



CHRISTIAN ALLIANCE
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
宣道國際學校

Locally Developed Courses Policy

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Rationale

Alberta Accredited International Schools may with approval from Alberta Education, offer locally developed courses (LDC) to meet the learning needs of Hong Kong students and to reflect the Christian nature of CAIS.

Principles

Locally developed courses may be used to:

- Accommodate student needs and interests
- Encourage and support innovative learning and teaching practices
- Address unique community priorities
- Engage students who may be at risk of leaving school early
- Promote successful transitions to further education by exposing students to advanced subject matter and learning environments

Process

The Senior Leadership Team survey High School students and parents to identify student/community needs in the range of subjects offered at CAIS. Introduction of new courses will depend upon student numbers, staffing availability and financial feasibility.