

# **INSTITUTE FOR ASSESSMENT AND ACCREDITATION**

## **Subject Matter Expert – Language**

**Location | Bangalore / Delhi**

**Position ID: SMEL/IAA**

### **Role**

The SME will provide expertise in areas of a) Content and Perspectives of Language Education and b) Pedagogy of Language. The SME will work closely with an assessment specialist towards development and deployment of assessment frameworks of excellence for teachers and children. The position reports to the leader of Learner Assessment of Institute of Assessment and Accreditation and is based in Bangalore or Delhi.

### **Principal Responsibilities**

- Identify best practices in areas of:
  - Teaching-Learning strategies for language
  - Managing diversity of learners
  - Learner-centered pedagogy
  - Assessment strategies in language
- Visit schools in various States to observe classrooms and identify/validate best practices.
- Contribute to development of questions for assessing language learning of children and knowledge of language content and pedagogy of teachers.
- Contribute to development of frameworks/standards for language learning.
- Contribute to development of other innovative methods and tools for assessing language competencies of children.
- Contribute to ongoing research in the areas of language learning and pedagogy.

### **Attributes, Qualification and Experience**

- Minimum MA in Language.
- Teaching experience in Language (elementary or higher level) of at least 2 years.
- Willingness to learn
- Interest in reading
- Alignment with the overall strategy and values of Azim Premji Foundation

- Passion for, and commitment to, social change
- Ability to work in diverse teams
- Open to moderate levels of travelling