

**CDC-HKEAA Committee on Mathematics Education (2019-2021)**  
**Gist of the First Meeting**

**Date:** 9 December 2020 (Wednesday)

**Time:** 3:00 p.m. – 5:23 p.m.

**Venue:** Video conferencing

**Points discussed and conclusions arrived:**

1. The minutes of the last meeting were confirmed without amendments.
2. The work related to the updated BC Descriptors for Key Stage 3 Mathematics Curriculum and the Explanatory Notes to Mathematics Curriculum (Key Stage 3) were reported.
3. The candidates' performance in 2020 DSE Mathematics Examinations was reported and discussed.
4. The Cambridge International's vetting report on the 2019 HKDSE Mathematics Compulsory Part and Extended Part examinations was reported.
5. The impact of class suspension on the learning and teaching of Mathematics was discussed.
6. The work related to Task Force's initial recommendations on senior secondary Mathematics since last meeting was reported.
7. The matters related to Task Force's final report were discussed. The way of better utilising the current demarcation between Foundation Topics and Non-foundation Topics of the secondary Mathematics curriculum in learning, teaching and assessment and the follow-up action plan were discussed. Members' initial views on the viability of replacing the existing Extended Part of Mathematics with a separate "Advanced Mathematics" subject (name to be confirmed) in the long run were sought.

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