

**Annex**

**Usage of "resource centre" or "information centre" facilities under policy bureaux, departments and public organisations over the past three years** <sup>Note 1</sup>

Bureau / Department / Organisation <sup>Note 2</sup>	Name of Facility	Number of Users (Approximate) <sup>Note 3</sup>			Appointment Services/ Reasons
		2023	2024	2025	
<b><i>Constitutional and Mainland Affairs Bureau</i></b>					
Registration and Electoral Office	Electoral Information Centre	6 100	6 700	7 000	N/A
<b><i>Culture, Sports and Tourism Bureau</i></b>					
Hong Kong Arts Development Council	Arts Information Centre	- <sup>Note 4</sup>	5 400	4 500	N/A
Leisure and Cultural Services Department	Arts Resource Centre	- <sup>Note 5</sup>	- <sup>Note 5</sup>	- <sup>Note 5</sup>	N/A
Leisure and Cultural Services Department	Cantonese Opera Education and Information Centre	12 500	22 300	24 400	Individual or group visits
Leisure and Cultural Services Department	Conservation Office Resource Centre	<100 <sup>Note 6</sup>	<100 <sup>Note 6</sup>	<100 <sup>Note 6</sup>	To assist entry by visitors with appointments and to prepare the required information in advance
Leisure and Cultural Services Department	Education Resource Centre	- <sup>Note 5</sup>	- <sup>Note 5</sup>	- <sup>Note 5</sup>	N/A
Leisure and Cultural Services Department	Green Education and Resource Centre	27 200	30 400	30 700	N/A
Leisure and Cultural Services Department	Hong Kong Heritage Museum Resource Centre	100	100	100	Limited space and equipment; and to prepare the required information in advance
Leisure and Cultural Services Department	Hong Kong Museum of Art Resource Centre	- <sup>Note 7</sup>	<100 <sup>Note 6</sup>	<100 <sup>Note 6</sup>	To assist entry by visitors with appointments and to prepare the required information in advance
Leisure and Cultural Services Department	Hong Kong Museum of History Resource Centre	700	800	500	To assist entry by visitors with appointments, to reserve computers, and to prepare the required information in advance
Leisure and Cultural Services	Resource Centre, Hong Kong Film Archive	40 600	38 200	34 000	N/A

Department					
West Kowloon Cultural District Authority	Learning Resource Centre of the Hong Kong Palace Museum	8 200	6 500	5 400	N/A
<b>Development Bureau</b>					
Buildings Department	Building Information Centre	10 800	9 700	8 900	N/A
Construction Industry Council	MiC Resources Centre	9 200	8 000	6 300	Guided tour services/ Venue & crowd management
Water Supplies Department	H2OPE Centre (Water Resources Education Centre)	30 000	33 000	33 000	Individual or group visits
Urban Renewal Authority	Building Rehabilitation Resource Centre	6 000	15 200	24 300	N/A
<b>Education Bureau</b>					
Qualifications Framework Secretariat	Qualifications Framework Resource Centre (Tin Hau & To Kwa Wan)	9 800	10 400	10 300	N/A
<b>Environment and Ecology Bureau</b>					
Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department	Endangered Species Resource Centre	6 000	8 600	5 900	Group tour
Environmental Campaign Committee	kNOw Carbon House (former Wan Chai Environmental Resource Centre)	- Note 8	5 200	10 900	Guided tour services
Food and Environmental Hygiene Department	Health Education Exhibition and Resource Centre	46 100	56 500	54 000	N/A
Food and Environmental Hygiene Department/ Buildings Department	Water Seepage Resource Centre	- Note 9	- Note 9	- Note 9	N/A
Hong Kong Observatory	Hong Kong Observatory Resource Centre	200	300	200	N/A
<b>Financial Services and the Treasury Bureau</b>					
Hong Kong Monetary Authority	HKMA Information Centre	31 000	68 000	85 000	Group tour /Venue & crowd management
<b>Home and Youth Affairs Bureau</b>					
Committee on the Promotion of Civic Education	Civic Education Resource Centre	14 100	19 800	20 300	Guided services
<b>Housing Bureau</b>					
Hong Kong Housing Society (HKHS)	Elderly Resources Centre	23 200 Note 10	23 800 Note 10	27 000 Note 10	Guided tours and experiential activities

<i>Security Bureau</i>					
Security Bureau	Hong Kong Jockey Club Drug InfoCentre	43 900	57 200	50 800	Guided tours

Note 1: Covering facilities operating under the name of “resource center” or “information center” over the past three years (except for the Parent/Relative Resource Centres subvented by the Social Welfare Department, the Patient Resource Centres under the Hospital Authority and the Computer and Information Centres set up in public libraries).

Note 2: Listed in alphabetical order of the English names of the relevant policy bureaux/departments/organisations.

Note 3: Rounding up to the nearest hundred.

Note 4: The Arts Information Centre of the Hong Kong Arts Development Council has not yet officially opened in 2023.

Note 5: The Arts Resource Centre and the Education Resource Centre of the Leisure and Cultural Services Department are located at the Hong Kong Central Library and Kowloon Public Library respectively. They are available for public use during the libraries’ opening hours. The number of users of these centres is included in the overall visitor count for the libraries. No separate figures are available.

Note 6: The resource centres of the Conservation Office and the Hong Kong Museum of Art focus on academic and professional conservation research materials, primarily accessible by staff and members of the public engaged in related research. Due to the highly specialised nature of these materials, usage among the general public remains relatively low.

Note 7: Closed to the public due to refurbishment.

Note 8: The kNOw Carbon House was opened to the public in mid-August 2024.

Note 9: The Water Seepage Resource Centre does not maintain relevant usage data.

Note 10: HKHS maintains visitor statistics by financial year. The figures in the table represent the approximate numbers of visitors in the 2022-23, 2023-24, and 2024-25 financial years respectively.