Evaluation report on the use of DLG (Gifted Programme) 2014-2015

1. Summary
Model United Nations is an academic group that competes with other teams in which students have the opportunity to learn about foreign policy and international legislation procedures, diplomacy among countries, international relations and cooperation and the United Nations itself.

2. Evaluation methods of student learning
In the 2014-2015 academic year, evaluation of students’ learning is based on observation during preparation and conferences students participated in. This year, the St. Stephen’s Girls’ College MUN team competed in HKMUN 2015 held at Science Park from 26th to 28th February. Twelve delegates representing Haiti, Germany, Russia, USSR and Portugal attended the 2-day conference that hosted a total of 23 local and international secondary schools from all across Hong Kong.

3. Key findings
Students honed their skills in research, writing, debating and public speaking on a variety of issues that affect the world’s economic, political and social structures, from the global impact of environmental issues to the responsibility individual countries bear in relation to human rights. Taking part in different MUN councils and assemblies, such as the Modern General Assembly (SOCHUM), Historical Security Council (HSC) and the North Atlantic Treaty Organisation (NATO), students further developed their critical thinking, teamwork and leadership abilities.

4. Conclusion and recommendations
The experience students have gained from attending this conference is invaluable, as it broadens their global awareness and encourages them to become responsible and well-versed global citizens. It is suggested that continuing MUN at St. Stephen’s would be highly beneficial for the students. That there are three teacher advisors is also of benefit, for both training and attending conferences.