

14 September 2022

To: Principals of HKDSE Participating Schools

Dear Principal,

Professional development programmes for Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education Examination (HKDSE)

I write to inform you about the details of the professional development programmes to be conducted in the coming months, including Briefing Sessions on 2022 HKDSE and Teachers' Conferences on School-based Assessment (SBA). In the Briefing Sessions, teachers would be updated on the requirements of the examinations, marking criteria and candidates' performance in the 2022 examination. For the Teachers' Conferences on SBA, teachers would be provided with the 2022-23 SBA work schedule, submission arrangements and latest updates about the SBA of their subject. The information and feedback would be useful to teachers and students regarding learning, teaching and assessment of the subject concerned.

In light of the COVID-19 pandemic situation, the programmes may take the form of face-to-face meeting, webinar or downloadable PowerPoint presentation (mostly supplemented with a voiceover narration). Details of the programmes to be held in *September* and *October 2022* are provided in the later part of this letter. As regards programmes scheduled for November and December 2022, schools will be informed of the details in due course.

The enrollment arrangements for the programmes in October are as follows:

- For programmes using admission ticket, a set of ticket(s) for your school is enclosed in **Annex 1**. No prior registration is necessary. Participants are requested to bring along the completed ticket and present it to our staff at the specified session.
- For programmes using the Education Bureau Training Calendar (TCS), please enroll through the website http://tcs.edb.gov.hk.

Subject	Programme	Enrollment details / remarks
Economics	Briefing Session on 2022 HKDSE Economics Examination Date : 28 September 2022 (Wednesday) & 6 October 2022 (Thursday) (Identical events) Time : 2:15 pm – 5:15 pm Delivered through webinar, enrolled participants will be informed of the access link via email.	TCS Code: CDI020221606
Liberal Studies	Briefing Session on 2022 HKDSE Liberal Studies Examination Date : 3 October 2022 (Monday) Time : 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm Delivered through webinar, enrolled participants will be informed of the access link via email on or before 30 September 2022.	TCS Code: CDI020230712 Period for enrollment: 6/9/2022 – 23/9/2022

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Physics & CS(Physics)	Briefing Session on 2022 HKDSE Physics and Combined Science (Physics Part) Examination cum SBA Conference Date: 3 October 2022 (Monday) & 17 October 2022 (Monday) (Identical events) Time: 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm Venue: Lecture Theatre, 4/F, West Block, EDB Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre, 19 Suffolk Road, Kowloon Tong	TCS Code: To Be Confirmed
Chinese Language	2022-23 HKDSE Chinese Language SBA Conference (Two identical events, details have been forwarded to schools.)	Two admission tickets per school
Chemistry & CS(Chemistry)	Briefing Session on 2022 HKDSE Chemistry and Combined Science (Chemistry Part) Examination Date: 7 October 2022 (Friday) & 10 October 2022 (Monday) (Identical events) Time: 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm Venue: Lecture Theatre, 4/F, West Block, Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre, 19 Suffolk Road, Kowloon	TCS Code: CDI020230644 Period for enrollment: 7/9/2022 – 30/9/2022
Chemistry & CS(Chemistry)	HKDSE Chemistry and Combined Science (Chemistry Part) SBA Conference (2022/2023) Date: 29 October 2022 (Saturday) Time: 9:00 am – 12:00 pm Venue: School Hall, Cheung Sha Wan Catholic Secondary School, 533 Fuk Wing Street, Sham Shui Po, Kowloon	One admission ticket per school
Visual Arts	2023 HKDSE Visual Arts SBA Conference Date : 22 October 2022 (Saturday) Time : 9:30 am – 12:30 pm or	Two admission tickets per school

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Integrated Science	Briefing Session on 2022 HKDSE Integrated Science Examination Date: 28 October 2022 (Friday) Time: 2:30 pm – 5:30 pm Delivered through webinar, enrolled participants will be informed of the access link via email one	TCS Code: CDI020221671
Technology and Living (Food Science and Technology)	week before the webinar. Briefing Session on 2022 HKDSE Technology and Living (Food Science and Technology) Examination cum SBA Conference Date : 29 October 2022 (Saturday) Time : 9:00 am – 1:00 pm Venue : Rm 1404, 14/F Southorn Centre, 130 Hennessy Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong	Two admission tickets per school

I would be grateful if you could bring the attention of your staff concerned to the above arrangements. For enquiries, please contact Ms Kennis Mak at 3628 8070.

Yours faithfully,

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