

Important Message on the Core Curriculum for Students of 2020-21

In 2019-20, the new Core Curriculum structure has been fully launched. It is vital that students pay careful attention to the appropriate common core (CCC) courses they should take during their course of studies. Course substitutions are in place for phased-out CCC courses.

First Year Students

Assigned Common Core pattern

To be taken in the first year

To be taken in the second year

Common Core Sequence

1 st Year	2 nd Year
CCC8011	CCC8013
CCC8012	CCC8014

Students will be assigned to take the designated Year 1 Common Core courses **CCC8011** and **CCC8012** in the first year, and be assigned to take the other designated Year 2 courses **CCC8013** and **CCC8014** in the second year.

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

Credits Common Core 共同核心 Credits

Four CCC courses	
3	CCC8011 Critical Thinking: Analysis and Argumentation 慎思明辨：分析與論證
3	CCC8012 The Making of Hong Kong 香港社會
3	CCC8013 The Process of Science 科學的過程
3	CCC8014 China in World History 世界史中的中國

Five Clusters 五個課程組別

3	CLA Creativity and Innovation 創造與創新	3
3	CLB Humanities and the Arts 人文與藝術	3
3	CLC Management and Society 管理與社會	3
3	CLD Science, Technology, Mathematics and Society 數理、科技與社會	3
3	CLE Values, Cultures and Societies 價值、文化與社會	3
6	Max 2 cluster courses as free electives (optional)	

27-33

TOTAL CREDITS

27



IMPORTANT DATES

New Students Registration

26 Aug / 27 Aug

Non-Year 1 / Year 1

All students add/drop period

3 – 14 Sep

Senior Year Students (Year 3)

Assigned Common Core pattern

Exempted by block credit transfer

Admitted Yr

CCC8013
CCC8014

Senior year students designated as Year 3 will be assigned to take Common Core courses **CCC8013** and **CCC8014** in their first admitted year.

5 cluster courses exempted by block credit transfer

New Students

Admitted as Year 2

Block credit transfer is not applicable. All Core Curriculum requirements apply unless with course-by-course credit transfer. Two CCC courses will be assigned as appropriate.

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

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