## **Apply Online**

**Course ID** ECP020150075

Course Title In-service Professional Development Programme: 5-day Course for

Secondary School Teachers on Teaching Science Education Key Learning

Area in the English Medium

Organising Division

**Education Commission and Planning Division** 

**First Issue** 

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Time

Events(s)

Event (ID)	Date	No. of Event Days	Venue	Speaker(s) / Facilitator (s)	Max. no. of participants
AA	2016/01/11 (Mon) - 2016/01/15 (Fri)	5.0	The main campus of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University in Hung Hom, Kowloon	Course Coordinator - Mr John Polias	20
AB	2016/05/23 (Mon) - 2016/05/27 (Fri)	5.0	The main campus of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University in Hung Hom, Kowloon	Course Coordinator - Mr John Polias	20
AC	2016/11/28 (Mon) - 2016/12/02 (Fri)	5.0	The main campus of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University in Hung Hom, Kowloon	Course Coordinator - Mr John Polias	20

Event	vent Closing date for		Remark
(ID)	Applicant	Recommending / Approving	
		Officer	
			This is a Government-funded course commissioned to The Hong Kong Polytechnic University comprising 30 contact

AA	2015/12/14	2015/12/16	hours of taught sessions on 5 consecutive weekdays and 5 hours of post-course support inclusive of advising on curriculum materials/plans developed by participants and observing a lesson conducted by the participant. For arrangement of daily-rated supply teachers for school teachers released to take this course, please refer to EDBCM No. 130/2008.
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Participant Group

Finance Type: GOVERNMENT, AIDED, CAPUT AND DIRECT

SUBSIDY SCHEME Level: SECONDARY

		: MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION ORDINATORS, DEPUTY HEADS, SCHOOL HEAD		
Objective(s)	The course aims to help participants to (a) be familiar with the English language patterns in science (e.g. writing procedures, making hypotheses, defining, describing, explaining, etc.); (b) understand how to develop students' technical scientific vocabulary; (c) understand how to develop students' understanding of how to express causality and uncertainty, and how to organize their texts so the scientific meanings are clear; (d) develop competency in refining their teaching pedagogy and resources after trials in the workshops; and (e) observe, discuss and share good examples of teaching science using English, including addressing learner diversity.			
Programme Description	The course is designed to improve the teaching and learning of Science in English through understanding the patterns of the English language in science.			
Language Medium	English			
CPD	CPD Mode:	Structured Learning		
Elements for <b>Principal</b>	CPD Hours:	35.0 Hour(s)		
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CPD	CPD Mode:	Structured Learning		
Elements for <b>Teacher</b>	CPD Hours:	35.0 Hour(s)		
Toucher	CPD Domain:	I. Teaching & Learning		
Content Area	Medium of Instruction			
Attendance required for successful completion	· 80 % Training & development data will be revealed in Teacher's Personal Profile in e-Services Portal upon successful completion.			
Enrolment	Enrolment Method:	Web enrolment		
	Requiring School Priority:	Yes		
	Maximum No. of Event(s) selectable:	3		
	First-Come, First-Served:	Yes		
Evaluation	Paper evaluation			
Enquiry	Contact Person (s):	Ms Chrissie Simons (PolyU) / Ms C. Tsoi (EDB)		

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## Remarks

- 1) To be considered completing the course, participants are required to have attended at least 80% of the taught sessions and complete the postcourse support;
- (2) The aim of the course is to enhance the competency of Science Education KLA teachers who have met the "teacher capability" criterion for teaching in the English medium. As this course is meant to be an indepth programme catering for the needs of Science Education KLA, priority for admission will be given to teachers who have experience in teaching Science Education KLA in the English medium;
- (3) In case of over-subscription, at most two teachers from each school may be considered for admission according to the priority set by the Principal;
- (4) Successful applicants will be notified by mail by PolyU not later than 14 calendar days before the commencement of the class; and
- (5) Special Arrangements for Bad Weather
- a. Course / Activity for morning session will be cancelled when Typhoon Signal No.8 or above is hoisted or Black Rainstorm Warning Signal is issued at or after 6:30 am.
- b. Course / Activity for afternoon session will be resumed when Typhoon Signal No.8 or above or Black Rainstorm Warning Signal is cancelled at or before 11:30 am. Otherwise, Course / Activity for afternoon session will continue to be cancelled.
- c. Participants will be notified for further arrangement in due course.

Note: The basic requirement for "teacher capability" is Grade C or above in English Language (Syllabus B) of the Hong Kong Certificate of Education Examination (HKCEE) (or Level 3 or above in English Language of the HKCEE 2007 and thereafter), or other equivalent qualifications. For details, please log on to the following link: http://www.edb.gov.hk/en/edu-system/primary-secondary/applicable-tosecondary/moi/support-and-resources-for-moi-policy/index-1.html#Q16.

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**Attachment** Nomination Form for teachers who have NOT yet created an e-Services Portal Account (SCI).pdf

**Modification** 2016/02/12 11:13 **Highlights** 

Attachments