## <u>TechXplore – HKIA Integrated Tour</u> (7 July 2025)

On 7 July 2025 (Monday), 40 of our S3 to S5 students participated in the TechXplore – HKIA Integrated Tour, hosted by the Hong Kong International Aviation Academy. Co-organised by the English Department and the Careers Team, this visit gave students an insightful behind-the-scenes experience at one of the world's leading airports.

The morning session kicked off with an engaging overview of the history and development of Hong Kong International Airport, covering its growth into a major international hub. Students learnt about airport infrastructure and its role in global connectivity.

In the afternoon, students embarked on an exclusive coach tour around the airside apron. They viewed the airport's three main runways and aircraft hangars and were even able to stand just beside a runway as planes took off and landed—a thrilling moment for all.

The tour not only provided an authentic learning environment for students to learn English but also inspired many to consider future careers in aviation, engineering, and airport operations. It was an eye-opening experience that blended education with hands-on learning, leaving students with a deeper appreciation for the vast world behind air travel.



Ms. CHEUNG Chui-hung (1<sup>st</sup> left 2<sup>nd</sup> row), Ms. WONG Lai-chun (2<sup>nd</sup> left 2<sup>nd</sup> row) and students donning high-visibility vests pose on the airside apron in front of a cargo freighter, experiencing real-world airport operations.



Students attentively learn about the development and operations of the Hong Kong International Airport.



Students, together with Ms. CHEUNG Chui-hung (1<sup>st</sup> left back row) and Ms. WONG Lai-chun (1<sup>st</sup> right 2<sup>nd</sup> row), gather for a group photo to commemorate their memorable experience at the Hong Kong International Aviation Academy.