Part 2: Programme development

The self-study questionnaire—Part 2: Programme development

Part 2 of the self-study questionnaire asks the school to evidence an aspect of the programme that the school has developed during the period under review. The school shares the planning, implementation, analysis and reflection on the programme development efforts undertaken.

Use of this template is not required but is encouraged. Schools may modify this template or develop their own templates, including the aspects of the process, detailed in the *Guide to programme evaluation*.

Focus of programme development

What question does the school want to answer? What challenge is the school facing? What goal does the school want to achieve?

Rationale

Briefly summarize the reasons the school selected this focus for programme development.

	Planning		Reflection	
	Guiding questions and prompts	School response	Guiding questions and prompts	School response
		Completed at the start of the programme development planning		Completed at the conclusion of the programme development activities
IB practices	Identify one or two practices to answer each question. Select practices from at least two categories of the PSP framework.		Indicate if there were any changes to the practices selected and explain why different practices were selected.	
	What practice or practices need to be in place for this development to be successful?			
	What practice or practices identify the people who are responsible for the work? For example, teachers, leadership, students?			

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	 What practice or practices show how the work will be done? That is, what actions will be taken? What practice or practices indicate why the school is undertaking the work? That is, what is the reason for this focus? 		
Impact	What will change for students? (Identify the target: all students or subsets of students.)		
Data and evidence	How will you learn what the impact of the work is? (What data or evidence will be gathered?)	How did you learn what the impact of the work was? What data or evidence did you gather?	
(Optional) Research and/or shared practice	What examples or research will inform the approach or activities? What examples shared from other schools might inform the school's approach or activities? How might research (published or unpublished) inform the school's approach or activities?	What examples or research informed the approach or activities?	

Implementation and analysis		Reflection on implementation and analysis		
	Guiding questions and prompts	School response	Guiding questions and prompts	School response
		Completed at the start of the programme development planning process)		(Completed at the conclusion of the programme development effort)
Activities	What activities will lead to the outcome? (Who will do what? By when?)		What were the major activities undertaken to achieve the outcome?	
Analysis of data or evidence			What did the data or evidence show was the impact on students?	
Examples of impact			Attach 1–3 examples that show the impact on students. (documents, photographs, short audio or video files)	

Understanding and application			
Summary	What did the school learn from engaging in this programme development effort? What factors led to this effort having, or not having, an impact?		
Further or future considerations	What was learned from this analysis that can be applied to further development of this area or to developing other areas of the IB programme in the school?		
Priorities for programme development	What areas of the programme will the school now prioritize for development? Why?		

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Conclusions of the self-study process

We agree that this questionnaire, whether signed electronically or not, and supporting documents will be understood by the IB Organization to have been read and endorsed by the head of school, without a signed hard copy being necessary.

Name and title of head of school	
Signature	Date
Name of head of section where the IB programme is implemented ((if different from head of school).
Add rows as needed.	
Signature	Date
Name of IB Primary Years Programme coordinator	
Signature	Date
Name of IB Middle Years Programme coordinator	
Signature	Date

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Name of IB Career-related Programme coordinator		
Signature	Date	
Name of IB Diploma Programme coordinator		
Signature	Date	