

Evaluation Report on the Capacity Enhancement Grant 2015-16

In the 2015-16 academic year the Capacity Enhancement Grant enabled the following developments;

- A workshop on Approaches to Teaching and Learning (ATL) conducted by Lance King was organized in August, 2015, with an emphasis of the following ATL skills: Thinking, Communication, Social, Self-Management and Research Skills. In particular, all departments would incorporate these different ATL skills within their DP Unit Planners. Group blocks were also allocated for departments to undertake collaborative planning on the development of an inter-disciplinary approach specifically for:
 - Thinking Skills: critical thinking, synthesis, analysis, evaluation and problem solving;
 - Communication Skills: oral and visual presentation, written expression and academic vocabulary;
 - Social Skills: collaboration and active listening, cultural awareness and peer support (for positive education);
 - Self-Management Skills: perseverance/resilience, reflection and personal challenge (for positive education), time and information management;
 - Research Skills: note taking, source evaluation, referencing, revision, summarising and internet search.

- With the continual use of the Haiku learning platform, which requires an annual subscription fee to be settled by the CEG, teachers are able to develop learning and teaching strategies focusing on the above ATL skills.