

LC Politics and Society: Meeting 3, 9th December 2025

Meeting #3 of the Development Group for Leaving Certificate Politics and Society Short description	
Agenda item	Notes
Welcome and introductions	<p>The chairperson welcomed the group and noted apologies.</p> <p>The chairperson facilitated the introduction of new members.</p>
Consultation on the Background paper and brief for Leaving Certificate Politics and Society	<p>The Executive gave an input on feedback received from the consultation on the Background paper and brief for the review of Leaving Certificate Politics and Society.</p> <p>The group discussed this feedback in detail.</p>
Rationale and aims	Working in small groups, members progressed the draft rationale and aims sections of the specification.
Senior cycle key competencies	The Executive gave an input on senior cycle key competencies. The group took part in an activity mapping the key competencies against a selection of learning outcomes from recently developed leaving certificate specifications.
Structure	Working in small groups, members discussed the possible structure of the redeveloped specification, based on consideration of 3 options.
Conclusion and next steps	<p>The chairperson thanked the group for their attendance and participation.</p> <p>Next meeting: 21st January 2026.</p>