

English Alliance 2017/18

Annex I

1.	Name of Programme:	English in Action (Code: ESU01S)
2.	Name of Programme Partner:	<p>The English-Speaking Union (Hong Kong) Limited (ESU) of the Commonwealth was established in London in 1918. The Branch in Hong Kong was formed in 1999 as an independent, non-profit making organisation whose mission is to promote local and international friendship and cooperation by providing unique opportunities for the wider use of the English language.</p> <p>In 2006/07, 2008/09, 2009/10 and 2010/11, ESU successfully ran the “Persuasive English: Debating Workshop” programme for English Festival and English Alliance of SCOLAR. In 2013/14, 2015/16 and 2016/17, ESU successfully ran the programmes “Listening, Reading and Understanding” and “Reading Programme” for secondary school students under the English Alliance Project.</p>
3.	Programme Aims and Expected Outcomes:	By the end of the programme, participants will have enjoyed a variety of pleasurable and interesting English language experiences and such experiences should assist them to improve their confidence and develop a further appreciation of English as well as the ability to make use of the language in different contexts.
4.	Programme Content:	During the 4-hour programme (2 sessions x 2 hours each), participants will have the opportunity to extend their listening, pronunciation and speaking skills in English. They will also be introduced to storytelling and vocal techniques and ways in which it is possible to successfully communicate thoughts, actions and feelings to others in different contexts.
5.	No. of Sessions:	2 sessions x 2 hours each

6.	Participant:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Student participants: 35 (min.) – 40 (max.) S4 – S5 students per school ● Teacher participant(s): 1 (min.) – 2 (max.) English Language teacher(s) per school ● <u>Teacher’s role:</u> To observe the learning process of their participating students, and supervise and support their learning. ● Student and teacher participants are required to attend all sessions. ● The same student and teacher participants are expected to attend the 2 sessions. ● Each class will accommodate one participating school only. 		
7.	Programme Dates and Time:	Class	Date	Time
		Class 01 – Class 10	Any two weekdays between 1 November 2017 – 31 May 2018 (excluding public holidays)	16:00 – 18:00
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Each participating school will be allocated to ONE class only. ● The dates of classes will be arranged with successful applicants. 		
8.	Programme Venues:	Participating schools		
9.	How to Apply:	Complete and fax the Application Form (Annex II) to Language Education and SCOLAR Section		
10.	Remarks:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Lots will be drawn in case of over-enrolment. ● School will be informed of the application result directly by Programme Partner. 		