

CDC News (August 2021)

The 71st CDC Meeting was held on 25 June 2021 (Friday). Salient points of the discussion are summarised as follows:

Reporting from Standing Committees

- **Standing Committee on Values Education**

- The proposed updating of the *Values Education Curriculum Framework (Pilot version)* was reported and discussed.
- Members offered comments on the draft curriculum framework, including the provision of professional support measures and examples of learning and teaching strategies for teachers' implementation.

- **Standing Committee on STEM Education**

- The progress of the development of the *STEM Education Handbook* was reported and discussed.

The updated *Chinese Language and English Language Curriculum and Assessment Guides (Secondary 4 - 6) (2021)* and the *Guidelines on Catering for Learner Diversity and Creating Space in Senior Secondary Mathematics (2021)*

- The updated *Chinese Language Curriculum and Assessment Guide (Secondary 4 - 6) (2021)*, *English Language Curriculum and Assessment Guide (Secondary 4 - 6) (2021)* and the *Guidelines on Catering for Learner Diversity and Creating Space in Senior Secondary Mathematics (2021)* were reported and received.

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- The progress of the *Primary Education Curriculum Guide* was reported.
- The values education resources for kindergartens were reported.
- The promotion of animal protection education in schools was reported and discussed.
- The Membership lists of the CDC-HKEAA Committee on Citizenship and Social Development, the Standing Committee on Values Education and the Standing Committee on STEM Education for 2021-2023 were endorsed.

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