China Gingko Education Group Company Limited
中國銀杏教育集團有限公司

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)
(Stock Code: 1851)

INTERIM RESULTS
FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2026

The board (the "**Board**") of directors (the "**Directors**") of China Gingko Education Group Company Limited (the "**Company**", together with its subsidiaries and consolidated affiliated entities, the "**Group**") announces the unaudited consolidated results of the Group for the six months ended 30 June 2026 (the "**Reporting Period**"), together with the comparative figures for the six months ended 30 June 2025 (the "**Previous Period**") as below.

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2026
(All amounts expressed in RMB thousands unless otherwise stated)

	Note	**Six months ended 30 June 2026** *RMB'000* **(Unaudited)**	Six months ended 30 June 2025 *RMB'000* (Unaudited)
Revenue	*7*	**225,613**	208,415
Cost of sales		**(108,777)**	(82,630)
Gross profit		**116,836**	125,785
Selling expenses		**(318)**	(835)
Administrative expenses		**(23,029)**	(24,133)
Other income		**3,113**	1,493
Other losses – net		**(75)**	(351)
Operating profit	*8*	**96,527**	101,959
Finance income	*9*	**347**	314
Finance expenses	*9*	**(2,166)**	(1,686)
Finance expenses – net		**(1,819)**	(1,372)
Profit before income tax		**94,708**	100,587
Income tax expenses	*10*	**(896)**	(309)
Profit for the period		**93,812**	100,278
Other comprehensive income for the period		**–**	–
Total comprehensive income for the period		**93,812**	100,278

	Note	**Six months ended 30 June 2026** *RMB'000* **(Unaudited)**	Six months ended 30 June 2025 *RMB'000* (Unaudited)
Profit and total comprehensive income attributable to shareholders of the Company		**93,812**	100,278
Earnings per share for profit attributable to shareholders of the Company			
Basic and diluted earnings per share *(RMB Yuan)*	*11*	**0.19**	0.20

The above interim condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 30 JUNE 2026

(All amounts expressed in RMB thousands unless otherwise stated)

	Note	**As at 30 June 2026** ***RMB'000*** **(Unaudited)**	As at 31 December 2025 *RMB'000* (Audited)
ASSETS			
Non-current assets			
Right-of-use assets	*13*	**60,071**	61,205
Property, plant and equipment	*14*	**1,312,068**	1,263,754
Intangible assets	*15*	**6,823**	5,897
Prepayments	*18*	**227**	456
		1,379,189	1,331,312
Current assets			
Inventories		**889**	884
Trade and other receivables	*17*	**11,023**	9,387
Prepayments	*18*	**13,736**	2,787
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	*16*	**7,081**	7,188
Cash and deposits		**38,438**	243,503
		71,167	263,749
Total assets		**1,450,356**	1,595,061
EQUITY			
Share capital		**4,321**	4,321
Share premium		**134,042**	134,042
Reserves		**129,259**	129,259
Retained earnings		**926,669**	832,857
Total equity		**1,194,291**	1,100,479

	Note	As at 30 June 2026 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	As at 31 December 2025 RMB'000 (Audited)
LIABILITIES			
Non-current liabilities			
Borrowings	*20*	**122,353**	109,790
Lease liabilities	*13*	**–**	142
Deferred government grants		**107**	107
		122,460	110,039
Current liabilities			
Accruals and other payables	*19*	**73,158**	94,010
Borrowings	*20*	**54,958**	70,000
Lease liabilities	*13*	**409**	560
Contract liabilities	*7*	**4,392**	219,479
Current income tax liabilities		**688**	494
		133,605	384,543
Total liabilities		**256,065**	494,582
Total equity and liabilities		**1,450,356**	1,595,061

The above interim condensed consolidated balance sheet should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2026

(All amounts expressed in RMB thousands unless otherwise stated)

	(Unaudited) Attributable to owners of the Company					
	Share capital	**Share premium**	**Capital reserves**	**Statutory surplus reserves**	**Retained earnings**	**Total**
	RMB'000	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*
As at 1 January 2025	4,321	134,042	50,000	62,108	687,438	937,909
Profit and total comprehensive income for the period	–	–	–	–	100,278	100,278
As at 30 June 2025	4,321	134,042	50,000	62,108	787,716	1,038,187
As at 1 January 2026	**4,321**	**134,042**	**50,000**	**79,259**	**832,857**	**1,100,479**
Profit and total comprehensive income for the period	**–**	**–**	**–**	**–**	**93,812**	**93,812**
As at 30 June 2026	**4,321**	**134,042**	**50,000**	**79,259**	**926,669**	**1,194,291**

The above interim condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOW

FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2026

(All amounts expressed in RMB thousands unless otherwise stated)

	Six months ended 30 June 2026 ***RMB'000*** **(Unaudited)**	Six months ended 30 June 2025 *RMB'000* (Unaudited)
Cash flows from operating activities		
Cash used in operations	**(116,246)**	(79,611)
Interest received	**347**	357
Income tax paid	**(703)**	(318)
Net cash used in operating activities	**(116,602)**	(79,572)
Cash flows from investing activities		
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	**(81,617)**	(52,700)
Purchases of intangible assets	**(1,726)**	(166)
Interest received on financial assets at fair value through other profit or loss	**236**	–
Investments in financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	**–**	(7,192)
Decrease in term deposits with original maturities over 3 months	**40,000**	–
Net cash used in investing activities	**(43,107)**	(60,058)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds from bank borrowings	**194,790**	13,000
Repayment of bank borrowings	**(197,269)**	(75,000)
Interest paid	**(2,351)**	(4,371)
Lease payments for right-of-use assets excluding land use rights	**(307)**	(254)
Net cash used in financing activities	**(5,137)**	(66,625)

	Six months ended 30 June 2026 *RMB'000* (Unaudited)	Six months ended 30 June 2025 *RMB'000* (Unaudited)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	**(164,846)**	(206,255)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period	**203,503**	271,723
Effects of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	**219**	(192)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	**38,438**	65,276

The above interim condensed consolidated statement of cash flow should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2026

(All amounts expressed in RMB thousands unless otherwise stated)

1 GENERAL INFORMATION

The Company was incorporated in the Cayman Islands on 23 March 2018 as an exempted company with limited liability under the Companies Law, Cap. 22 (Law 3 of 1961, as consolidated and revised) of the Cayman Islands. The address of the Company's registered office is Cricket Square, Hutchins Drive, P.O. Box 2681, Grand Cayman, KY1-1111, Cayman Islands.

The Company is an investment holding company and its subsidiaries and consolidated affiliated entities (collectively referred to as the "**Group**") are principally engaged in providing private higher education services in the People's Republic of China (the "**PRC**"). The Group currently operates one higher education school, namely Gingko College of Hospitality Management (formerly known as Yinxing Hospitality Management College of CUIT) ("**Yinxing College**"). The Yinxing College has two campuses, each in Chengdu and Yibin of Sichuan Province, the PRC.

The ultimate controlling shareholder of the Company is Mr. Fang Gongyu (the "**Controlling Shareholder" or "Mr. Fang**"), who has been controlling the group companies since their incorporation or establishment.

The shares of the Company have been listed on the Main Board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "**Stock Exchange**") since 18 January 2019 by way of its initial public offering.

This interim condensed consolidated financial information is presented in Renminbi ("**RMB**") and rounded to the nearest thousand yuan (RMB'000), unless otherwise stated.

This interim condensed consolidated financial information has been approved for issue by Board of Directors on 28 August 2026.

This interim condensed consolidated financial information has not been audited.

2 BASIS OF PREPARATION

This interim condensed consolidated financial information for the six months ended 30 June 2026 has been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Accounting Standard ("**HKAS**") 34 "Interim financial reporting". This interim condensed consolidated financial information does not include all the notes normally included in an annual consolidated financial statements. Accordingly, it should be read in conjunction with the annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2025, which have been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("**HKFRSs**") except for the adoption of new and amended standards as disclosed in Note 3.

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Except as described below, the accounting policies applied are consistent with those of the annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2025, as described in those annual consolidated financial statements.

(a) New and amended standards adopted by the Group

A number of amended standards became applicable for the current reporting period. The Group did not have to change its accounting policies or make retrospective adjustments as a result of adopting these standards.

Standards and amendments	Key requirements	Effective for accounting periods beginning on or after
HKFRS 9 and HKFRS 7 (Amendments)	Amendments to the Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments	1 January 2026
Annual Improvements Project	Annual Improvements to HKFRS Accounting Standards – Volumes 11	1 January 2026

(b) New standards and interpretations not yet adopted

The following new standards, new interpretations and amendments to standards and interpretations have been issued but are not effective for the financial year beginning on 1 January 2026 and have not been early adopted by the Group:

Standards and amendments	Key requirements	Effective for accounting periods beginning on or after
HKFRS 18	Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements	1 January 2027
HKFRS 19	Subsidiaries without Public Accountability: Disclosures	1 January 2027
HKAS21 (Amendments)	Translation to a Hyperinflationary Presentation Currency	1 January 2027
HKFRS 10 and HKAS 28 (Amendments)	Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture	To be determined

The Group is in the process of assessing the full impact of the new standards, new interpretations and amendments to standards and interpretations.

4 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

4.1 Financial risk factors

The Group's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including foreign exchange risk and cash flow and fair value interest rate risk), credit risk and liquidity risk.

The interim condensed consolidated financial information do not include all financial risk management information and disclosures required in the annual financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2025.

There have been no changes in the risk management policies since year end.

4.2 Liquidity risk

To manage the liquidity risk, the Group monitors and maintains a level of cash and cash equivalents deemed adequate by the management to finance the Group's operations and mitigate the effects of fluctuations in cash flows. The Group expects to fund its future cash flow needs through internally generated cash flows from operations and bank borrowings. The Group's current liabilities included contracted liabilities with total amount of RMB4,392,000 as at 30 June 2026 which will not require future cash outflows. Excluding these non-financial liabilities, the Group had net current liabilities of RMB58,046,000 as at 30 June 2026. Subsequent to 30 June 2026, the Group expects to obtain proceeds from school fees for the September 2026 school year amounting to RMB388 million by the end of September 2026. Management believes that there is no significant liquidity risk in view of the expected cash flow from operations and continuing support from banks in the coming twelve months from the balance sheet date of 30 June 2026.

The table below analyses the Group's non-derivative financial liabilities into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the end of each reporting period to the contractual maturity date. The amounts disclosed in the table are the contractual undiscounted cash flows.

			(Unaudited)		
	Less than 1 year	**Between 1 and 2 years**	**Between 2 and 5 years**	**Over 5 years**	**Total**
	RMB'000	***RMB'000***	***RMB'000***	***RMB'000***	***RMB'000***
As at 30 June 2026					
Borrowings (principal plus interests)	**59,095**	**37,667**	**90,287**	**–**	**187,049**
Accruals and other payables (excluding salaries and welfare payable and other taxes payable)	**58,718**	**–**	**–**	**–**	**58,718**
Lease liabilities	**418**	**–**	**–**	**–**	**418**
Total	**118,231**	**37,667**	**90,287**	**–**	**246,185**

	Less than 1 year	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	Over 5 years	Total
	RMB'000	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*
As at 31 December 2025					
Borrowings (principal plus interests)	74,333	91,517	20,222	–	186,072
Accruals and other payables (excluding salaries and welfare payable and other taxes payable)	70,794	–	–	–	70,794
Lease liabilities	575	145	–	–	720
Total	145,702	91,662	20,222	–	257,586

4.3 Fair value estimation

The table below analyses the Group's financial instruments carried at fair value as at 30 June 2026 by valuation method. The different levels have been defined as follows:

Level 1: The fair value of financial instruments traded in active markets (such as publicly traded derivatives, and equity securities) is based on quoted market prices at the end of the reporting period. The quoted market price used for financial assets held by the group is the current bid price. These instruments are included in level 1.

Level 2: The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market (for example, over-the-counter derivatives) is determined using valuation techniques which maximise the use of observable market data and rely as little as possible on entity-specific estimates. If all significant inputs required to fair value an instrument are observable, the instrument is included in level 2.

Level 3: If one or more of the significant inputs is not based on observable market data, the instrument is included in level 3. This is the case for unlisted equity securities and for instruments where climate risk gives rise to a significant unobservable adjustment.

		(Unaudited)		
	Level 1	**Level 2**	**Level 3**	**Total**
	RMB'000	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*
Recurring fair value measurements				
As at 30 June 2026				
Financial assets				
Financial assets at FVTPL				
– Money Market Funds *(Note 16)*	7,081	–	–	7,081

There were no transfers between levels 1 and 2 for recurring fair value measurements during the six months ended 30 June 2026.

The Group's policy is to recognise transfers into and out of fair value hierarchy levels as at the end of the reporting period.

The Group's financial assets include cash and deposits and trade and other receivables and financial liabilities include accruals and other payables, current lease liabilities and current borrowings, the carrying amounts of which approximated their fair values as at the balance sheet date due to their short-term maturities.

5 CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGMENTS

The preparation of interim financial information requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expense. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

In preparing this interim condensed consolidated financial information, the significant judgements made by management in applying the Group's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those that applied to the annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2025.

6 SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Group is principally engaged in provision of private higher education services in the PRC. The Group's chief operating decision maker (the "**CODM**") has been identified as the chief executive officer who considers the business from the service perspective.

For the purpose of resource allocation and performance assessment, the CODM reviews the overall results and financial position of the Group as a whole prepared based on the same accounting policies set out in the Group's consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2025. Accordingly, the segment information is aggregated as a single reportable segment. Management of the Group assesses the performance of the reportable segment based on the revenue and gross profit for the period of the Group as presented in the interim condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income.

7 REVENUE

Revenues during the six months ended 30 June 2026 and 2025 are as follows:

	Six months ended 30 June 2026 *RMB'000* **(Unaudited)**	Six months ended 30 June 2025 *RMB'000* (Unaudited)
Tuition fees	**200,200**	183,587
Boarding fees	**15,748**	14,558
Meal catering service fees	**917**	1,182
Revenue from hotel operation	**2,100**	1,639
Others *(note)*	**6,648**	7,449
	225,613	208,415

Note: Others mainly represent revenue from other education and vocational training programs.

Revenue represented by:

	Six months ended 30 June 2026 *RMB'000* **(Unaudited)**	Six months ended 30 June 2025 *RMB'000* (Unaudited)
Recognised over time		
Tuition fees	**200,200**	183,587
Boarding fees	**15,748**	14,558
Hotel revenue from room rental	**896**	817
Others	**6,648**	7,449
Recognised at a point in time		
Meal catering service fees	**917**	1,182
Hotel revenue from food and beverage sales	**1,204**	822
	225,613	208,415

No customers individually accounted for more than 10% of the Group's revenue for the six months ended 30 June 2026 and 2025.

Contract liabilities

The Group has recognised the following revenue-related contract liabilities:

	As at 30 June 2026 *RMB'000* **(Unaudited)**	As at 31 December 2025 *RMB'000* (Audited)
Contract liabilities related to tuition fees	**238**	199,081
Contract liabilities related to boarding fees	**3,994**	19,771
Others	**160**	627
	4,392	219,479

(1) Revenue recognised in relation to contract liabilities

The following table shows how much of the revenue recognised in the current period relates to carried-forward contract liabilities.

	Six months ended 30 June 2026 *RMB'000* **(Unaudited)**	Six months ended 30 June 2025 *RMB'000* (Unaudited)
Revenue recognised that was included in the balance of contract liabilities at the beginning of the year		
Tuition fees	**198,873**	181,852
Boarding fees	**14,727**	14,521
Others	**574**	1,615
	214,174	197,988

(2) Unsatisfied contracts

	As at 30 June 2026 *RMB'000* **(Unaudited)**	As at 31 December 2025 *RMB'000* (Audited)
Expected to be recognised within one year		
Tuition fees	**238**	199,081
Boarding fees	**3,994**	19,771
Others	**160**	627
	4,392	219,479

8 OPERATING PROFIT

The following major items have been charged/(credited) to the operating profit during the six months ended 30 June 2026 and 2025:

	Six months ended 30 June 2026	Six months ended 30 June 2025
	RMB'000	*RMB'000*
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Employee benefit expenses	**74,846**	59,118
Depreciation and amortization *(note 13, 14 and 15)*	**27,018**	26,083
Office expenses	**6,846**	5,249
Student activities expenses	**2,131**	1,439
Cost of education and vocational training programs	**1,789**	2,686
Property management fee	**1,452**	2,245
Traveling expenses	**1,176**	918
Government subsidies	**(959)**	(363)

9 FINANCE EXPENSES – NET

	Six months ended 30 June 2026	Six months ended 30 June 2025
	RMB'000	*RMB'000*
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Finance expenses:		
– Interest expenses on borrowings	**(2,336)**	(4,560)
– Interest expenses on lease liabilities *(note 13)*	**(14)**	(27)
	(2,350)	(4,587)
– Amounts capitalised in qualifying assets *(note 14(b))*	**184**	2,901
	(2,166)	(1,686)
Finance income:		
– Bank interest income	**347**	314
Net finance expenses	**(1,819)**	(1,372)

The capitalisation rate used to determine the amount of borrowing costs to be capitalised is 2.62% for the six months ended 30 June 2026 (2025: 3.05%), which is the weighted average interest rate applicable to the Group's borrowings for construction in progress during the period.

10 INCOME TAX EXPENSES

	Six months ended 30 June 2026	Six months ended 30 June 2025
	RMB'000	*RMB'000*
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Current tax		
Current tax on profits for the period	**896**	309

(i) Cayman Islands corporate income tax

The Company was incorporated in the Cayman Islands as an exempted company with limited liability under the Companies Law of the Cayman Islands and accordingly, is exempted from Cayman Islands corporate income tax.

(ii) British Virgin Islands profit tax

The Company's direct subsidiary in the British Virgin Islands was incorporated under the BVI Companies Act, 2004 and accordingly, is exempted from British Virgin Islands income tax.

(iii) Hong Kong profit tax

No provision for Hong Kong profit tax was provided as the Company and the Group did not have assessable profits in Hong Kong during the six months ended 30 June 2026.

(iv) PRC corporate income tax ("CIT")

CIT is provided on assessable profits of entities incorporated in the PRC. Pursuant to the Corporate Income Tax Law of the PRC (the "**CIT Law**"), which was effective from 1 January 2008, the CIT was 25% during the period.

According to the Implementation Regulations for the Law for Promoting Private Education, private schools for which the school sponsors do not require reasonable returns are eligible to enjoy the same preferential tax treatment as public schools. The preferential tax treatment polices applicable to private schools requiring reasonable returns are to be separately formulated by the relevant government authorities under the State Council of the PRC. As at the date of approval of these financial statements, no regulations have been promulgated by such authorities in this regard, Yinxing College has not yet registered as for-profit private schools and remains as non-profit private schools. In accordance with the historical tax returns filed with the relevant tax authorities, the tax compliance confirmations and the Group's external legal advisor's comments on the preferential tax treatments obtained, Yinxing College has been granted corporate income tax exemption for income generated from the provision of formal academic education services. As a result, no income tax expense was recognised for the income from the provision of formal academic education services during the period (2025: nil). In the event Yinxing College electing to register as for-profit private schools, Yinxing College may be subject to corporate income tax at a rate of 25% in respect of service fees they receive from the provision of academic educational services going forward, if they do not enjoy any preferential tax treatment.

(v) **PRC Withholding Income Tax**

The profits of subsidiaries of the Group in the PRC are subject to PRC withholding income tax at a rate of 10% (2025: 10%) upon the distribution of such profits to the foreign investors in Hong Kong. Deferred income tax liabilities have not been provided for in this regard since it is not expected that dividends will be distributed from the Group's subsidiaries in the PRC to foreign investors in the foreseeable future. In the opinion of the Directors, such remaining earnings will be retained in Mainland China for the expansion of the Group's operation.

11 EARNINGS PER SHARE

(a) Basic and diluted earnings per share

Basic and diluted earnings per share is calculated by dividing the profit attributable to owners of the Company, by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period.

	Six months ended 30 June 2026 (Unaudited)	Six months ended 30 June 2025 (Unaudited)
Basic and diluted earnings per share attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Company *(RMB Yuan)*	**0.19**	0.20

(b) Reconciliations of earnings used in calculating earnings per share

	Six months ended 30 June 2026 ***RMB'000*** **(Unaudited)**	Six months ended 30 June 2025 *RMB'000* (Unaudited)
Basic and diluted earnings per share		
Profit attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Company used in calculating basic earnings per share	**93,812**	100,278

(c) Weighted average number of shares used as the denominator

	Six months ended 30 June 2026 (Unaudited)	Six months ended 30 June 2025 (Unaudited)
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used as the denominator in calculating basic and diluted earnings per share *(thousands)*	**500,000**	500,000

12 DIVIDEND

No dividend has been paid or declared by the Group for the six months ended 30 June 2026 and 2025, nor has any dividend been proposed subsequent to 30 June 2026.

13 RIGHT-OF-USE ASSETS

	As at 30 June 2026	As at 31 December 2025
	RMB'000	*RMB'000*
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Right-of-use assets		
– Land use rights	**59,679**	60,545
– Buildings	**392**	660
	60,071	61,205
Lease liabilities		
– Current	**409**	560
– Non-current	**–**	142
	409	702

As at 30 June 2026, land use rights with an aggregate carrying amount of approximately RMB3,285,000 (31 December 2025: approximately RMB3,335,000) was pledged to secure bank borrowings of RMB157,311,000 (31 December 2025: RMB174,790,000) (note 20(a)).

The interim condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income shows the following amounts relating to leases:

	Six months ended 30 June 2026	Six months ended 30 June 2025
	RMB'000	*RMB'000*
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Depreciation charge of right-of-use assets		
– Land use rights	**867**	867
– Buildings	**267**	267
	1,134	1,134
Interest expenses *(note 9)*	**14**	27
Expenses relating to leases of low-value assets	**5**	10
	19	37

The total cash payment for leases during the period was approximately RMB312,000.

14 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	(Unaudited)							
	Buildings	Decoration	Electronic equipment	Furniture and fixture	Vehicles	Books	Construction in progress	Total
	RMB'000	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*
As at 1 January 2026								
Cost	1,365,550	36,080	53,021	118,168	2,783	10,032	26,915	1,612,549
Accumulated depreciation	(177,311)	(32,029)	(40,277)	(86,721)	(2,437)	(10,020)	–	(348,795)
Net book amount	1,188,239	4,051	12,744	31,447	346	12	26,915	1,263,754
Six months ended 30 June 2026								
Opening net book amount as at 1 January 2026	1,188,239	4,051	12,744	31,447	346	12	26,915	1,263,754
Additions	–	–	5,598	176	236	–	67,402	73,412
Transfers	4,022	–	–	–	–	–	(4,022)	–
Disposals	–	–	(4)	(10)	–	–	–	(14)
Depreciation charge	(15,983)	(991)	(2,685)	(5,132)	(286)	(7)	–	(25,084)
Closing net book amount	1,176,278	3,060	15,653	26,481	296	5	90,295	1,312,068
As at 30 June 2026								
Cost	1,369,572	36,080	58,611	118,063	3,019	10,032	90,295	1,685,672
Accumulated depreciation	(193,294)	(33,020)	(42,958)	(91,582)	(2,723)	(10,027)	–	(373,604)
Net book amount	1,176,278	3,060	15,653	26,481	296	5	90,295	1,312,068

	(Unaudited)							
	Buildings	Decoration	Electronic equipment	Furniture and fixture	Vehicles	Books	Construction in progress	Total
	RMB'000	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*
As at 1 January 2025								
Cost	1,301,684	36,080	51,895	109,985	3,102	10,032	23,890	1,536,668
Accumulated depreciation	(147,533)	(29,748)	(35,071)	(75,448)	(2,723)	(9,896)	–	(300,419)
Net book amount	1,154,151	6,332	16,824	34,537	379	136	23,890	1,236,249
Six months ended 30 June 2025								
Opening net book amount as at 1 January 2025	1,154,151	6,332	16,824	34,537	379	136	23,890	1,236,249
Additions	–	–	1,259	163	–	–	23,428	24,850
Disposals	–	–	–	(1)	–	–	–	(1)
Depreciation charge	(14,745)	(1,181)	(2,781)	(5,658)	(66)	(75)	–	(24,506)
Closing net book amount	1,139,406	5,151	15,302	29,041	313	61	47,318	1,236,592
As at 30 June 2025								
Cost	1,301,370	36,082	53,154	110,144	3,102	10,033	47,318	1,561,203
Accumulated depreciation	(161,964)	(30,931)	(37,852)	(81,103)	(2,789)	(9,972)	–	(324,611)
Net book amount	1,139,406	5,151	15,302	29,041	313	61	47,318	1,236,592

(a) Construction-in-progress mainly comprises buildings under construction in the PRC.

(b) During the six months ended 30 June 2026, the Group capitalised interest on borrowings is RMB184,000 (2025: RMB2,901,000) on qualifying assets (note 9).

(c) As at 30 June 2026, construction in progress and buildings with an aggregate carrying amount of approximately RMB191,791,000 (31 December 2025: approximately RMB194,535,000) was pledged to secure bank borrowings of RMB157,311,000 (31 December 2025: RMB174,790,000) (note 20(a)).

15 INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	Computer software *RMB'000* (Unaudited)
As at 1 January 2026	
Cost	**13,018**
Accumulated amortisation	**(7,121)**
Net book amount	**5,897**
Six months ended 30 June 2026	
Opening net book amount as at 1 January 2026	**5,897**
Additions	**1,726**
Disposal	**–**
Amortisation charge	**(800)**
Closing net book amount as at 30 June 2026	**6,823**
As at 30 June 2026	
Cost	**14,744**
Accumulated amortisation	**(7,921)**
Net book amount	**6,823**

	Computer software *RMB'000* (Unaudited)
As at 1 January 2025	
Cost	9,124
Accumulated amortisation	(6,189)
Net book amount	2,935
Six months ended 30 June 2025	
Opening net book amount as at 1 January 2025	2,935
Additions	166
Disposal	(126)
Amortisation charge	(443)
Closing net book amount as at 30 June 2025	2,532
As at 30 June 2025	
Cost	9,115
Accumulated amortisation	(6,583)
Net book amount	2,532

16 FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

	As at 30 June 2026 *RMB'000* **(Unaudited)**	As at 31 December 2025 *RMB'000* (Audited)
Current		
Investment in money market funds		
Cost	**7,028**	7,028
Gain on changes in fair value	**53**	160
	7,081	7,188

17 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	As at 30 June 2026 *RMB'000* **(Unaudited)**	As at 31 December 2025 *RMB'000* (Audited)
Trade receivables		
– Due from students	**1,260**	1,191
– Due from others	**572**	137
	1,832	1,328
Other receivables		
– Deposit	**2,142**	2,142
– Others	**7,049**	5,917
	9,191	8,059
	11,023	9,387

As at 30 June 2026 and 31 December 2025, the aging analysis of the trade receivables based on the recognition date is as follows:

	As at 30 June 2026 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	As at 31 December 2025 RMB'000 (Audited)
Less than 1 year	**1,832**	1,328

As at 30 June 2026 and 31 December 2025, trade receivables of RMB1,832,000 and RMB1,328,000 were past due but not impaired. These primarily relate to a number of independent students, and based on past experience and management's assessment, the overdue amounts can be recovered.

18 PREPAYMENTS

	As at 30 June 2026 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	As at 31 December 2025 RMB'000 (Audited)
Prepayments for student related and other expenses	**13,736**	2,787
Prepayments for purchases of property, plant and equipment	**227**	456
Less: non-current portion of prepayments	**(227)**	(456)
	13,736	2,787

19 ACCRUALS AND OTHER PAYABLES

	As at 30 June 2026 RMB'000 (Unaudited)	As at 31 December 2025 RMB'000 (Audited)
Payables for purchases of property, plant and equipment	**40,515**	49,133
Other taxes payable	**14,063**	12,864
Accrued expenses	**4,549**	3,992
Government subsidies payable to students *(note (a))*	**3,476**	3,164
Salary and welfare payables	**377**	10,352
Miscellaneous fees received from students *(note (b))*	**158**	5,145
Others	**10,020**	9,360
	73,158	94,010

(a) The amounts represent the subsidies received from the government which would be paid out to students by the Group on behalf of the government authorities.

(b) The amounts represent the miscellaneous fees received from students which would be paid out by the Group on behalf of the students.

(c) As at 30 June 2026 and 31 December 2025, the fair values of accruals and other payables approximate their carrying amounts due to their short-term maturities.

20 BORROWINGS

	As at 30 June 2026 *RMB'000* (Unaudited)	As at 31 December 2025 *RMB'000* (Audited)
Current:		
– Secured current portion of long-term bank borrowings *(note (a))*	**34,958**	65,000
– Secured short-term bank borrowings *(note (b))*	**20,000**	5,000
	54,958	70,000
Non-current:		
– Secured long-term bank borrowings *(note (a))*	**122,353**	109,790
Total borrowings	**177,311**	179,790

(a) As at 30 June 2026, long-term bank borrowings of RMB157,311,000 (31 December 2025: RMB174,790,000) were obtained in the PRC and secured by the pledge of the Group's land use rights with a net book value of approximately RMB3,285,000 (31 December 2025: RMB3,335,000) (note 13), construction in progress and buildings included in property, plant and equipment with an aggregate amount of approximately RMB191,791,000 (31 December 2025: RMB194,535,000) (note 14(c)) and corporate guarantees from the Company and Chengdu Yinxing Education Management Co., Ltd. ("**Yinxing Education**").

(b) The Group's Short-term bank borrowings as at 30 June 2026 totalling RMB20,000,000 (31 December 2025: RMB5,000,000) were obtained in the PRC and secured by corporate guarantees from the Company and Yinxing Education.

(c) The weighted average effective interest rates (per annum) were as follows:

	As at 30 June 2026 *RMB'000* (Unaudited)	As at 31 December 2025 *RMB'000* (Audited)
Bank borrowings	**2.62%**	3.05%

(d) The maturity date of the borrowing was analysed as follows:

	As at 30 June 2026 *RMB'000* **(Unaudited)**	As at 31 December 2025 *RMB'000* (Audited)
Less than 1 year	**54,958**	70,000
Between 1 and 2 years	**34,958**	89,693
Between 2 and 5 years	**87,395**	20,097
	177,311	179,790

(e) The carrying amounts of the borrowings were denominated in RMB.

(f) The carrying amount of current borrowings approximated their fair values due to their short-term maturities, and non-current borrowings approximated their fair values as the interest payable on those borrowings is close to current market rates.

21 COMMITMENTS

(a) Capital commitments

As at 30 June 2026 and 31 December 2025, the details of the capital expenditure contracted but not provided for in the consolidated financial information is as follows:

	As at 30 June 2026 *RMB'000* **(Unaudited)**	As at 31 December 2025 *RMB'000* (Audited)
Property, plant and equipment	**3,244**	67,579

(b) Non-cancellable operating leases

The Group leases certain offices under non-cancellable operating lease agreements. The Group has future aggregate minimum lease payments in respect of offices under non-cancellable low value operating leases as follows:

	As at 30 June 2026 *RMB'000* **(Unaudited)**	As at 31 December 2025 *RMB'000* (Audited)
No later than 1 year	**5**	10
Later than 1 year and no later than 5 years	**–**	–
Total	**5**	10

22 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Parties are considered to be related if one party has the ability, directly or indirectly, to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the other party in making financial and operating decisions. Parties are also considered to be related if they are subject to common control, common significant influence or joint control.

The owners, members of key management and their close family members of the Group are also considered as related parties. In the opinion of the directors, the related party transactions were carried out in normal course of business and at terms negotiated between the Group and the respective related parties.

(a) Names and relationships with related parties

The following companies are related parties of the Group that had balances and/or transactions with the Group during the period.

Name of related parties	Relationship with the Group
Chengdu Gingko Jin'ge Catering Corporation (成都銀杏金閣餐飲股份有限公司)	A company controlled by the Controlling Shareholder
Chengdu Gingko Catering Management Co., Ltd. (成都銀杏餐飲管理有限公司)	A company controlled by the Controlling Shareholder
Chengdu Gingko Hotel Management Co., Ltd. (成都銀杏酒店管理有限公司)	A company controlled by the Controlling Shareholder

(i) The entities shown above do not have official English names and their Chinese names have been translated into English, for reference only, by the directors on a best effort basis.

(b) Transactions with related parties

Other than those related party transactions as disclosed in elsewhere in these consolidated financial statements, during the period, the Group had the following significant transactions with related parties.

	Six months ended 30 June 2026	Six months ended 30 June 2025
	RMB'000	*RMB'000*
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Purchases of goods and services		
– Chengdu Gingko Catering Management Co., Ltd. (成都銀杏餐飲管理有限公司)	**274**	104
– Chengdu Gingko Jin'ge Catering Corporation (成都銀杏金閣餐飲股份有限公司)	**206**	158
– Chengdu Gingko Hotel Management Co., Ltd. (成都銀杏酒店管理有限公司)	**150**	5
	630	267

(c) Key management compensation

Key management compensation for the period, other than those relating to the emoluments of directors, are set out below:

	Six months ended 30 June 2026	Six months ended 30 June 2025
	RMB'000	*RMB'000*
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Wages, salaries and bonuses	**1,037**	1,090
Contributions to pension plans	**110**	81
Welfare, medical and other expenses	**190**	139
	1,337	1,310

23 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

At 30 June 2026, the Group had no material contingent liabilities (31 December 2025: nil).

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Business Overview

Overview

The Group is a higher education and vocational training service provider in Sichuan Province of the PRC, dedicated to offering comprehensive and diversified programmes and curricula to students, with the aim of nurturing talents with practical skills applicable in the modern service industry.

For the 2025/2026 school year, student enrollment of Yinxing College continued to grow, reaching approximately 22,564 (2024/2025: 20,745) students, representing an increase of 8.8%. The effectiveness of the practical curricula and training programmes is reflected in its high graduate employment rates. For the 2025/2026 school year, 6,068 students were graduated from Yinxing College in June 2026, with a graduate employment rate of 86.0%.

Market demand for talent with practical experience and readily applicable skills continues to grow, presenting significant potential within China's hospitality industry. As a dedicated higher education service provider, the Group is well-positioned to capture these opportunities. Leveraging deep market research and educational insights, we proactively adapt to the artificial intelligence ("AI") era by continuously refining our future-oriented curricula. This ensures our students are equipped with the competitive, practical skills required by a rapidly evolving market. Furthermore, our active cooperation with sizable enterprises secures valuable internships and employment opportunities for our students, driving strong graduate outcomes and reinforcing our market leadership.

The Schools

The one college and one vocational training school the Group operates are Yinxing College and Yibin Yinxing Catering Management Co., Ltd (宜賓市銀杏餐飲職業培訓學校有限公司) ("**Yinxing Catering Training School**"). Yinxing College has eight departments and offers in aggregate 33 bachelor's degree programmes and 24 junior college diploma programmes.

The number of students enrolled in Yinxing College increased as a result of its growing reputation, increased marketing efforts, as well as improved planning over enrollment.

* *For identification purpose only*

The Group derives the revenue primarily from tuition fees and boarding fees. The tuition fees and boarding fees are recognised proportionately over the terms of the applicable programme or the beneficial period for the students, where applicable. The following table sets forth the breakdown of the revenue by income source for the periods indicated:

	Total income for the six months ended 30 June			
	2026	2025	Increase/ (Decrease)	Increase/ (Decrease)
	RMB'000	*RMB'000*	*RMB'000*	*(%)*
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)		
Tuition fees [1]	**200,200**	183,587	16,613	9.1
Boarding fees	**15,748**	14,558	1,190	8.2
Meal catering services fees	**917**	1,182	(265)	(22.4)
Revenue from hotel operation	**2,100**	1,639	461	28.1
Others	**6,648**	7,449	(801)	(10.8)
Total	**225,613**	208,415	17,198	8.3%

Note:

(1) The number of students includes the number of (i) students who were admitted to four-year undergraduate programs by taking the National Higher Education Entrance Examination, (ii) students who were admitted after graduating from junior colleges and continue their study at our College as third-year undergraduate students, and (iii) students who were admitted after graduating from secondary vocational schools.

(2) Others mainly represent revenue from hotel accommodation, research projects and training programs.

(3) We began to phase out our junior college program and shifted our focus entirely to our undergraduate program and stopped adding new student classes for our junior college program. Starting in the 2026/2027 school year, we did not have any stu-dents enrolled in our junior college program.

Outlook

Given the Group's track record of delivering quality private higher education and industry reputation, the Group remains full of confidence about its future. The Group is committed to becoming the leader and a standard developer of talent cultivation in the hospitality management industry in the PRC, thus continues to pursue the following strategies:

- Further increase market penetration and enhance teaching quality to solidify its market position and gradually establish itself as a standard developer of talent cultivation in the PRC hospitality management industry;

- Actively establish overseas schools and strengthen international cooperation with overseas educational institutions and enterprises;

- Continue to attract, incentivise and retain quality teachers; and

- Capitalise on the existing brand name of Yinxing College and Yinxing Catering Training School to further develop training programmes to diversify its source of income.

Construction of New Campus

During the Reporting Period, the Group continued the construction works for the Phase II expansion of the Nanxi Campus (the "Expansion Project"). The Expansion Project mainly encompasses the construction of a multi-functional gymnasium and three new student dormitories (Buildings No. 16, 17, and 29).

The construction of the multi-functional gymnasium was completed and put into use in September 2025, while the three new student dormitories involve a total planned investment of approximately RMB87.0 million. The Expansion Project was financed by the Group's internal resources and/or bank borrowings.

Financial Review

Revenue

Revenue represents the value of services rendered during the Reporting Period. The Group derives revenue primarily from tuition fees, boarding fees and meal catering services fees collects from students by Yinxing College.

The Group's revenue for the Reporting Period amounted to approximately RMB225.6 million (Previous Period: approximately RMB208.4 million), representing an increase of approximately 8.3%. Such increase was primarily due to the fact that: (i) tuition fees during the Reporting Period amounted to approximately RMB200.2 million (Previous Period: RMB183.6 million), representing an increase of approximately 9.1%; and (ii) boarding fees during the Reporting Period amounted to approximately RMB15.7 million (Previous Period: RMB14.6 million), representing an increase of approximately 8.2%. The increment was attributable to the increase of student admission for the 2025/2026 school year and increase in average tuition fees and boarding fees.

Cost of Sales

Cost of sales consists primarily of teaching staff costs, depreciation and amortization, cost of cooperative education, utilities and other costs. The Group's cost of sales for the Reporting Period amounted to approximately RMB108.8 million (Previous Period: approximately RMB82.6 million), representing an increase of approximately 31.7%.

Gross Profit and Gross Profit Margin

The Group's gross profit for the Reporting Period amounted to RMB116.8 million (Previous Period: RMB125.8 million), representing an decrease of approximately 7.2%. The Group's gross profit margin during the Reporting Period was approximately 51.8% (Previous Period: approximately 60.4%). The decrease was primarily attributed to the increased expenses incurred in preparation for the upcoming qualification evaluation. Specifically, the Group allocated additional resources toward (i) constructing and maintaining campus buildings and teaching facilities; and (ii) organising student activities and providing teacher training. The combined effect of these factors led to the overall decrease in the gross profit margin.

Selling Expenses

The Group's selling expenses primarily consist of expenses related to relevant publicity of our College, including student recruitment activities and promotional and advertising expenses. During the Reporting Period, the Group's selling expenses amounted to approximately RMB0.3 million (Previous Period: approximately RMB0.8 million).

Administrative Expenses

The Group's administrative expenses primarily consist of employee benefit expenses, property management fee, office expenses, depreciation and amortisation, professional and business consultancy fees and certain other administrative expenses. During the Reporting Period, the Group's administrative expenses amounted to approximately RMB23.0 million (Previous Period: approximately RMB24.1 million).

Other Income

Other income and gains consist primarily of government grants and interest income. The Group's other income during the Reporting Period amounted to approximately RMB3.1 million (Previous Period: approximately RMB1.5 million).

Other losses – net

During the Reporting Period, the Group's net other losses were approximately RMB0.1 million (Previous Period: approximately 0.4 million), such decrease was primarily attributed to a decrease in foreign exchange losses for the Reporting Period.

Finance Expenses – net

During the Reporting Period, the Group's net finance expenses amounted to approximately RMB1.8 million (Previous Period: approximately RMB1.4 million). While the Group's total borrowings decreased during the Report Period, the increase in net finance expenses was primarily driven by significant reduction in interest expenses capitalised in qualifying asset.

Income Tax Expenses

The Group's income tax expenses for the Reporting Period amounted to approximately RMB0.9 million (Previous Period: approximately RMB0.3 million).

Profit for the Period

As a result of the foregoing, the Group's profit decreased by approximately 6.5% to approximately RMB93.8 million for the Reporting Period (Previous Period: approximately RMB100.3 million).

Financial Resources Review

Liquidity, Financial Resources and Capital Structure

As at 30 June 2026, the Group's cash and deposits amounted to approximately RMB38.4 million (31 December 2025: approximately RMB243.5 million), representing a decrease of approximately 84.2%.

Net cash used in operating activities were approximately RMB116.6 million for the Reporting Period (Previous Period: approximately RMB79.6 million). Net cash used in investing activities were approximately RMB43.1 million for the Reporting Period (Previous Period: approximately RMB60.1 million). Net cash used in financing activities were approximately RMB5.1 million for the Reporting Period (Previous Period: approximately RMB6.6 million).

As at 30 June 2026, the Group's borrowings amounted to approximately RMB177.3 million (31 December 2025: approximately RMB179.8 million). As at 30 June 2026, the Group's borrowings of approximately RMB55.0 million (31 December 2025: approximately RMB70.0 million) would mature within 1 year, approximately RMB35.0 million (31 December 2025: approximately RMB89.7 million) would mature between 1 and 2 years, approximately RMB87.3 million (31 December 2025: approximately RMB20.1 million) would mature between 2 and 5 years and none (31 December 2025: none) would mature over 5 years. The Group's borrowings were denominated in RMB and carried at fixed interest rates as at 30 June 2026.

The Group's objectives when managing capital are to safeguard the Group's ability to continue as a going concern in order to provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders and to maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital. In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Group may adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders, return capital to shareholders, issue new shares or sell assets to reduce debt.

The Group monitors capital on the basis of the gearing ratio. This ratio is calculated as net debt divided by total equity. Net debt is calculated as total debt less cash and deposits. As at 30 June 2026, the Group's gearing ratio was 11.6% (31 December 2025: N/A, due to a net cash position).

As at 30 June 2026, the Group had net current liabilities of approximately RMB62.4 million (31 December 2025: RMB120.8 million), the decrease is attributed to the combined effect of the decrease in short-term borrowings and the decrease of cash and deposits as well as the recognition of revenue during the Reporting Period in respect of the contract liabilities received from students last year.

Significant investment, material acquisition and disposal of subsidiaries and associated companies

There was no significant investment, material acquisition and disposal of subsidiaries and associated companies during the Reporting Period.

Future Plan for Material Investments and Capital Assets

Save as disclosed herein, the Group did not have other plans for material investments and capital assets during the Reporting Period and up to the date of this announcement.

Capital Commitments

As at 30 June 2026, the Group had contracted but not provided for capital commitments of approximately RMB3.2 million, which were primarily relating to the Expansion Project (31 December 2025: approximately RMB67.6 million for property, plant and equipment).

Currency Exposure and Management

The majority of the Group's revenue and expenditures are denominated in RMB. As at 30 June 2026, certain bank balances were denominated in RMB, United States dollars ("**USD**") and Hong Kong dollars ("**HKD**"). The Group is exposed to foreign exchange risk with respect mainly to USD and HKD which may affect the Group's performance. The Group currently does not have any foreign currency hedging policies. The management is aware of the possible exchange risk exposure due to the continuing exchange rate fluctuation of USD and HKD against RMB and will continue to monitor its impact on the performance of the Group and consider adopting prudent measures as appropriate.

Contingent Liabilities

As at 30 June 2026, the Group had no material contingent liabilities (31 December 2025: nil).

Pledge of Assets

As at 30 June 2026, RMB191.8 million of construction in progress and buildings, RMB3.3 million of land use rights and right over the tuition fees and boarding fees had been pledged as security to secure the bank borrowings of RMB177.3 million.

Employees and Remuneration Policy

As at 30 June 2026, the Group had 1,155 employees (31 December 2025: 1,139 employees). Remuneration of the Group's employees includes basic salaries, allowances, bonus and other employee benefits, and is determined with reference to their experience, qualifications and general market conditions. The emolument policy for the employees of the Group is set up by the Board on the basis of their merit, qualification and competence. As required by the PRC laws and regulations, the Group participates in various employee social security plans for the employees that are administered by local governments, including, among other things, housing provident fund, pension, medical insurance, social insurance and unemployment insurance. The Board believes that the Group is maintaining a favourable working relationship with its employees, and it has experienced no major labour disputes during the Reporting Period.

OTHER INFORMATION

Interim Dividend

At the meeting of the Board held on 28 August 2026, the Board has resolved not to pay any interim dividend for the six months ended 30 June 2026.

Corporate Governance

The Company is committed to maintaining high standard of corporate governance to safeguard the interests of the shareholders of the Company and to enhance corporate value and responsibility. The Board comprises four executive Directors and three independent nonexecutive Directors. The Board has adopted the code provisions of the Corporate Governance Code ("**CG Code**") set out in Appendix 14 to the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange (the "**Listing Rules**"). For the Reporting Period, the Company has complied with all of the mandatory disclosure requirements and code provisions as set out in the section headed "Part 2 – Principles of good corporate governance, code provisions and recommended best practices" of the CG Code, save and except for the deviation to paragraph C.2.1 of the CG Code below.

Paragraph C.2.1 of the CG Code stipulates that the roles of chairman (the "**Chairman**") and chief executive officer (the "**CEO**") should be separate and should not be performed by the same individual (the "**Requirement**"). The Chairman and CEO are held by Mr. Fang Gongyu who has extensive experience in the industry. The Board believes that Mr. Fang can provide the Company with strong and consistent leadership and allows for effective and efficient planning and implementation of business decisions and strategies. The Board also considered that the structure of vesting the roles of chairman and chief executive officer in the same person will not impair the balance of power and authority between the Board and the management of the Company. The Board shall review this structure from time to time to ensure appropriate and timely action to meet changing circumstances.

Purchase, Sale and Redemption of Shares

Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries had purchased, sold or redeemed any of the Company's securities listed on the Stock Exchange during the Reporting Period.

Events after the Reporting Period

Save as disclosed in this announcement, there was no other significant subsequent event relevant to the business or financial performance of the Group that has come to the attention of the Directors since 30 June 2026 and up to the date of this announcement.

Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors

The Company has adopted the Model Code for Securities Transactions by Directors of Listed Issuers (the "**Model Code**") as set out in Appendix C3 (formerly Appendix 10) to the Listing Rules as its own code of conduct governing the securities transactions by the Directors. Following a specific enquiry made by the Company on each of the Directors, all Directors have confirmed that they had complied with the Model Code for the Reporting Period.

Public Float

To the best of the Directors' knowledge, information and belief, having made all reasonable enquiries, the Company had maintained sufficient public float as required under the Listing Rules for the Reporting Period.

Audit Committee

As at the date of this announcement, the audit committee of the Company (the "**Audit Committee**") consists of Mr. Wong Chi Keung, Mr. Jiang Qian and Mr. Yuan Jun, who are independent non-executive Directors. The chairman of the Audit Committee is Mr. Wong Chi Keung. The unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial information for the Reporting Period of the Company have been reviewed by the Audit Committee.

Appreciation

The chairman of the Group would like to take this opportunity to thank his fellow Directors for their invaluable advice and guidance, and to each and every one of the staff of the Group for their hard work and loyalty to the Group.

Publication of Interim Financial Results and Interim Report

This interim results announcement is published on the websites of the Stock Exchange (http://www.hkexnews.hk) and the Company (http://www.chinagingkoedu.com). The interim report of the Company for the Reporting Period containing all the information required by the Listing Rules will be despatched to shareholders of the Company and made available for review on the same websites in due course.

By order of the Board
China Gingko Education Group Company Limited
Fang Gongyu
Chairman

Hong Kong, 28 August 2026

As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises four executive Directors, namely Mr. Fang Gongyu, Mr. Tian Tao, Ms. Zeng Qin and Ms. Li Jingjing, and three independent non-executive Directors, namely Mr. Wong Chi Keung, Mr. Jiang Qian and Mr. Yuan Jun.