

Senior Cycle Design and Communication Graphics	Development Group Meeting 9 08 September 2025 Short Description
Agenda Item	Notes
Welcome by the Chair, minutes of the last meetings	The minutes of the last meeting were discussed and adopted.
Updates	Members were informed that all Tranche 2 subjects, including LC Construction Technology and Engineering, have been approved by the Minister for Education and Youth. These subjects are now available on curriculumonline.ie. Tranche 4 subjects, including LC Technology, will have their induction day on September 29th.
Review of the draft specification	Members reviewed the work completed to date on the draft specification and provided suggestions for improvement.
Key Competencies	Members worked in groups to discuss and propose potential examples of how the key competencies could be developed through the study of DCG.
Applied Learning Tasks	Members recognised the benefits of including applied learning tasks in the specification but raised concerns about the additional workload for students and teachers. They suggested that PLE could support teachers in developing similar tasks.
Next steps and next meeting	<p>The chair reflected on the work done and thanked the members for their attendance and contributions.</p> <p>Next Meeting: 06 October 2025</p>