

## Lost on Lantau

By Man Chun Lok Marco 5A

Last Sunday afternoon, dappled sun shone through the trees creating dark shadows. What a great day! Mr and Mrs Chan went hiking at the Ngong Ping 360 Rescue Trail. They walked past some wooden paths, wooden stairs and concrete roads. After walking for about three hours, they took some gorgeous photos of the stunning view of the airport. They kept walking and walking for many hours. They realized that they were lost!

The yellow fire covered the setting sun. Mr and Mrs Chan were wandering past random hills. Mrs Chan was lost with hope. She shouted at the sky deafeningly with tears, 'Noooo!' and exclaimed to Mr Chan, 'What...what are we go...going to do? Keep walking? I don't even know if we can get back home!' 'I'm sure we'll find a way home this night, therefore don't waste our time or your energy to cry,' Mr Chan said calmly. Mrs Chan stood up and started walking with Mr Chan.

Miraculously, they saw a man in a yellow smart T-shirt. Mr and Mrs Chan rushed to the man and asked instantly, 'How far is it from here to the nearest bus stop?' The man replied, 'It's not far. It's one kilometre.' Without thinking, the man took out a piece of paper and a pencil to draw a map for them.

Luminous petals of silver sprinkled the sky. When Mr and Mrs Chan arrived at the bus stop, the last bus had just left! They said in one mouth, 'Oh dear!' They were afraid to death. For the second time, they kept wandering around random hills. Fortunately, they saw the man again! Mr and Mrs Chan begged the man, 'Can you please let us stay overnight at your home please?' The man was frozen for a while and answered, 'Fine! But you might need to sleep on the floor. My house is 300 metres away from here.' 'Thank you so much. You are an angel!' Mr and Mrs Chan replied.

From this journey, Mr and Mrs Chan have learnt that they should never give up. They were grateful.



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By Huang Zi Qi 5C

Last Sunday afternoon Mr Chan and Mrs Chan went hiking on Lantau. It was getting dark. They got lost. They felt nervous.

Luckily, a man walked near them. Mrs Chan asked, 'Excuse me, how far is it from here to the bus stop?' The man replied, 'It's not far. It's one kilometre. It takes twenty minutes.' Mrs Chan said, 'Thank you!'

They walked a long way to the bus stop. When they arrived at the bus stop, they missed the last bus. They felt so upset.

At last, they went home on foot. They felt tired, because it's a long way. When they arrived home, Mrs Chan found the key was lost in the street. They sat outside their home until the next morning. They paid a lock picker to open the door. They went home happily. In this trip, they have learnt that they need to bring a map for hiking.



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By Law Kai Tin, Calvin 5D

Last Sunday afternoon, Mr. Chan and Mrs. Chan went hiking on Lantau. They were happy.

On the way, they saw the Big Buddha. They took a selfie with it and then kept going. It was getting dark and they were lost. They were looking for a way until they saw a man. Mrs. Chan asked the man, 'How far is it to the bus stop?' The man replied, 'It's not far. It's one kilometre.' Mr. Chan and Mrs. Chan walked to the bus stop but it was already night time.

By the time they got to the bus stop, they saw that the bus was leaving. They missed the bus. 'Oh no!' said Mrs. Chan. 'We've missed the bus. We have to wait for four hours for the next bus now!' Suddenly, Mr. Chan said, 'We don't have to wait for the bus. We drove our car here this afternoon.'

At last, they went back to their car and drove back home. They learnt a lesson that whenever they go hiking, they should go early in the morning.



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By Mak Lok Sze, Cici 5E

Mr and Mrs Chan went hiking last Sunday afternoon. They were on Lantau. They were happy. They chatted together.

Soon after, it was getting dark. They got lost. They felt afraid. Luckily a man passed by and helped them. Mrs. Chan asked, 'Excuse me. How far is it from here to the bus stop?' The man showed them a map and replied, 'It's not far. It's one kilometre.' After that, they arrived at the bus stop but they missed the last bus. They felt upset.

In the end, they found a public telephone and called their friend to help them. They were calm because they knew that someone would help them. They got home safely by their friend's car. They have learnt that they must bring a map when they go hiking.