

Post Primary Special Educational Needs	Development Group Meeting 21, April 7th, 2025. Short Description
Agenda Item	Notes
Minutes	The minutes were proposed and agreed.
Updates from stakeholders	Updates were provided by representatives from Oide, SEC and the NCCA
Junior Cycle: Consultation on the revised Skills for Life PLU and updating of the Junior Cycle Level 1 and Level 2 Teacher Guidelines	<p>The consultation report on the revised PLU, <i>Skills for Life</i> was presented to the DG followed by a discussion on the changes arising from the consultation process. The DG agreed for the report and PLU specification to advance to the Board for Junior Cycle and Council.</p> <p>The DG gave feedback on the proposed changes to the Junior Cycle Level 1 and Level 2 Guidelines. The executive will consider the feedback and present full drafts of the updated guidelines at the next meeting.</p>
Senior Cycle Level 1 and Level 2 electives	An update on the current consultation of Senior Cycle Level 1 and Level 2 electives was provided. The DG gave feedback and agreed for the following electives to advance to the next stage within the NCCA curriculum development process: Level 1 and Level 2 PE; Level 1 and Level 2 Looking at my Environment; Level 2 Drama; Level 2 My Life, My Finance; Level 2 literature.
Senior Cycle Level 2 Area of Special Interest Elective	It was agreed to present this draft elective at the next meeting
Next Steps	<p>The Chair thanked the DG members for their engagement and acknowledged the significant progress to date.</p> <p>Next Meeting: May 20th 2025</p>