



Association of IB World Schools

LANGUAGE A: The New Curriculum

Dear DP Coordinators:

You and your staff are invited to attend a two-day workshop by Dr. Hannah C. Tyson on, "Language A: The New Curriculum," scheduled for **March 19-20, 2012**. Dr. Tyson is a senior examiner for English, and has been both Chief Examiner and Deputy Chief Examiner for English A1. She is currently Chief Examiner for Literature and Performance, as well as the faculty member for English A1 and Language A Literature on the Online Curriculum Center. She is also the initiator and editor for the Annotation Project for Literature in Translation and a workshop leader for both online and face to face workshops in all three of the new options. Dr. Tyson is the author, with Mark Beverley, of the new Oxford Companion to Language A Literature.

The intent of this workshop is to provide information on all three of the potential choices for IB Language A instruction (first examinations in 2013), with clear differentiation of the content and assessment. The three choices include (1) Language A: Literature, (2) Language A: Language and Literature, and (3) Language A: Literature and Performance. The two-day presentation will involve presentation, small group work, and evaluation of sample assessments. The first day will be an in-depth introduction to the 3 options, and the second day will focus on the Literature option.

WHEN: **March 19-20, 2012** Training: 8:00 - 3:00 p.m. School Planning: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

WHERE: Minnesota Department of Education, 1500 Highway 36 W, Roseville, MN 55113, CC-15

BRING: Subject guide;

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Language A: The New Curriculum Registration

Contact Name: _____ Position: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____
School/District: _____

Participants: (Duplicate for additional participants)

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Total Fee: _____ Participants X \$375 = \$ _____

PREPAY, checks only, payable to Minnesota Association of IB World Schools. Send to: Marlys Peters-Melius, 5584 Dunlap Avenue N, Shoreview, MN 55126. **No refunds for cancellations; substitutions are acceptable. Registration deadline is March 12, 2012.**