

Pearson Longman

Professional Development & Solutions Programmes

for Secondary Schools

Teachers' FAQs & Pearson's Suggested Programmes

FAQ
1

How can our school **boost students' performance in the HKDSE?**

Suggested programmes

- Effective Teaching of Various Text Types
- Coping with the Demands of the HKDSE: From Reading to Writing
- Using Drama in the Senior High English Classroom

FAQ
2

Students differ so much in their needs and abilities.
What can we do to **cater for their diversity?**

Suggested programmes

- Catering for Learner Diversity with Differentiated Instruction
- The Appreciation & Teaching of Classic Language Arts materials for able students

FAQ
3

Our school would like to **promote better learning of English across the school.**
How can we achieve this?

Suggested programmes

- Preparing students for the Hong Kong Schools Speech Festival
- Promoting Reading across the Curriculum: From Newspaper Reading to Extensive Reading
- Organising co- and extra-curricular activities in English
- Student Cultural Ambassador Project

If you would like more choices, we can customise workshops for you.
Please contact our Education Solutions Officers for details.

Programmes Features

Services

- Professional development workshops*
- Curriculum planning & consultancy:
 1. Co-planning & materials design support
 2. Lesson observation & conferencing

* The courses listed are indicative only. Pearson's professional academic consultants are happy to discuss the course details with individual schools to suit their specific needs and concerns.

Target participants

- Individual schools or schools under the same sponsoring body

Duration

All programmes are flexible in duration and adjustable according to school needs, budget and schedule.

- Workshops: 2–6 hours per course
- Co-planning, lesson observation and consultancy services: Ranging from several hours to 1–2 years

Academic Consultant

Mrs Lilian Leung-Downey is an accomplished teacher-educator with over 30 years of experience in ELT, including teacher training, curriculum development, school management and consultancy. Since she joined Pearson, she has been developing and conducting many professional development programmes and school-based consultancy support services for the primary and secondary schools (under the EEGS and Refined EES funding projects) in Hong Kong and also in Macau, Mainland China and Canada.



Experience in Teacher Education (Over 20 years)

- Teaching methodology and language skills courses at:
 - Northcote College of Education
 - The University of Hong Kong
 - Open University of Hong Kong
 - The Hong Kong Institute of Education
- Providing curriculum development and teaching support at the Hong Kong Education Bureau
- Conducting workshops, lectures and consultancy services across Great China for schools adopting Pearson Longman's English learning resources

Experience in Frontline Teaching (Over 15 years)

- English panel chairperson of a local secondary school, and international school and a special school in Hong Kong
- Teacher of English Language and English Literature in Hong Kong
- Teacher of English to Chinese immigrants in Canada
- Teacher of Chinese as a Foreign Language to mainstream adults and teenagers in Canada

Qualifications

- MEd English Language Teaching, University of Hong Kong
- BPhil in Education (English Language Teaching), University of Exeter, UK
- Cert for Lecturers and Inspectors on Kindergarten Education, Education Department, HK
- Cert of Special Education: Teaching English to Slow Learners, Grantham College of Education
- Advanced Cert of Teacher Education: English Teaching (ACTE), Sir Robert Black College of Education

To learn more about our programmes including fee information, please contact our Education Solutions Officers or Ms Angela Lang on (852) 3181 0429.