

Qualifications Framework (QF)in Certificates

Qualifications Framework Secretariat

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Guideline for Featuring QF in Certificates



- Issued by EDB via HKCAAVQ and QFS in August 2019
- Aims to promote wider awareness and transparency of QF in Hong Kong
- Education and training providers are encouraged to feature key elements of QF in the certificates awarded to graduates of learning programmes that
 - have been accredited under QF; and
 - are within the validity period

Key elements to be placed in certificates



The key elements include:

- the QF logo
 - Please refer to Guideline for the use of the QF logo
- the QF level of the learning programme; and
- its registration number on the Qualifications Register
 (QR)

The Guideline is available on www.hkqf.gov.hk



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EMPLOYERS

- TRAINING PROVIDERS
 - **LEARNERS**

- Designated Support Schemes for QF
- · Industry Training Advisory Committees
- · Specification of Competency Standards
- SCS-based/SGC-based Courses
- · Qualifications Register





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INDUSTRY-SPECIFIC WEBPAGES



























Designated Support Schemes for QF

Steering Committee on QF Fund

9.12.2019 Eaunch of Arboniculture & Horticulture SCS (1st Edition)

10.10.2019 Seminar on Use of Credit and Credit Accumulation and Transfer under Qualifications Framework

29.6.2019 Indication of QF Credit for Learning Programmes at QF Levels 5 to 7 on the Qualifications Register



The Guideline is placed alongside the application form for accreditation grant





https://www.hkqf.gov.hk/en/support/dss/index.html







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Academic and Vocational Qualifications

- Programmes / qualifications concerned must be registered in the Qualifications Register
- Applicable to self-financing programmes

Level of Subsidy

Scope	Non-profit-making Providers	Other Providers
Initial Evaluation / Institutional Review [@] Fees	100%	50%
Learning Programme Accreditation / Learning Programme	Re-accreditation Fees	
		50%
Specification of Competency Standards-based / Specification of Generic (Foundation) Competencies-based programmes #	100%	50%

Guidance Notes New

pdf version

Application Forms New

QFF-AG pdf version word version







I hereby confirm that:

EDB collects information on adoption of the Guideline in applications for Accreditation Grant for Self-financing Programmes

Part C Confirmation by Applicant (Please tick where appropriate)

_	Hong Kong Council for Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications (HKCAAVQ). A copy of the Accreditation Report and Statement of Accreditation Approval issued by HKCAAVQ is attached.		
	The programme(s) listed in Part B have been registered in the Qualifications Register (QR). A copy of the printout of the QR records is attached.		
	The Programme(s) listed in Part B are self-financing programme(s).		
	The organisation which I represent is registered under the laws of Hong Kong as listed below:		
	Ordinance (Cap.)		
	A copy of the relevant registration certificate is attached (mainly applicable to organisations registered under the Education Ordinance (Cap. 279), Post Secondary Colleges Ordinance (Cap. 320), Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622) or Business Registration Ordinance (Cap. 310)).		
	The organisation which I represent is a non-profit-making organisation. A copy of letter from the Inland Revenue Department confirming exemption from tax is attached.		
	The organisation which I represent has not made the same claim from any government funding and will not seek reimbursement/financial subsidies of the accreditation fees from any parties other than Education Bureau (EDB) subject to approval of this application. (Please specify if otherwise:		
	The certificate of the programme(s) listed in Part B features all three key elements of QF (i.e. QF logo, QF level and QR registration number). A copy of the sample certificate is attached.		
For	non-local learning programmes		
	The programme(s) listed in Part B is/are non-local programme(s) registered or exempted from registration under Non-local Higher and Professional Education (Regulation) Ordinance (Cap. 493). A copy of the Certificate of registration of a course/letter of exemption from registration is attached.		
	The organisation which I represent is authorised by my non-local partner(s) to apply for the		

The IE/IR/LPA/Re-LPA* exercises listed in Part B have been successfully accredited by the



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Thank You