

<b>LC Agricultural Science</b>	<b>Development Group meeting #7: 12.03.25</b>
	<b>Short description</b>
<b>Agenda item</b>	<b>Notes</b>
<b>Welcome</b>	Previous minutes were proposed and seconded. No conflicts of interest declared.
<b>Updates</b>	An overview of insights from the consultation on the Background Paper was presented to the Development Group.
<b>Draft unifying strand</b>	The group considered and discussed a redrafted Unifying Strand.
<b>Draft Soils Strand</b>	The group considered a redrafted Soils Strand including the learning outcomes and associated detail to scaffold the learning outcomes in the 'students learn about' column.
<b>Draft Applied Learning Tasks (ALTs)</b>	Draft ALTs were shared with the group for consideration. The group decided not to adopt the approach of ALTs for Agricultural Science.
<b>Organising concepts for crops strand</b>	The group identified core concepts, ideas and approaches for the Crops Strand that will guide drafting of this strand.
<b>Next steps and reflections</b>	<p>The chair reflected on the work completed and thanked members for their attendance and contributions. NCCA executive will review the discussions and prepare draft materials for the next meeting.</p> <p>Next meeting: 8<sup>th</sup> April 2025</p>