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To: Principals of HKDSE Participating Schools

Dear Principal

**Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education Examination 2012
Handbook for Candidates (Erratum)**

Regarding the 2012 HKDSE Handbook for Candidates published in December 2011, an error was found on page 25 of the English version and page 20 of the Chinese version, where the proceedings in the Examination Room for the English Language Paper 4 Speaking examination are outlined.

The erratum is as follows:

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- At the end of the exam, hand in your ~~score sheets~~ to the examiners.

In fact, the score sheets should be given to the examiners *before* they start the examination.

I should be grateful if you could forward the enclosed announcement to the English Language teachers in your school so that they can draw the attention of their students to this amendment. An updated version of the handbook can be downloaded from the HKEAA website at http://www.hkeaa.edu.hk/en/hkdse/Student_s_handbook/.

Thank you for your kind attention.

Yours sincerely



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School teachers are requested to make the following announcement to all S6 students taking the 2012 HKDSE English Language Examination:

An error was found in the 2012 HKDSE Handbook for Candidates (p.25 of the English version; p.20 of the Chinese version) regarding the proceedings in the Examination Room for the English Language Paper 4 Speaking examination.

The 14th bullet point (under Examination Room) should read as follows:

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- At the end of the exam, hand in your ~~score sheets~~ to the examiners.

Please note that candidates should hand their score sheets to each examiner when they enter the examination room.

An amended version of the handbook can also be downloaded from the HKEAA website at http://www.hkeaa.edu.hk/en/hkdse/Student_s_handbook/