

Student Training Course for International Biology Olympiad (IBO)

Phase III (SCIS3213)

Programme Outline (5 Sessions) (Tentative)

July - August 2020

Session	Date	Time	Topic	Instructor	Venue*
1	18 Jul 2020 (Sat)	10:00 – 13:00 14:00 – 17:00	Practical Test Training (1): Ecological study	Prof. Jonathan FONG	Lingnan University Zoom Meeting + Self online reading
2	25 Jul 2020 (Sat)	10:00 – 13:00 14:00 – 17:00	Practical Test Training (2): Cell Physiology	Prof. HUANG Pingbo	HKUST Zoom Meeting + Self online reading
3	1 Aug 2020 (Sat)	10:00 – 13:00 14:00 – 17:00	Practical Test Training (3): Evolutionary trees & Microbial tracing	Prof. Stanley LAU	HKUST Zoom Meeting + Self online reading
4	5 Aug 2020 (Wed)	14:00 – 17:00	Wrap Up Discussion (for Theoretical Test)	Prof. CHOW King Lau	HKUST Zoom Meeting + Self online reading
5	8 Aug 2020 (Sat)	10:00 – 13:00	Practical Test Training (4): Animal Physiology	Prof. Jack WONG Prof MILLER Andrew (HKUST)	CUHK Zoom Meeting + Self online reading

*Zoom meeting details will be sent out via email.

Updated as of 13 Jul 2020

Regulations for Phase III Training:

1) (First team members) Students cannot attend IBO Challenge 2020 if they do not attend at least 4 out of 5 sessions in Phase III.

(All students) Students who have attend 4 out of 5 sessions will receive a certificate from the HKAGE.

2) Students must sign on the attendance sheet every lesson before leaving the classroom. The signature (not a symbol of “√”) on the attendance sheet is the only acceptable proof of attendance. Ticking on the attendance sheet or any

other evidence (e.g. a photo during the lesson in the classroom) will **NOT** be accepted as proof of attendance. If you are unable to find the attendance sheet, please contact the instructor at the end of the lesson.

- 3) No attendance exemption is granted due to any reasons (such as illness, participation of important events/ examinations/ competitions).
- 4) If any student cannot attend a class, he/she should send an absence notice to HKAGE in advance. Note that such a notice is not equivalent to absence application nor attendance exemption since, according to (3), there is no attendance exemption. The notice is to enable the instructor to have better arrangement of the lesson.