

# Important Message to 2019-20 Students on the Core Curriculum

In 2019-20, the new Core Curriculum structure will be fully launched at the Year 1 and Year 2 levels. It is vital that students pay careful attention to the appropriate common core (CCC) courses they should take. Course substitutions are in place for phased-out CCC courses.

## First Year Students

### Assigned Common Core pattern

To be taken in 2019-20

To be taken in 2020-21

### \*\*Common Core Sequence\*\*

| 2019-20 | 2020-21 |
|---------|---------|
| CCC8011 | CCC8013 |
| CCC8012 | CCC8014 |

Students will be assigned to take the designated Year 1 Common Core courses **CCC8011** and **CCC8012** in 2019-20, and be assigned to take the other designated Year 2 courses **CCC8013** and **CCC8014** in 2020-21.

Throughout their four-year studies, students are required to take **5 cluster courses** with one from each cluster. Students can opt to take maximum of two additional cluster courses as free electives.

| Credits                           |  | Common Core 共同核心   | Credits   |
|-----------------------------------|--|--|-----------|
| <b>NEW</b>                        |  |  |           |
| 3                                 |  | <b>CCC8011</b> Critical Thinking: Analysis and Argumentation<br>慎思明辨：分析與論證 | 3         |
| 3                                 |  | <b>CCC8012</b> The Making of Hong Kong 香港社會                                | 3         |
| 3                                 |  | <b>CCC8013</b> The Process of Science 科學的過程                                | 3         |
| 3                                 |  | <b>CCC8014</b> China in World History 世界史中的中國                              | 3         |
| <b>OLD Phased-out CCC courses</b> |  |  |           |
|                                   |  | <b>CCC8003</b> Understanding Morality 認識道德                                 |           |
|                                   |  | <b>CCC8004</b> World History and Civilisations 世界歷史與文明                     |           |
| Credits                           |  | Five Clusters 五個課程組別   | Credits   |
| 3                                 |  | <b>CLA</b> Creativity and Innovation 創造與創新                                 | 3         |
| 3                                 |  | <b>CLB</b> Humanities and the Arts 人文與藝術                                   | 3         |
| 3                                 |  | <b>CLC</b> Management and Society 管理與社會                                    | 3         |
| 3                                 |  | <b>CLD</b> Science, Technology, Mathematics and Society<br>數理、科技與社會        | 3         |
| 3                                 |  | <b>CLE</b> Values, Cultures and Societies 價值、文化與社會                         | 3         |
| 6                                 |  | Max 2 cluster courses as free electives (optional)                         |           |
| <b>27-33</b>                      |  | <b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>   | <b>27</b> |

Students can change CCC tutorial/section of the same term through the online course registration system.

| Current Students Registration | New Students Registration                     | All Students Add/Drop Period |
|-------------------------------|---|------------------------------|
| <b>30 Jul – 1 Aug</b>         | <b>15 Aug / 19 Aug</b><br>Non-Year 1 / Year 1 | <b>29 Aug – 7 Sep</b>        |

## Senior Year Students

### Assigned Common Core pattern

Exempted

**2019-20**  
CCC8013  
CCC8014

Senior year students designated as Year 3 will be assigned to take Common Core courses **CCC8013** and **CCC8014** in 2019-20.

5 cluster courses exempted

## Second Year Students

Assigned Common Core pattern

**2019-20**  
CCC8013  
CCC8014

## Current Students still require CCC courses

CCC8001 is substituted by CCC8011  
CCC8003 is substituted by CCC8013  
CCC8004 is substituted by CCC8014

For details about the Core Curriculum, please visit the website of CCGEO.

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