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To: Principals of HKDSE Participating Schools

Dear Principal,

Teachers' Conferences on HKDSE School-based Assessment (SBA)

I am writing to share with you the arrangements of teachers' conferences on School-based Assessment (SBA) for the 14 subjects in the Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education Examination (HKDSE). In light of the outbreak of COVID-19 and unavailability of venues, face-to-face conferences will be organised for five subjects; while for the other subjects, PowerPoint presentations (most of which supplemented with voice over) will be available for teachers to download within a specified period in lieu of organising faceto-face conferences. The 2020-21 SBA work schedule, submission arrangements, if applicable, and latest updates about the SBA will be provided in the conferences / presentations.

Arrangements for Teachers' Conferences

Subject	Details of the Conference	Participants
Design and Applied Technology	Conducted in June 2020. The presentation materials are available on the HKEAA website (http://www.hkeaa.edu.hk/en/SBA/).	1
Physics and CS(Phy)	Briefing Session on 2020 HKDSE Physics and Combined Science (Physics Part) Examination (New) Date: 7 October 2020 (Wednesday) and 8 October 2020 (Thursday) (identical sessions) Time: 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm Venue: Lecture Theatre, 4/F, West Block, EDB Kowloon Tong Education Service Centre, 19 Suffolk Road, Kowloon Tong	A maximum of One (panel chairperson/subject teacher)
Technology and Living (Fashion, Clothing and Textiles)	Briefing Session on 2020 HKDSE Technology and Living (Fashion, Clothing and Textiles) Examination cum SBA Conference Date: 10 October 2020 (Saturday) Time: 9:30 am - 12:30 pm Venue: Rm 1404, 14/F., Southorn Centre, 130 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong.	Panel chairpersons and subject teachers

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Subject	Details of the Conference	Participants
Health Management and Social Care	Briefing Session cum School-based Assessment Conference on 2020 Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE) Health Management and Social Care Examination (New) Date: 16 October 2020 (Friday) and 20 October 2020 (Tuesday) (identical sessions) Time: 9:30-17:30 Venue: Rm W134, 1/F, West Block, EDB Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre, 19 Suffolk Road, Kowloon Tong	Panel chairpersons and subject teachers
Visual Arts	Seminar on 2021 HKDSE Visual Arts SBA Date: 17 October 2020 (Saturday) Time: 9:30 am – 12:30 pm and 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm	A maximum of <u>Two</u> (panel chairpersons, school coordinators and/or subject teachers)

Enrollment Procedure

For Technology and Living (Fashion, Clothing and Textiles)

A set of admission ticket for your school is enclosed with this letter (Annex 1). No prior registration is necessary. Participants are requested to bring along the completed admission ticket and present it to our staff at the specified session.

For Health Management and Social Care, Physics and Combined Science (Physics part) and Visual Arts Please enroll through the Training Calendar of the Education Bureau (http://tcs.edb.gov.hk) approximately 3 weeks before the conference date:

Subject	Course ID
Health Management and Social Care	CDI020210398
Physics and Combined Science (Physics part)	CDI020201356
Visual Arts	To be confirmed

Arrangements for PowerPoint presentations

PowerPoint presentations will be available for teachers to download within a specified period around October and November, details to be provided in another circular in due course. The subjects involved are as follows:

Biology and CS(Bio)		
Chemistry and CS(Chem)		
Chinese Language		
Chinese Literature		
English Language		
Information and Communication Technology		
Integrated Science		
Liberal Studies		
Literature in English		
Technology and Living (Food Science and Technology)		

I would be grateful if you could bring the attention of your staff concerned to the above arrangements. For enquiries, please contact our SBA Team on 3628 8064 or 3628 8070.

Thank you for your attention.

Yours faithfully,

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