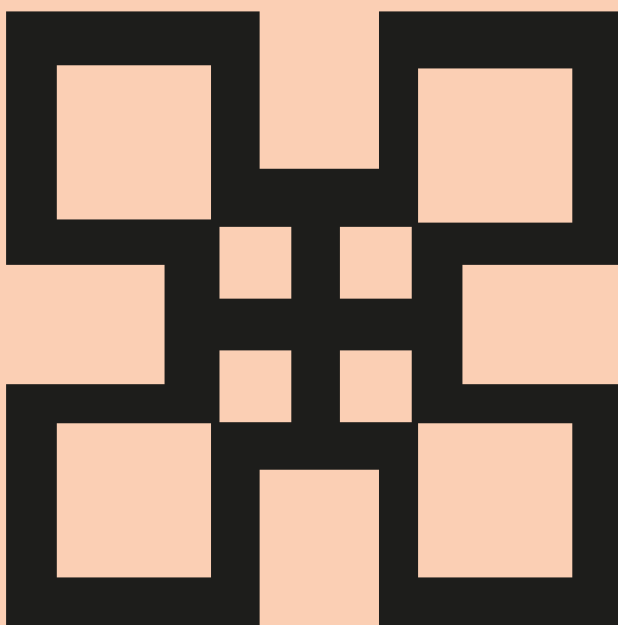


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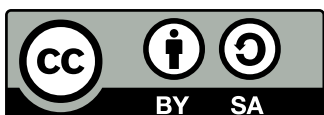
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Foreword

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.

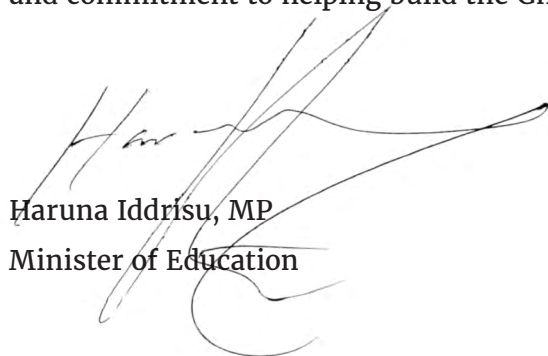
By fostering a culture of collaboration and continuous improvement through PLCs, teachers can enhance their understanding of the new SHS curriculum and effectively facilitate learning in the classroom. This will contribute to our country's resetting agenda by educating a generation of young people with 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
7. 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)

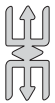
- 2.1** Scan the QR Code or use the link to access your Subject Specific App – <https://www.playlab.ai/project/cmdxjohhq2uwtno0vln690jg1>



- 2.2** Have a chat with the Subject Specific App (NTS 3j).

E.g.

- Select a section and the number of lessons you have in a week to start the App
- 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
- 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.g.

- 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 learners are comfortable in the local language than in English. How can they be catered for in the lesson and assessment?

Hint



Remember to ask your 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).

- a. two things you learnt using the App and how you plan to apply them.
- b. two advantages of using the App
- c. 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.*

- c. *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

- a. *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

- d. *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.*



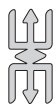
Note

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.g.

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

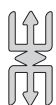


Note

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: Sources of Writing History

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 sources of writing history with the needed areas using the subject-specific App to review the completed learning plan.

Learning Outcome (LO): To populate the learning planner on sources of writing history 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 on week 1 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 sources of writing history (NTS 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Generate 4 open-ended essential questions for Week 1 on Sources of Writing History to promote higher-order thinking, ensure critical analysis of source authenticity and reliability in historical research, and have at least one of the questions should focus on GESI, Core competencies, and values in the lessons.

ii. Differentiation

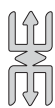
Create differentiation strategies for my Week 1 lessons on sources of writing history. I have 35 learners in a rural school with limited internet access. Mixed learning preferences with 15 visual learners, 12 auditory learners, and 8 kinaesthetic learners.

iii. Learning activities

I am developing a lesson on Primary and Secondary Sources of History. The duration of my lesson is 120 minutes. There are 35 learners in my class. Two of these learners are blind. My school is in a rural area with limited resources. Most learners are in the boarding house and cannot have access to community-based sources. Suggest learning activities from the Teacher Manual that will be relevant for this lesson.

iv. Assessment tasks

Generate a source analysis task for Week 1 on Primary and Secondary Sources of History. Duration: 20 minutes. Refer to the Teacher Manual and Learner Material for examples of historical sources. Follow the recommended assessment guidelines and DoK levels from the Teacher Manual for this week. Include a detailed mark scheme.



Note

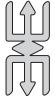
- i.** Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks.
- ii.** Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans. Click the link or scan the QR code to download the template <https://curriculumresources.edu.gh/wp-content/uploads/2025/09/Year-Two-Lesson-Planner-Template-20.docx>
- iii.** Chat with your App to learn how to integrate Historical Thinking skills, 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).



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 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:

- a.** 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 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

I have 2 lessons in Week 2 for 120 minutes each. My school is located in a rural farming community where most parents are subsistence farmers growing cocoa and cassava. We have limited internet connectivity that works only intermittently, no library, and rely mainly on a few donated textbooks. The community has an old colonial-era cocoa warehouse that is now abandoned. Review my learning plan and suggest learning activities that suit my context.

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.

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

The Teacher Manual recommends that I assign a group project in Week 2. Study the guidelines for assigning a group project in the Teacher Manual and design an appropriate group project task and its scoring rubrics.



Note

- i. One prompt may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks.
- ii. You may need to attach to the App, primary and/or secondary sources if you need a source analysis task and rubrics.

- 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

Check the group project task generated to see if it appropriately aligns with the learning outcome and indicators in the Teacher Manual. Revise if they do not align.

ii. Mark scheme and score distribution

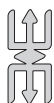
Verify the scoring rubrics against the suggested requirements in the Teacher Manual to suit different learning abilities.

iii. Resources needed for assessment administration

Based on the revised group project task, suggest essential resources needed for effective administration. I am administering the group project assessment in my rural farming community school. We have limited internet connectivity that works only intermittently, no library, and we rely mainly on a few donated textbooks.

iv. How to provide feedback

Based on the revised group project, suggest ways to provide effective feedback to the learners. One of my learners is deaf, and one is visually impaired. Provide an adaptive feedback technique to accommodate these learners.



Note

Use the responses to complete your plan

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: Preparing for Student Transcript Portal Assessment – Portfolio

1.0 Introduction (10 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing on assessment in PLC Session 2 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 3 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 3
- 2. prepare assessment tasks and rubrics for portfolio

Learning Outcome (LO): To review the learning plan for week 3 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.g.

Differentiation

I have uploaded my learning plan for Week 3. Review and suggest differentiation strategies to meet the diverse needs of learners, such as highly proficient (HP), proficient learners (P), and approaching proficiency (AP).

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.

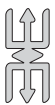
3.0 Prepare to Assign, Assess and Record for the Student Transcript Portal (50 minutes)

- 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

The Teacher Manual recommends that I assign a portfolio assessment covering all weeks. Study the guidelines for portfolio assessment and design an appropriate portfolio task with scoring rubrics that includes evidence of academic work such as individual written work, practical tasks, individual projects, group work, group projects, and personal reflections on learning experiences.



Note

One prompt 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

Check the portfolio assessment task generated to see if it appropriately aligns with the learning outcomes and indicators across the various weeks in the Teacher Manual. Revise the task if alignment is insufficient.

ii. Mark scheme and score distribution

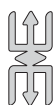
Verify the portfolio scoring rubrics against the suggested requirements in the Teacher Manual and suggest ways of adapting the scoring rubrics to suit different learning abilities.

iii. Resources needed for assessment administration

Suggest learning resources needed for the effective administration of this portfolio assessment.

iv. How to provide feedback

Based on the refined portfolio tasks and rubrics, provide effective feedback techniques to be given to learners.



Note

Use the responses to complete your plan

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.** mark, record and upload your learners' assessment scores in the Student Transcript Portal (NTS 3j, 3n).
- b.** read PLC Session 4, 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 4: Changing patterns of trade with the coming of Europeans

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 3
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 4?
 - 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 **have not** 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 4 on the changing patterns of trade with the coming of Europeans 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 4 on the changing patterns of trade with the coming of Europeans (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e–2h and 3a–3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Develop 4 essential questions for Week 4 on Changing Patterns of Trade with the Coming of Europeans. Questions should require analysis of factors that drove this shift. At least one of the questions must be on how the teacher can effectively integrate historical thinking concepts and cross-cutting issues in the teaching and learning of the week's learning indicators.

ii. Differentiation

Create differentiation strategies for Week 4 lessons. My class consists of 29 learners. Eleven learners need additional support (AP), 16 are proficient (P), and 2 are highly proficient (HP). Learners have reading skills.

iii. Learning activities

I am teaching a lesson in Week 4 on the Demand for gold and ivory from the Gold Coast and the eventual shift to trade in humans. I teach in a rural school with 29 learners in a single classroom. We have limited internet access and a few copies of textbooks. The duration of my lesson is 60 minutes. Develop sequential learning activities for this lesson based on the suggested activities from the Teacher Manual. Integrate cause and effect analysis as historical thinking skills.

iv. Assessment tasks

Design a poster assessment task for Week 4 for a duration of 25 minutes. Refer to the Teacher Manual for DoK levels specified for this focal area. Follow the recommended assessment guidelines from the Teacher Manual for this week. Include adaptive strategies for resource-limited environments and proficiency-based expectations.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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

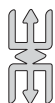
I have uploaded my populated learning plan for Week 4. Review the learning activities to check if they align with the suggested activities in the Teacher Manual. Suggest ways of improving the activities considering my learning environment with 56 learners in a rural community school. My class has no internet connectivity and no primary sources.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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).

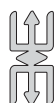
2.3 Share your experience with the group.

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 4 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).

4.3 Remember to:

- a.** read PLC Session 5, 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 5: Processes leading to colonial distribution in the Gold Coast

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?
 - 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 **have not** 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 the processes leading to colonial distribution in the Gold Coast 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 the processes leading to colonial distribution in the Gold Coast (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e–2h and 3a–3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Develop 3 essential questions for Week 5 on Processes Leading to Colonial Distribution in the Gold Coast. Ensure questions promote investigation of how legal documents shaped colonial relationships and territorial control. At least one of the questions must be on how the teacher can effectively integrate historical thinking concepts and cross-cutting issues in the teaching and learning of the week's learning indicators.

ii. Differentiation

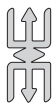
Give differentiation strategies for my Week 5 lessons. My classroom has 40 learners in a traditional area school near Kumasi. 8 learners need additional support (AP), 26 are proficient (P), and 6 are highly proficient (HP). Learners have a strong cultural connection to Asante history.

iii. Learning activities

Develop sequential learning activities for this lesson based on the suggestions from the Teacher Manual. Integrate document analysis and chronological reasoning as historical thinking skills.

iv. Assessment tasks

Construct an observation assessment for Anglo–Asante Wars and their effects, for a class of 30 learners with varying English proficiency levels. Duration for assessment is 30 minutes. Refer to the Teacher Manual for DoK levels specified for this focal area. Provide an observation checklist and scoring rubric.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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 uploaded my learning plan for Week 5. Review the essential questions to encourage analysis of military conflicts as tools of imperial expansion and their lasting impact on Ghanaian society.

Hint



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

- differentiation
- learning activities
- assessment tasks, etc.



Note

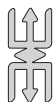
- Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.

- iii. *Chat with your App to learn how to integrate Historical Thinking skills, 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
 - 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 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
2. 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.

Learning activities

I have planned my lessons for the focal areas in Week 6 on Socio-Political Effects of European Presence in Ghana. My class size is 54. There are 3 sessions in the week, and each session has a 60-minute duration. Review my learning activities to help me teach in my rural school context. Tailor the learning activities with some suggested activities in the Teacher Manual.

Hint



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

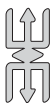
- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation
- c. assessment tasks, etc.

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 recommended assessment mode for Week 6 is a mid-semester examination. The structure of the exams requires 20 multiple-choice questions, 2 essay-type questions across DoK levels 1, 2 and 3. Refer to the Teacher Manual for a sample of Table of Specifications for Mid-Semester Exams and develop a similar one for the set of questions based on the number of weeks I have covered. I have covered the learning indicators from weeks 1 to 4. Create 20 multiple-choice and 2 essay-type questions based on the Table of Specification developed.



Note

- i. In preparing for mid-semester examination, one prompt may not be enough for the App to provide all you need (DoK levels, structure, distribution, mark scheme, etc.)
- ii. You need to always check for the historical accuracy of the outputs from the App and, if necessary, provide additional prompts to refine the response

- 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 whether the assessment tasks generated align with the DoK percentage levels (DoK level 1 = 30%, DoK level 2 = 40%, DoK levels 3 and 4 = 30%).

- ii. Mark scheme and score distribution**

Based on the earlier mark scheme developed, check to confirm and validate historical accuracy.

- iii. Resources needed for assessment administration**

My classroom is overcrowded with 54 learners. Two of my learners are deaf and 1 is physically impaired. The classroom has poor ventilation. The classroom usually gets dark even on sunny days. Suggest appropriate resources and ways I can effectively administer the mid-semester examination.

- iv. How to provide feedback**

Suggest ways I can effectively provide feedback to my 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: Socio-political effects of European presence in Ghana II

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?
 - 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 **have not** 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 the socio-political effects of European presence 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 7 on the socio-political effects of European presence in Ghana. (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Give 4 essential questions for the Effects of European presence on housing, architectural designs, transport and communication sectors in Ghana. Questions should examine how colonial infrastructure development transformed Ghanaian society.

ii. Differentiation

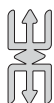
Develop differentiation strategies for my Week 7 lessons. My classroom has 35 learners in a coastal fishing community near Cape Coast. 10 learners need additional support (AP), 20 are proficient (P), and 5 are highly proficient (HP).

iii. Learning activities

I am teaching a lesson in Week 7 on the effects of European presence on the transport and communication sectors. Develop sequential learning activities for this lesson based on the suggestions from the Teacher Manual.

iv. Assessment tasks

Construct a practical assessment for Week 7 on the Effects of European presence on housing and architectural designs, for a class of 35 learners with mixed English and local language proficiency. The duration for the lesson is 40 minutes. Provide clear assessment criteria and a marking rubric.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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.

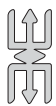
Essential questions

Review my essential questions for Week 7 lessons on European effects on housing, transport, and communication. Verify that questions promote multiple perspectives and critical thinking. Ensure at least one question addresses the effective integration of historical thinking concepts and cross-cutting issues. Suggest improvements for clarity and engagement.

Hint

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

- a. differentiation
- 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 Historical Thinking skills, 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).

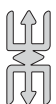
2.3 Share your experience with the group.

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 7 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).

4.3 Remember to:

- a. 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: Socio-political effects of European presence in Ghana III

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 **have not** 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 socio-political effects of European presence in Ghana III 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 socio-political effects of European presence in Ghana III (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Create 4 essential questions for Week 8 on the Structure of the British Political System and the role of Chiefs in the Colonial Political Structure. At least one question must focus on how the teacher can effectively integrate historical thinking concepts and cross-cutting issues in teaching this week's learning indicators.

ii. Differentiation

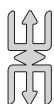
Generate differentiation strategies for my Week 8 lessons for 42 learners, where 9 learners need additional support (AP), 28 are proficient (P), and 5 are highly proficient (HP).

iii. Learning activities

Develop sequential learning activities for this lesson based on the suggestions from the Teacher Manual. Integrate chronological reasoning and historical significance as historical thinking skills.

iv. Assessment tasks

Construct a written assessment for Week 8 for the Role of Chiefs in the Colonial Political Structure and the Native Jurisdiction Ordinance. Refer to the Teacher Manual for DoK levels specified for this focal area. Provide assessment guidelines and scoring criteria.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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 strategies

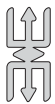
Review my differentiation strategies for Week 8. Verify that strategies accommodate learners with traditional chieftaincy backgrounds and varying English proficiency. Check that activities suit AP, P, and HP learners appropriately.

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.



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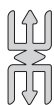
- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate Historical Thinking skills, National Values, 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 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).
 - c.** identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 9: Effects of the European presence on the economy of Ghana I

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?
 - 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 **have not** 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 effects of the European presence on the economy 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 9 on the effects of the European presence on the economy of Ghana (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e–2h and 3a–3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Develop 3 essential questions for Week 9 on Effects of European activities on agricultural and mining sectors and developments in finance sector. Questions should examine economic transformation and its impact on Ghanaian communities.

ii. Differentiation

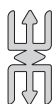
Generate differentiation strategies for my Week 9 lessons. My classroom has 36 learners in a mining community near Obuasi. 8 learners need additional support (AP), 23 are proficient (P), and 5 are highly proficient (HP).

iii. Learning activities

My class has 36 learners with basic resources. However. Develop learning activities for this lesson based on the suggestions from the Teacher Manual. Integrate evidence analysis and economic reasoning as historical thinking skills.

iv. Assessment tasks

Create a formative assessment task for Week 9. The class includes 10 AP learners, 20 P learners, and 6 HP learners. Refer to the Teacher Manual for DoK levels specified for this focal area. Provide guidelines and an assessment rubric.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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

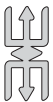
Review my learning activities for Week 9 lessons on European effects on Ghana's economy. Check that activities are sequential and build understanding progressively. Suggest improvements for learner engagement and historical thinking development.

Hint



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

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



Note

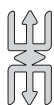
- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate Historical Thinking skills, National Values, 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 9 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).
- 4.3** Remember to:
 - a.** 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: Effects of the European presence on the economy of Ghana II

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?
 - 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 **have not** 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 effects of the European presence on the economy of Ghana II 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 effects of the European presence on the economy of Ghana II (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e–2h and 3a–3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Generate 4 essential questions for Week 10 on Governor Guggisberg's economic contributions, challenges of economic development, and the emergence of Ghanaian entrepreneurs. Questions should promote investigation of both colonial policies and local responses. At least one question must focus on how the teacher can effectively integrate cross-cutting issues in teaching this week's learning indicators.

ii. Differentiation

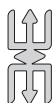
Generate differentiation strategies for my Week 10 lessons to support 11 learners who need additional support (AP), 22 are proficient (P), and 5 are highly proficient (HP).

iii. Learning activities

Develop sequential 60 minutes learning activities for this lesson based on the suggestions from the Teacher Manual. Integrate historical significance and change analysis as historical thinking skills.

iv. Assessment tasks

Develop an oral assessment for Week 10 on Contributions of Governor Guggisberg (1919–1927) in the Economic Sector, for a class of 38 learners with varying speaking confidence.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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.

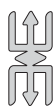
Assessment tasks

Review my assessment tasks for Week 10 lessons on Governor Guggisberg's contributions and Ghanaian entrepreneurs. Verify that assessments appropriately measure understanding of economic leadership and entrepreneurship. Ensure assessments align with DoK levels from 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 strategies
- 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 Historical Thinking skills, 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 10 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).

4.3 Remember to:

- a. 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: Nature of resistance against colonial distribution in Ghana

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 **have not** 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 nature of resistance against colonial distribution 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 11 on the nature of resistance against colonial distribution in Ghana (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e–2h and 3a–3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Develop 4 essential questions that examine various forms of resistance and their effectiveness. At least one question must focus on how the teacher can effectively integrate cross-cutting issues in teaching this week's learning indicators.

ii. Differentiation

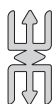
Generate differentiation strategies for my Week 11 lessons. My classroom has 40 learners in a forest region near Bekwai. 12 learners need additional support (AP), 24 are proficient (P), and 4 are highly proficient (HP).

iii. Learning activities

*I am teaching a lesson in Week 11 on **the Poll Tax Ordinance of 1852**. My class has 40 learners with limited resources. However, I have five learners who struggle with reading comprehension and need visual aids. The duration of my lesson is 60 minutes. Develop sequential learning activities for this lesson based on the suggestions from the Teacher Manual. Integrate historical empathy and cause and effect analysis as historical thinking skills.*

iv. Assessment tasks

Create formative assessment tasks for the lessons in Week 11. The class includes 15 AP learners, 20 P learners, and 5 HP learners. Refer to the Teacher Manual for DoK levels specified for the lessons.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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.

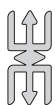
Learning activities and assessment tasks

Review my learning activities and assessment tasks for Week 11 lessons on resistance against colonial distribution. Verify that activities effectively demonstrate various forms of traditional resistance and the impact of the Poll Tax Ordinance.

Hint

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

- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation strategies, 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 Historical Thinking skills, 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).

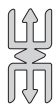
2.3 Share your experience with the group.

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 11 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).

4.3 Remember to:

- a. 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
 - 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 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
- 2. prepare assessment tasks and rubrics for end of semester examination

Learning Outcome (LO): To review the learning plan for week 12 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.g.

Essential Questions

Study the attached learning plan for Week 12. Review my essential questions for the week based on the learning indicators. Identify nationalist movements in Ghana before WWII, and analyse the activities of nationalist movements before WWII. show how the lessons will be applied to daily life and community.

Hint



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

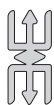
- a. learning activities
- b. differentiation
- c. assessment tasks, etc.

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.g.

Refer to the Teacher Manual for the structure and sample of Table of Specifications for End-of-Semester Exams. Develop a similar one based on the learning indicators from weeks 1 to 11. The Table of Specifications must align with the DoK percentage levels (DoK level 1 = 30%, DoK level 2 = 40%, DoK levels 3 and 4 = 30%).



Note

- i. In preparing for end of semester examination, one prompt may not be enough for the App to provide all you need (DoK levels, structure, distribution across DoK levels, etc).
- ii. You need to always check for the historical accuracy of the outputs from the App and, if necessary, provide additional chats to refine the response

- 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

Verify whether the assessment tasks follow the DoK percentage distribution of level 1 30%, level 2 40%, and levels 3 and 4 30%. Adjust questions if needed.

ii. Mark scheme and score distribution

Check the marking scheme generated for historical accuracy and confirm proper mark allocation across Paper 1 (40 marks), Paper 2 Section A (15 marks), and Paper 2 Section B (45 marks).

iii. Resources needed for assessment administration

My examination venue accommodates 37 learners but has poor ventilation and lighting issues. Five learners have special needs, including visual and hearing challenges. The examination duration is 2 and half hours with limited supervisory staff available. Suggest practical arrangements and contingency measures for effective examination administration.

iv. How to provide feedback

Suggest effective approaches for providing detailed feedback to learners following their end-of-semester examination performance.

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 12 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 13, Teacher Manual and related Learner Material (NTS 3a).
- c.** 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: Preparing for Student Transcript Portal Assessment – Individual Project

1.0 Introduction (10 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing on assessment in PLC Session 12 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 13 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 13
- 2. prepare assessment tasks and rubrics for individual project

Learning Outcome (LO): To review the learning plan for week 13 and address any challenges in planning and developing assessment tasks for the individual 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 individual 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.

Essential Questions

Study my learning plan for Week 13 and review my essential questions to connect to real-life relevance. At least one of the questions must target effective teacher pedagogy.

Hint



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

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

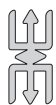
3.0 Prepare to Assign, Assess and Record for the Student Transcript Portal (50 minutes)

- 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

The recommended assessment for week 13 is individual project. Review and revise the individual project task and scoring rubrics in Appendix H of the Teacher Manual



Note

One prompt 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

Based on my revised individual project task, verify with the corresponding learning outcome and indicator(s) in the Teacher Manual for accuracy.

ii. Mark scheme and score distribution

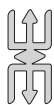
Verify the generated scoring rubrics against the scoring guideline in the Teacher Manual and suggest ways of adapting the rubrics to suit different individual learning needs.

iii. Resources needed for assessment administration

Based on the revised individual project task, suggest the needed resources and ways of effectively administering the task.

iv. How to provide feedback

Based on the revised individual project task, suggest appropriate means of providing feedback in my class with 2 visually impaired learners and 1 deaf learner.



Note

Use the responses to complete your plan

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 13 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 14, 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 14: Post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence I

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 13
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 14?
 - 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 **have not** 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 14 on post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence 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 14 on post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

I am developing my learning plan for Week 14 on Post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence. Suggest four essential questions to guide the lessons with two of the questions focusing on the core content, two guiding the integration of historical thinking skills, 21st century skills, GESI and Core Values into the lessons.

ii. Differentiation

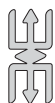
Provide four key points to consider to effectively support all learners to understand post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence this week, considering their varied learning styles.

iii. Learning activities

I am teaching a lesson in Week 14 on Factors that facilitated the rise of nationalism after WWII. My class has 30 learners with limited resources. However, I have five learners who struggle with reading comprehension and need visual aids. The duration of my lesson is 60 minutes. Develop sequential learning activities for this lesson based on the suggestions from the Teacher Manual. Integrate historical empathy and cause and effect analysis as historical thinking skills.

iv. Assessment tasks

Create formative assessment tasks for the lessons in Week 14. Refer to the Teacher Manual for DoK levels specified for the lessons.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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

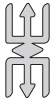
Review my learning activities for post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence. Verify that activities effectively demonstrate the factors that facilitated the rise of nationalism after WWII, the formation of the United Gold Coast Convention (UGCC) in 1947 and the 1948 Riots in Ghana.

Hint



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

- essential questions
- differentiation strategies
- 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 Historical Thinking skills, 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).

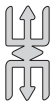
2.3 Share your experience with the group.

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 14 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).

4.3 Remember to:

- a. read PLC Session 15, 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 15: Post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence II

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?
 - 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 **have not** 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 post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence II 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 post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence II (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Develop 4 essential questions for The Watson Commission, Formation of CPP in 1949, and the Coussey Committee: two on addressing the main historical content, one supporting planning for mixed-ability learners in a low-resource setting, and one guiding integration of historical thinking skills, 21st century competencies, GESI principles and Core Values.

ii. Differentiation

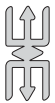
What are the most important considerations for differentiating my Week 15 lessons on The Watson Commission, Formation of CPP in 1949, and the Coussey Committee with 38 learners, 12 requiring additional support (AP), 21 at proficiency level (P), and 5 highly proficient (HP).

iii. Learning activities

*Design a 60-minute lesson sequence for **Formation of the CPP in 1949**. Four students have speech difficulties. Base activities on Teacher Manual recommendations.*

iv. Assessment tasks

Develop formative assessments for Week 15 lessons on The Watson Commission and the Coussey Committee. Develop a 40-minute document analysis assessment aligned with Teacher Manual DoK levels.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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.

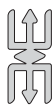
Essential questions

Examine my essential questions for Week 15 on Watson Commission, CPP formation, and Coussey Committee. Do they effectively guide students through post-WWII political developments and constitutional changes? Are they suitable for promoting political leadership analysis and institutional change understanding? Do they successfully integrate 21st century competencies, GESI and Core Values? What improvements would enhance clarity and student engagement?

Hint

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

- a. differentiation strategies
- 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 Historical Thinking skills, 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 15 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).

4.3 Remember to:

- a. 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: Post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence III

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?
 - 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 **have not** 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 post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence III 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 post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence III (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

I am populating my learning plan for Week 16 on The 1951, 1954, and 1956 General Elections and why Nkrumah won all pre-independence elections, plus the emergence of the National Liberation Movement. Suggest four essential questions to guide my lessons.

ii. Differentiation

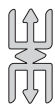
Suggest four differentiation strategies to consider to effectively support all my learners to understand General Elections (1951, 1954, 1956) and emergence of the National Liberation Movement.

iii. Learning activities

I am teaching a lesson in Week 16 on why Nkrumah won all pre-independence General Elections. Develop learning activities for this lesson based on the suggestions from the Teacher Manual. Integrate political reasoning as historical thinking skills.

iv. Assessment tasks

Create formative assessment tasks for the lessons in Week 16, focusing on the 1951 and 1954 General Elections. Refer to the Teacher Manual for DoK levels specified for the lessons.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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.

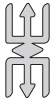
Differentiation strategies

Review my differentiation strategies for Week 16 lessons on General Elections and emergence of the National Liberation Movement. Verify that strategies accommodate learners from traditional political backgrounds. Check that activities suit AP, P, and HP learners appropriately for understanding electoral processes and political opposition.

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 Historical Thinking skills, 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).

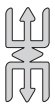
2.3 Share your experience with the group.

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 16 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).

4.3 Remember to:

- a. 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: Post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence IV

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 **have not** 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 post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence IV 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 post-WWII nationalist struggles in Ghana that led to the attainment of Independence IV (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Formulate essential questions for Week 17 lesson on Togoland unification question, 1956 Plebiscite, and women's contributions to Ghana's Independence Struggle to guide both facilitator and learners.

ii. Differentiation

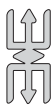
Recommend differentiation strategies for Week 17 lessons on Togoland question and women's role in Independence Struggle for 10 AP, 22 P, and 4 HP learners.

iii. Learning activities

Develop activities for a 60-minute lesson on women's role in Ghana's Independence Struggle. Follow Teacher Manual suggestions while integrating historical empathy and gender analysis thinking skills.

iv. Assessment tasks

Design formative assessments for Week 17 on Togoland unification question and 1956 Plebiscite. Create a 35-minute map-based territorial analysis, adhering to Teacher Manual DoK levels.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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

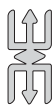
Review my learning activities for Week 17 on Togoland question and women's Independence Struggle contributions. Do they effectively demonstrate territorial decision-making and women's nationalist contributions? Are they culturally sensitive and promote gender equality understanding? How well do they integrate historical empathy and gender analysis? What improvements would enhance inclusive historical narratives and border community relevance?

Hint



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

- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation strategies
- 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 Historical Thinking skills, 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).

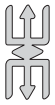
2.3 Share your experience with the group.

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 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).
- c. 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
 - 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 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
2. prepare assessment tasks and rubrics for mid-semester examination

Learning Outcome (LO): To review the learning plan for week 18 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.

Differentiation

I have uploaded my completed learning plan for Week 18 with the learning indicator “Examine the nature of the diarchy system of government in Ghana from 1957 – 1960”. Review my differentiation strategies in the learning plan to cater for the varying learning abilities of learners.

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.

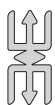
3.0 Prepare for Mid-Semester Examination (50 minutes)

- 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.

Week 18 requires mid-semester examination. The examination structure consists of.

Refer to the Table of Specifications sample in the Teacher Manual (Appendix I) to develop 20 MCQs and 2 essay questions using the specification table. Arrange MCQ options alphabetically. In the essay type, provide instructions to learners to answer 1 of the 2 questions.



Note

- i. In preparing for mid-semester examination, one prompt may not be enough for the App to provide all you need (DoK levels, structure, distribution across DoK levels, etc.)
- ii. You need to always check for the historical accuracy of the outputs from the App and, if necessary, provide additional prompts to refine the response

- 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 to 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**

Confirm whether the assessment tasks generated match the DoK percentage requirements (Level 1=30%, Level 2=40%, Levels 3&4=30%). In case they do not align, adjust the assessment items to better achieve the intended DoK distribution.

- ii. Mark scheme and score distribution**

Based on the earlier mark scheme developed, check to confirm and validate historical accuracy.

- iii. Resources needed for assessment administration**

My classroom is in a remote rural area with 47 learners. Three of my learners have special needs requiring additional support. The classroom has poor lighting and ventilation. Suggest appropriate ways to administer the mid-semester examination effectively under these challenging conditions.

- iv. How to provide feedback**

Suggest ways I can effectively provide feedback on the mid-semester examination to my 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 18 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 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: Socio-economic and political developments in Ghana from 1957 – 1966

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 **have not** 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 the socio-economic and political developments in Ghana from 1957 – 1966 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 the socio-economic and political developments in Ghana from 1957 – 1966 (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e–2h and 3a–3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Week 19 lesson is on CPP's transformative years (1957–1966), develop essential questions that will spark curiosity about independence achievements and challenges.

ii. Differentiation

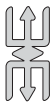
Give differentiation strategies that will help teach Socio-economic and political developments under the CPP (1957–1966) for this week's lesson for 15 AP, 24 are proficient (P), and 5 are highly proficient (HP) learners with varied learning styles.

iii. Learning activities

Plan a 60-minute lesson with adaptable learning activities on economic developments under the CPP (1957–1966)

iv. Assessment tasks

*Create formative assessments for Week 19 lesson on **political developments under the CPP (1957–1966)** with different political understanding levels, following Teacher Manual DoK specifications.*



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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 my assessment tasks for Week 19 on CPP-era socio-economic and political developments. Do they appropriately measure understanding of early independence achievements and challenges? Are they suitable for different political awareness and analytical ability levels? Do they align with Teacher Manual DoK levels for comprehensive evaluation?

Hint



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

- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation strategies
- 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 Historical Thinking skills, 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).

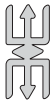
2.3 Share your experience with the group.

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 19 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).

4.3 Remember to:

- a. 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).
- c. identify areas you found challenging in your teaching for discussion during the next session.

PLC Session 20: Socio-economic and political developments from 1966 – 1981

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 **have not** 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 the socio-economic and political developments from 1966 – 1981 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 socio-economic and political developments from 1966 – 1981 (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e–2h and 3a–3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Develop essential questions for Week 20 with the learning indicator CPP overthrow factors, NLC political developments (1966–1969), and Progress Party socio-economic policies.

ii. Differentiation

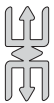
Develop four differentiation strategies to consider to effectively support all my learners in the overthrow of CPP and developments under NLC and Progress Party. Consider their different proficiency levels and varied learning styles.

iii. Learning activities

The duration of my lesson is 60 minutes. Develop sequential learning activities for this lesson based on the suggestions from the Teacher Manual. Integrate cause and effect analysis and political evaluation as historical thinking skills.

iv. Assessment tasks

*Create formative assessment tasks for the lessons in Week 20, focusing on **socio-economic developments under the NLC (1966–1969)**. The class includes 14 AP learners, 19 P learners, and 6 HP learners with varying economic understanding. Duration: 40 minutes. Refer to the Teacher Manual for DoK levels specified for the lessons.*



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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 and assessment tasks

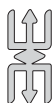
Review my learning activities and assessment tasks for Week 20 lessons on political changes from 1966–1981. Verify that activities effectively demonstrate causes of political instability and military interventions. Suggest improvements for balanced political analysis and historical objectivity.

Hint



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

- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation strategies, 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 Historical Thinking skills, 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).

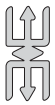
2.3 Share your experience with the group.

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 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: Socio-economic and political developments from 1966 – 1981 II

1.0 Introduction (5 minutes)

- 1.1 Share one thing you applied in your classroom based on PLC Session 20
 - a. the challenges you faced
 - b. how you addressed them
- 1.2 Have you developed your learning plan for week 21?
 - 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 **have not** 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 the socio-economic and political developments from 1966 – 1981 II 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 on the socio-economic and political developments from 1966 – 1981 II (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e–2h and 3a–3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Suggest four essential questions to guide my lessons on Socio-Economic Developments Under the Progress Party (2nd Republic), National Redemption Council and Supreme Military Council I, and Supreme Military Council II, with two of the questions focusing on the core content, one helping to plan for learners with diverse learning abilities, and one guiding me to integrate 21st century skills, GESI, and Core Values.

ii. Differentiation

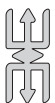
Suggest differentiation strategies to effectively support all my learners to understand the concept of Progress Party, NRC, SMC I and SMC II developments.

iii. Learning activities

Develop interactive and engaging learning activities for this lesson, National Redemption Council (NRC) and Supreme Military Council I (SMC I) based on the suggestions from the Teacher Manual. Integrate chronological reasoning and institutional analysis as historical thinking skills.

iv. Assessment tasks

Give formative assessment tasks for the lessons in Week 21, focusing on Socio-Economic Developments Under the Progress Party (2nd Republic). Refer to the Teacher Manual for DoK levels specified for the lessons.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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 and Differentiation strategies

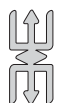
Review my essential questions and differentiation strategies for Week 21 lessons on Progress Party, NRC, and military governments. Verify that questions effectively guide understanding of military-civilian governance cycles. Suggest improvements for comprehensive political education and critical thinking.



Hint

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

- a. learning activities
- b. 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 Historical Thinking skills, 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).

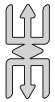
2.3 Share your experience with the group.

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 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: Socio-economic and political developments from 1966 – 1981 III

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?
 - 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 **have not** 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 the socio-economic and political developments from 1966 – 1981 III 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 the socio-economic and political developments from 1966 – 1981 III (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e-2h and 3a-3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Suggest four essential questions to guide my lessons on Armed Forces Revolutionary Council (AFRC), the Third Republic (PNP), and Provisional National Defence Council (PNDC) with two of the questions focusing on plan to help learners with diverse learning abilities in a resource-constrained environment, and one guiding me to integrate historical thinking skills, 21st century skills, GESI and Core Values. into the lessons.

ii. Differentiation

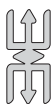
Suggest differentiation strategies to consider to effectively support all my learners to understand the focal area on AFRC, Third Republic (PNP), and PNDC.

iii. Learning activities

I am teaching a lesson in Week 22 on the Third Republic (PNP). The duration of my lesson is 60 minutes. Develop learning activities for this lesson based on the suggestions from the Teacher Manual. Integrate political analysis and historical significance as historical thinking skills.

iv. Assessment tasks

Create formative assessment tasks for the lessons in Week 22 focusing on Provisional National Defence Council (PNDC). The class includes 16 AP learners, 19 P learners, and 6 HP learners with varying political awareness. Refer to the Teacher Manual for DoK levels specified for the lessons.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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

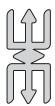
Review my learning activities for Week 22 lessons on AFRC, Third Republic, and PNDC. Verify that activities effectively demonstrate revolutionary changes and political transitions in Ghana. Ensure activities integrate political analysis and historical significance appropriately. Suggest improvements for understanding complex political transformations and their economic impacts.



Hint

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

- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation strategies
- 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 Historical Thinking skills, 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).

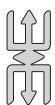
2.3 Share your experience with the group.

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 22 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).

4.3 Remember to:

- a. 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: The Birth of the Fourth Republic

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?
 - 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 **have not** 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 the birth of the Fourth Republic 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 the birth of the Fourth Republic (NTS 1a, 2b, 2c, 2e–2h and 3a–3q).

E.g.

i. Essential questions

Design 4 essential questions for Week 23 lesson on Fourth Republic inception developments and political progress from 1993–2007.

ii. Differentiation

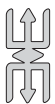
Recommend differentiation strategies for Week 23 lessons on “Fourth Republic birth and 1993–2007 developments” for my class of 40 learners.

iii. Learning activities

*I am teaching a lesson in Week 23 on **political developments in Ghana from 1993 to 2007**. The duration of my lesson is 60 minutes. Develop sequential learning activities for this lesson based on the suggestions from the Teacher Manual. Integrate democratic reasoning, continuity and change analysis as historical thinking skills.*

iv. Assessment tasks

Create formative assessment tasks for the lessons in Week 23, focusing on Major Developments Leading to the Inception of the 4th Republic. The class includes 15 AP learners, 18 P learners, and 7 HP learners. Refer to the Teacher Manual for DoK levels specified for the lessons.



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 Historical Thinking skills, 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

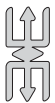
Review my assessment tasks and differentiation strategies for Week 23 lessons on the Fourth Republic's birth and early developments. Verify that assessments appropriately measure understanding of democratic transition and constitutional development. Suggest improvements for promoting democratic values and historical objectivity in current context.

Hint



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

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



Note

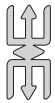
- i. Chatting once may not be enough for the App to provide all that you may need for the tasks
- ii. Transfer the information from your SS App into your learning planner template to complete your plans.
- iii. Chat with your App to learn how to integrate Historical Thinking skills, National Values, 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 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
 - 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 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
- 2. prepare assessment tasks and rubrics for end of semester examination

Learning Outcome (LO): To review the learning plan for week 24 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.g.

Assessment tasks

Study the attached learning plan for Week 24, developed on the learning indicator: “Assess the socio-economic and political developments in Ghana from 1993 to 2007”. Review my formative assessment tasks to ensure they can be done within the lesson periods. For the summative assessment tasks, ensure they align with the DoK levels in the Teacher Manual.

Hint



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

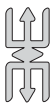
- a. essential questions
- b. differentiation
- c. learning activities, etc.

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.g.

The recommended assessment mode for Week 24 is an end of semester examination. Refer to the Teacher Manual for the structure and sample of Table of Specifications (Appendix J) and develop the assessment tasks based on the learning indicators from weeks 13 to 24. For the multiple-choice questions, arrange options alphabetically. For the source analysis, study the attached Sources and develop questions following the DoK percentage levels.



Note

- i. In preparing for end of semester examination, one prompt may not be enough for the App to provide all you need (DoK levels, structure, distribution across DoK levels, etc).
- ii. You need to always check for the historical accuracy of the outputs from the App and, if necessary, provide additional prompts to refine the response.

- iii. *Teachers are to select appropriate primary and/or secondary sources and upload them as an attachment for the App to generate the source analysis questions.*
- iv. *Use the responses to complete your plan*

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 to 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*

Verify whether the assessment tasks follow the DoK percentage distribution across all examination papers. DoK level 1 = 30%, DoK level 2 = 40%, DoK levels 3 and 4 = 30%). Adjust questions if needed.

ii. *Mark scheme and score distribution*

Check the marking scheme generated for historical accuracy and confirm proper mark allocation across Paper 1 (40 marks), Paper 2 Section A (15 marks), and Paper 2 Section B (45 marks).

iii. *Resources needed for assessment administration*

Five learners have special needs, including visual and hearing challenges. The examination duration is 2 and half hours with limited supervisory staff available. Suggest practical arrangements measures for effective examination administration.

iv. *How to provide feedback*

Suggest effective approaches for providing detailed feedback to learners following their end-of-semester examination performance.

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 24 to provide feedback on your lesson (NTS 1f, 1g).

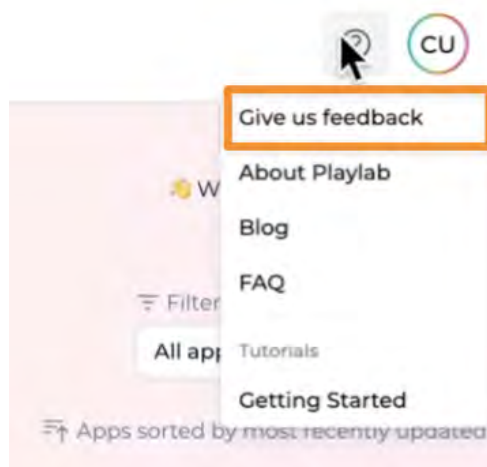
4.3 Remember to mark, record and upload your learners' assessment scores in the Student Transcript Portal.

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)



User Feedback Form

We want to hear your feedback and learn more about how we can improve Playlab for you. *Please complete this form to submit your feedback to the Playlab team.*

Full Name*

Your answer

Email*

Your answer

What is your role?*

Your answer

Please share your feedback

What challenge are you facing? What feature would you like to see?

Your answer

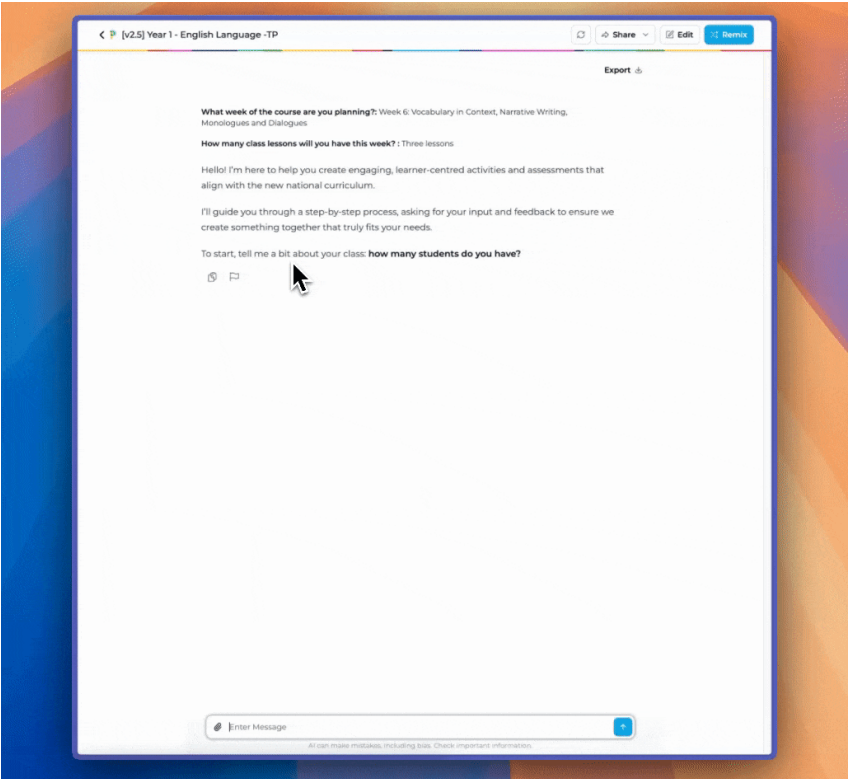
Please share any screenshots or videos that help visualize your feedback.

 **Upload** Size limit: 100 MB. File limit: 10.

Submit

Never submit sensitive personal information, like passwords, through Notion Forms.
[Report abuse](#)

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



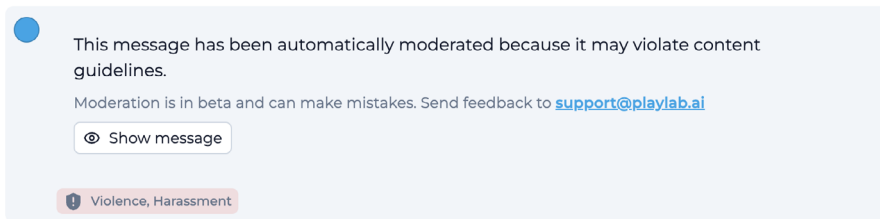
- Click to report biased, inaccurate, or inappropriate messages.
- Best for: Immediate issues with app responses
- There is also in app moderation for both user messages and AI generated responses. You can read more about it here.

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.

KIPP NYC Restorative Plan Designer	8/21/2025
A3C	7 1
KIPP NYC Restorative Plan Designer	8/21/2025
A3C	5
KIPP NYC Restorative Plan Designer	8/15/2025
M	7 1

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:

3. 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
 - 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 Template

Name of Subject:							
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

Name of School

Subject being observed

Class

Year 1

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 explanation to your 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 example, the choice of teaching methods, and learning activities.

Yes

In Part

No

NA

2b. Please provide an explanation to your answer 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 explanation to your answer 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 explanation to your answer in Q4 above

5. Are learners engaged on tasks that challenge them in line with the content standards?

Does the teacher take into consideration the uniqueness of learners?

Yes In Part No NA

5b. Please provide an explanation to your answer in Q5 above

6. Is there evidence that students are learning?

Yes In Part No NA

6b. Please provide an explanation to your answer in Q6 above

7. Is teaching differentiated 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 explanation to your answer in Q7 above

8. Does the teacher use real life examples which are familiar to learners to explain concepts?

Yes In Part No NA

8b. Please provide an explanation to your answer in Q8 above

9. Does the teacher point out or question traditional gender roles when they come up during the lessons as appropriate?

Yes In Part No NA

9b. Please provide an explanation to your answer 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 have been so integrated.

Yes In Part No NA

10b. 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., problem-solving, 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 examples of the issues and skills that have been so integrated.

12. Does the teacher incorporate ICT into their practice to support learning?

Yes In Part No NA

12b. Please provide an explanation to your answer in Q12 above

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 explanation to your answer 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 explanation to your answer in Q14 above

15. Do learners make use of feedback from teacher and peers?

Yes	In Part	No	NA
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15b. Please provide an explanation to your answer in Q15 above

16. Does the teacher sum up the lesson and evaluate the lesson against the learning outcomes with the learners?

Yes	In Part	No	NA
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16b. Please provide an explanation to your answer in Q16 above

17. Does the teachers' planning of lessons taught before the one observed show how they plan for learning over time, considering individual and group needs?

Yes	In Part	No	NA
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17b. Please provide an explanation to your answer in Q17 above

18. Does the teacher pay attention to the composition of females and males during group work and assigns females leadership roles.

Yes	In Part	No	NA
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18b. Please provide an explanation to your answer 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 explanation to your answer in Q19 above

20. Does the teacher provide constructive written feedback to both females and males and learners with special education needs in their exercise book?

Yes

In Part

No

NA

20b. Please provide an explanation to your answer in Q20 above

21. Key strengths
in the lesson

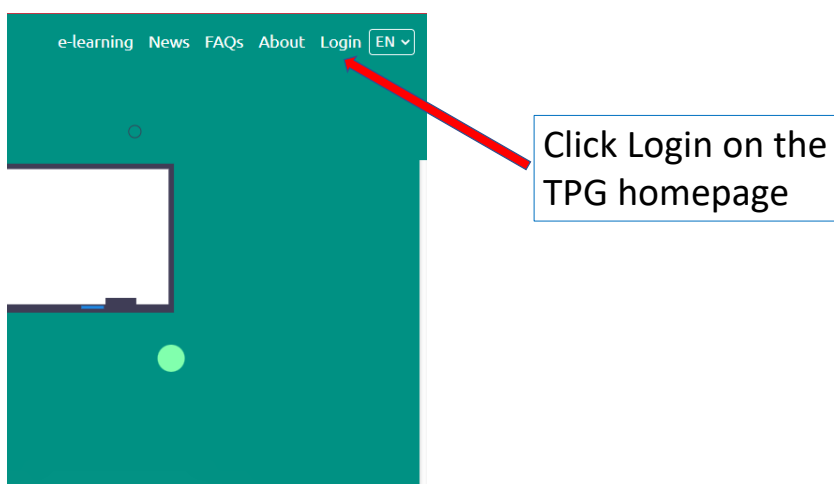
22. Areas for
development

23. Next steps for
teacher

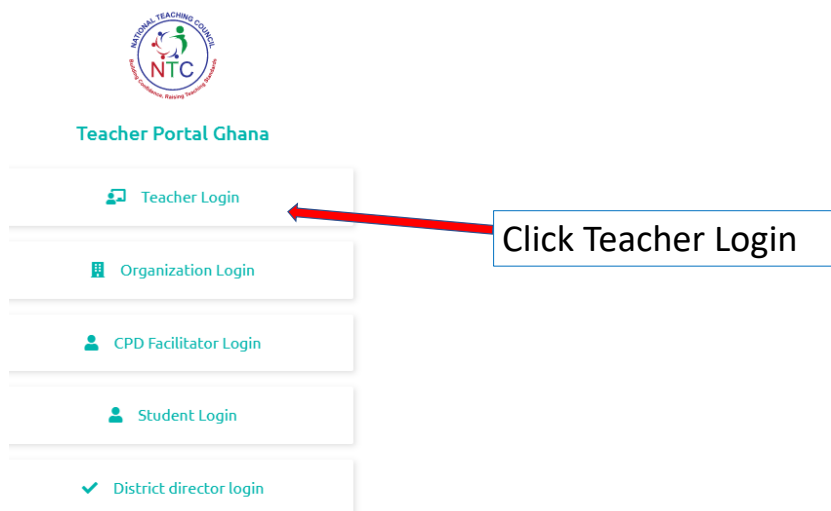
Additional Notes (on teacher's actions, the flow of activities, etc.)

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

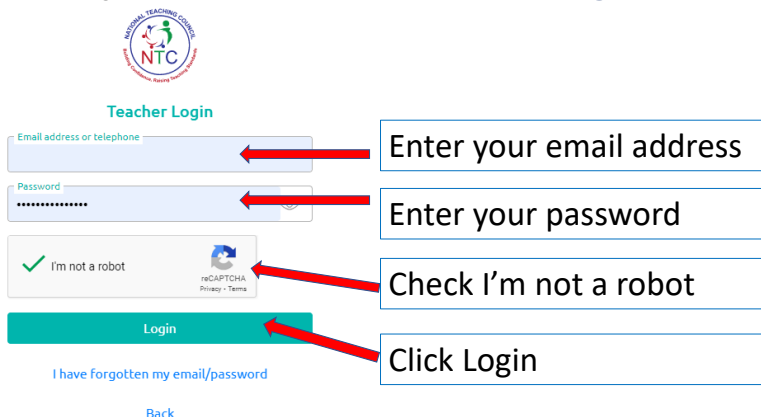
1. Visit tpg.ntc.gov.gh and click Login



2. On the Login page, click Teacher Login



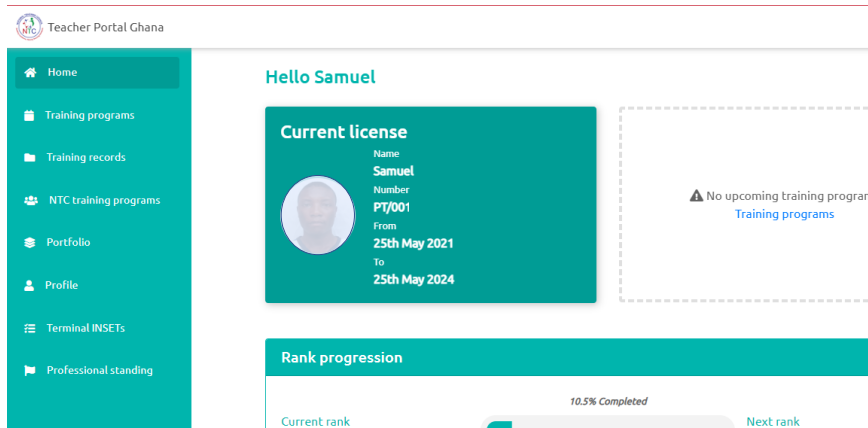
3. On the **Teacher Login** page enter your email address and password and then click **Login**



The image shows the Teacher Login page with the following elements and annotations:

- Teacher Login** (Page Title)
- Email address or telephone** (Input field) → **Enter your email address**
- Password** (Input field) → **Enter your password**
- I'm not a robot** (Captcha) → **Check I'm not a robot**
- Login** (Button) → **Click Login**
- [I have forgotten my email/password](#)
- [Back](#)

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



The image shows the Teacher Portal Ghana dashboard for a user named Samuel. The dashboard includes the following sections:

- Header:** Teacher Portal Ghana
- Left Sidebar:**
 - Home
 - Training programs
 - Training records
 - NTC training programs
 - Portfolio
 - Profile
 - Terminal INSETs
 - Professional standing
- Main Content Area:**
 - Hello Samuel**
 - Current license**
 - Name: Samuel
 - Number: PT/001
 - From: 25th May 2021
 - To: 25th May 2024
 - Rank progression**
 - Current rank
 - 10.5% Completed
 - Next rank
 - No upcoming training program** (with link to [Training programs](#))

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)

The screenshot shows the 'Teacher Portal Ghana' interface. The side menu on the left has 'Training records' highlighted. The main content area shows 'Training records' with a list of programs. A red arrow points from the 'Training records' menu item to a label below. A red bracket on the right groups the list of programs with a label.

Teacher Portal Ghana

Home
Training programs
Training records
NTC training programs
Portfolio
Profile
Terminal INSETs
Professional standing

Training records
Records for training programs registered and/or attended

Total points: 1.8988

Sensitization on Education Policies	Marked as absent
Differentiated Learning	Processed Credits: 1.32
Advanced Mobile Learning with Multimedia (AMLJM)	Processed Credits: 0.5788

Click to view training records

List of training programs

THANK YOU

