

CDC Committee on English Language Education 2025-2027  
Gist of the First Meeting

Date: 31 October 2025 (Friday)  
Time: 4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.  
Venue: Rm 1421, 14/F, Wu Chung House  
213 Queen's Road East, Wan Chai

**1. To introduce the terms of reference, roles and functions of the CDC Committee on English Language Education (CDCC on ELE) as well as guidelines to observe**

- The Vice-chairperson welcomed all the members to the first meeting of the CDCC on ELE 2025-2027 and introduced the members.
- The Vice-chairperson explained the terms of reference, roles and functions of the CDCC on ELE as well as issues related to the term of office and eligibility, quorum and decision making of meetings, confidentiality and publicity and declaration of interest at meetings.

**2. To introduce the members and elect the Chairperson for the term of office 2025-2027**

- Mr CHOI Hong-nin was elected Chairperson of the CDCC on ELE 2025-2027.

**3. To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 11 June 2025**

- The minutes of the sixth meeting of the CDCC on ELE (2023-2025) were confirmed without amendments.

**4. Matters arising from the last meeting**

- There were no matters arising from the last meeting.

**5. To report on and discuss the performance of candidates in the 2025 HKDSE English Language and Literature in English examinations and the design of the examination papers**

- Members were briefed on various aspects of candidates' performance in the 2025 HKDSE English Language and Literature in English examinations, including subject results, subject/paper statistics and popularity of questions. No special comments were raised by members.

**6. To introduce the Campaign on “Promoting Positive Values and Attitudes through English Sayings of Wisdom 2025/26”**

- The overarching theme, sub-themes, student activities and competitions, and learning and teaching resources in support of the Campaign on “Promoting Positive Values and Attitudes through English Sayings of Wisdom” (SOW Campaign) in the 2025/26 school year were introduced.

**7. To report on the support measures to be provided to schools in the 2025/26 school year**

- Members were briefed on the initiatives introduced in The Chief Executive’s 2024 and 2025 Policy Addresses relevant to English language education, the learning and teaching resources to be developed, and the professional development programmes to be offered in support of the planning and implementation of the school English Language curriculum in the 2025/26 school year.

**8. A.O.B.**

- The Vice-chairperson encouraged members to support the 2025 Legislative Council General Election on 7 December 2025.
- The second meeting was tentatively scheduled for early March 2026.