

IBSCA Heads' and Coordinators' Meeting / AGM  
plus  
DP History Teachers' Meeting  
12<sup>th</sup> March 2010  
Programme Outline

The two events will both be held at St Helen's School.

9:30 Registration, Tea and Coffee

10:00 Welcome

There will then be two different programmes – one for Heads and Coordinators; the other for DP History teachers.

#### Heads and Coordinators

In addition to presentations by IBSCA officers (on the new website, the Regional Conference in Liverpool, etc.) and the AGM, there will be four major sessions:

- Presentation by **Adrian Kearney**. Adrian is the Regional Director for IB in Africa, Europe and the Middle East. His background with the University of Cambridge ESOL unit matches closely to his work in overseeing our region of the IB world. Adrian will introduce himself to IBSCA schools and explain how he sees IBAEM developing.
- Presentation by **Chris Mannix** on the IBCC (the IB Career-related Certificate). The IBCC is currently offered as a closed pilot, but will be open for other schools to apply in a year's time. Chris's session will give IBSCA schools an opportunity to explore the feasibility of this opportunity for widening access to IB courses for them. Chris is the IBCC Manager and curriculum and assessment area leader for the DP Core.
- Presentation by **Phil Burdass** and **Richard Matthews** from Havelock Academy on the *reflect* system that they have developed for implementing the IB Learner Profile across the whole of their secondary school.
- A Job-Alike session where Heads and Coordinators get together with their counterparts in other IBSCA schools.

#### DP History teachers

These sessions will be collaborative, led by experienced teachers, official IB workshop leaders and the Subject Area Manager in Cardiff (Damien Lane). Details are still under discussion, but are likely to include the following:

- An examination of Route 1, compared with Route 2
  - Evaluation of resources for teaching DP History
  - Internal Assessment issues
  - Q&A session with Damien and a workshop leader on general IB History matters
- Other options are still under discussion.

Lunch will be at 13:00 for both events.

The conferences will finish at about 15:15.

During the day, a few commercial organisations will be displaying items that may be of interest to IB schools.