DP and MYP assessment principles and practices

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The eWorld vs The paper world
Stakeholders

Examiners

Teachers and Coordinators

Students
Examiners
eMarking

Examiners receive and mark scripts online

Examinations unchanged

Scripts mailed to scanning centre

Scanning centre
Answer all of Section A in the spaces provided.

The resource booklet provides information on Svalbard. Use the resource booklet and your own studies to answer the following.

1. (a) (i) State which major biome is found on Svalbard.
   (tundra)

   (ii) Explain why productivity in the biome named in part (a)(i) is low.
   Small amount of sunlight reaches the land due to large amount of atmosphere which light needs to pass through and

   (iii) Using the data given in Figure 4, compare the climate on Svalbard from 1961–1990 with the climate from 1991–2004.
   The climate has retained its "bell" shape with a peak in July and a low around January and February. However, in 1991–2000 the temperature is higher throughout.
Examiner Feedback

May 2013 eMarking questionnaire
Benefits of eMarking

- Better monitoring of marking quality
- Reduction in transport costs
- Time compression of marking process
- Examiner progress can be monitored
- Examiners are relieved of time consuming tasks
- Mark acquisition at the IB Assessment Centre is quicker and more accurate
- Candidate performance data is improved for grade award
- Virtual grade awards are facilitated
- Annotated scripts are available early for schools
Teachers and Coordinators
Pictures at an exhibition

Exhibition overview,
Hayley Joy, Bermuda High School
May 2009 session
Benefits of Visual Arts upload

• All candidates will have an e-portfolio of their artwork which will help to support applications for art courses.
• Traditional, electronic and emergent media all facilitated.
• Schools will not incur the heavy costs of visiting examiners or the bureaucracy of finding someone suitable.
• Exhibitions can be held at any time in any place convenient to the school. They are not dependent on the availability of the visiting examiner.
• More worldwide consistency, setting a truly global standard.
• IB will be able to allocate work to examiners randomly and all work will be anonymous, as with every other Diploma Programme component.
Future of Visual Arts upload
Students
DP onscreen 2017 - 2020

• How?

• Big Bang

or

• Phased