

Curriculum Development Council Committee on Applied Learning (2023-25)

Gist of the First Meeting

Date: 16 November 2023
Time: 3:05 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.
Venue: Room W421, 4/F, West Block
Education Bureau Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre
19 Suffolk Road, Kowloon Tong

Gist of meeting:

- Members were briefed on the terms of reference, roles and functions of the Committee, and were reminded to declare their interest, if any, and observe the confidentiality and publicity requirements.
- Mr WONG Kwong-yiu, Ricky was elected as the Chairperson of the Committee for the 2023-25 term of office.
- The notes of the meeting held on 12 July 2023 were confirmed.
- An overview of Applied Learning (ApL) was given. The progress on the development and implementation of ApL was reported and discussed, including ApL Chinese (for non-Chinese speaking students), the 2023 Policy Address, launching of ApL courses (2024-26 cohort; 2026 Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE) Examination), and the promotion of ApL.
- The progress on the course provision cycles of ApL for the cohorts of students sitting the 2026, 2027 and 2028 HKDSE Examinations was reported. The initial proposals for Expression of Interest for the provision of ApL courses for the cohorts of students sitting the 2027, 2028 and 2029 HKDSE Examinations were considered.
- The membership lists of the seven Ad Hoc Committees on ApL were endorsed.
