

Meridian Secondary School

# Independent Learning Day

Semester 2, 2025

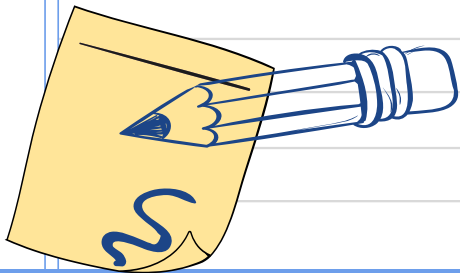
# The Intended Student Outcomes of Blended Learning



To nurture

- self directed and independent learners; and
- passionate and intrinsically motivated learners

Levels		No. of HBL Days in a Year	Percentage Cap of Total Curriculum Time for HBL Days
Secondary	Sec 1, Sec 2 & Sec 3	12-14	Approximately 10%
	Sec 4 & Sec 5 (excluding term 4)	8-9	



# ILD Structure

## Sem 1

### 2025 Term 1

Week	Date	ILD	Remarks
Week 2	Friday 17 Jan	ILD 1	
Week 4	Friday 31 Jan	ILD 2	
Week 6	Friday 14 Feb	ILD 3	
Week 8	Friday 28 Feb	ILD 4	
Week 10	Friday 14 Mar	ILD 5	Last day of Term 1

### 2025 Term 2

Week	Date	ILD	Remarks
Week 2	Friday 4 Apr	ILD 6	Sec 1 PLD Deployment
Week 4	Friday 18 Apr	-	Good Friday
Week 6	Friday 2 May	ILD 7	
Week 8	Friday 16 May	ILD 8	
Week 10	Friday 24 May	nil	Mid-Year PTC (TBC)

## Sem 2

Term/ Week	Date	ILD Sec 1	ILD Sec 2 & Sec 3	ILD Sec 4&5	Remarks
T3W3	Tue 15 July	ILD 9	ILD 9	ILD 9	National Oral Exam
T3W3	Wed 16 July	ILD 10	ILD 10		National Oral Exam
T3W3	Thu 17 July	ILD 11	ILD 11		National Oral Exam
T4W2	Thu 25 Sep	ILD 12	-	-	S2 & 3 Internal Oral Exam
T4W5	Fri 17 Oct	ILD 13	ILD 12	-	Results Processing Day

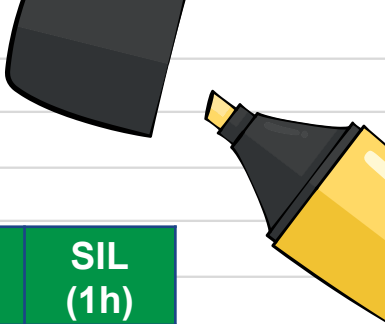
- ILD will be conducted on the days that coincide with National and Internal Oral Exam.
- Sec 4 & 5 will have ILD on the day (15-17 July) that the student does not have Oral Exam.
- In total, we will have a total of 13 ILD for Sec 1, 12 ILD for Sec 2&3, and 9 ILD for Sec 4/5.

# Planning Rationale



- ILD is part of the total curriculum time of each subject (about 10%).
- The 4 compulsory subjects (e.g. EL, MTL, Math, Science) which are allocated the most curriculum time take up the majority of ILD.
- Other subjects which fall short of the minimum curriculum time guidelines in terms of face-to-face lessons are given ILD to top up their curriculum time, such as D&T/FCE.
- Reduced ILD slots for EL and MTL ease the workload of EL and MTL teachers involved in Oral exams.
- For the graduating students, they will self-study on days that they are not down for exams.

# Sec 1 Schedule



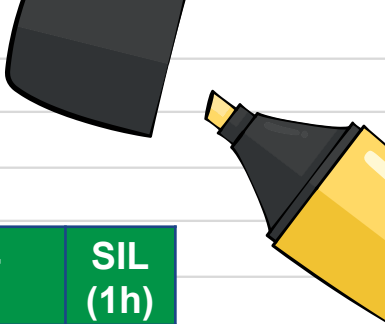
ILD	Date	Subject 1 (1h)	Subject 2 (1h)	Subject 3 (1h)	Subject 4 (1h)	SIL (1h)
9	15 July T3W3	English	Mother Tongue	Science	Mathematics	SIL
10	16 July T3W3	English	D&T/FCE	Science	Mathematics	SIL
11	17 July T3W3	English	D&T/FCE	Science	Mathematics	SIL
12	25 Sep T4W2	English	Mother Tongue	-	-	-
13	17 Oct T4W5	English	Mother Tongue	Science	Mathematics	SIL

# Sec 2 Schedule



ILD	Date	Subject 1 (1h)	Subject 2 (1h)	Subject 3 (1h)	Subject 4 (1h)	SIL (1h)
9	15 July T3W3	English	Mother Tongue	Science	Mathematics	SIL
10	16 July T3W3	D&T/FCE	Mother Tongue	Science	Mathematics	SIL
11	17 July T3W3	English	D&T/FCE	Science	Mathematics	SIL
12	17 Oct T4W5	English	D&T/FCE	Science	Mathematics	SIL

# Sec 3 Schedule



ILD	Date	Subject 1 (1h)	Subject 2 (1h)	Subject 3 (1h)	Subject 4 (1h)	SIL (1h)
9	15 July T3W3	English	Mother Tongue	Science	Mathematics	SIL
10	16 July T3W3	Humanities/CPA	Mother Tongue	Science	Mathematics	SIL
11	17 July T3W3	English	Humanities/CPA	Science	Electives Art/D&T/A.Maths/ POA/ EBS	SIL
12	17 Oct T4W5	English	Mother Tongue	Electives Art/D&T/A.Maths/ POA/ EBS	Mathematics	SIL

# Sec 4 & 5 Schedule



ILD	Date	Subject 1 (1h)	Subject 2 (1h)	Subject 3 (1h)	Subject 4 (1h)	SIL (1h)
9	15/16/17 July T3W3	English	Mother Tongue	Science	Mathematics	-



# Follow-Up

- IP heads will need to discuss with teachers and ensure that the ILD tasks are suitably designed for the students' needs and readiness.
- Teachers should communicate the ILD tasks directly to the students to ensure clarity and understanding.



**Thank  
You!**