**NEW FREE TRAINING FOR SCHOOLS
ON SUPPORTING HONGKONGER STUDENTS**

Many schools are welcoming an increasing number of Hongkonger students, and there is a growing need for tailored support and understanding among school staff. In response, the **South East Strategic Partnership for Migration is launching a new, sector-specific training** **designed especially for those working in** **education**.

This training will cover:

* An introduction to Hong Kong and its cultural context
* A brief overview of political developments in recent years and reasons for migration
* Understanding the British National (Overseas) visa scheme
* Insights into the Hongkonger community in the UK, including:
	+ Cultural sensitivity
	+ Mental health and wellbeing
	+ Safety, security, and community tensions
* Key differences between UK and Hong Kong school systems
* Practical tips for engaging with Hongkonger students and parents
* Signposting to UK–Hong Kong community organisations and resources

**Training details**

* Date & Time:
- 15 October 2025 (Wednesday) 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
- 14 November 2025 (Friday) 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
* Duration: 1 hour 15 minutes
* Maximum capacity: 15 participants per session
* Registration:[**https://forms.office.com/e/cTJFmzjgfe**](https://eur03.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fforms.office.com%2Fe%2FcTJFmzjgfe&data=05%7C02%7CEmily.Waddilove%40wokingham.gov.uk%7Cc60e6a44c6b943ad148308ddcf77b307%7C996ee15c0b3e4a6f8e65120a9a51821a%7C0%7C0%7C638894835242539454%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJFbXB0eU1hcGkiOnRydWUsIlYiOiIwLjAuMDAwMCIsIlAiOiJXaW4zMiIsIkFOIjoiTWFpbCIsIldUIjoyfQ%3D%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=2BDw7gfLrJAu19hLfJG8jnqQ79zGpuME25wlfrkrweI%3D&reserved=0)

**Tailored Briefing Sessions**

If your school has 5 or more staff members interested, we are happy to offer a **bespoke 60-minute session** tailored to your setting. To arrange this, please contact Victina at HKbusiness\_employment@secouncils.gov.uk.

If you have any questions about the training or how to register, don’t hesitate to get in touch. We look forward to welcoming you.

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My working days are typically Wednesday and Friday