

Assessment for Learning

- Internal Assessment (i.e. sample papers not available)
- PDP(s) on Public Assessment to be organised by HKEAA
- Duration 3 hrs
- 100% attendance (15 minutes tolerance)
- Coursework



Part 1 Roles of Assessment in BAFS Curriculum



Scenario



Mid-term exam



3 students were late by 1 hour



They reported that the bus they were taking had a flat tire on the highway



They asked the teacher to let them seat for the exam again a few days later



The teacher thought for a while and agreed

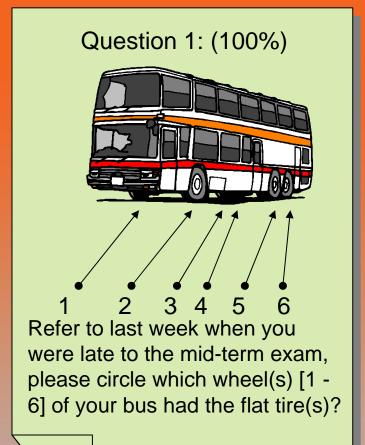


A Few Days Later



Student A







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Why do we need assessment?



Why do we assess our students?







Administrative Needs







PISA 2006





Roles of Assessment in BAFS

Learning & Teaching

learning & teaching activities

Internal

Assessment

assessment method

Curriculum

intended learning outcomes

Public

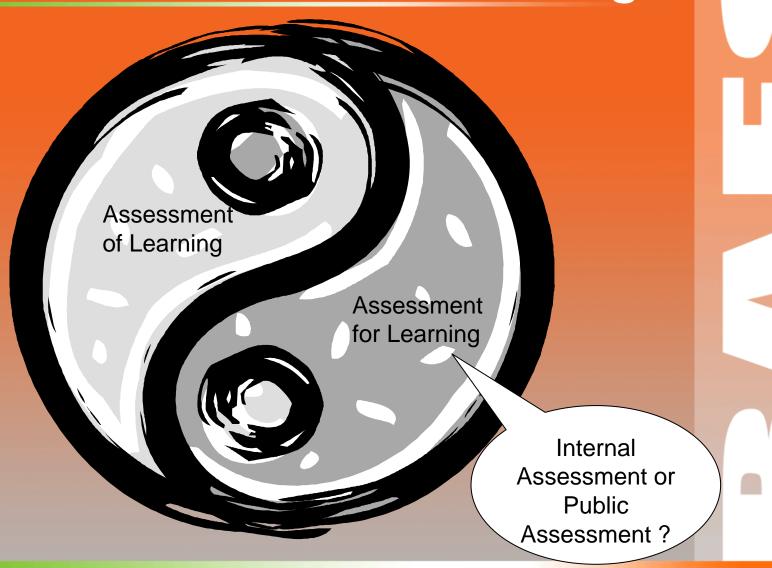


Constructive Alignments – John Biggs (1999)

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Assessment of Learning vs Assessment for Learning



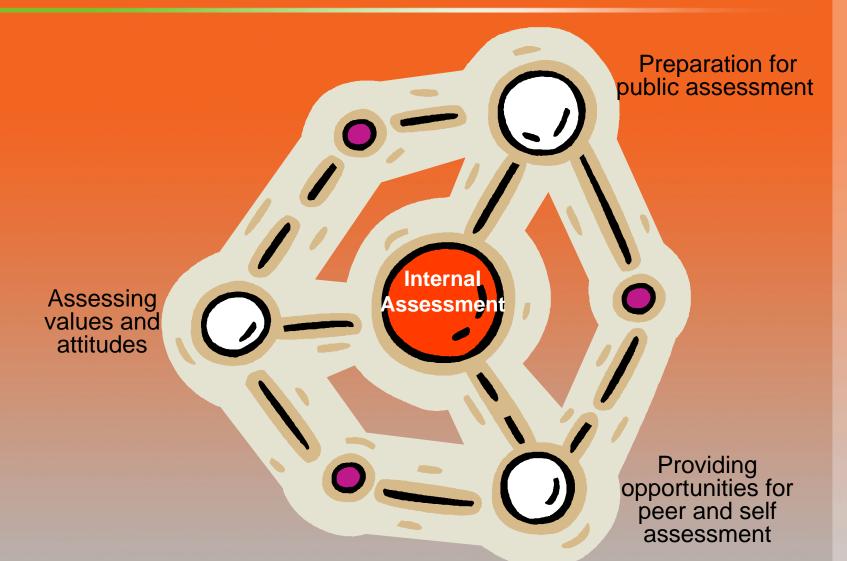


Internal Assessment





To enhance learning through Internal Assessment





Preparation for Public Assessment



Public Exam

Paper 1:

Compulsory Part

Weighting (? %)

Duration (?)

24%, 32%,

34% or 44%

1:15, 1:30, 1:45

or 2:00 hrs

Public Exam

Paper 2:

Elective Part

Weighting (? %)

Duration (?)

51%, 55%,

56% or

63%

1:45, 2:00, 2:15

or 2:30 hrs



10%, 15%, 20% or 30%



Remember the amendment of HKCE Commerce Exam papers in 2004?



Areas need Improvements

- Questions dealing with discussions
- Fail to demonstrate awareness of the background knowledge
- Uncertain about the questions and failed to apply their knowledge to the answers
- Unable to communicate factual knowledge clearly



Assessing Values and Attitudes

Public Assessment

Values & Attitudes

Internal Assessment

Knowledge & Understanding Skills Values & Attitudes Understanding

Skills



Providing opportunities for peer and self-assessment

Sharing assessment criteria with learners

Providing effective feedback to learners

Key Factors that improve Learning through Assessment Feedback to teacher with assessment results

Promoting learners' selfesteem and motivation Enabling learners to self-assess and improve

Unpacking the Vision Curriculum, Pedagogy and Assessment for the 21st Century – Maurice Galton (2006)

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Guiding Principles for BAFS Internal Assessment Strategies

Alignment with the **learning** objectives



Catering for the range of student ability



Tracking progress over time



Timely and encouraging feedback



Making reference to the school's context



Making reference to current progress in student learning



Feedback from peers and from the students themselves



Appropriate use of assessment information to provide feedback





However, some of the suggested internal assessment tools require effective strategies to assess their open-ended outcomes?



Open-ended Solution



In the morning, he takes elevator from 13th floor to the ground



A person lives on 13th floor



In the evening, he goes straight home after work



He walks up one floor to get home



But he often gets out the elevator at 12th instead of 13th floor in the evening







Part 2 Effective Internal Assessment to Enhance Student Learning



Tools for Internal Assessment

Essays

Open book tests

Case studies

Group discussion





Fieldwork

Portfolio

Projects

Oral presentation



End of Part 1