

**“Enhance Curriculum Leadership, Promote Curriculum Initiatives”  
Education Bureau School-based Support Services (SBSS) (2025/26)**

Professional support services provided by EDB officers

**Secondary Level**

**English Language**

**Learning Community for  
Secondary English Language Teachers:  
Integrating Curriculum Initiatives into the  
Secondary English Language Curriculum**

**#Values Education**

**#Language across the Curriculum**

**#Self-directed Learning**

**Language Learning Support Section**



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# About the Support Service



## Area of Support

- **Building learning communities** among English Language teachers

## Target of Support

- **Curriculum leaders** (e.g. English panel heads, level coordinators)
- **English Language teachers**

## Objectives of the Support Service

- To enhance **curriculum leadership** and **professional capacity** of the teacher team in participating schools through the **train-the-trainer approach**
- To provide a **platform** for curriculum leaders to inquire into topics of common interest, both collectively and individually, **share school-based experiences** and **resources**, and **network** with other like-minded professionals

## Foci of Support

- To integrate **various curriculum initiatives** (e.g. *Language/Reading across the Curriculum* (including in the context of supporting STEM/STEAM education), *values education/national security education, self-directed learning, Life Planning Education*) into the school English Language curriculum
- To enhance teachers' capacity to **cater for students' diverse learning needs** and foster their **whole-person development** through equipping their self-directed learning capabilities

# Support Activities

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## Theme-based workshops

- Thematic talks and discussion
- Activities and school case sharing



## Inter-school networking activities

- Inter-school collaborative lesson planning
- Inter-school lesson observation
- Inter-school visits
- Experience sharing

## Face-to-face/online meetings

- 1-2 meetings with language support officers (e.g. consultation, collaborative lesson planning)



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<https://cd1.edb.hkedcity.net/cd/languagesupport/services.html>

# Highlights of the Support Service

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Values Education/  
National Security  
Education

Language/Reading  
across the Curriculum  
*(including in the context of  
supporting STEM/STEAM  
Education)*

**Curriculum  
Initiatives**

Self-directed  
Learning

Life Planning  
Education/  
Life-wide Learning

# Learning Journey for LC Members

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**Gradual evolution of a sharing culture**

**Explore**

- **Thematic talks**
- **Sharing** of school experiences
- **Group discussion**

**Transform**

- **Reviewing & improving** the school's existing practices
- **Planning strategically** on integrating the curriculum initiatives into the school English Language curriculum

**Commit**

- **Implementing** the curriculum projects
- **Opening lessons**
- Arranging **inter-school visits**

**Leverage**

- **Sustaining good practices** by forming **LCs** at own school
- Nurturing potential **curriculum leaders** and **successors**

**Sustaining leadership development**

# Voices from Former LC Members

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**Mr LING Pui-ho, Chris**

CCC Kei San Secondary School

*‘Learning Community is inspirational. It is professional and also informative. I’m always looking forward to taking part in meetings because it really brings me lots of ideas.’*

*‘Listening to the sharing of other schools gave us inspiration on how English Language learning can be made more fun and rewarding for students.’*



**Ms MAK Tsui-ying, Grace**

St. Joseph's Anglo-Chinese School

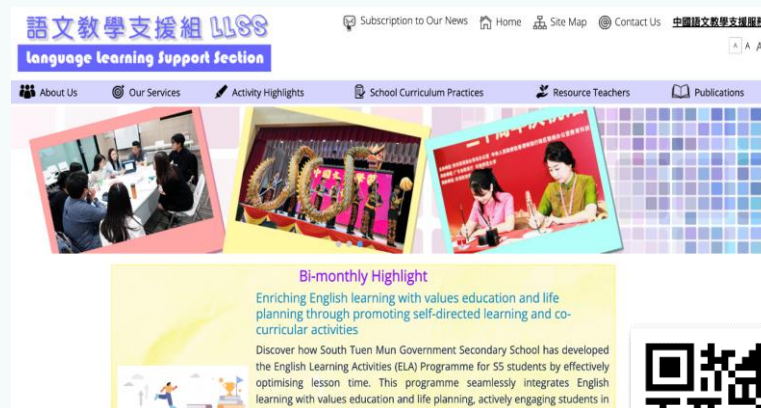


Scan the QR code for an overview of all the support services provided by Language Learning Support Section (LLSS).



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If you would like to know more about LLSS, please visit our website or contact us.



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# Points to Note on Application

- The support service normally lasts for one year.
- Schools may apply for **a maximum of two SBSS**. To promote curriculum initiatives, schools may additionally apply for “recommended services” items, including (i) “Mainland–Hong Kong Teachers Exchange and Collaboration Programme”, (ii) support services for kindergartens/schools admitting NCS children/students, and (iii) “Learning Community for Primary School Master/Mistress (Curriculum Development) [PSM(CD)]: Promoting Curriculum Initiatives and Developing Curriculum Leadership”. Please refer to Education Bureau Circular Memorandum No. 7/2025 or scan the following QR code to browse the SBSS website for details and the latest information of the support programmes.



School-based Support Services  
<http://www.edb.gov.hk/sbss>

- Interested schools may apply for “**Learning Community for Secondary English Language Teachers: Integrating Curriculum Initiatives into the Secondary English Language Curriculum**” (Online Application Code: **L16**) through the Online Application System (OAS) for SBSS via the Common Log-on System (CLO) (<http://clo.edb.gov.hk/>) **from 8 April to 30 April 2025**.

# Points to Note on Application

- For enquiries regarding the application:

Enquiry	CLO	OAS for SBSS
Contact section/unit	CLO Helpdesk	School-based Professional Support Section
Contact person	CLO Helpdesk	Mr Sam LAI
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- Results of the allocation will be announced on **13 June 2025**.



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