

School-based Curriculum Development (Primary) Section

Learning Community for Primary School General Studies Teacher Leaders (2023/24)

Service Code for Online Applications – P10

1. Support Service Coordinator

School-based Curriculum Development (Primary) Section, Curriculum Support Division, Education Bureau (EDB)

2. Area of Support

General Studies in primary schools

3. Foci of Support Services

- Promoting experience sharing among participating schools — schools would share the implementation and arrangements of the General Studies curriculum to promote inter-school sharing
- Enhancing the understanding of the General Studies curriculum to improve the organisation and implementation of the curriculum
- Exploring “learning-teaching-assessment” in General Studies
- Deepening the understanding of related curriculum initiatives (e.g. STEAM education, values education, coding education, e-Learning) to enrich teachers’ experience and confidence in implementing the General Studies curriculum
- To foster professional exchange between the Mainland expert teachers and Hong Kong teachers through interactive workshops

4. Target Members

Each school could nominate two General Studies panel heads

5. Modes of Sharing and Collaboration

Two types of meetings:

- meetings among members to share the experience of implementing the General Studies curriculum (e.g. STEAM education, values education, coding education, scientific investigations and e-Learning) and meetings with Mainland expert teachers to have professional dialogues on learning and teaching

- Cross-school collaborative lesson planning group meetings to explore a particular theme and facilitate learning through peer lesson observations among the participating schools in the learning community

6. Expectations on Participating Schools

To make good use of the support services, participating schools are expected to:

- provide administrative support in releasing participating teachers to attend all meetings throughout the year
- share experience and resources with teachers from other schools such as work plans, learning and teaching materials, and students' work (The copyright of these materials will be co-owned by the EDB and the schools concerned. The EDB reserves the right to compile and refine the materials before disseminating them for educational purposes)
- observe strictly their legal obligations and, in all cases, comply with the Copyright Ordinance in developing the learning and teaching materials

7. Points to Note

- The duration of support services normally lasts for one year.
- To learn more about the work of the Section, please visit the following website:
<https://www.edb.gov.hk/sbss/sbcdp>

8. Enquiries

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