Leaving Certificate Irish	Meeting 2 of the Development Group: 22.10.25 Short description
Agenda Item:	**Notes**
Welcome and introductions	The Chairperson welcomed new members who had not attended the first meeting of the group, and everyone introduced themselves.
Minutes and matters arising, and governance.	The minutes from meeting 1 were proposed and seconded. One minor amendment was requested to the minutes from meeting 1, to show that clarification was sought that an oral examination would form part of the assessment, as is recommended in the Parameters for Tranche 4. No conflicts of interest were declared.
Updates	NCCA Executive provided a summary of emerging themes form the consultation on the Background Paper.
Revision of the draft Rationale	A hard copy of the draft Rationale was provided to the Development Group. Working in small groups the Development Group reflected on the draft and offered feedback on amendments to the draft. NCCA Executive recorded the feedback that will be used in the drafting of a second draft of the Rationale.
Revision of the draft Aims	A hard copy of the draft Aims was provided to the Development Group. Working in small groups the Development Group reflected on the draft and offered feedback on amendments to the draft. NCCA Executive recorded the feedback that will be used in the drafting of a second draft of the Aims.
Key Competencies in Senior Cycle	The Executive provided input on the Key Competencies of Senior Cycle and their associated Attributes. These were discussed in small groups initially with feedback, on how the Key Competencies may be experienced through Leaving Certificate Irish, being shared with the group as a whole. Feedback was collected by the Executive.
Thinking of meeting 3	The group did not have time to discuss this item.
Any other business	The chair thanked members for their attendance and contributions. NCCA executive will review the discussions on the draft rationale and draft aims, along with Key Competencies in Senior Cycle. This feedback will be used to draft materials for review at the next meeting. Next meeting: 17 November 2025