

The Lotus Collection

Volume III



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Foreword

Time flies and another academic year has gone by. This is the third edition of our school's Lotus Collection. The Lotus Collection has always served to promote reading and writing and enhance the standard of our students' language abilities. To estimate one's own strength as well as to establish an ever-learning ability, our Lotus Collection is for inspiring our students to share their genuine ideas and to give fresh impetus to writing.

The Lotus Collection is truly a book of Po Kok teachers and students. Here, I would like to show my heartfelt appreciation to all the teachers and students who have participated in making this book. May these essays inspire our students in the same way as they have inspired me and may all our students develop their potential to the utmost, under the nurture of their cultural influences.

Ms Chung Lai Kam

June 2007



Animals

P.1A Chum Man Ki, Anna

My favourite pets are fish.

They have no legs, two big eyes, no ears, no nose and a short tail.

They can swim and dive.

They can't fly or run.

They eat worms and bread.

They are small and cute.



Animals

P.1A Cheung Shun Yat, Boaz

My favourite pets are dogs.

They have four legs, two big ears, two small eyes, one small nose, and one long tail.

They can run and jump.

They can't sing or fly.

They eat bones and meat.

They are big, funny and cute.



Animals

P.1A Kwong Kiu Chi, Thomas

My favourite pets are fish.

They have two eyes, no legs and no nose.

They can swim.

They can't fly or read.

They eat worms and shrimps.

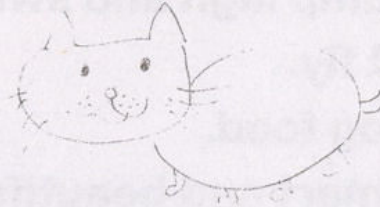
They are big and funny.



My pet

P.1A Chan Si Hang, Jasper

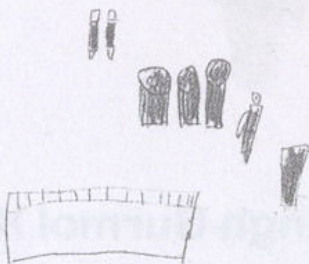
This is my cat, Po.
He is white.
He can walk and run.
He is cute and funny.



My Pencil Case

P.1A Cheng Hoi Man

My pencil case



In my pencil case, there are two red pencils.
In my pencil case, there are three green sharpeners.
In my pencil case, there is one blue pen.
In my pencil case, there is one brown eraser.
In my pencil case, there is one yellow ruler.



Animals

P.1B Shrestha Palsong

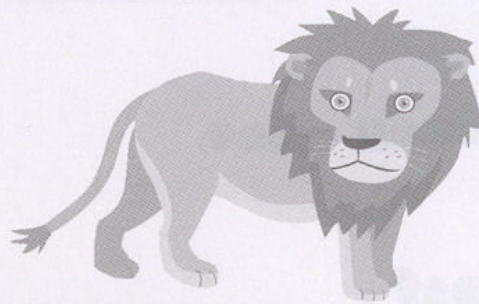
My favourite pets are puppies.
They have four legs and two eyes.
They are cute and they love me.
They can jump high and swim.
They can't fly.
They eat dog food.
They are smart and beautiful.



Wild Animals

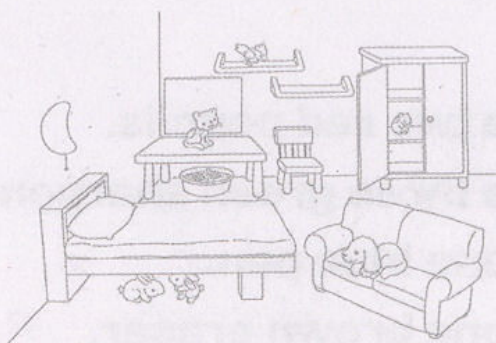
P.1B Rai Anup Kumar

I can see eleven lions.
They are talking.
They are sleeping.
I can see hippos.
They are swimming.
I can see pandas.



My Pet

P.1B Singh Gurmol Kaur



The cat is on the table.
The hamster is in the cupboard.
The bird is on the shelf.
The rabbits are under the bed.
The spider is on the wall.



Animals

P.1B Cruz Chelsea Anne

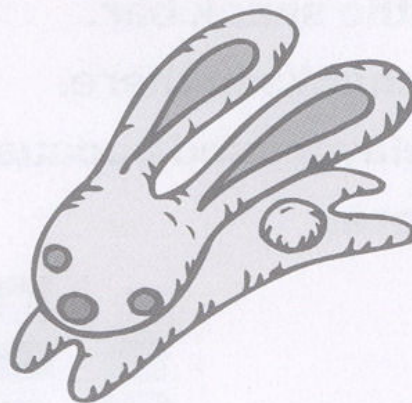
My favourite pets are puppies.
They have four legs and two eyes.
They have one tail.
They are cute.
They can jump and bark.
They can't fly.
They eat dog food.
They are friendly.



My favourite pets

P.1B Gurung Riya

My favourite pets are rabbits.
They have four legs, two small eyes, two big ears, one little red nose and a short tail.
The can run fast and jump.
They can't swim or fly.
They eat carrots.
They are small and cute.



Myself

P.2A Ann Li

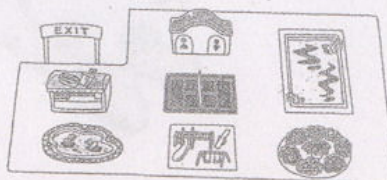
My name is Ann Li.
I live in Chai Wan.
I am seven years old.
I come to school by school bus.
My phone number is 2575 XXXX.
I am funny.



In the park

P.2A Isaac Pao

My favourite place in the park is the tennis court.
I can play tennis.
I also like the snack bar.
I can buy snacks in there.
I like the playground because I can play with my friends there.



My Favorite Animals

P.2A Edwin Kam

My favourite animals are dogs.

They have four legs, two big black eyes, two big black ears, one little big black nose and a long tail.

They live in the gardens or in houses.

They can run and swim.

They can't fly or climb.

They eat bones and meat.

I like them because they are cute and clever.



A Letter to Beeno

P.2A Kevin Chan

Dear Sally,

Thank you for your letter. My name is Kevin. I am seven years old. I live in Fortress Hill in Hong Kong. I have one sister.

I always help at home. I tidy my bedroom in the morning. I sweep the floor and tidy the living room in the afternoon. Also I set the table in the evening. I like feeding the fish because I like to feed the fish.

My sister is one year old. She is young. She can't help at home. She is cute.

Best wishes,

Love,
Kevin



A Letter to Beeno

P.2A Rachel Fu

Dear Beeno,

My name is Rachel Fu. Let me tell you about my day.

Every day, I get up at seven o'clock in the morning. I wash my face at seven five in the morning. Then, I have breakfast at seven fifteen in the morning. Next, I go to school at seven twenty in the morning. After that, I do my homework at four twenty in the afternoon. Finally, I go to bed at nine o'clock in the evening.

Write soon.

Love,

Rachel Fu.

My Favourite Animals



P.2B Gurung Belita

My favourite animals are dogs.

They live in the house in Hong Kong or in Nepal. They are very big and strong. They have four legs, a small tail and two big ears. They like playing in the water. I like dogs because they are very strong and funny. I like going to the zoo and watching the dogs there.



My Favourite Animals



P.2B Gurung Sanjina

My favourite animal is Cheetah. They live in jungles. They are very fast and big. They have four legs and lots of spots. They eat meat. They like to play in the forest. I like Cheetahs because they run very fast.

My Favourite Character



P.2B Gurung Sejal

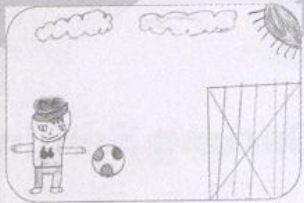
My favourite character is Mrs. Wu because she is kind and helpful. She makes some clothes for the little men. She's pretty and beautiful.

My Favourite Character

P.2B Gurung Saiksha

My favourite characters are the little men because they help Mr. Wu, and they are very cute. I like both of them. They even don't wear uniform but they were happy and they were very kind and helpful. They are polite.





My Favourite Sport

P.2B Syed Nabeel Haider

My name is Nabeel. I like playing football. I play football at Lai Chi Kok Park. I like football because I think it is fun. I play with my father and brother.

My School

P.3 Pheobe Yang

I go to Po Kok Primary School. It is in Happy Valley. My school is very big and beautiful. At Po Kok, we have a library, a music room, two computer rooms, a canteen, a school hall, an art room and eight classrooms. The library is on the ground floor, next to the P6 classroom. I can read books there. The music room is on the first floor, next to the school hall. I can sing there. The art room is on the first floor, next to the school hall. I can paint there. I like my school because the school is beautiful.

My School

P.3 Eugene Chan

I go to Po Kok Primary School. It is in Happy Valley. My school is very big and beautiful. At Po Kok, we have two computer rooms, one library, one art room, one canteen, one school hall and one school office. The library is on the ground floor, next to the school office. I can read books there. The art room is on the fourth floor, on the left. I can paint and draw there. I like my school because it has a canteen.



My Holidays

P.3 Ginny Chun

From: Mandy

To: Jane

Subject: My Holidays

Hi Jane,

How are you? Did you enjoy the holidays? I really enjoyed them.

On Monday I stayed in a tent.

On Tuesday I boiled water next to the tent.

On Wednesday I planted trees in the park.

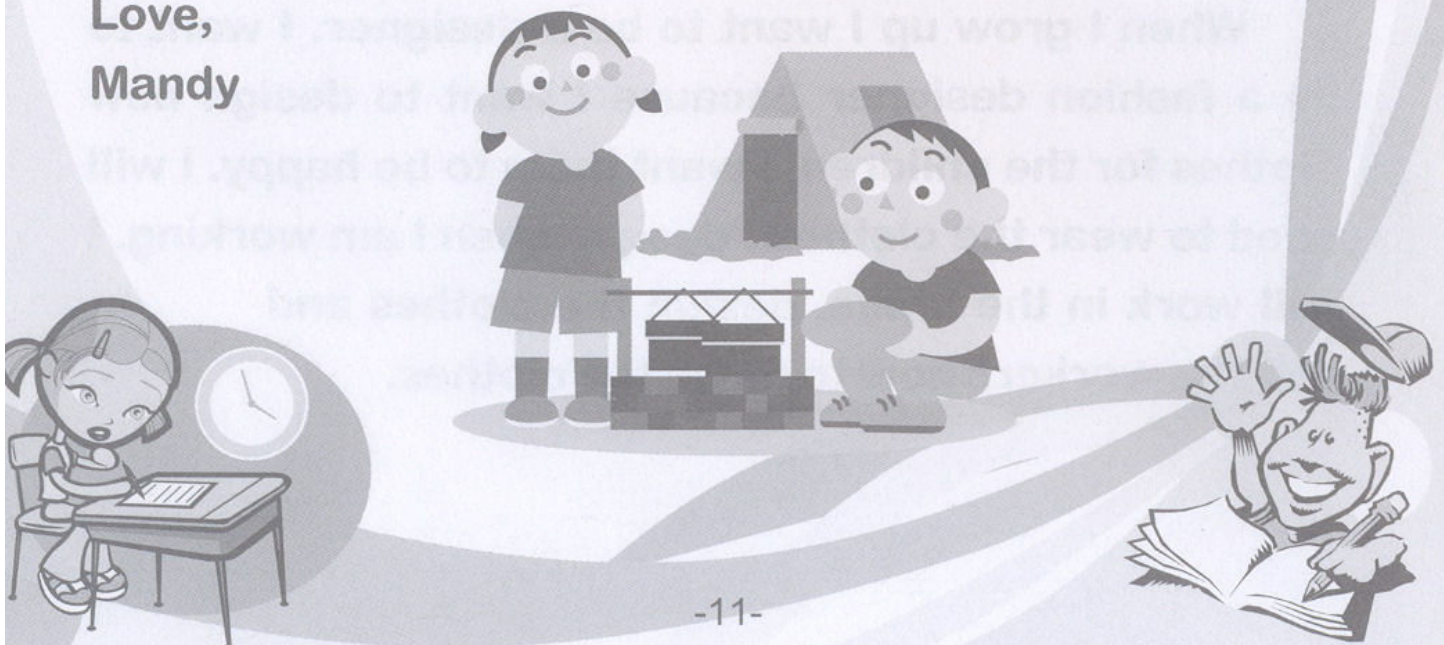
On Thursday I played hide and seek in the park.

On Friday I cooked the noodles in the park.

On Saturday I washed hands outside in the park.

See you at school on Monday.

Love,
Mandy



Rabbits

P.3 Jamie Chang

My favourite animals are rabbits. They live in the woods. They are small and cute. They have two long ears, two long feet and a tail like a cotton ball. They like eating grass. They like hopping and jumping. I like rabbits because they are cute. I haven't seen a real rabbit before, only in cartoons.



Dolphins

P.3 Bertha Chan

My favourite animals are dolphins. They live in the sea. They are very cute and funny. They have one tail and two fins. They eat fish from sea. They like playing in the water. I like dolphins because they are very cute and funny. I like going to the Ocean Park and watching the dolphins there.

When I grow up

P.4 Chan Ling, Juno

When I grow up I want to be a designer. I want to be a fashion designer because I want to design new clothes for the children. I want them to be happy. I will need to wear the clothes I design when I am working. I will work in the office, design the clothes and tell the workers how to make the clothes.



Professor Paws visit.....

P.4 Mui Wing Lam, Emily

Yesterday Professor Mac came to our school. We played with her, gave her some food, walked with her and patted her.

Before I felt happy because I love dogs very much.

Afterwards I felt very happy because I could play with her and feed her.

I am looking forward to next Monday when the dogs come back because playing with dog is happy and fun.

My Best Friend



P.4 Wong Wing Yan, Vanessa

My best friend's name is Dumbo. I met her through my school. She lives in Causeway Bay in Hong Kong Island. She is 9 years old. She is short. She has big eyes and she has long hair. She wears a pair of glasses. She has one brother and no sisters. She has no pets.

She likes P.E., English and I.T. lessons. She loves playing computer games and drawing. She hates playing basketball, tennis and playing with dolls. Her favourite foods are ice-cream and sushi.

Dumbo is my best friend because she never tells a lie. She always helps me and when I am sad, she will make me happy.

I love my best friend very much.



My Best Friend

P.4 Pan Rainbow

My best friend is from Australia. I met her through my summer holiday. Her name is Balisa. She lives in Western Australia. She is nine years old. She is tall. She has one sister and one brother. She has no pets.

She likes to play swings. She loves chocolate. She hates Vanilia ice cream. Her favourite food is pizza.

She is my best friend because she talks to me.



My Best Friend

P.4 Yan Wai Wan, Helen

My best friend is from Hong Kong. I met her through my school. Her name is Mary Lam. She lives in Wan Chai. She is eleven years old. She is tall and thin with long black hair. She has five sisters and no brothers. She has thirteen big white cats.

She likes talking. She loves surfing the Net. She hates playing football. Her favourite food is apple.

Mary is my best friend because she always plays with me at school. She is kind. I love my best friend.





My Best Friend

P.5 Chiang Michelle

My best friend's name is Charlene. She is 11 years old and she is a Primary 5 student at Po Kok Primary School. I met her in Po Kok when we were in Primary 4 when I came in the 2 Term. She is tall and thin. She has long hair and black eyes. When we see each other in the street, she always wears jeans and a T-shirt.

Charlene is a very intelligent girl. At school, although she is playful, she often gets high marks. She always likes to join competitions, for example swimming, singing etc. Because of school, we are usually busy during lessons and recess, so we usually talk with each other when we meet each other in the street. Most of all, she also goes to my house too.

I think a best friend should be there when you need him or her and I think he or she must be honest, responsible, respectful and caring. Charlene and I have been friends for almost one year and I hope we could be best friends forever.



My Best Friend

P.5 Miffy Ling

My best friend's name is Eva Leung. She is twelve Years old and she is a Primary six student. She is my cousin and we study in the same school. She is thin and tall, she has black hair and she wears dresses.

She is a helpful person. Once I lost my bag, I was very upset and at that time she helped me to find it. She is caring, too. When I had a fever and nobody was home, she came and took care of me. After that, I became better. Also, she always plays with me, shares candies with me and makes me laugh.

I like my best friend. I am happy to have a friend like her because she is kind to me.



My Special Time

P.5 Lo Lai Man, Flora

On Sunday, I went to the carnival with my mother and father. There were many special games there, but one that is most special to me in the carnival was "Space Ferris wheel".

The carnival had many rides and game stalls, but I thought "Space Ferris wheel" was great fun. It turned 360°c. It was very exciting. When I planned to line up, I saw many people lining up. It was fun! Finally it was my turn to play the game.

I was very nervous and excited.

At the beginning, I did not dare to play but I saw the people were happy, then I had the courage to play.



Sports Day

P.5 Chu Siu Wing, Winnie

Sports Day was on 30th November, 2006. We went to Yuen Long Sports Ground because this was a joint school sports day. We went to Yuen Long Sports Ground by school bus with my teachers and classmates.

The joint school sports day started. I was a student helper. It was fun because I helped in the bean bag race and all the running races. The people from branch school were very good so the races were exciting.

The joint school sports day was fun. I liked it very much because it was exciting. I wanted to be a student helper next year.

My Special Time

P.5 Ling Gee Yan, Elizabeth

There are many special things I have done in my life, but one that is most special to me is that I have ridden on a motorcycle.

When I was nine years old, I rode on a motorcycle for the first time. But when I came down from the motorcycle, I touched the gas pipe and hurt my leg. I went home in pain with my uncle. Later, my aunt found my wound and took care of it. When I used antiseptic medicine, my wound hurt and I cried loudly.

After this incident, I did not ride on a motorcycle anymore.



My Best Friend

P.6 Mak Mei Yin, Rosanna

My best friend is Benno. He is ten years old. He looks like a doll. He has short curly brown hair and big blue eyes. Many people said he is cute. He is shorter than me but he is clever. I met him two years ago, when I was ten years old. I met him in the same camp trip. He lent me a racket when I had left mine at home in the camp.

He is very sociable, usually makes friends easily and never gets angry so he has many friends. He enjoys listening to rock music and playing tennis. He is my best friend because we have the same hobbies. I enjoy playing with him because he is funny. He makes me laugh all the time. I think he is great to get along with others.

Last week I lost my keys when I took the bus. I was very unhappy. He was friendly. He told me to stay at his home and cooked some food for me. I felt happy because I had a very kind best friend.

In the future, I hope we will go to the same high school and travel around the world together. I hope we will stay friends and will be happy forever.





My Best Friend

P.6 To Chun Yin, Toby

I think friends are very important. My best friend is Tim. He is eleven years old. He has short black hair and big black eyes. I think he is very funny and cute. He is quite tall and thin. I met him one year ago, when I was ten years old. We were in the same class. He is very generous because he always shares his delicious food with me and his classmates during recess time.

He is very kind, always helps his friends and seldom gets angry. He is sporty. He loves playing rugby and squash. He can also play different sports like windsurfing and fencing. He likes Chelsea Football Club best.

One day, he watched the rugby match with me. He shared his candies with me. We were very happy to watch an exciting rugby match.

I think a best friend should always be helpful and generous. He should not tell lies and can solve my problems when I am in trouble.

Tim is my best friend because he is always cheerful. He usually makes people laugh and he is great to be with. In the future, I hope we will go to the same high school and university. We will travel all over the world together. I hope we will have a long lasting friendship.

Letter to the Editor

P.6 Chan Lok Yiu Audrey

Dear editor,

My name is Audrey. I am twelve years old. I live in Hong Kong. I enjoy reading Friends Magazine very much. I like cooking very much and I need some recipes. I like cats too. I have three cats at home. But I don't know how to take care of cats. I would like to read something about food and animals in Friends Magazine in the future.

I like traveling. I have already traveled to many countries. I want to know more about Australia. I want to know more about different countries like famous things and food in Australia. In your December issue, I liked your article about traveling.

Thank you for reading my letter.

Kind regards,

Audrey Chan



Letter to the Editor

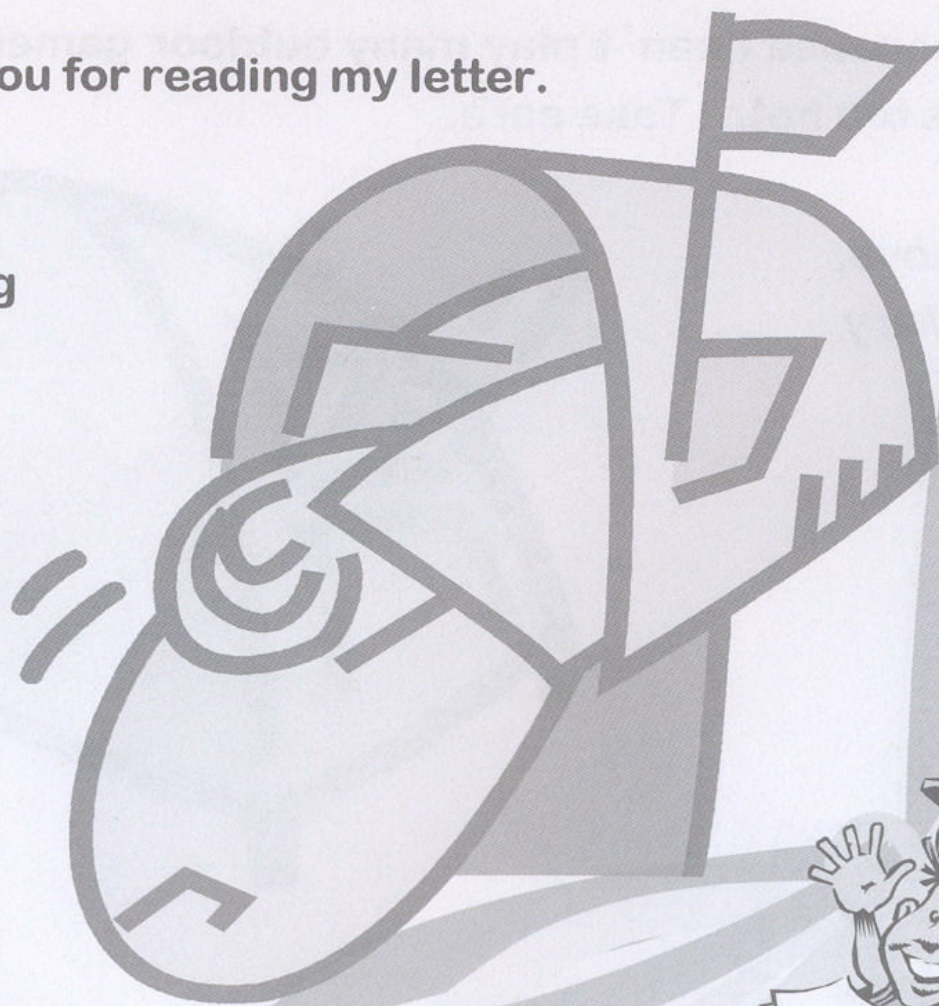
P.6 Yang Siu Ki Marcus

My name is Marcus. I'm ten years old. I live in Hong Kong in China. I enjoy reading Friends Magazine. I like movies. I watch a lot of movies. I like "James Bond". I would like to read something about "Bruce Lee" in Friends Magazine in the future. I love martial arts. I like traveling too. I travel to China every year and I visited Australia last month with my family. I would like to read more about movie stars and new CDs in the magazine. In your December issue, I liked your article about "The Twins".

Thank you for reading my letter.

Best,

Marcus Yang



A Letter to My Friend

P.6 Tsang Cheuk Yin Sam

Thank you for your letter. I am fine. Thank you.

Yes, I heard about the drought in West Africa. I think the people are very hungry because they have no food to eat. I will donate some money to the poor people to help them.

The weather in Hong Kong in summer is very hot and sunny. It is always stormy and rainy and so it makes me all wet. Also, there are usually typhoons and the humidity is high. I swim in a swimming pool and eat ice cream in summer. I don't like summer because I can't play many outdoor games because it is too hot. Take care.

Love,
Mary

