



Strategic Implementation of SBA in HKDSE

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- ❖ SBA will be implemented in 12 subjects in 2012
- ❖ Simplified SBA designs in initial years
- ❖ For the 12 deferral subjects, the curriculum remains intact and schools will be expected to conduct the SBA activities as an integral part of learning and internal assessment process as recommended in the curriculum and assessment guides



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	Chinese Lang, English Lang, Liberal Studies, Chinese History, Design & Applied Technology, History, Information & Communication Technology, Visual Arts	Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Science	Chinese Literature, Economics, Ethics & Religious Studies, Geography, Health Management & Social Care, Technology & Living, Tourism & Hospitality Studies, Literature in Eng, Physical Education	Music	Business, Accounting & Financial Studies
2012	Implementation	Part implementation (laboratory work)	Deferred implementation	Deferred implementation	Deferred implementation
2013	Implementation	Part implementation (laboratory work)	Deferred implementation	Deferred implementation	Deferred implementation
2014	Implementation	Implementation	Implementation	School trial	School trial
2015	Implementation	Implementation	Implementation	Implementation	School trial
2016	Implementation	Implementation	Implementation	Implementation	Implementation



No time-line for the implementation of SBA in Mathematics,
to be reviewed in the school year 2012/13.



SBA Development Schedule

- ❖ Draft materials disseminated and briefing sessions on public exam and SBA for all subjects conducted from Oct 08 to Jan 09
- ❖ Requirements finalized and SBA handbooks published in early 09 (including trial versions for the 12 deferral subjects)
- ❖ Professional development courses on SBA offered in coming years
- ❖ Ongoing development of SBA exemplars and resource materials for reference of teachers





How can EDB/HKEAA help to ensure smooth implementation

- ❖ Suggested assessment activities integral to the learning of the subject and curriculum time allocated to conduct the related assessment activities
- ❖ Provide specific guidance on how to conduct the assessments and the assessment records to be completed/kept
- ❖ Specify the minimum assessments to be completed in S5 and S6 (e.g. for English Language, one assessment to be completed; and for LS, stage 1 of IES to be completed by end of S5)
- ❖ Stagger the deadlines for the submission of SBA marks across subjects at end of S5 and S6
- ❖ Details would be elaborated in the briefing sessions and the SBA handbooks





How can schools plan for SBA Implementation

- ❖ Conduct SBA as an integral part of teaching and learning and not treat it as an “add-on”
- ❖ Set up school’s own assessment plan, specify the no of assessment activities to be conducted for individual subjects
- ❖ Coordinate the conduct of the SBA across subjects so that students’ work will not be concentrated into one or two critical months
- ❖ Incorporate SBA as a part of schools’ internal assessment program and replace some of the current assessment activities, e.g. assignments, tests etc





Proposed SBA Mark Submission Coordination across subjects in 2012 HKDSE and HKALE (Draft as of Oct 08)

1. 2011 (S5 for HKDSE and S6 for HKALE)

HKDSE						HKALE	
Mid May	Early June	Mid June	Late June	Early July	Mid July	Late June	Early July
LS – Stage 1	DAT ICT	Biology Chemistry Physics Combined Science	Chi Lang Integrated Science	History Visual Arts	Chi History Eng Lang	Chemistry	Chinese Lang & Culture Chi Lit

2. 2012 (S6 for HKDSE and S7 for HKALE)

HKDSE								HKALE		
	Mid Oct	Mid Jan	Early Feb	Mid Feb	Late Feb	Early Mar	Late Mar	Early Mar	Mid Mar	Late Mar
	LS – Stage 2	LS – Stage 3	History DAT Visual Arts	Physics Chemistry Biology Combined Science	ICT Chi History Integrated Science	Chi Lang	Eng Lang	LS Electronics Computer Applications Computer Studies	Physics Chemistry Biology GPA	Visual Arts Chi Lang & Culture Chi Lit

