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We hope everyone had a great Lunar New Year holiday this month!

During our winter break in January, we received plentiful feedback from our families through the Parent Survey, helping us improve and refine the current programmes, services, and policies. We appreciate your many constructive comments and kind messages about the CDC and our staff! We have prepared some feedback in response to your questions and comments. Please click here to read the full article!

This month, the CDC hosted two talks for educators and parents for the ECE SEN Network and A Little Bit Extra (ALBE). More than 100 participants in total joined us and we received tremendous positive feedback! Please read more in the **In the News** section. We strive to organise more educational events for parents and professionals in the sector to create precious learning and networking opportunities.

In this newsletter, we would also like to express our sincere gratitude to Love Care Association for their kind donation and naming the CDC as its standing beneficiary. You may learn more about this good cause from them to the children and families in need in the **In the News** section as well!

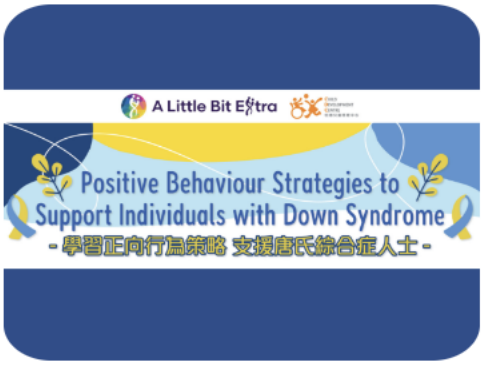
Last but not least, remember to check out the latest **SEN Tips** written by our teachers or therapists in order to understand your child's learning needs more; also, don't forget to check out the **Upcoming Events** if you are interested in joining some fun and educational SEN-related events with your family!

Best Regards,
Team CDC

In the News

CDC x ECE SEN Talk - "Promoting Social Emotional Development in Children with Additional Needs"

With the support of ECE SEN Network, the CDC hosted a workshop at our Fortress Hill centre this month. More than 100 parents and educators joined us! Click here to read more about the event.



CDC x ALBE Talk - ""Positive Behaviour Strategies to Support Individuals with Down Syndrome"

Co-organised by ALBE and the CDC, the workshop provided positive behaviour strategies to caregivers of individuals with Down Syndrome. Thank you for joining us!

Support from Loving Care Association

Last month, the Loving Care Association visited our Fortress Hill Centre to observe therapy classes and presented a donation cheque to support the CDC families. Their second-hand luxury fashion store, UpStyle, has also named the CDC as its standing beneficiary. Please mention **the CDC** when you make a purchase at the shop to show support to this good cause!

Join us at the Music Explorers workshop!

Let's explore the beauty of music with the CDC and Soundness Studio! Join us at the weekly Music Explorers workshop every Saturday from 11am to 12pm at our new centre at Fortress Hill. Don't miss out the chance!

SEN Tips

Stuttering and Typical Disfluency - What's the Difference?

It's normal for children to stumble over words during the early stage of language development. However, speech disfluency can be considered stuttering. Does your child stutter and need help? This article will guide you through.

Why is Attention So Crucial for Your Child's Development?

Attention is the first step in the learning process. It's the ability of a child to orient to, shift between, and maintain focus on events, objects, tasks, and problems in the external world. In this article, you will find strategies to help improve your child's attention.

Upcoming Events

- Every Saturday - CDC x Soundness Studio: Music Explorers
- From 8 April 2024 - More Than Words - The Hanen Programme for Parents of Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder or Social Communication Difficulties (English course)
- From 13 Apr 2024 - Group Stepping Stones Triple P: Positive Parenting Programme (English course)
- From 1 Jun 2024 - 教得其樂——正向育兒課程 (Chinese course)
- 1 Jun 2024 - Daddy Daughter Ball 2024

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