

Meeting note: SPHE Development Group meeting #15

October 27th 2022

Agenda item		Decision/Action
1. Agree agenda	Agreed	
2. Feedback on consultation on JC draft specification and key messages emerging	<p>There was a report on the recent consultation including an overview of the numbers who engaged and the main messages and suggestions that came through in the consultation.</p> <p>The group agreed that the breadth and depth of stakeholder engagement was valuable and provided very helpful insights and suggestions that will strengthen and provide clarification on the final specification.</p>	
3. Review aim and rationale	<p>Taking into account feedback from the consultation the group agreed</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 'spiritual' should be added to rationale with a footnote 2. the values which underpin teaching SPHE should be named in the rationale 3. a small number of text amendments to the aim and rationale were agreed which will create a greater balance between the personal and social dimension of learning in SPHE and emphasise student empowerment/agency. 	The suggestions will be incorporated into the final draft specification
4. Review draft Learning Outcomes	<p>The group carefully considered the draft learning outcomes for all four stands against the consultation feedback and suggestions for change received from all stakeholders.</p> <p>Agreed changes were noted.</p>	The agreed changes to the LOs will be incorporated in the final draft specification
5. Discuss feedback on CBA	<p>Opinions were mixed in the consultation when it came to discussing the proposed CBA.</p> <p>Following discussion of the merits of both a portfolio style CBA and an action project, it was agreed that we should include both and thereby provide a choice of CBAs. This will allow for flexibility, student ownership, and manageability.</p>	Include choice of CBA in final draft specification