

English Morning Reading

Article: HK must accept a tax on food waste

Date: 29th September, 2016 (Thursday) [A10]

Classes: 6C + 6D

Reading Time

You now have 5 minutes to read the article.

Vocabulary

1. cherish(v) – love, protect sb/sth important to you
2. privacy (n)
3. safeguard (n) – protection
4. judicial (adj) – related to a court of law
5. oversight (n) – supervision
6. covert (adj) – not public, secretive
7. surveillance (v) – the careful watching of a person/place
8. deter (v) – to prevent sb from doing sth by making it difficult for that person to do it or by threatening bad results if they do it
9. offender (n) – a person who has committed a crime

Useful expressions

- **has/have to be balanced with**
- **Apart from**

e.g. The importance of studies **has to be balanced with** that of health.

e.g. **Apart from** morning reading, we should read more interesting magazines at home to sharpen our English.

e.g. **Apart from** 6D, students of 6C are also required to attend the morning reading session this morning.

Question for IP

- **“Taiwan and Japan have successfully introduced a food-waste tax as a disincentive to a throw-away mentality.”**

Do you support the idea of introducing a food-waste tax in Hong Kong to alleviate the problem of illegal dumping of rubbish? Support your view by giving ONE reason.

Time for presentation

- 6C (15)
- 6D (23)