

Mr. Kung, Vice-principals, teachers and fellow schoolmates, good morning. I'm glad to have this chance to stand here and share some of my feelings about being a prefect in this school.

Have you ever thought of being a prefect? Being a prefect is always my dream since I was still a form one boy. And I was so delighted when I knew that my dream comes true this year. How wonderful it is!

To my mind, being prefects is different from other school duties such as school librarians and peer-counselors. Prefects have to bear more responsibilities and yet it is much stressful. Since we always have to act on behalf of the school rules, it is more likely for us to be in conflicts with other schoolmates.

This year, I'm one of the division leaders for prefects of form 4 classes. I have to help teachers to manage the discipline of students and sometimes doing announcements during the morning assemblies. It is a terrific opportunity for me to serve the school and at the same time gaining experiences of managing and speaking in public.

After being a prefect for about two and a half months, I feel that Ng Wah boys are energetic and very united. They like playing around and chatting in the corridors and I can always hear laughter everywhere around the campus.

Ng Wah boys are brave too. We can always see some junior boys doing sharing in morning assemblies. They can speak fluently and clearly. Probably I wouldn't dare to do so when I was so young.

Also, Ng Wah boys are willing to admit their mistakes when they have done something wrong. I remember a few weeks ago, a form four student broke the glass of his classroom. He didn't try to escape from being punished but staying there and reminded other students to be careful of the broken glass and admitted to the vice-principal that he was the one who broke the glass.

Students may feel that prefects are annoying and always try to challenge you. They always ask you to tidy your uniform, return to your classroom after the lunchtime, interrupt you when you are playing card games... But actually, these are just for your own good. There is a Chinese saying, “愛之深，責之切”. And I think that's what prefects are doing.

Next time, when prefects ask you to go back to your classroom, try to co-operate with them. It is because they are those who care for you. That's all for my sharing. Thank you.