Activity Name

"Rekindling Chinese Sentiments" Event (Part 2) -Appreciation of Chinese Folk Art ~ Puppetry

Activity Objectives

- Through watching artistic performances, we come to learn that shadow puppetry is a traditional folk art form in our country.
- By appreciating Chinese folk essence and classic traditional stories, we understand valuable traditional virtues: diligence and perseverance.
- Manipulating shadow puppets can enhance the cultivation of young children's interest and curiosity in Chinese traditional art.

Activity Overview

Shadow puppetry has a history of thousands of years in China, making it a cultural treasure of our country, and it has been recognized as an intangible cultural heritage in Hong Kong. The school deliberately invited the Fei Peng Puppet Troupe to perform shadow puppetry on campus. Shadow puppetry is a traditional folk art form in our country. Through the process of the performers explaining while manipulating shadow puppets on transparent screens, young children gain a better understanding of the skills involved in manipulating shadow puppets. This allows them to learn about the operation of shadow puppets and Chinese folk stories, enabling them to appreciate Chinese traditional folk art in a vivid and interesting way. Subsequently, with the assistance of the staff, the children had the opportunity to personally manipulate the shadow puppets, experiencing the joy of shadow puppetry performances firsthand.

Activity Records (e.g., children's works, photos of the activity, videos)

