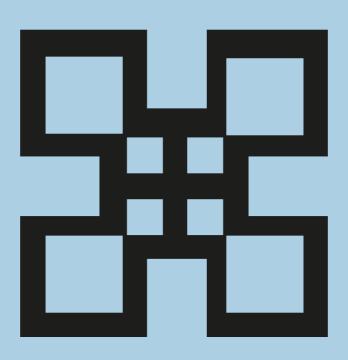
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Foreword

As Minister for Education, I am delighted to introduce this handbook on Professional Learning Communities (PLCs). The handbook provides practical guidance and resources for teachers to establish and sustain effective PLCs that will drive quality pedagogy and enhance learning outcomes.

Weekly Professional Learning Community (PLC) sessions are the backbone of this Government's commitment to continuous teacher development in every Senior High School. These PLC sessions enable teachers to come together to master the pedagogy, content and assessment needed to successfully implement Ghana's SHS curriculum.

By fostering a culture of collaboration and continuous improvement through PLCs, teachers can enhance their understanding of the new SHS curriculum and effectively facilitate learning in the classroom. This will contribute to our country's resetting agenda by educating a generation of young people with the skills needed to progress to further studies, the world of work and adult life.

PLC sessions are critically important and should be treated with the utmost seriousness. Transforming our education system is a partnership between government, teachers, parents and learners. As teachers gain experience with the new curriculum and assessment regime, PLC sessions can also be tailored to discuss specific issues of concern as a group. It is important that teachers are heard and respected. We have listened to your concerns about PLCs and have factored this feedback into the new Year 2 Subject–Specific PLC Handbooks.

The Handbooks have been designed to be more flexible in structure than those for Year One. Each PLC Handbook is supported by a Subject-Specific App developed by the National Council for Curriculum and Assessment (NaCCA) linked to the revised curriculum. These Apps will help teachers to plan learning activities, assessments and differentiated learning. From our early interactions with teachers to develop and test these Apps we can see the level of excitement about their potential to save teachers time and improve their teaching and learning. These Ghanaian-owned Apps are the first of their kind at this scale anywhere in Africa, helping teachers save time and deliver lessons that truly meet the needs of every learner. I am confident that it will have a significant impact on our education system and ultimately benefit our students, teachers, and communities. All teachers are encouraged to embrace the principles and

practices outlined in this handbook and to work together to build strong, vibrant PLCs that promote enhanced learning outcomes.

I commend the authors and contributors for their tireless efforts in developing this valuable resource, which will enhance the quality of teaching and learning. Thank you to each one of you for your dedication and commitment to helping build the Ghana we want, together.

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Year Two App



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PLC Session 0: Introduction to the Year Two Professional Learning Community Handbook and the Subject Specific App

1.0 Introduction and Purpose of the Handbook (15 minutes)

The purpose of the Year Two Professional Learning Community (PLC) Handbook is to support teachers to effectively deliver the new Senior High School (SHS) curriculum. This Handbook is accompanied by a Subject Specific App tailored to SHS curriculum. The App is designed to assist teachers with lesson planning, delivery and assessment. The Subject Specific App uses information directly from the following materials:

- 1. Curriculum
- 2. Teacher Manual
- 3. Learner Materials
- 4. Vision and Philosophy of the SHS curriculum
- 5. 21st century skills and competencies
- 6. National Teachers' Standards
- West African Examinations Council (WAEC) Scheme of Assessment and Detailed Syllabus
- 8. Learning Planning Template
- 9. Teacher Assessment Manual and Toolkit
- 10. Socio Emotional Learning
- 11. National Values
- 12. Gender Equality and Social Inclusion (GESI), etc.

Learning Outcome (LO): To explore how the Subject Specific App can assist teachers with lesson planning, delivery and assessment (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Use the Subject Specific App to explore the Year Two Curriculum Materials (Teacher Manual and Learner Materials)

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of using the Subject Specific App to design lessons and assessment strategies.

2.0 Exploring the Subject Specific App (65 minutes)

- 2.1 Scan the QR Code or use the link to access your Subject Specific App
- 2.2 Have a chat with the Subject Specific App (NTS 3j).

E.g.

- a. Select a section and the number of lessons you have in a week to start the App
- **b.** Provide information about your class. For instance, the number of learners in your class, etc.
- Select a week you are interested in and continue chatting with your App
- d. Refer to your Teacher Manual and confirm the information provided by the App or otherwise



Note

Always refer to your Teacher Manual to confirm the information the App provides.

2.3 Explore the following key areas using the App (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e and 3a-3q)

E.q.

a. Learning activities

I have a 60-minute lesson in a rural farming community in Lawra without enough tables and chairs. I can have my lesson outside the classroom if possible.

b. Assessments

Based on the recommended assessments for the week how can I assess my learners at level 2 at the end of the lesson. I want to give one question during the lesson and one at the end as homework

c. Differentiation strategies

There are two learners in wheelchairs. Another one cannot hear unless you speak very loudly. Finally, 5 leaners are comfortable in the local language than in English. How can they be catered for in the lesson and assessment?

Hint



Remember to askyour App to help you add 21st Century Skills, National Values, GESI and SEL to your learning activities, assessment, etc., where applicable.

- 2.4 Share your experience with the larger group (NTS 3j).
 - two things you learnt using the App and how you plan to apply them.
 - b. two advantages of using the App
 - two disadvantages of using the App without the appropriate curriculum materials (e.g. Teacher Manual, etc.)

3.0 Reflection

- 3.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS1a, 1b).
- 3.2 Remember to read PLC Session 0.5 and bring along your laptop in preparation for next week's session.

PLC Session 0.5: Using the Subject Specific App to deliver assessments at appropriate DoK levels

1.0 Introduction (10 minutes)

1.1 Read and discuss the purpose, Learning Outcome (LO) and Learning Indicators (LIs) for the session

Purpose: The purpose of this session is to refresh our knowledge and understanding of assessment in the SHS curriculum. WAEC's visits to schools show that teachers are generally doing well with setting assessment tasks at DoK Levels 1 and 2 but there are issues with Levels 3 and 4. This session will look at how the subject specific App can assist teachers in developing assessments at all DoK Levels.

Learning Outcome (LO): To strengthen teachers' skills and competencies in developing assessment tasks and items to reflect all the DoK Levels (NTS 3k, 30-3p).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Use the subject specific App to develop assessments linked to the learning indicators and the required DoK levels.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Use the subject specific App to review existing assessments to check whether they are linked to the required Learning Indicators and DoK levels.

2.0 Planning and Delivering of Assessment using the Subject Specific App (65 minutes)

2.1 Open your App and have a chat with it.

E.g.

- a. Select a section and the number of lessons you have in a week to start the App
- **b.** Provide information about your class. For instance, the number of learners in your class, etc.

- Select a week you are interested in and continue chatting with your App
- **d.** Refer to your Teacher Manual and confirm the information provided by the App or otherwise.
- 2.2 Explore assessment using the App (NTS 3h, 3j, and 3o-3q)

E.g.

Select Assessment

- Look at the LIs for the week and select the appropriate DoK Level or Levels required for the week's lesson. For instance, 'the LI requires modelling, I would like to assess at level 3'
- b. Review the responses on the formats from your App, select any that meets your needs or continue chatting with your App to provide other assessment formats.
- c. Continue chatting with your App, for instance
 - i. 'suggest 10 scenario based MCQs'
 - ii. 'suggest level 3 task taking into consideration the learning activities and differentiation'
 - iii. Generate marking scheme for the task and add an explanation why an option is the right answer



Note

Check that the MCQs are arranged alphabetically, vertically and the options are of similar length

- Now repeat the process for different assessment strategies, for instance
 - i. Essay questions at level 3
 - ii. Case study questions at level 4
 - iii. 3-week project task at level 4, etc.



Note

You may select a different section or week for Activity 2.2d

2.3 Use the subject specific App to review the task or items you developed by having a chat with the App to provide justifications as to why the task is at DoK level 3 or 4 (NTS 3j, 3k, 3m, 3o and 3p-3q).

E.q.

Explain why the tasks or items are at DoK level 3.



Note

You may repeat this for DoK levels 1, 2 or 4.

3.0 Using your subject specific App to explore one of the key assessment modes

3.1 Identify and select an assessment mode you found challenging in the last academic year and explore with your subject specific App how to use this assessment strategy effectively in your lesson delivery (NTS 3k).



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks.
- ii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your assessment task, rubrics/mark scheme and how to score them appropriately
- 3.2 Share your experience with the larger group (NTS 3j).
 - a. two things you learnt using the App in developing assessments
 - b. how you plan to apply the experiences
 - c. any challenges you faced in using the App to develop assessments and how you addressed them

4.0 Reflection (15 minutes)

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b)
- 4.2 Remember to
 - a. read PLC Session 1, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook on Week 1 in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).

PLC Session 1: The meaning of religion from learners' perspective, Classical definitions of religion and what they reveal about the nature of religion

1.0 Introduction (10 minutes)

Read and discuss the purpose, Learning Outcome (LO) and Learning Indicators (LIs) for the session.

Purpose: The purpose of this session is to populate a learning planner for Week 1 on the meaning of religion from learners' perspective, Classical definitions of religion and what they reveal about the nature of religion, with the needed areas using the subject-specific App to review the completed learning plan.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner on week 1: The meaning of religion from learners' perspective, Classical definitions of religion and what they reveal about the nature of religion, with essential questions, key notes on differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and to use the subject-specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity based on your learning plan.

2.0 Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject-specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 1 on the meaning of religion from learners' perspective, Classical definitions of religion and what they reveal about the nature of religion (NTS 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Learning activities

In teaching week 1 with 50 learners. 5 are highly proficient. 15 are approaching proficiency. Learners have access to internet. Provide recommendations from the teacher manual and learner materials for learning activities to use for the lesson. Break lessons into introduction, main lesson and closure activities.

In reference to the assessment mode for week 1, suggest one formative assessment task item at DoK level 1 and 3 with rubrics. Recommend a formative assessment and marking scheme for the end of the week's lesson.

iii. Differentiation

With 50 learners, 5 are good and 15 are struggling. They can use educational apps and charts. How can differentiation for week 1 lesson be effectively done?

iv. Essential questions

suggest essential questions for the teacher and the learners that would help direct the progress of the lesson.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks.
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans. Click the link or scan the QR code to download the template https://curriculumresources.edu.gh/wp-content/uploads/2025/09/Year-Two-Lesson-Planner-Template-20.docx
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

3.0 Enactment (20 minutes)

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



You may record the enacted activity.

4.0 Reflection (10 minutes)

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a critical friend to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 1 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - read PLC Session 2, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 2: Preparing for Student Transcript Portal Assessment – Group Project

1.0 Introduction (10 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing on assessment in PLC Session 1 that you
 - a. applied in your lesson delivery
 - b. found challenging and how you addressed it.
- 1.2 Share one challenge you encountered while populating your learning plan for week 2 before the session that you would like to discuss during this PLC session.
- 1.3 Read and discuss the Purpose, Learning Outcome (LO) and Learning Indicators (LIs) for the session.

Purpose: The purpose of this session is to use the subject–specific App to

- 1. review the completed learning plan for week 2
- 2. prepare assessment tasks and rubrics for group project

Learning Outcome (LO): To review the learning plan for week 2 on characteristics and misconceptions about the study of religion and address any challenges in planning and developing assessment tasks for the group project (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Review the learning plan and address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Discuss, develop and review assessment tasks with rubrics for the group project.

2.0 Reviewing the Learning Plan (20 minutes)

2.1 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject-specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Learning activities

Suggest learning activities to match with the learning task for the week's lesson

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- essential questions
- differentiation
- assessment tasks, etc.

3.0 Prepare to Assign, Assess and Record for the Student Transcript Portal (50 minutes)

3.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual for the key assessment to be recorded in the Student Transcript Portal and have a chat with the subject-specific App to review or develop your assessment tasks and mark schemes/rubrics (NTS 2a-2c, 2e-2h and 3j-3q).

E.g.

Group Project

Refer to the appendix A in the teacher manual and review the sample group project. Recommend ways of making it achievable by week 7



Note

One chat may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks

3.2 Have a chat with your App to verify the suggested assessment tasks and discuss the suitability of the responses from activity 3.1. Use the suggestions to refine the assessment tasks (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q). In doing this activity, consider:

E.g.

i. Task

Redesigned project task to be flexible within the suggested timeline

ii. Mark scheme and score distributionProvide a complete scoring rubrics for the improved project work.

iii. Resources needed for assessment administration

Provide a list of resources to effectively administer the assessment.

iv. How to provide feedback

Suggest a plan for effective feedback implementation for this assessment to support learners.

4.0 Reflection (10 minutes)

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 2 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- **4.3** Remember to:
 - a. mark, record and upload your learners' assessment scores in the Student Transcript Portal (NTS 3j, 3n).
 - b. read PLC Session 3, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - c. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - d. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching and administration of the assessment for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 3: The need to study religion at SHS

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 2
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 3?
 - a. If you answered **yes**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0B
 - If you answered no, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 3 on *the need to study religion at SHS*, using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 3 on the need to study religion at SHS (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Give essential questions for the teacher and the learners that promote critical thinking to support lesson delivery and learning

ii. Differentiation

I have 49 learners in my class. There are 6 advanced students, 14 who need more help, and 1 who is partially blind. Suggest ways of planning week 3 lesson to accommodate these learners.

iii. Learning activities

For Week 3, I have 49 learners in my class. There are 6 advanced students and 14 who need more help. Provide recommendations for experiential learning activities for a 2-hour lesson, structured into introduction, main lesson, and closure.

iv. Assessment tasks

Create three test items: 1 at Dok level 1, 2 at Dok level 2 and 1 at Dok level 3 for the recommended assessment. The duration should be 25 minutes. Provide a mark scheme or rubrics for this assessment.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.1 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Learning activities

Give learning activities that conform to the key notes on differentiation and promote national values.

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- differentiation
- c. assessment tasks, etc.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

- 2.2 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.3 Share your experience with the group.

3.0 Enactment (25 minutes)

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

4.0 Reflection (10 minutes)

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 3 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - a. read PLC Session 4, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 4: Preparing for Student Transcript Portal Assessment – Portfolio

1.0 Introduction (10 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing on assessment in PLC Session 3, that you
 - a. applied in your lesson delivery
 - b. found challenging and how you addressed it.
- 1.2 Share one challenge you encountered while populating your learning plan for week 4 before the session that you would like to discuss during this PLC session.
- 1.3 Read and discuss the Purpose, Learning Outcome (LO) and Learning Indicators (LIs) for the session.

Purpose: The purpose of this session is to use the subject–specific App to

- 1. review the completed learning plan for week 4
- 2. prepare assessment tasks and rubrics for portfolio

Learning Outcome (LO): To review the learning plan for week 4 and address any challenges in planning and developing assessment tasks for the portfolio (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Review the learning plan and address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Discuss, develop and review assessment tasks with rubrics for the portfolio.

2.0 Reviewing the Learning Plan (20 minutes)

2.1 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject-specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.q.

Essential questions

Suggest essential questions that direct learners to critically access their learning throughout the activities.

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. learning activities
- differentiation
- assessment tasks, etc.

3.0 Prepare to Assign, Assess and Record for the Student Transcript Portal (50 minutes)

3.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual for the key assessment to be recorded in the Student Transcript Portal and have a chat with the subject-specific App to review or develop your assessment tasks and mark schemes/rubrics (NTS 2a-2c, 2e-2h and 3j-3q).

E.g.

Portfolio

Recommend assessment tasks to create a Portfolio with reference to the teacher manual. The assessment tasks should cover weeks 2 to 23 and to be submitted at the end of week 23.



Note

One chat may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks

3.2 Have a chat with your App to verify the suggested assessment tasks and discuss the suitability of the responses from activity 3.1. Use the suggestions to refine the assessment tasks (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q). In doing this activity, consider:

E.g.

i. Task

Review the Portfolio generated to suit proficient and approaching proficient learners

ii. Mark scheme and score distribution Give marks scheme for scoring the assessment tasks

iii. Resources needed for assessment administration Suggest resources learners need to execute these tasks

iv. How to provide feedback

Give feedback for learners during and after scoring the assessment task.

4.0 Reflection (10 minutes)

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 4 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - mark, record and upload your learners' assessment scores in the Student Transcript Portal (NTS 3j, 3n).
 - b. read PLC Session 5, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - c. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - d. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching and administration of the assessment for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 5: History of Christianity: From the Early Church to the Medieval Period

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 4
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 5?
 - If you answered yes, conduct your PLC Session from Activity
 2.0B
 - b. If you answered **no**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 5 on *History of Christianity: From the Early Church to the Medieval Period* using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 5 on History of Christianity: From the Early Church to the Medieval Period (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Suggest essential questions for the teacher and the learners that would encourage learners to reflect on how they can apply their knowledge in the real world.

ii. Differentiation

Out of 75 learners in the class, 1 is partially blind, 70 are approaching proficiency and 5 are proficient. Recommend differentiated strategies to accommodate these learners.

iii. Learning activities

Give learning activities most appropriate for week 5 lesson for a class of 70 learners where 1 is partially blind, 70 are approaching proficiency and 5 are proficient.

iv. Assessment tasks

Recommend summative assessment tasks for week 5 and suggest ways of assigning the tasks during lesson delivery. Include the rubrics for scoring.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers, address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.1 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Differentiation

Review to include differentiation in the learning activities for the uploaded learning plan on History of Christianity

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- b. Learning activities
- c. assessment tasks, etc.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

- 2.2 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.3 Share your experience with the group.

3.0 Enactment (25 minutes)

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

4.0 Reflection (10 minutes)

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 5 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - a. read PLC Session 6, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 6: Preparing for Mid-Semester Examination

1.0 Introduction (10 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing on assessment in PLC Session 5, that you
 - applied in your lesson delivery
 - b. found challenging and how you addressed it.
- 1.2 Share one challenge you encountered while populating your learning plan for week 6 before the session that you would like to discuss during this PLC session.
- 1.3 Read and discuss the Purpose, Learning Outcome (LO) and Learning Indicators (LIs) for the session.

Purpose: The purpose of this session is to use the subject-specific App to

- 1. review the completed learning plan for week 6
- prepare assessment tasks and rubrics for mid-semester examination

Learning Outcome (LO): To review the learning plan for week 6 and address any challenges in planning and developing assessment tasks for the mid-semester examination (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Review the learning plan and address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Discuss, develop and review assessment tasks with rubrics for the mid-semester examination.

2.0 Reviewing the Learning Plan (20 minutes)

2.1 Upload your learning plan into the subject-specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Assessment tasks

Review formative assessments to match with the learning indicator at the appropriate DoK levels for the week

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation
- c. learning activities, etc.

3.0 Prepare for Mid-Semester Examination (50 minutes)

3.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual for the format of the mid-semester examination and use the subject-specific App to review or develop your assessment tasks, mark schemes/rubrics, etc. (NTS 2a-2c, 2e-2h and 3j-3q).

E.g.

For a mid-semester examination, generate a table of specification to cover weeks 1 to 5 at all DoK levels with 20 MCQs and two essay type questions. Ensure that the table of specification follows 30% of the items at DoK level 1, 40% at DoK level 2, and 30% at DoK level 3. Develop test items and ensure indicators are fairly assessed.



Note

In preparing for mid-semester, one chat may not be enough for the App to provide all you need (DoK levels, structure, distribution across DoK levels, etc.)

3.2 Have a chat with your App to review the suggested assessment tasks and discuss the suitability of the responses from activity 3.1. Use the review to refine the responses and complete the set questions (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q). In doing this activity, consider:

E.g.

 Whether the assessment tasks generated follow 30%, 40%, 30% DoK distribution

Check if 30% of the items at DoK level 1, 40% at DoK level 2, and 30% at DoK level 3, covering weeks 1 to 5

ii. Mark scheme and score distribution

Review the marks scheme and scoring for the assessment tasks

iii. Resources needed for assessment administration

Based on the reviewed test items for mid-semester exams, suggest resources needed to successfully administer of the exams

iv. How to provide feedback

Provide feedback plan that supports the varied learners suggesting areas for improving the performance of 20 struggling learners.

4.0 Reflection (10 minutes)

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 6 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).

4.3 Remember to:

- a. mark, record and upload your learners' assessment scores in the Student Transcript Portal.
- b. read PLC Session 7, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
- c. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
- d. identify areas you found challenging in your planning and administering of the assessment for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 7: Religion in the life of Africans (Ghanaians) before the arrival of Christianity

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 6
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 7?
 - If you answered yes, conduct your PLC Session from Activity
 2.0B
 - b. If you answered **no**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 7 on *Religion in the life of Africans (Ghanaians)* before the arrival of Christianity using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 7 on Religion in the life of Africans (Ghanaians) before the arrival of Christianity and the significance of DNA in eukaryotic cell (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Propose essential questions that will support a class of 35 learners with access to localised resources

ii. Differentiation

Suggest differentiation strategies for 35 learners, of which 8 are highly proficient and 17 are working towards proficiency.

iii. Learning activities

Recommend teaching and learning activities for 50 learners, of which 8 are highly proficient and 17 are working towards proficiency, that is based on the learning tasks and pedagogies in the teacher manual for week 7.

iv. Assessment tasks

For 35 learners: 6 are highly proficient and 17 are working towards proficiency, suggest a summative assessment task and rubrics at DoK level 4 that is based on the learning tasks in the teacher manual for week 7.



Note

- Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers, address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.2 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Assessment tasks

For a class of 50 learners: 6 are proficient and 4 a4re working towards proficiency, review the summative assessment task and rubrics in my learning plan to achieve the learning tasks in the teacher manual and suggest areas for improvement.

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation
- c. learning activities, etc.



- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans

- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.
- 2.3 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- **2.4** Share your experience with the group.

3.0 Enactment (25 minutes)

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- **4.1** Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 7 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - read PLC Session 8, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 8: The historical backgrounds of Christianity in Ghana

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 7
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 8?
 - a. If you answered **yes**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0B
 - b. If you answered no, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 8 on the historical backgrounds of Christianity in Ghana, using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 8 on the historical backgrounds of Christianity in Ghana (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Suggest essential questions that will promote truthful application of the knowledge from the lesson.

ii. Differentiation

For Week 8 lesson, the class is 53 learners: 9 are advanced and 14 are struggling. They have access to the internet. Suggest ways to differentiate the lesson effectively

iii. Learning activities

suggest experiential learning activities, structured into introduction, main lesson, and closure and is in line with the pedagogies for the week.

iv. Assessment tasks

The class can use online resources and visual aids. Recommend 2 test items for DoK level 2, 1 test item for DoK level 3, and 1 test items for DoK level 4 for a 35-minute case study assessment, along with rubrics.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.2 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Essential questions

For a class of 53 learners: 9 are advanced and 14 are struggling with access to online resources, review the essential questions in the attached lesson to help promote application of the knowledge for week 8 lesson

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. learning activities
- b. differentiation
- c. assessment tasks, etc.

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

- 2.3 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.4 Share your experience with the group.

3.0 Enactment (25 minutes)

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 8 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - a. read PLC Session 9, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 9: The Influence of the arrival of Christianity on African Indigenous Religion (AIR)

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 8
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 9?
 - If you answered yes, conduct your PLC Session from Activity
 2.0B
 - b. If you answered **no**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 9 on the influence of the arrival of Christianity on African Indigenous Religion (AIR), using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 9 on The Influence of the arrival of Christianity on African Indigenous Religion (AIR) (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

Essential questions

Develop 4 guiding questions for teacher and learners that should be considered for 3 auditory learners and 10 tactile learners in a class to promote effective class participation

ii. Differentiation

Give differentiation strategies to guide the lesson for week 9

iii. Learning activities

Give experiential learning activities for a 2-hour lesson in line with week 9 in the teacher manual

iv. Assessment tasks

Develop formative assessment tasks for a debate in week 9 for a class of 69: 6 auditory learners and 5 tactile learners



Note

- Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.2 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.q.

Learning activities

review the experiential learning activities in the attached learning plan for week 9 that is in line with the teacher manual

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- differentiation
- c. assessment tasks, etc.



- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.
- 2.3 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- **2.4** Share your experience with the group.

3.0 Enactment (25 minutes)

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 9 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - read PLC Session 10, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 10: The contributions of Christianity to the development of Ghana

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 9
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- **1.2** Have you developed your learning plan for week 10?
 - If you answered yes, conduct your PLC Session from Activity
 2.0B
 - b. If you answered **no**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 10 on the contributions of Christianity to the development of Ghana using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 10 on the contributions of Christianity to the development of Ghana (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Generate a list of essential questions to guide the lesson for week 10 on the contributions of Christianity to the development of Ghana

ii. Differentiation

Suggest the differentiated learning in line with the learning tasks in the teacher annual for the week.

iii. Learning activities

Create learning activities that specifically caters for the needs of 1 partially blind and 15 approaching proficient learners in a class. The activities must suit the pedagogical exemplars suggested for teaching week 10.

iv. Assessment tasks

Develop summative group assessment tasks for learners, attach the rubrics for scoring assessment tasks



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.2 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Differentiation

For a class of 25 learners: 1 partially blind, 15 approaching proficiency learners with n access to local resources, review the differentiation strategies used in the attached learning plan to suit learners learning abilities

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- b. Learning activities
- c. assessment tasks, etc.



- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans

- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.
- 2.3 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.4 Share your experience with the group.

3.0 Enactment (25 minutes)

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- **4.1** Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 10 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - read PLC Session 11, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 11: The main beliefs of Christianity

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 10
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- **1.2** Have you developed your learning plan for week 11?
 - a. If you answered **yes**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0B
 - b. If you answered no, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 11 on the main beliefs of Christianity using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 11 on the main beliefs of Christianity (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Provide essential questions related to real-world implications of the main beliefs of Christianity that will provoke critical thinking and honesty in classroom discussions.

ii. Differentiation

Suggest strategies for differentiating learning for 60 learners: 6 high proficient, 20 proficient and the remaining are approaching proficiency

iii. Learning activities

Develop specific learning activities based on suggested strategies in the teacher manual for teaching week 11 lesson on the main beliefs of Christianity

iv. Assessment tasks

Develop formative assessment activities based on the learning tasks and Dok levels for week 11 and suggest assessment rubrics for the tasks.



Note

- Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.2 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.q.

Assessment tasks

Review the formative assessment test items throughout the lessons and recommend alternatives for inappropriate test items for achieving the learning tasks

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation
- c. learning activities, etc.

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.
- 2.3 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.4 Share your experience with the group.

3.0 Enactment (25 minutes)

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 11 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - read PLC Session 12, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 12: Preparing for End of Semester Examination

1.0 Introduction (10 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing on assessment in PLC Session 11 that you
 - applied in your lesson delivery
 - b. found challenging and how you addressed it.
- 1.2 Share one challenge you encountered while populating your learning plan for week 12 before the session that you would like to discuss during this PLC session.
- 1.3 Read and discuss the Purpose, Learning Outcome (LO) and Learning Indicators (LIs) for the session.

Purpose: The purpose of this session is to use the subject-specific App to

- 1. review the completed learning plan for week 12
- prepare assessment tasks and rubrics for end of semester examination

Learning Outcome (LO): To review the learning plan for week 12 on denominational differences in interpretation of Christian beliefs, and address any challenges in planning and developing assessment tasks for the end of semester examination (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Review the learning plan and address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Discuss, develop and review assessment tasks with rubrics for the end of semester examination.

2.0 Reviewing the Learning Plan (20 minutes)

2.1 Upload your learning plan into the subject-specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.q.

Essential questions

Review the essential questions to match the learning indicator

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. learning activities
- b. differentiation
- assessment tasks, etc.

3.0 Prepare for End of Semester Examination (50 minutes)

3.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual for the format of the end of semester examination and use the subject-specific App to review or develop your assessment tasks, mark schemes/rubrics, etc. (NTS 2a-2c, 2e-2h and 3i-3q).

E.g.

Referring to appendix D for Table of Specification for end of semester exanimation, develop assessment tasks to cover weeks 1 to 11 in the teacher manual.

Based on the table of specification, suggest

- a. 40 multiple-choice
- b. 5 detailed essay type questions
- c. Rubric

The examination duration is 2 hours. Ensure MCQ test items have the options for each stem arranged alphabetically.



Note

In preparing for mid-semester or end of semester examination, one chat may not be enough for the App to provide all you need (DoK levels, structure, distribution across DoK levels, etc.)

3.2 Have a chat with your App to review the suggested assessment tasks and discuss the suitability of the responses from activity 3.1. Use the review to refine the responses and complete the set questions (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q). In doing this activity, consider:

E.g.

i. Whether the assessment tasks generated follow 30%, 40%, 30% DoK distribution

Check if the end of semester assessment tasks has 30% of the items at DoK level 1, 40% at DoK level 2, and 30% at DoK level 3. If not, suggest corrective action and apply it to the test items(s).

ii. Mark scheme and score distribution

Develop mark scheme and rubrics to conform to the requirements of the examination

iii. Resources needed for assessment administration

Suggest resources needed before and during the administration of the examination to promote honesty

iv. How to provide feedback

Provide effective feedback that supports the varied learners for improvement in the performance of the learners."

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 12 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - mark, record and upload your learners' assessment scores in the Student Transcript Portal.
 - b. read PLC Session 13, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - bring along your Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - d. identify areas you found challenging in your planning and administering of the assessment for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 13: The effects of misinterpretations of beliefs of Christianity

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 12
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- **1.2** Have you developed your learning plan for week 13?
 - If you answered yes, conduct your PLC Session from Activity
 2.0B
 - b. If you answered **no**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 13 on *the effects of misinterpretations of beliefs of Christianity* using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 13 on the effects of misinterpretations of beliefs of Christianity (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Suggest essential questions that will help learners evaluate their understanding and encourage reflection on their learning process for week 13.

ii. Differentiation

What roles can be assigned to visual, dyslexic or tactile learners with access to online resources, in the learning process to encourage active participation in lessons for week 13 on the effects of misinterpretations of beliefs of Christianity

iii. Learning activities

Create experiential learning activities based on the learning tasks for the week as in the teacher manual.

iv. Assessment tasks

The recommended mode of assessment is skit making suggest 2 tasks at DoK level 4 for a 30-minute skit, along with rubrics. Suggest how to assign the assessment tasks in the learning plan.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.1 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Essential questions

I have 70 learners: 6 are advanced learners and 15 are struggling and there is access to internet. Give essential questions to align with the activities in the learning plan

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- differentiation
- b. learning activities
- c. assessment tasks, etc.

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

- 2.2 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.3 Share your experience with the group.

3.0 Enactment (25 minutes)

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 13 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - a. read PLC Session 14, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 14: Preparing for Student Transcript Portal Assessment – Individual Project

1.0 Introduction (10 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing on assessment in PLC Session 13 that you
 - a. applied in your lesson delivery
 - b. found challenging and how you addressed it.
- 1.2 Share one challenge you encountered while populating your learning plan for week 14 before the session that you would like to discuss during this PLC session.
- 1.3 Read and discuss the Purpose, Learning Outcome (LO) and Learning Indicators (LIs) for the session.

Purpose: The purpose of this session is to use the subject–specific App to

- 1. review the completed learning plan for week 14
- prepare assessment tasks and rubrics for individual project work.

Learning Outcome (LO): To review the learning plan for week 14 on the influence of African Indigenous Religion on Christianity and address any challenges in planning and developing assessment tasks for the individual project work (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g-3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Review the learning plan and address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Discuss, develop and review assessment tasks with rubrics for the individual project work.

2.0 Reviewing the Learning Plan (20 minutes)

2.1 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject-specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.q.

Learning activities

Review the learning activities to match with the pedagogies for week 14 as proposed in the teacher manual

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation
- assessment tasks, etc.

3.0 Prepare to Assign, Assess and Record for the Student Transcript Portal (50 minutes)

3.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual for the key assessment to be recorded in the Student Transcript Portal and have a chat with the subject-specific App to review or develop your assessment tasks and mark schemes/rubrics (NTS 2a-2c, 2e-2h and 3j-3q).

E.g.

Individual Project work

Refer to the individual project work in the teacher manual at week 14 and based on it develop an individual project task to suit the needs of my approaching proficient learners. Suggest how to organise the project work and provide scoring rubric for the assessment.



Note

One chat may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks

3.2 Have a chat with your App to verify the suggested assessment tasks and discuss the suitability of the responses from activity 3.1. Use the suggestions to refine the assessment tasks (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q). In doing this activity, consider:

E.g.

i. Task

Review the individual project task to meet the diverse needs of all learners

- ii. Mark scheme and score distribution
 - Suggest scoring rubrics for the modified individual project task.
- iii. Resources needed for assessment administration suggest resources learners need to successfully complete the individual project
- iv. How to provide feedback

Recommend clear but targeted feedback to all the learners during and after the project task

- **4.1** Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 14 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - a. mark, record and upload your learners' assessment scores in the Student Transcript Portal (NTS 3j, 3n).
 - b. read PLC Session 15, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - c. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - d. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching and administration of the assessment for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 15: The origins of Christian religious communities and the Characteristics of Christian Communities in Ghana

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 14
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 15?
 - If you answered yes, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0B
 - b. If you answered **no**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 15 on the origins of Christian religious communities and the Characteristics of Christian Communities in Ghana using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 15 on the origins of Christian religious communities and the Characteristics of Christian Communities in Ghana (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.q.

i. Essential questions

Suggest essential questions that will encourage learners to reflective on their learning.

ii. Differentiation

Suggest differentiating approaches to teaching week 15 on the origins of Christian religious communities and the Characteristics of Christian Communities in Ghana to 55 learners

iii. Learning activities

Develop specific learning activities for the differentiation strategies for a 2hour class for week 15 on the origins of Christian religious communities and the Characteristics of Christian Communities in Ghana.

iv. Assessment tasks

Develop summative assessment tasks for report writing at the end of learning activities for week 15 on the origins of Christian religious communities and the Characteristics of Christian Communities in Ghana. Add rubrics for scoring



- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.1 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Learning activities

Review the learning activities in the attached learning plan for week 15 to conform to the pedagogical strategies in the teacher manual

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation
- c. assessment tasks, etc.



- Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans

- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.
- 2.2 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.3 Share your experience with the group.

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- **4.1** Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 15 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - read PLC Session 16, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 16: Changing roles of Christian religious communities in Ghanaian societies

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 15
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 16?
 - If you answered yes, conduct your PLC Session from Activity
 2.0B
 - If you answered no, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 16 on Changing roles of Christian religious communities in Ghanaian societies, using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 16 on Changing roles of Christian religious communities in Ghanaian societies (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

Essential questions

Suggest essential questions for the teacher to guide the planning and delivery of lessons for 7 auditory learners, 4 tactile learners, and the remaining 39 learners in the class, etc.

ii. Differentiation

Develop differentiation strategies for Week 16 lesson for 7 auditory learners, 4 tactile learners, and other 39 learners in the class, etc.

iii. Learning activities

Suggest learning activities for 7 auditory learners, 4 tactile learners, and other 39 learners who have access to educational videos for the week's lesson, etc.

iv. Assessment tasks

Design group assessment tasks for 55 learners and provide rubrics for scoring the assessment tasks, etc.



Note

- Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.2 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Differentiation

The class has 7 auditory learners, 4 tactile learners, and other 39 learners, review the differentiation strategies in the learning plan on Changing roles of Christian religious communities in Ghanaian societies to support learners needs.

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- b. Learning activities
- c. assessment tasks, etc.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.

- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.
- 2.3 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.4 Share your experience with the group.

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 16 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - read PLC Session 17, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 17: Christianity and Inter-Religious Relationships in Ghana

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 16
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- **1.2** Have you developed your learning plan for week 17?
 - a. If you answered **yes**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0B
 - b. If you answered **no**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 17 on Christianity and Inter-Religious Relationships in Ghana, using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 17 on Christianity and Inter-Religious Relationships in Ghana (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Generate essential questions about Christianity and Inter-Religious Relationships in Ghana that will encourage learners' critical thinking and discussion abilities in the learning process for week 17.

ii. Differentiation

Develop differentiation strategies that can be used in learning activities for 45 learners who are proficient with the use of internet resources but lacks regular internet access

iii. Learning activities

Give learning activities on Christianity and Inter-Religious Relationships in Ghana, that will differentiate learning for 45 learners who are proficient with the use of internet resources but lacks internet access.

iv. Assessment tasks

Suggest assessment tasks and its rubrics for a group poster presentation that can be incorporated into the learning plan for week 17. The durations for the task should not exceed 35minutes and should span across DoK levels 1,2 and 3 as per what is in the teacher manual.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.1 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Assessment tasks

Design group poster presentation assessment tasks and rubric for scoring

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- differentiation
- c. Learning activities, etc.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

- 2.2 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.3 Share your experience with the group.

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 17 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - a. read PLC Session 18, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 18: Preparing for Mid-Semester Examination

1.0 Introduction (10 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing on assessment in PLC Session 17 that you
 - applied in your lesson delivery
 - b. found challenging and how you addressed it.
- 1.2 Share one challenge you encountered while populating your learning plan for week 18 before the session that you would like to discuss during this PLC session.
- 1.3 Read and discuss the Purpose, Learning Outcome (LO) and Learning Indicators (LIs) for the session.

Purpose: The purpose of this session is to use the subject-specific App to

- 1. review the completed learning plan for week 18.
- prepare assessment tasks and rubrics for mid-semester examination

Learning Outcome (LO): To review the learning plan for week 18 on interdependence among members of the environment and address any challenges in planning and developing assessment tasks for the mid-semester examination (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g-3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Review the learning plan and address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Discuss, develop and review assessment tasks with rubrics for the mid-semester examination.

2.0 Reviewing the Learning Plan (20 minutes)

2.1 Upload your learning plan into the subject-specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.q.

Learning activities

review the learning activities to match with the pedagogical exemplars in the teacher manual

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- essential questions
- b. differentiation
- assessment tasks, etc.

3.0 Prepare for Mid-Semester Examination (50 minutes)

3.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual for the format of the mid-semester examination and use the subject-specific App to review or develop your assessment tasks, mark schemes/rubrics, etc. (NTS 2a-2c, 2e-2h and 3j-3q).

E.g.

The structure and guidelines for setting the mid-semester examination as in the teacher manual recommends that the mid-semester examination for weeks 13 to 17 should contain 40 multiple-choice questions across DoK levels 1, 2, 3. Recommend multiple-choice test items and Mark scheme.



Note

In preparing for mid-semester or end of semester examination, one chat may not be enough for the App to provide all you need (DoK levels, structure, distribution across DoK levels, etc.)

3.2 Have a chat with your App to review the suggested assessment tasks and discuss the suitability of the responses from activity 3.1. Use the review to refine the responses and complete the set questions (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q). In doing this activity, consider:

E.g.

i. Whether the assessment tasks generated follow 30%, 40%, 30% DoK distribution

Review the mid-semester MCQs to cover 30% of level 1, 40% of level 2, 30% of levels 3 and 4

ii. Mark scheme and score distribution

Review to make changes to the scoring of the test items.

iii. Resources needed for assessment administration

Suggest resources that would be needed before and during the administering of the examination.

iv. How to provide feedback

Provide effective feedback that supports the varied learners to improve their performance

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 18 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - mark, record and upload your learners' assessment scores in the Student Transcript Portal.
 - b. read PLC Session 19, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - c. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - d. identify areas you found challenging in your planning and administering of the assessment for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 19: Consequences of human activities on the environment

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 18
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 19?
 - a. If you answered **yes**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0B
 - b. If you answered **no**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 19 on *Consequences of human activities on the environment* using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 19 on Consequences of human activities on the environment (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Provide essential questions for the teacher and learners related to Consequences of human activities on the environment. The questions should promote learners' understanding and engagement in learning.

ii. Differentiation

Outline how to differentiate engaging lessons for 45 learners out of which 13 are proficient and 10 are approaching proficiency

iii. Learning activities

Suggest learning activities that can be planned for 45 learners out of which 13 are proficient and 10 are approaching proficiency that matches with what is suggested in the teacher manual and learner material.

iv. Assessment tasks

Develop summative individual poster assessment tasks for the lesson on Consequences of human activities on the environment?



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.1 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Assessment tasks

Suggest group assessment tasks for 45 learners out of which 13 are proficient and 10 are approaching proficiency for the week's lesson

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- differentiation
- c. Learning activities, etc.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

- 2.2 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.3 Share your experience with the group.

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 19 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - read PLC Session 20, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 20: The environmental values in the teachings of Christianity

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 19
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 20?
 - a. If you answered **yes**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0B
 - b. If you answered **no**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 20 on Teachings of Christianity on the environment, using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 20 on the environmental values in the teachings of Christianity (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Create essential questions that align with the lesson for week 20 on Teachings of Christianity on the environment

ii. Differentiation

Generate notes on differentiated instruction for 2 learners who have partial visual impairment and others struggling with reading for week 20 lesson on Teachings of Christianity on the environment

iii. Learning activities

Give collaborative learning activities to guide the lesson on Teachings of Christianity on the environment that will conform to what is recommended in the teacher manual for week 20

iv. Assessment tasks

Suggest group poster assessment tasks to be assigned to learners and suggest rubrics for scoring the tasks



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.1 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Essential questions

Review the essential questions in my learning plan on Teachings of Christianity on the environment to cater for the needs of the learners

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- differentiation
- learning activities
- c. assessment tasks, etc.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

- 2.2 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.3 Share your experience with the group.

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 20 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - a. read PLC Session 21, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 21: Christian values regarding the environment

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 20
 - c. the challenges you faced
 - a. how you addressed them
- **1.2** Have you developed your learning plan for week 21?
 - If you answered yes, conduct your PLC Session from Activity
 2.0B
 - b. If you answered **no**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 21 on Christian values regarding the environment, using the subject specific App

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 21 Christian values regarding the environment (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Give essential questions that can help connect Christian values regarding the environment to real-world applications

ii. Differentiation

Outline differentiation strategies to consider for learners who have good IT skills but are approaching proficiency in CRS contents.

iii. Learning activities

What practical activities can support learners who have good IT skills but are approaching proficiency in the lesson in week 21 on Christian values regarding the environment

iv. Assessment tasks

Suggest summative assessment tasks to assess learners who have good IT skills but are approaching proficiency in the lesson on Christian values regarding the environment



Note

- Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.1 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Differentiation

Review the differentiation strategies in the learning plan on Christian values regarding the environment to support learners approaching proficiency

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- essential questions
- b. learning activities
- c. assessment tasks, etc.

Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

- 2.2 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.3 Share your experience with the group.

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 21 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - a. read PLC Session 22, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 22: Christian and AIR values on the protection of the environment

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 21
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 22?
 - If you answered yes, conduct your PLC Session from Activity
 2.0B
 - b. If you answered **no**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 22 on Christian and AIR values on the protection of the environment, using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 22 on Christian and AIR values on the protection of the environment (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Suggest essential questions that will promote inquiry and exploration of Christian and AIR values on the protection of the environment for a class of 25 learners with access to internet.

ii. Differentiation

Generate notes on differentiation techniques to be applied in week 22 on Christian and AIR values on the protection of the environment for 25 learners who are proficient.

iii. Learning activities

For a class of 25 learners who are proficient with the use of internet, outline teaching and learning activities that follows what is in the teacher manual for week 22

iv. Assessment tasks

Suggest formative assessment tasks to promote discussions on Christian and AIR values on the protection of the environment



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.1 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Learning activities

For 25 learners who are highly proficient and proficient with the use of internet tools, review the learning activities in the attached plan on Christian and AIR values on the protection of the environment in alignment with the teacher manual and suggest areas for improving the writing skills of the learners.

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation
- c. assessment tasks, etc.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.

- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.
- 2.2 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.3 Share your experience with the group.

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- **4.1** Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 22 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - read PLC Session 23, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 23: Science, Technology and the Environment: Challenges in using Science and Technology alone to solve environmental problems

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 22
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 23?
 - If you answered yes, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0B
 - b. If you answered **no**, conduct your PLC Session from Activity 2.0A

Hint



You cannot conduct PLC on Activity 2.0B if you <u>have not</u> prepared your learning plan

2.0A Planning and Reviewing of Learning Plan (50 minutes)

Purpose: The purpose for this session is to populate the learning planner for week 23 on *Science*, *Technology and the Environment:* Challenges in using Science and Technology alone to solve environmental problems using the subject specific App.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner with the essential questions, differentiation, learning activities and key assessments and use the subject specific App to review your populated learning plan (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Populate the learning planner using the subject specific App

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity from your reviewed learning plan.

2.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual and have a chat with your subject specific App to develop your learning plan for Week 23 on Science, Technology and the Environment: Challenges in using Science and Technology alone to solve environmental problems (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Give essential questions that can illustrate Challenges in using Science and Technology alone to solve environmental problems

ii. Differentiation

Suggest 3 ways to support learners with ADHD in exploring connections with learning

iii. Learning activities

Suggest 3 practical learning activities that can be used to achieve the Week 23 learning indicators.

iv. Assessment tasks

Recommend group discussion assessment tasks and rubrics that will assess learners understanding of week 23 lesson



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

Hint



Move to Activity 3.0

2.0B Reviewing the Learning Plan and Addressing Challenges in Planning, Delivering and Assessing Lessons (50 minutes)

Purpose: To support teachers address challenges they may have during lesson preparation and delivery.

Learning Outcome (LO): To address specific concerns of teachers in planning, teaching and assessment.

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Enact an activity in preparation to teach the lesson.

2.1 Upload your completed learning plan into the subject specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.g.

Assessment tasks

Review group discussion assessment tasks to suit 45 learners who are proficient

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation
- c. Learning activities, etc.



Note

- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate National Values, GESI, SEL and 21st century skills in your learning activities, assessment tasks and rubrics/mark scheme.

- 2.2 Identify a challenging area or issue and chat with your subject specific App for steps on how to address it for effective lesson delivery (NTS 3j).
- 2.3 Share your experience with the group.

- **3.1** Enact a teaching activity in your plan (NTS 1b, 1f, 1g, 2c, 2e, 2f and 3c-3j).
- 3.2 Reflect on the activity enacted to improve lesson delivery (NTS 1a).
- 3.3 Ask for feedback on the activity enacted (NTS 1a, 1e, 2c and 3o).



Note

You may record the enacted activity.

- 4.1 Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 23 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to:
 - a. read PLC Session 24, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
 - b. bring along your laptop, Teacher Manual and PLC Handbook in preparation for the next session (NTS 3a).
 - c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 24: Preparing for End of Semester Examination

1.0 Introduction (10 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing on assessment in PLC Session 23 that you
 - applied in your lesson delivery
 - b. found challenging and how you addressed it.
- 1.2 Share one challenge you encountered while populating your learning plan for week 24 before the session that you would like to discuss during this PLC session.
- 1.3 Read and discuss the Purpose, Learning Outcome (LO) and Learning Indicators (LIs) for the session.

Purpose: The purpose of this session is to use the subject-specific App to

- 1. review the completed learning plan for week 24
- prepare assessment tasks and rubrics for end of semester examination

Learning Outcome (LO): To review the learning plan for week 24 on integrating Christian values into science and technology to solve environmental problems and address any challenges in planning and developing assessment tasks for the end of semester examination (NTS 2b, 2c, 2e, 2f, 3a, 3d, 3e, 3g–3k and 3o).

Learning Indicator (LI) 1: Review the learning plan and address challenges in the preparation and delivery of a lesson.

Learning Indicator (LI) 2: Discuss, develop and review assessment tasks with rubrics for the end of semester examination.

2.0 Reviewing the Learning Plan (20 minutes)

2.1 Upload your learning plan into the subject-specific App. Have a chat with your App to verify the following and discuss their suitability to reflect the diverse needs of learners in your class (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q).

E.q.

Differentiation

Suggest differentiation strategies to help both slow and highly proficient learners to understand the week's lesson

Hint



Continue chatting with your App to verify the following and use the responses to complete your plan

- essential questions
- b. learning activities
- assessment tasks, etc.

3.0 Prepare for End of Semester Examination (50 minutes)

3.1 Refer to your Teacher Manual for the format of the end of semester examination and use the subject-specific App to review or develop your assessment tasks, mark schemes/rubrics, etc. (NTS 2a-2c, 2e-2h and 3j-3q).

E.q.

Refer to the teacher manual for the structure, guidelines and table of specifications for setting the end of semester examination. The assessment tasks developed should be based on the learning indicators in weeks 13 to 24, and suggest

- a. 40 multiple-choice questions
- 5 detailed essay type questions where learners will answer any 3 questions.
- Scoring Rubrics

The examination duration is 2 hours. Ensure MCQ test items have the options for each stem arranged alphabetically.



Note

In preparing for mid-semester or end of semester examination, one chat may not be enough for the App to provide all you need (DoK levels, structure, distribution across DoK levels, etc.)

3.2 Have a chat with your App to review the suggested assessment tasks and discuss the suitability of the responses from activity 3.1. Use the review to refine the responses and complete the set questions (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c and 3e-3q). In doing this activity, consider:

E.g.

 Whether the assessment tasks generated follow 30%, 40%, 30% DoK distribution

Check if the end of semester assessment tasks has 30% of the items at DoK level 1, 40% at DoK level 2, and 30% at DoK level 3.

ii. Mark scheme and score distribution

Per the reviewed assessment tasks, make changes to the mark scheme and scores to conform to the requirements of the examination.

iii. Resources needed for assessment administration

Suggest resources that would be needed before and during the administration of the examination

iv. How to provide feedback

Provide constructive and effective feedback that supports the varied learners for improvement in learning

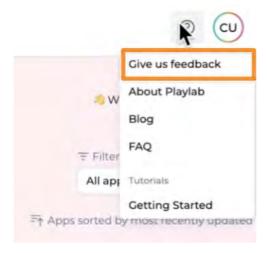
- **4.1** Reflect and share your views on the session (NTS 1a, 1b).
- 4.2 Identify a colleague to observe your lesson in relation to PLC Session 24 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3 Remember to mark, record and upload your learners' assessment scores in the Student Transcript Portal.

Appendix 1: Subject Specific App Teaching & Learning Apps - Issue Reporting Guide

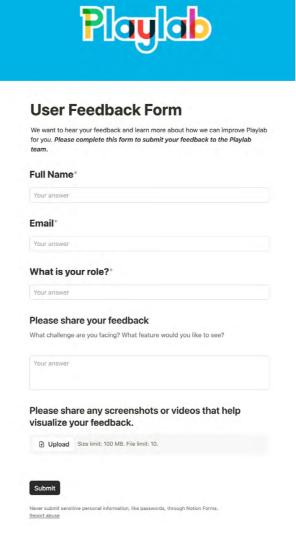
How to Report Issues or Get Support

You have three ways to report issues with the subject-specific apps:

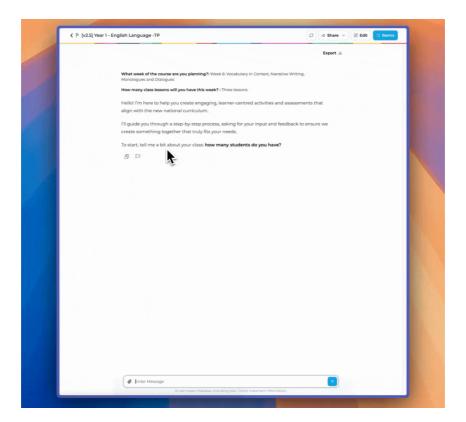
- 1. Email Support
 - For general issues: Send email to: support@playlab.ai
 - Include:
 - Your school name and region
 - Subject app you're using
 - Description of the issue
 - Screenshots or screen recordings (if possible)
 - Best for: School administrators reporting multiple app issues
 - Response time: Within 24 hours
 - If Urgent please include [URGENT] Message Text in your subject line.
- 2. Submit Feedback in Playlab
 - In the app, Click the "Give us Feedback" link in the menu and share feedback.



- Access the Feedback Form here
- Complete the form and upload any supporting documentation. (The more detailed your submission is, the more helpful support will be)



- Best for: Individual teachers reporting specific issues
- Response time: Within 24-48 hours
- In-Chat Flagging
 - Look for the flag button within your chat conversation



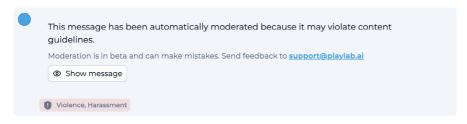
- Click to report biased, inaccurate, or inappropriate messages.
- Best for: Immediate issues with app responses
- There is also in app moderation for both user messages and Al generated responses. You can read more about it here.

What Happens After You Report?

1. The message will be flagged in your user activity. You will see indicators of messages that have been moderated or flagged.



2. You can review the messages in activity. By default the message is hidden unless you click "show message".



Thank you for sharing the details of the incident. Here's the step-by-step analysis and proposed restorative plan based on the provided situation:

 If something is consistently being flagged, you may want to address it in your implementation, make revisions to the app, or contact support@playlab.ai for more guidance.

Tips for Effective Reporting:

- Be specific about what you were trying to do
- Note which subject app you're using
- Include your school and region information
- Describe what happened versus what you expected

Additional Support Resources

- 1 App Basics:
 - Starting a conversation
 - O Scan your QR code to use your app.
 - If you encounter a problem, follow the directions for Escalating an issue.

Video Tutorials

- a Lesson Planning Walkthrough: Step-by-step guide using a real subject app with sample conversations
 - Lesson Plan Development
 - Watch a sample conversation here.
 - As you're using the apps, you can provide specifics on how you might want to differentiate for class needs
 - Assessment Development
 - Watch a sample conversation here.

- As you're using the apps, you can adjust the DOK levels as you create assessments at different complexity levels
- b For any additional questions please refer to the learn.playlab.ai page.

Key Reminders

- 1 Apps are supplemental tools to support your PLC Handbook and Teacher Manual—not replace them
- 2 Always refer to official curriculum documents as your primary resource
- 3 Use your professional judgment to adapt app suggestions for your classroom context

Appendix 2: Learning Planner Templete

Name of Subject:	Name of Subject:						
Learning Planner Template	Learning Planner Template Year Two						
Number of Learners in Class		Week		Duration		Form	
Strand							
Sub-Strand							
Content Standard							
Learning Outcome(s)							
Learning Indicator(s)							
Essential Question(s)							
Pedagogical Strategies							
Teaching & Learning Resources							
Key Notes on Differentiation							
Identify the different learner needs in your class and make notes on how to cater for them during the lesson							
Lesson							
(complete per number of lessons for the week)							
Refer to the Teacher Manual and Learner Material to complete this section							
Introduction							
Main Lesson							
Closure							

Key Assessment					
1. Formative					
Assessment Mode:					
Task:					
Mark Scheme:					
2. Key Assessment for Student Transcript Portal					
Assessment Mode:					
Task:					
Rubric/Mark Scheme:					
Reflection & Remarks					

Appendix 3: Teacher Lesson Observation Form

Teacher Lesson Observation Form

16	actiet Lessoti	Observati				
Nam	ne of School					
Subj	ect being observed					
Clas	s					
	Yea	r1	Year 2	Year 3		
Sex	of the teacher		Male	Female		
1.	Is the purpose of the lesson clearly stated in the lesson plan and focused on learners achieving the lesson learning outcomes?					
	Yes	In Part	No	NA		
b1.	Please provide an e	xplanation to yo	ur answer in Q1 above	!		
2.	 Are the unique needs of female learners, male learners, and learners with special education needs adequately catered for in the lesson plan? For example, the choice of teaching methods and learning activities reflects/does not reflect the learning needs of all learners. 					
For e	xample, the choice of	teaching method	ls, and learning activiti	es.		
	Yes	In Part	No	NA		

2b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your ansv	ver in Q2 above			
3.	Does the teacher manage behavior well, maintaining a positive and non-threatening learning environment throughout the lesson?					
	Yes	In Part	No	NA		
3b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your ansv	ver in Q3 above			
4.	Are appropriate teaching and learning materials and other resources (including ICT, books, desks) available, accessible and being used to support learning of all females, males and learners with special education needs?					
	Yes	In Part	No	NA		
4b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your ansv	ver in Q4 above			
5.	Are leaners engaged standards?	d on tasks that challeng	ge them in line with th	e content		
Does	the teacher take into	consideration the uniqu	eness of learners?			
	Yes	In Part	No	NA		
5b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your answ	ver in Q5 above			
6.	Is there evidence the	at students are learning	g?			
	Yes	In Part	No	NA		

6b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your ansv	wer in Q6 above			
7.	Is teaching diferentiated to cater for the varied needs of all learners (i.e., male learners, female learners, learners with special education needs) and those with poor literacy and/or numeracy proficiency?					
	Yes	In Part	No	NA		
7b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your ansv	wer in Q7 above			
8.	Does the teacher us concepts?	e real life examples wh	ich are familiar to lea	rners to explair		
	Yes	In Part	No	NA		
8b	Please provide an e	xplanation to your ans	wer in Q8 above			
9.		oint out or question tra lessons as appropriate		when they		
	Yes	In Part	No	NA		
9b.	Please provide an e	xplanation to your ans	wer in Q9 above			
10.	Does the lesson include appropriate interactive and creative approaches e.g., group work, role play, storytelling to support learners achieving the learning outcomes?					
If yes	, give examples of the	issues and skills that ha	ve been so integrated.			
	Yes	In Part	No	NA		

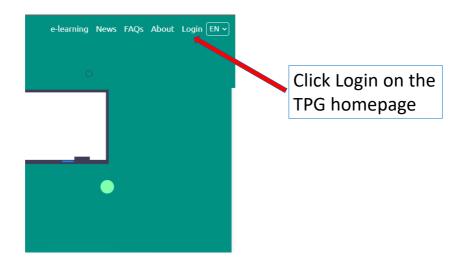
10b.	o. Please provide an explanation to your answer in Q10 above				
11.	Have cross-cutting issues and /or 21st century skills been integrated into the lesson to support learners in achieving the learning outcomes e.g., problemsolving, critical thinking, communication? If yes, give examples of the issues and skills that have been so integrated.				
	Yes	In Part	No	NA	
11b.	If yes, give example	s of the issues and skill	s that have been so in	itegrated.	
12.	Does the teacher in	corporate ICT into thei	r practice to support l	earning?	
	Yes	In Part	No	NA	
12b.	. Please provide an explanation to your answer in Q12 above				
12	Decemberates			:	
13.	Does the teacher encourage all female male and male learners (including those who may be shy or afraid to speak) to ask questions, answer questions, participate in group work, etc. during the lesson?				
	Yes	In Part	No	NA	
13b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your ansv	wer in Q13 above		
	•				
14.	Is assessment evident in the lesson? If yes, does it include assessment as, for or of learning and go beyond recall?				
If yes, did it include assessment of, for or as learning and go beyond recall?					
	Yes	In Part	No	NA	

14b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your ansv	ver in Q14 above	
15.	Do learners make us	se of feedback from tea	acher and peers?	
	Yes	In Part	No	NA
15b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your ansv	wer in Q15 above	
16.	Does the teacher su learning outcomes v	m up the lesson and ev with the learners?	aluate the lesson aga	inst the
	Yes	In Part	No	NA
16b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your ansv	wer in Q16 above	
17.		lanning of lessons tau arning over time, consi		
	Yes	In Part	No	NA
17b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your answ	wer in Q17 above	
18.	Does the teacher pa during group work a	y attention to the com and assigns females lea	position of females andership roles.	nd males
	Yes	In Part	No	NA
18b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your answ	wer in Q18 above	

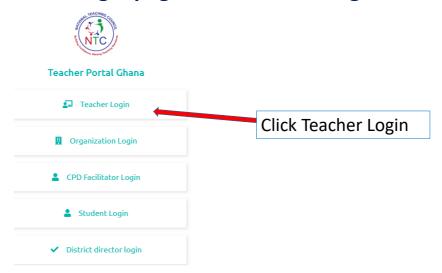
19.	Does the teacher provide constructive verbal feedback to both females and males and learners with special education needs?				
	Yes	In Part	No	NA	
19b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your ansv	wer in Q19 above		
20.	Does the teacher pr males and learners	ovide constructive wri with special education	tten feedback to both needs in their exercis	females and e book?	
	Yes	In Part	No	NA	
20b.	Please provide an ex	xplanation to your ansv	wer in Q20 above		
21.	Key strengths in the lesson				
22.	Areas for development				
	acveropment				
23.	Next steps for				
	teacher				
Additional Notes (on teacher's actions, the flow of activities, etc.)					

Appendix 4: How to check CPD Points and Training Records on Teacher Portal Ghana

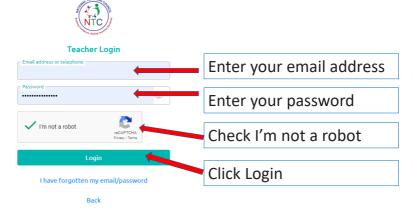
1. Visit tpg.ntc.gov.gh and click Login



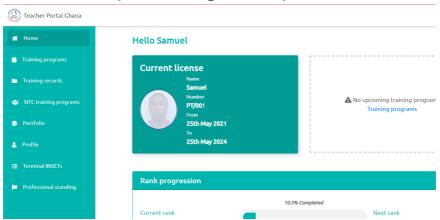
2. On the Login page, click Teacher Login



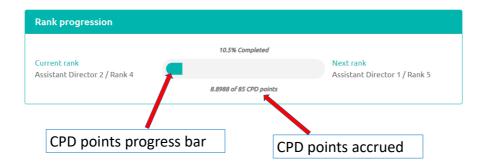
3. On the Teacher Login page enter your email address and password and then click Login



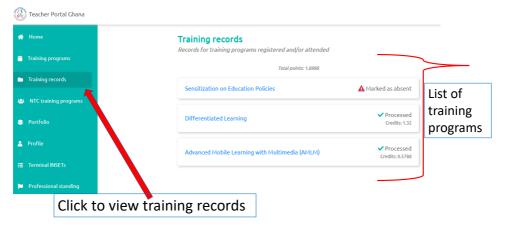
4. After a successful login you will get access to your TPG account (Check image below)



5. To check CPD points, scroll down to Rank progression. You will see the CPD points progress bar and actual points accrued (Check image below)



6. To view training records, from the side menu tap on Training records (Check image below)



THANK YOU

