

Course ID	ECP020150078					
Course Title	Establishing and Supporting a Learning Circle for Secondary Schools Using English as the Medium of Instruction for the Key Learning Area of Science Education					
Organising Division	Education Commission and Planning Division					
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Events(s)	Event (ID)	Date	No. of Event Days	Venue	Speaker(s) / Facilitator (s)	Max. no. of participants
	AA	2016/04/06 (Wed) - 2016/04/08 (Fri)	3.0	The main campus of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University in Hung Hom, Kowloon	Course Coordinator - Mr John Polias	30
	Event (ID)	Closing date for		Remark		
		Applicant	Recommending / Approving Officer			
	AA	2016/03/07	2016/03/08	This is a Government-funded project commissioned to The Hong Kong Polytechnic University. The Science Learning Circle activities will include 3-day workshops on teaching and learning in Science; on-site school-based support in curriculum development, lesson planning and lesson observation and sharing sessions on teaching pedagogy.		
Participant Group	Finance Type: GOVERNMENT , AIDED , CAPUT AND DIRECT SUBSIDY SCHEME					
	Level: SECONDARY					
	Subject/Function: MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION					

Participant: ALL	
Objective(s)	The Learning Circle should achieve the following objectives: (1) Enhancing the teaching pedagogy and skills of Science teachers with the collaboration between the English language and Science teachers within their own schools; (2) Supporting teachers to develop the paradigm and skills required for continuous professional development to meet the changing needs of students which include, among others, equipping teachers with the knowledge and skills in conducting assessment for, at and of learning to feedback on teaching and learning; (3) Mobilising and networking the participant schools for building professional sharing and support within and across schools.
Programme Description	(1) The Science Learning Circle will consist of a maximum of 30 teachers from a maximum of 6 schools; (2) Each participant school should send at least two but no more than five teachers to join the Learning Circle, and the composition of these teachers from each school must be made up of at least one Science Education teacher and one English Language Education teacher; (3) Activities of the Learning Circle will include workshops on 3 consecutive days, at least 2 and a half days of school-based support and 2 full-day dissemination workshops within the network.
Language Medium	English
CPD Elements for Principal	CPD Mode: Structured Learning CPD Hours: 45.0 Hour(s) Core Areas of Leadership: II. Learning, Teaching & Curriculum
CPD Elements for Teacher	CPD Mode: Structured Learning CPD Hours: 45.0 Hour(s) 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: Non-web enrolment Number of Nominees from Each School/Unit: 5 Requiring School Priority: Yes

	Maximum No. of Event(s) selectable: 1
	First-Come, First-Served: Yes
	Submission of Nomination Form: Nomination form_ScLC.pdf
Evaluation	Paper evaluation
Enquiry	<p>Contact Person (s): Ms Chrissie Simons (PolyU) / Ms R Lau (EDB)</p> <p>Enquiry Telephone No: 2766 2066 (PolyU) / 2892 6625 (EDB)</p> <p>Email Address: lacpd.programme@polyu.edu.hk (PolyU) / eorp4@edb.gov.hk (EDB)</p>
Remarks	<p>(1) Please use the attached Nomination Form for application;</p> <p>(2) Participation is on a school basis. Schools applying for the course must nominate at least two and no more than five teachers to join the class;</p> <p>(3) In sending teachers to attend the course, the school</p> <p>(a) must nominate at least one teacher teaching English Language and another teaching in the Science Education KLA. All teachers nominated must have met the "teacher capability" criterion for teaching non-language subjects in the English medium and have prior experience in teaching in the English medium;</p> <p>(b) must be committed to completing the post-course support (about 2 and a half days) which forms part of the programme;</p> <p>(4) Successful applicants will normally be notified by mail not later than 14 calendar days before the commencement of the class; and</p> <p>(5) Special Arrangements for Bad Weather</p> <p>(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.</p> <p>(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.</p> <p>(c) Participants will be notified of further arrangement in due course.</p> <p>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 other recognised qualifications. For details, please log on to the following link:</p>

<http://www.edb.gov.hk/en/edu-system/primary-secondary/applicable-to-secondary/moi/support-and-resources-for-moi-policy/index-1.html#Q16>.

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