

The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

Subject Description Form

Please read the notes at the end of the table carefully before completing the form.

Subject Code	CLC2102P (2019-20 onward) CBS2102P (2018-19 and before)
Subject Title	Creative Writing in Chinese (中文創意寫作)
Credit Value	3
Level	2
Pre-requisite / Co-requisite/ Exclusion	Remarks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ For students entering with HKDSE level 4 or above; or ➤ Students entering with advanced competence level as determined by the entry assessment; or ➤ Students who have completed “Fundamentals of Chinese Communication” or “University Chinese”
Objectives	This subject aims to enhance students’ competence in Chinese creative writing, through the study of selected novels and critical approaches and participation in workshops on writing techniques for different genres.
Intended Learning Outcomes <i>(Note 1)</i>	Upon completion of the subject, students will be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) demonstrate an understanding of the features and the principles for literary creation through the study of novels with different themes; b) compose creative works with literary and artistic techniques and rhetorical style; c) produce creative pieces under the guidance after given ample opportunities to participate in the discussion of writing techniques.
Subject Synopsis/ Indicative Syllabus <i>(Note 2)</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Principles of literary creation 2. Approaches to literary writing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • themes in literature • artistic techniques and rhetorical style • demonstration and practice on literary writing 3. Literary criticism of selected works
Teaching/Learning Methodology	The subject will be conducted in highly interactive seminars and will motivate the students’ active participation by assigning group presentation /discussion in class. In a forum-like format, students are guided to:

<i>(Note 3)</i>	<p>(1) present to the class, their understanding of the novel themes selected for the syllabus for discussions;</p> <p>(2) engage in formal discussion on topics related to the literary creation, and</p> <p>(3) engage in actual literary writing</p>																																
<p>Assessment Methods in Alignment with Intended Learning Outcomes</p> <p><i>(Note 4)</i></p>	<table border="1" data-bbox="523 454 1390 1037"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="523 454 810 656" rowspan="2">Specific assessment methods/tasks</th> <th data-bbox="810 454 962 656" rowspan="2">% weighting</th> <th colspan="3" data-bbox="962 454 1390 589">Intended subject learning outcomes to be assessed (Please tick as appropriate)</th> </tr> <tr> <th data-bbox="962 589 1106 656">a</th> <th data-bbox="1106 589 1257 656">b</th> <th data-bbox="1257 589 1390 656">c</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="523 656 810 790">1. Oral criticism of literary works (in group)</td> <td data-bbox="810 656 962 790">40%</td> <td data-bbox="962 656 1106 790">√</td> <td data-bbox="1106 656 1257 790"></td> <td data-bbox="1257 656 1390 790"></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="523 790 810 880">2. Creative work writing (individual)</td> <td data-bbox="810 790 962 880">50%</td> <td data-bbox="962 790 1106 880">√</td> <td data-bbox="1106 790 1257 880">√</td> <td data-bbox="1257 790 1390 880">√</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="523 880 810 936">3. Class participation</td> <td data-bbox="810 880 962 936">10%</td> <td data-bbox="962 880 1106 936">√</td> <td data-bbox="1106 880 1257 936">√</td> <td data-bbox="1257 880 1390 936">√</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="523 936 810 1037">Total (Continuous Assessments)</td> <td data-bbox="810 936 962 1037">100 %</td> <td data-bbox="962 936 1106 1037"></td> <td data-bbox="1106 936 1257 1037"></td> <td data-bbox="1257 936 1390 1037"></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p data-bbox="523 1055 1482 1261">Explanation of the appropriateness of the assessment methods in assessing the intended learning outcomes: The assessments will focus on students' level of appreciation of literary works and originality in producing creative writing. The criteria for assessment are choice of words, sentential expressions, direction of moves in writing, style and creativity.</p>					Specific assessment methods/tasks	% weighting	Intended subject learning outcomes to be assessed (Please tick as appropriate)			a	b	c	1. Oral criticism of literary works (in group)	40%	√			2. Creative work writing (individual)	50%	√	√	√	3. Class participation	10%	√	√	√	Total (Continuous Assessments)	100 %			
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<p>Reading List and References</p>	<p>科幻小說：</p> <p>1 弗兰克·赫伯特：《沙丘》，江蘇鳳凰文藝出版社，2017年。</p> <p>2 瑪麗·雪萊：《科學怪人》，重慶出版社，2010年。</p> <p>3 艾薩克·阿西莫夫：《我，機器人》，科學普及出版社，1983年。</p> <p>推理小說：</p> <p>1 松本清張：《砂之器》，獨步文化，2006年。</p> <p>2 阿加莎·克里斯提：《東方快車謀殺案》，人民文學出版社，2006年。</p> <p>3 阿加莎·克里斯提：《尼羅河上的慘案》，人民文學出版社，2006年。</p> <p>戰爭小說：</p> <p>1 约瑟夫·海勒：《第二十二條軍規》，譯林出版社，2012年。</p>																																

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Note 1: Intended Learning Outcomes

Intended learning outcomes should state what students should be able to do or attain upon completion of the subject. Subject outcomes are expected to contribute to the attainment of the overall programme outcomes.

Note 2: Subject Synopsis/ Indicative Syllabus

The syllabus should adequately address the intended learning outcomes. At the same time over-crowding of the syllabus should be avoided.

Note 3: Teaching/Learning Methodology

This section should include a brief description of the teaching and learning methods to be employed to facilitate learning, and a justification of how the methods are aligned with the intended learning outcomes of the subject.

Note 4: Assessment Method

This section should include the assessment method(s) to be used and its relative weighting, and indicate which of the subject intended learning outcomes that each method purports to assess. It should also provide a brief explanation of the appropriateness of the assessment methods in assessing the intended learning outcomes.