NOTES ON CHANGES TO HKDSE ASSESSMENT FRAMEWORKS

The assessment frameworks of the following subjects have been revised for the 2023 HKDSE:

Subject	Highlight of changes
Business, Accounting and Financial Studies	Starting from the 2023 HKDSE, in case where updates in the accounting standards would affect the BAFS curriculum and/or assessment, CDI and HKEAA will take the initiative to inform teachers about the impact of the updates in the accounting standards on the curriculum and/or assessment.
Geography	Paper 1 Replace one of the three modules of fieldwork topics listed for the compulsory fieldwork-based question.
Literature in English	Replace two short stories and one poet (3 poems) in the list of set texts.
Physical Education	Paper 3 Practical examination Allow candidates to apply for exemption (partial or full) from HKDSE PE Paper 3 athletics/swimming practical examination by submitting officially certified results of recognised competitions obtained in a specific period from S4 to S6.

Note: For details, please refer to the assessment frameworks of the above subjects.