

CDC Committee on English Language Education 2023-2025
Gist of the Sixth Meeting

Date: 11 June 2025 (Wednesday)

Time: 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Venue: W424, 4/F, West Block, Education Bureau Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre,
19 Suffolk Road, Kowloon Tong

1. **To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 25 February 2025**
 - The minutes of the fifth meeting of the CDCC on ELE (2023-2025) were confirmed without any amendments.
2. **Matters arising from the last meeting**
 - There were no matters arising from the last meeting.
3. **To discuss the design of the 2025 HKDSE English Language Examination and Literature in English Examination Papers**
 - Members were briefed on the popularity of questions and the administrative arrangements of the 2025 HKDSE English Language Examination and Literature in English Examination papers.
4. **To report on the selection of set texts for the 2028, 2029 and 2030 HKDSE Literature in English Examinations**
 - Members were briefed on the updates on the selection of set texts for the 2028, 2029 and 2030 HKDSE Literature in English Examinations, including the findings of the consultation survey. The set texts were endorsed by the HKEAA Public Examination Board in late April 2025 for inclusion in the 2028-30 HKDSE Literature in English Assessment Frameworks.
5. **To report on the updating of the *English Language Curriculum Guide (Primary 1-6) (ELCG)***
 - Members were briefed on the major updates of the ELCG, which was released on 10 June 2025, and the measures in support of its implementation.
6. **To report on the Campaign on “Promoting Positive Values and Attitudes through English Sayings of Wisdom 2024/25”**
 - Members were provided with details on the student activity, “SOW in Inspiring” Book Gifting Competition, organised under the SOW Campaign, including the number of participants and the progress of adjudication.
7. **To report on the latest support measures provided to schools**
 - Support measures provided to schools in the 2024/25 school year, including teacher professional development activities on artificial intelligence and self-directed learning,

as well as learning and teaching materials on developing students' listening and viewing skills and the promotion of national education and national security education, were reported.

8. A.O.B.

- The nomination lists for the CDC-HKEAA Committees on English Language and Literature in English (2025-27) were endorsed unanimously by all members present.
- Members were invited to attend the Learning and Teaching Expo 2025 scheduled for 2 to 4 July 2025 to explore the latest development and trends in learning and teaching.
- Members were invited to the Award Presentation Ceremony for SOW Campaign 2024/25 cum Fifth Anniversary Exhibition on 20 September 2025 to recognise students' achievements and celebrate the success of the SOW Campaign. A vote of thanks was extended to members for their continuous support for the SOW Campaign. Special recognition went to Mr Edward CHU, Prof. Benjamin MOORHOUSE, Ms Natalie FONG and Ms Idy LAI, who served as adjudicators of the "SOW in Inspiring" Book Gifting Competition.
- A vote of thanks was extended to all the members for their contribution throughout the past two years.