

**Gist of Minutes of the Fortieth Meeting of
CDC Committee on Technology Education (2011-2013)**

Date: 13 June 2012 (Wednesday)

Time: 2:30 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.

Venue: Rm W420, 4/F., West Block, Education Bureau Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre, 19 Suffolk Road, Kowloon Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong

- Members were briefed on the schedule of the post examination work of the 2012 HKDSE examination.
- The draft Enriched Technology Education Key Learning Area Curriculum Guide (Enriched TEKLA Curriculum Guide) and the timeframe for collecting schools' view were discussed.
 - Members agreed to the curriculum framework.
 - Concerns were raised on the time allocation issue implementing TEKLA curriculum in schools.
 - Examples on the implementation and arrangement of curriculum contents in schools should be provided
 - Teacher professional programmes should be provided to enhancing teachers' understanding of TE and implementation strategies
 - Members noted that the TEKLA curriculum was enriched with a view to facilitate schools implementing TEKLA curriculum. It was not a revision of the curriculum. Schools should allocate 8% lesson time to support the teaching of TEKLA curriculum and the provision of TE special rooms / workshops was essential for the implementation.
- Members shared views on different promotion strategies for TEKLA.