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## **Decisions of the meeting of the Joint Teaching Committee on 7 and 8 February 2019 - Brussels**

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### **III. ITEMS**

#### **III.A. SYLLABUSES**

##### **Attainment Descriptors**

###### **1. Attainment Descriptors for Religion – S1-S5** (2019-01-D-45-en-1)

###### Religious authorities

The Joint Teaching Committee approved the attainment descriptors for Religion for S1-S5 with immediate entry into force. The attainment descriptors would be sent to the Board of Governors for its information and would be soon published on the website.

##### **New syllabuses**

The **new syllabuses** (items 2 and 11) were approved jointly. They would be sent forward to the Board of Governors for its information, and published on the website late July 2019.

###### **2. Integrated Science – S1-S3** (2018-12-D-6-en-1)

###### M. WOLFF

The JTC approved the new 'Integrated Science' syllabus for S1-S3, with entry into force on 1 September 2019 for year S1 then gradual implementation year by year.

###### **3. Chemistry S4-S5** (2019-01-D-46-en-1)

###### A. COENEN

The JTC approved the new 'Chemistry' syllabus for S4-S5, with entry into force on 1 September 2019 for year S4 and on 1 September 2020 for year S5.

###### **4. Mathematics S1-S3** (2019-01-D-47-en-1)

###### A. YILMAZ

The JTC approved the new Mathematics syllabus for S1-S3, with entry into force on 1 September 2019 for year S1, on 1 September 2020 for S2, and on 1 September 2021 for S3.

###### **5. Mathematics S4 – 4 periods** (2019-01-D-48-en-1)

###### A. YILMAZ

The JTC approved the new Mathematics S4 – 4 periods syllabus, with entry into force on 1 September 2019.

###### **6. Mathematics S4 – 6 periods** (2019-01-D-49-en-1)

###### A. YILMAZ

The JTC approved the new Mathematics S4 – 6 periods syllabus, with entry into force on 1 September 2019.

###### **7. Physics – S4-S5** (2019-01-D-50-en-1)

###### U. LACZYNSKA

The JTC approved the new Physics syllabus for S4-S5, with entry into force on 1 September 2019 for year S4 and on 1 September 2020 for year S5.

###### **8. Slovak Language 1 – Secondary cycle** (2018-11-D-30-sk-1)

###### J. HANDZELOVA

The JTC approved the new Slovak LI syllabus for the secondary cycle, with entry into force on 1 September 2019 for year S1-S5 and on 1 September 2020 for year S6 and on 1 September 2021 for S7. The first Baccalaureate session would take place in June 2022.

**9. Philosophy S6-S7 – 2 periods** **(2019-01-D-51-en-1)**

E. VERMEIRE

The JTC approved the new 'Philosophy S6-S7 – 2 periods' syllabus, with entry into force on 1 September 2019 for year S6 and on 1 September 2020 for year S7.

**10. Political Sciences – Complementary course (S6-S7)** **(2018-12-D-32-fr-1)**

H. COELHO

The JTC approved the new 'Political sciences – Complementary course (S6-S7) syllabus, with entry into force on 1 September 2019 for year S6 and on 1 September 2020 for year S7.

**11. Sociology – Complementary course (S6-S7)** **(2018-12-D-31-fr-1)**

H. COELHO

The JTC approved the new 'Sociology – Complementary Course (S6-S7)' syllabus, with entry into force on 1 September 2019 for year S6 and on 1 September 2020 for year S7.

**12. Handbook European Science Symposium** **(2019-01-D-52-en-1)**

M. WOLFF

The JTC approved the Handbook of the European Schools' Science symposium.

### **III.D. PEDAGOGICAL RULES/STANDARDS**

**1. Digital Terminology for the European Schools system** **(2018-12-D-24-en-1)**

L. MUNKÁCSY/F. JOURDE

The JTC approved the Digital Terminology for the European Schools system and its proposed timeline for implementation. The limited terminology would enter into force as of February 2019, the extended one would be presented during the school year 2019-2020. Consequently, every new document would use the new terminology, whilst the old ones would remain untouched, except for the ICT syllabuses, the titles of which (not the content) could be adapted accordingly depending on the decision of the responsible subject Inspector.

**6. Educational Support: Changes to the procedure and template to request Special Arrangements for the European Baccalaureate cycle** **(2019-01-D-9-en-1)**

T. HUISMAN

The JTC approved the new procedure for requesting Special Arrangements for the European Baccalaureate cycle and the update of the Procedural document. The requests of pupils currently in S5 (for EB 2021) would be dealt with according to the procedure currently in force. The new procedure would enter into force as of September 2019 (for EB 2022).