

Field Manual

Student Project No. 5: Botany on CUHK Campus

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**A Web-based Database and Training for Hong Kong Flora and Vegetation
Field Trip to CUHK for Botany on CUHK Campus**

Introduction

The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK) was founded in 1963. Its campus occupies 134-hectares along the southwest shore of Tolo Harbor, just north of Shatin. It is the largest and the most beautiful university campus in Hong Kong, with a panoramic view of the bay and several mountains including Ma On Shan, Needle Hill, Pat Sin Leng, and Lion Rock. The campus is carefully landscaped, with many natural and ornamental plants.

This exercise aims to encourage students to learn more about the botanical diversity in CUHK.

Students are suggested to

- (a) enjoy the diversity of plants on CUHK campus,
- (b) take a photo of the plant or plant parts concerned or a photo of the student standing next to or touching the plant (but not detaching or picking any plant part), and
- (c) summarise the characteristics in short phrases or use them as captions for the photos. When finished, students can submit their reports and photos to <webmaster@hkflora.com> or send them to Hong Kong Flora and Vegetation Team, Department of Biology, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shatin, N.T., Hong Kong. We shall arrange to have them loaded on the websites.

General information

Date: _____

Place: _____

Time: _____ (start) to _____ (finish)

School name: _____

Teacher name: _____

Student name: _____

