Tutor Professional Development Handbook: B.Ed. in Initial Teacher Education - Science Year 3 Semester 2

HANDBOOK FOR TUTORS











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Foreword

In Ghana we have made great strides in transforming our teacher education system over the past few years. With each passing year the changes brought about through these reforms are maturing, embedding, and sustaining. Once the first B.Ed. graduates from Colleges of Education enter basic school classrooms from 2022 onwards, I am sure that as a nation, we will truly start to see the benefits of these reforms.

The success of national reforms depends on individual tutors and individual teachers working in classrooms across the country every day. The progress that we want to see will only be brought about through the consistent and regular application of the professional knowledge, professional practice and professional values and attitudes set out in the National Teachers' Standards (NTS).

This is where the Tutor Professional Development Handbooks, written by tutors and university lecturers, have an important role to play in helping tutors to reflect critically on their methods of teaching and learning.

Critical thinking and reflection is an area of weakness in parts of our current education system. Colleges of Education take secondary school graduates and, over four years of the B.Ed., shape them into professional teachers. A recent '21st Century Skills assessment' of a representative sample of Ghanaian Senior High School students found that 'critical thinking and problem solving' was the area where they performed least well. Lesson observation of these students' teachers in the same Senior High Schools found that 'employs a variety of instructional strategies that encourage student participation and critical thinking' was the area of the NTS where these teachers consistently scored lowest.

Teaching matters. If we want our Colleges of Education to develop teachers who can think critically and solve problems then tutors must model these expected behaviours in their lessons so that they create an environment where our teachers develop these competencies and, ultimately, use these competencies to develop critical thinking in our basic schools.

This latest set of Professional Development Handbooks, developed by four mentoring universities (University for Development Studies, University of Education, Winneba, University of Ghana and Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology) and tutors from their affiliated Colleges of Education, are the third set of Professional Development Handbooks to be developed since Transforming Teaching, Education & Learning (T-TEL) became a Ghanaian not-for-profit organisation. I would like to take this opportunity to thank both the Ghana Tertiary Education Commission and Mastercard Foundation for making all this possible.

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Name of courses/Subject/s:

- 1. JHS --- Teaching and Assessment of Science
- 2. Upper Primary Teaching and Assessment of Science

Lesson Tittles:

JHS: Recap Of Course, Preparing To Teach Integrated Science and Introduction To New Course Manual

Upper Primary: Review of Mechanics and Teaching Concepts in Heat

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 1 in the Course Manual

Focus: the bullet points provide the frame for what is to be done in the session. The SWL should use the bullets to guide what they write for the SL/HoD and tutors to do and say during each session. Each bullet needs to be addressed and specific reference should be made to the course manual/s.	Guidance Notes on Tutor Activity during the PD Session. What PD Session participants (Tutors) will do during each stage of the session.	Time in session
1(a) Introduction to the semester – in session one	1.1. Discuss the purpose related to the two specialisms (JHS and Upper Primary).	20 mins
 Introduction to the purpose of the specialisms: EG, UP 	1.2. Sit in groups according to your grade levels or specialisms.	
 and JHS Overview of subject/s age level/s to be covered in the 	1.3. Read the course descriptions, course learning outcomes and their corresponding learning indicators from your respective course manuals.	
PD sessions and guidance on grouping tutors according to the subject/s, age	1.4. Discuss the two assessment components (Subject project and subject portfolio) for the semester. NOTE:	
levels/s. Introduction to the course manual/s	(Subject Portfolio: Overall weighting of project = 30% Weighting of individual parts of portfolio out of 100. Three (3) items of work produced during the semester selected by student teachers with tutor support	

- Overview of course learning outcomes
- Introduction to the two continuous assessment components to be undertaken in each subject during the semester (See Course Assessment Components at a Glance Appendix 2) NB in subjects where there are no assessment components in the course manuals examples will need to be provided for SL/HoD.

1(b) Introduction to the session

- Review prior learning
- Reading and discussion of the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators
- Overview of content and identification of any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s,

NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas where tutors might require clarification on any aspect of the lesson. NB SL/HoD should ask tutors to plan for their teaching as they go through the PD session

during the semester as best examples of their progress and 200-word reflection on the items i.e. i. (a) Each of the three (3) items selected by the student teacher is 30 % (90%).

i. (b) Presentation and organization of portfolio 10%.

OR

ii. (a). Each of the two (2) items selected by the student teacher is 30 % (60%).ii(b)Mid semester assessment 30%ii. (c) Presentation and organization of portfolio 10%.

Subject Project: Overall weighting of project = 30% Weighting of individual parts of project out of 100%

- *Introduction 10%*
- *Methodology 20%*
- Substantive section 40%
 Conclusion 30%)

Suggested examples for subject portfolio

- Lab reports,
- Research reports
- · Charts, graphs created
- Designs, TLMs, posters, worksheets
- Integrating indigenous knowledge into science teaching.
- 1.5. Write one thing you learnt in Year 3 semester 1 PD sessions on a post it card and show how you applied it in your teaching.
- 1.5.1. Post the cards on the wall for gallery walk.
- 1.6. Provide examples of how students were prepared to employ the various strategies and skills during the basic school classroom work including STS Field Experience in year 3 semester 1 and how students will be prepared to employ the various strategies and skills during the basic school classroom work in STS Field Experience in year 4 semester 1.
- 1.6.1 Post your cards on the wall for gallery walk.
- 1.7. Read and discuss the introductory sections of the lesson up to learning indicators from your course manuals and explain how they are related to student teachers' relevant previous knowledge.

		1.8. Identify and discuss the distinctive features of lesson 1 form your various levels.	
NB SL/I wha	Concept Development (New learning likely to arise in lesson/s): Identification and discussion of new learning, potential barriers to learning for student teachers or students, concepts or pedagogy being introduced in the lesson, which need to be explored with the SL/HoD The guidance for HoD should set out at they need to do to oduce and explain issues/s with tutors	 2.1. List and discuss the major concepts in the lesson. 2.2. Discuss the potential misconceptions and barriers with respect to the concepts listed. 2.3. Identify the most appropriate teaching strategies that can be employed to best deliver the new concepts in both CoE and basic school classroom to achieve the LOs and the LIs of the lesson. 	15 mins
•	Planning for teaching, learning and assessment activities for the lesson/s Reading and discussion of the teaching and learning activities Noting and addressing areas where tutors may require clarification Noting	 3.1. Read and discuss the teaching and learning activities in your course manuals. 3.1.1. Identify areas that need clarification. 3.2. Discuss how the different activities would be carried out in both CoE and basic school classroom to achieve the LOs and the LIs of the course manual for lesson 1. 3.3. Discuss how GESI issues related to the teaching and learning activities of the lesson would be addressed. E g. 	
•	opportunities for making links to the Basic School Curriculum Noting opportunities for integrating: GESI responsiveness and ICT and 21st C skills	 Pay attention to slow learner. Assign leadership roles to females and males equally Identify where, and which, 21st century skills that can be developed or applied in the lesson and how they can help student teachers to support basic school leaners to develop these skills through STS activities. 	

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•	Reading, discussion, and identification of continuous assessment opportunities in the lesson. Each lesson should include at least two opportunities to use continuous assessment to support student teacher learning Tutors should be expected to have a plan for the next lesson for student teachers	 3.5. Read the assessment activities in your various manuals and identify areas that require clarification. Note: (1) Inform your student teachers to prepare power point presentation on EFFECTS OF HEAT ON SUBSTANCES AROUND THEM. These could be added to their subject portfolio. (2). Inform your student teachers to prepare a LESSON PLAN ON THE TOPIC/SUB-STRAND HEAT assuming they are to teach this concept in their basic school classroom. This could be one of their subject projects for the semester. 3.6. Identify the needed inclusive resources for teaching and learning of the concepts in both CoE and basic school classrooms. 3.7. Have concrete plan for teaching the given topics, thus, the activities agreed on by the group to be followed. 	
4.	Evaluation and review of session: Tutors need to identify critical friends to observe lessons and report at next session. Identifying and addressing any outstanding issues relating to the lesson/s for clarification	 4.1. Identify a critical friend who took part in the PD session to sit in your class during lesson and report on observations made during next PD session. 4.2. Discuss and clarify anything relating to Lesson 1. 	15 mins

Name of courses/Subject/s:

- 1. 1. JHS --- Teaching and Assessment of Science
- 2. Upper Primary Teaching and Assessment of Science

Lesson Tittles:

Upper Primary: Teaching Concepts in Magnetism JHS Biology: Post-teaching practice discussion

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 2 in the Course Manual

Focus: the bullet points provide the frame for what is to be done in the session. The SWL should use the bullets to guide what they write for the SL/HoD and tutors to do and say during each session. Each bullet needs to be addressed and specific reference should be made to the course manual/s.	Guidance Notes on Tutor Activity during the PD Session. What PD Session participants (Tutors) will do during each stage of the session.	Time in session
 1(b) Introduction to the session Review prior learning Reading and discussion of the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators Overview of content and identification of any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s, NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas where tutors might require clarification on any aspect of the lesson. 	 1.1 Write one thing you learnt from lesson 1 and how you applied it in your teaching at the various grade levels on a post in card. Mention how students were well placed to employ the various strategies and skills during the Basic School classroom work including STS Field Experience. 1.2 Read and discuss the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators in the course manual and indicate how they are related to student teachers' relevant previous knowledge. 1.3 Identify and discuss the distinctive features of lesson 2 for the various levels from your course manual. 	20 mins

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	entification and	areas in your teaching and assessing the lesson.	
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	arning, potential	2.3 Discuss the potential misconceptions and	
	arriers to learning	barriers with respect to the concepts listed.	
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	pedagogy being	strategies that you can employed to best explain	
	troduced in the	the new concepts.	
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- Reading, discussion, and identification of continuous assessment opportunities in the lesson. Each lesson should include at least two opportunities to use continuous assessment to support student teacher learning
- Resources:
 - o links to the existing PD Themes, for example, action research, questioning and to other external reference material: literature, on web, Utube, physical resources, power point; how they should be used. Consideration needs to be given to local availability
 - guidance on any power point presentations, TLM or other resources which need to be developed to support learning
- Tutors should be expected to have a plan for the next lesson for student teachers

- 3.5. Read the assessment activities in your various course manuals and identify areas that require clarification.
- 3.6. Pair up and model a presentation of the various concept using ICT tools and taking into consideration GESI issues (eg. Both gender taking the leading roles in their groups and in the demonstration of the use of ICT tools) to teach your lessons plans.

Ensure that you have understood the process for teaching the given topics, thus, the activities agreed on by the group to be followed.

 4. Evaluation and review of session Tutors need to identify critical friends to obser 	session to sit in your class during lesson and report on observations made during next PD session.	15 mins
lessons and rep next session. Identifying and addressing any outstanding issurelating to the lesson/s for clarification	ort at 4.2 Discuss and clarified anything relating to Lesson 2 that needs to be clarified. Read lesson 3 from the PD manual and find relevant materials for the next session.	

Name of courses/Subject/s:

- 1. 1. Upper Primary Teaching and Assessment of Science
- 2. JHS --- Teaching and Assessment of Science

Lesson Tittles:

Upper Primary: Teaching reproduction in Humans JHS: Further review of the integrated science curriculum

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 3 in the Course Manual

Focus: the bullet points provide the frame for what is to be done in the session. The SWL should use the bullets to guide what they write for the SL/HoD and tutors to do and say during each session. Each bullet needs to be addressed and specific reference should be made to the course manual/s.	Guidance Notes on Tutor Activity during the PD Session. What PD Session participants (Tutors) will do during each stage of the session.	Time in session
 1(b) Introduction to the session Review prior learning Reading and discussion of the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators Overview of content and identification of any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s, NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas where tutors might require clarification on any aspect of the lesson. 	 1.1. Discuss how useful the previous PD session was and how it influenced their teaching in lesson 3 in your various grade levels. 1.2. Provide examples of how students will be prepared to employ the various strategies and skills during the basic school classroom work in STS Field Experience in year 4 semester 1. 1.3. Invite your critical friends to share their observations for a short discussion. 1.4. Read and discuss the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators in the course manual and indicate how they are related to student teachers' relevant previous knowledge. 1.4.1 Discuss the CLOs and Lls of the learning areas to be covered in your PD sessions for lesson 3. 	20 mins

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NB SL/HoD should ask tutors to plan for their teaching as they go through the PD session NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas where tutors might require clarification on any aspect of the lesson. NB SL/HoD should ask tutors to plan for their teaching as they go through the PD session	 1.5. Read the content to be covered for lesson 3 in their respective groups in order to acquaint themselves with the areas. 1.6. Identify the distinctive aspects of the content of the lessons. 	
 2. Concept Development (New learning likely to arise in lesson/s): Identification and discussion of new learning, potential barriers to learning for student teachers or students, concepts or pedagogy being introduced in the lesson, which need to be explored with the SL/HoD NB The guidance for SL/HoD should set out what they need to do to introduce and explain the issues/s with tutors 	 2.1. In pairs, list and discuss the major concepts in the lesson and share with the whole group. 2.2. Discuss the potential misconceptions and barriers with respect to the concepts listed. NB: Some of the misconceptions and BARRIERS related to the concepts are: Misconceptions: UP Misconception: Plants reproduce only asexually Solution: No 3. Misconception: Reproduction is all to do with having babies." Solution: Students often assume that reproduction is simply a way of increasing population size. Emphasis should be placed on the idea that cell division of body cells is also a form of reproduction and is essential for repair and growth of the body. 2.3. Suggest alternative teaching strategies that can be employed to best explain the new concepts 	15 mins
 3. Planning for teaching, learning and assessment activities for the lesson/s Reading and discussion of the 	3.1. Read and discuss the teaching and learning activities in your course manuals for the various group levels.3.1.1. Identify areas that need clarification.	40 mins

- teaching and learning activities
- Noting and addressing areas where tutors may require clarification
- Noting opportunities for making links to the Basic School Curriculum
- Noting opportunities for integrating: GESI responsiveness and ICT and 21st C skills
- Reading, discussion, and identification of continuous assessment opportunities in the lesson. Each lesson should include at least two opportunities to use continuous assessment to support student teacher learning
- Resources:
 - o links to the existing PD Themes, for example, action research, questioning and to other external reference material: literature, on web, Utube, physical resources, power point; how they should be used. Consideration needs to be given to local availability

- 3.2. Discuss in your various groups/levels how the different activities would be carried out in both CoE and basic school classroom to achieve the LOs and the LIs of your course manual for lesson 3.
- Note: 1. Take into account that some students are slow learners and others are gifted.
- 2. Do not use harsh, threatening language or actions that instil fear in both females and males.
- 3.3. Discuss how GESI issues related to the teaching and learning activities of the lesson would be addressed.
- E g. 1. Give equal chances to females and males to ask and also answer questions in class.
- 2. Assign leadership roles to females where possible.
- 3.4. Identify which, 21st century skills can be developed or applied in the lesson and how they can help student teachers to support basic school leaners to develop these skills through STS activities.
- E.g. (1) The use of power point/excel to do presentations. Use Microsoft word to do assignments as well as teaching and learning resources.
- 2. Development of problem-solving skills and critical thinking through the use of leading and probing questions.
- 2.4. Read the assessment activities in your various manuals and identify areas that require clarification.
- . Note: (1) Ask student teachers to draw a fully labelled diagram of a named productive organ which clearly depicts the four whorls. These could be added to their subject portfolio.
- (2) Encourage tutors to instruct student -teachers to work in groups (in mixed ability, & and pay attention to the composition of females and males during the group work) to use either concept maps, simulations or multimedia presentations to design games and/or rhymes that can teach the various concepts at Upper primary/JHS levels.

•	o guidance on any power point presentations, TLM or other resources which need to be developed to support learning Tutors should be expected to have a plan for the next lesson for student teachers	This could be one of their subject projects for the semester. 2.5. Identify the needed inclusive resources for teaching and learning of the concepts in both CoE and basic school classrooms. E.g. Audio-visuals from YouTube, Games, samples of individual tutor learning plans. Note: 1. all teaching and learning material should be GESI responsive by being bold, clear, colourful and big enough to be easily noticeable by all learners. 2. Equal representation of males and females in group formation. 3.Make sure the resources are appropriate and enough to all learners (males, females and physically challenge) 4. Refer to theme 1 for different types of games to be used to teach the concepts. Note: Have concrete plans for what you have agreed on to be done to achieving the LOs and LIs of the course manuals.	
4.	Evaluation and review of session: Tutors should Identifying critical friends to observe lessons and report at next session. Identifying and addressing any outstanding issues relating to the lesson/s for	 4.1. Identify a critical friend who took part in the PD session to sit in your class during lesson and report on observations made during next PD session. NOTE: Find out if anything relating to Lesson 3 needs to be discussed and clarified. Read lesson 4 from the PD manual and find relevant materials for the next session. 	15 mins

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Name of courses/Subject/s:

- 1. Upper Primary Teaching and Assessment of Science
- 2. JHS --- Teaching and Assessment of Science

Lesson Tittles:

Upper Primary: Teaching Digestion in Humans

JHS: Further review of the integrated science curriculum

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 4 in the Course Manual

Focus: the bullet points provide the frame for what is to be done in the session. The SWL should use the bullets to guide what they write for the SL/HoD and tutors to do and say during each session. Each bullet needs to be addressed and specific reference should be made to the course manual/s.	Guidance Notes on Tutor Activity during the PD Session. What PD Session participants (Tutors) will do during each stage of the session.	Time in session
 1(b) Introduction to the session Review prior learning Reading and discussion of the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators Overview of content and identification of any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s, NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas where tutors might require clarification on 	 1.1. Write one thing you have learnt in lesson 3 of the previous PD session on a post in card and tell how you applied it in your teaching at your various grade levels. 1.2. Provide examples of how students will be prepared to employ the various strategies and skills during the basic school classroom work in STS Field Experience in year 4 semester 1. 1.3. Invite your critical friends to share their observations for a short discussion. 1.4. Read and discuss the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators in the course manual and indicate how they are related to student teachers' relevant previous knowledge. 1.5. Discuss the CLOs and LIs of the learning areas to be covered in the PD sessions for lesson 4. 	20 mins

NB SL/HoD should ask tutors to plan for their teaching as they go through the PD session NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas where tutors might require clarification on any aspect of the lesson. NB SL/HoD should ask tutors to plan for their teaching as they go through the PD session	1.6. Read the content to be covered for lesson 4 in your respective groups in order to acquaint themselves with the areas.1.7. Identify the distinctive aspects of the content of the lessons.	
 Concept Development (New learning likely to arise in lesson/s): Identification and discussion of new learning, potential barriers to learning for student teachers or students, concepts or pedagogy being introduced in the lesson, which need to be explored with the SL/HoD NB The guidance for SL/HoD should set out what they need to do to introduce and explain the issues/s with tutors 	 2.1. In pairs, list the major concepts in the lesson and share with the whole group. 2.2. Discuss the potential misconceptions and barriers with respect to the concepts listed. 2.3. Suggest alternative teaching strategies that can be employed to best explain the new concepts. 	15 mins
 3. Planning for teaching, learning and assessment activities for the lesson/s Reading and discussion of the teaching and learning activities Noting and addressing areas 	 3.1. Read and discuss the teaching and learning activities in the course manuals for the various group levels. 3.1.1. Identify areas that need clarification. 3.2. Discuss in your various groups/levels how the different activities would be carried out in both CoE and basic school classroom to achieve the LOs and the LIs of your course manual for lesson 4. 	40 mins

- where tutors may require clarification
- Noting opportunities for making links to the Basic School Curriculum
- Noting opportunities for integrating: GESI responsiveness and ICT and 21st C skills
- Reading, discussion, and identification of continuous assessment opportunities in the lesson. Each lesson should include at least two opportunities to use continuous assessment to support student teacher learning
- Resources:
 - o links to the existing PD Themes, for example, action research, questioning and to other external reference material: literature, on web, Utube, physical resources, power point; how they should be used. Consideration needs to be given to local availability
 - guidance on any power point presentations,

- Note: 1. Take into account that some students are slow learners and others are gifted.
- 2. Do not use harsh, threatening language or actions that instil fear in both females and males.
- 3.3. Discuss how GESI issues related to the teaching and learning activities of the lesson would be addressed.
- E g. 1. Give equal chances to females and males to ask and also answer questions in class.
 - 2. Assign leadership roles to females.
- 3.4. Identify where, and which, 21st century skills that can be developed or applied in the lesson and how they can help student teachers to support basic school leaners to develop these skills through STS activities.
- E.g. (1) The use of power point/excel to do presentations. Use Microsoft word to do assignments as well as teaching and learning resources.
- 2. Development of problem-solving skills and critical thinking through the use of leading and probing questions.
- 3.5. Read the assessment activities in the various manuals and identify areas that require clarification.
- 3.6. Identify the needed inclusive resources for teaching and learning of the concepts in both CoE and basic school classrooms.
- E.g. Audio-visuals from YouTube, Games, samples of individual tutor learning plans.

Note:

- 1. Equal representation of males and females in group formation.
- 2.Make sure the resources are appropriate and enough to all learners (males, females and physically challenge)
- 3. Refer to theme 1 for different types of games to be used to teach the concepts.

•	TLM or other resources which need to be developed to support learning Tutors should be expected to have a plan for the next lesson for student teachers	Have a concrete plan for what you have agreed on to be done to achieving the LOs and LIs of the course manuals.	
•	Evaluation and review of session: Tutors should Identifying critical friends to observe lessons and report at next session. Identifying and addressing any outstanding issues relating to the lesson/s for clarification	 4.1. Identify a critical friend who took part in the PD session to sit in your class during lesson and report on observations made during next PD session. 4.2. Read lesson 5 from your PD manual and find relevant materials for the next session. 	15 mins

Name of courses/Subject/s:

1. Upper Primary – Teaching and Assessment of Science

2.JHS --- Teaching and Assessment of Science

Lesson Tittles:

Upper Primary: Teaching Human Respiration

JHS: Further review of the integrated science curriculum

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 5 in the Course Manual

provide the frame for what is to be done in the session. The SWL should use the bullets to guide what they write for the SL/HoD and tutors to do and say during each session. Each bullet needs to be addressed and specific reference should be made to the course manual/s.	Session. What PD Session participants (Tutors) will do during each stage of the session.	session
 1(b) Introduction to the session Review prior learning Reading and discussion of the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators Overview of content and identification of any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s, NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas where tutors might require clarification on 	 1.1. Write one thing you have learnt in lesson 4 of the previous PD session on a post in card and tell how you applied it in your teaching at your various grade levels. 1.2. Provide examples of how students will be prepared to employ the various strategies and skills during the basic school classroom work in STS Field Experience in year 4 semester 1. 1.3. Invite your critical friends to share their observations for a short discussion. 1.4. Read and discuss the introductory sections of the lesson up to learning outcomes and indicators in the course manual and indicate how they are related to student teachers' relevant previous knowledge. 1.5. Discuss the CLOs and LIs of the learning areas to 	20 mins

NB	SL/HoD should ask	1.6. Read the content to be covered for lesson 5 in	
tut	ors to plan for their	your respective groups.	
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thr	ough the PD session	1.7. Identify the distinctive aspects of the content of	
NB	The guidance for	the lessons.	
SL/	HoD should identify		
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	aspect of the lesson.		
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	ough the PD session		
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2.	Concept	2.1. In pairs, list the major concepts in the lesson	15 mins
	Development (New	and share with the whole group.	
	learning likely to		
	arise in lesson/s):	2.2. Discuss the potential misconceptions and	
•	Identification and	barriers with respect to the concepts listed.	
	discussion of new		
	learning, potential	NB: Some of the misconceptions and BARRIERS	
	barriers to learning	related to the concepts are:	
	for student teachers		
	or students,	Misconceptions:	
	concepts or	UP	
	pedagogy being	Student teachers may have misconceptions and	
	introduced in the	misunderstanding about some of the functions of	
	lesson, which need	some parts of the human body, for example, the	
	to be explored with	traditional ways of using the left hand.	
	the SL/HoD	traditional ways of using the left hand.	
ND	The guidance for	Solution:	
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	roduce and explain	2.2 Suggest alternative teaching strategies that can	
tne	issues/s with tutors	2.3 Suggest alternative teaching strategies that can	
		be employed to best explain the new concepts.	
3.	Planning for	3.1. Read and discuss the teaching and learning	40 mins
-	teaching, learning	activities in your course manuals form the	
	and assessment	various group levels.	
	activities for the	Tarious Broup levels.	
	lesson/s	3.1.1. Identify areas that need clarification.	
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	discussion of the	3.1. Discuss in your various groups/levels how the	
		different activities would be carried out in both	
	teaching and		
	learning activities	CoE and basic school classroom to achieve the	

- Noting and addressing areas where tutors may require clarification
- Noting opportunities for making links to the Basic School Curriculum
- Noting opportunities for integrating: GESI responsiveness and ICT and 21st C skills
- Reading, discussion, and identification of continuous assessment opportunities in the lesson. Each lesson should include at least two opportunities to use continuous assessment to support student teacher learning
- Resources:
 - links to the existing PD Themes, for example, action research, questioning and to other external reference material: literature, on web, Utube, physical resources, power point; how they should be used. Consideration needs to be

LOs and the LIs of the course manual for lesson 5.

Note: 1. Take into account that some students are slow learners and others are gifted.

- 2. Do not use harsh, threatening language or actions that instil fear in both females and males.
- 3.3. Discuss how GESI issues related to the teaching and learning activities of the lesson would be addressed.
- E g. 1. Give equal chances to females and males to ask and also answer questions in class.
- 2. Assign leadership roles to females and males equally.
- 3.4. Identify where, and which, 21st century skills that can be developed or applied in the lesson and how they can help student teachers to support basic school leaners to develop these skills through STS activities.
- E.g. (1) The use of power point/excel to do presentations. Use Microsoft word to do assignments as well as teaching and learning resources.
- 2. Development of problem-solving skills and critical thinking through the use of leading and probing questions.
- 2.4. Read the assessment activities in the various manuals and identify areas that require clarification.

. Note:

Tutors instruct student -teachers to work in groups (in mixed ability, & and pay attention to the composition of females and males during the group work) to use either concept maps, simulations or multimedia presentations to design games and/or rhymes that can teach the various concepts at Upper primary/JHS levels.

This could be one of their class assignment.

3.6. Identify the needed inclusive resources for teaching and learning of the concepts in both CoE and basic school classrooms.

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	given to local	E.g. Audio-visuals from YouTube, Games, samples of	
	availability	individual tutor learning plans.	
	 Guidance on 		
	any power	Note:	
	point	1. The periodic table should be GESI responsive by	
	presentations,	being bold, clear, colourful and big enough to be	
	TLM or other	easily noticeable by all learners.	
	resources which	2. Equal representation of males and females in	
	need to be	group formation.	
	developed to	3.Make sure the resources are appropriate and	
	support	enough to all learners (males, females and SEN)	
	learning	4. Refer to theme 1 for different types of games to be	
	Tutors should be	used to teach the concepts.	
	expected to have a		
	plan for the next	Have concrete plans for what you have agreed	
	lesson for student	on to be done to achieving the LOs and LIs of the	
	teachers	course manuals.	
	teachers	Course manauis.	
4.	Evaluation and	4.1. Identify a critical friend who took part in the PD	15 mins
	review of session:	session to sit in your class during lesson and	
•	Tutors should	report on observations made during next PD	
	Identifying critical	session.	
	friends to observe		
	lessons and report	NOTE: Find out if anything relating to Lesson 5	
	at next session.	needs to be discussed and clarified.	
	Identifying and	Thee as to be allocassed and starffed.	
	addressing any	4.2. Read lesson 6 from your PD manual and find	
		relevant materials for the next session.	
	outstanding issues	relevant materials for the flext session.	
	relating to the		
	lesson/s for		
	clarification		
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NAME OF SUBJECT(S)/COURSE

1. Upper Primary – Teaching and Assessment of Science 2.JHS --- Teaching and Assessment of Science

Lesson tittle

Course Review 1 with STS Seminar Course Review 1 with STS Seminar

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 6 in the Course Manual

Focus: the bullet points provide the frame for what is to be done in the session. The SWL should use the bullets to guide what they write for the SL/HoD and tutors to do and say during each session. Each bullet needs to be addressed and specific reference should be made to the course manual/s.	Guidance Notes on Tutor Activity during the PD Session. What PD Session participants (Tutors) will do during each stage of the session.	Time in session
 1(b) Introduction to the session Review prior learning Reading and discussion of the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators Overview of content and identification of any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s, NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas where tutors might require clarification on any aspect of the lesson. 	 1.1. Write down your reflections of PD sessions 1,2,3,4 and 5 on the post-it card given you based on the following: positives, challenges and suggestions to improve on the next PD sessions. 1.1.1. Share your reflections with a colleague and then with the larger group. 1.2. Provide examples of how students will be prepared to employ the various strategies and skills during the basic school classroom work in STS Field Experience in year 4 semester 1. 1.3. Critical friends give summary of their observations on the enactment of lessons 1,2,3,4 and 5. 1.4. Discuss the important or distinctive features of lessons 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 	20 mins

NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas where tutors might require clarification on any aspect of the lesson. NB SL/HoD should ask tutors to plan for their teaching as they go through the PD session	1.5. Brainstorm on how GESI issues were promote in the CoE and basic classrooms during the enactment of lessons 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 beginning with lesson planning, selection of teaching learning resources (TLRs), classroom setup and gender responsive language and interactions.	
 2. Concept Development (New learning likely to arise in lesson/s): Identification and discussion of new learning, potential barriers to learning for student teachers or students, concepts or pedagogy being introduced in the lesson, which need to be explored with the SL/HoD NB The guidance for SL/HoD should set out what they need to do to introduce and explain the issues/s with tutors 	 2.1. In your distinctive groups, list new learning areas in lessons 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 that you were unable to explain properly to the student teachers in the enactment of those lessons. 2.1.1. Model the selected concept(s) and appropriate activities to be employed in teaching them. For example, modeling the teaching of the concept of heat 2.2. Discuss unresolved misconceptions and potential barriers in teaching and learning of lessons 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 from the various phases. 	15 mins
 Planning for teaching, learning and assessment activities for the lesson/s Reading and discussion of the teaching and learning activities Noting and addressing areas where tutors may require clarification Noting opportunities for making links to 	 3.1. Ask tutors to recount the teaching and learning activities employed to teach lessons 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5. 3.2. Tell how you implemented the following: i. Provision for SEN. ii. Taking gender leading roles in group task. iii. Distribution of questions to different categories of learners based on gender, ability, previous experience, etc. referring to NTS 1a, b, c, d, 2b, e, f, 3b, c 3.3. Discuss the appropriateness of all the activities outlined in your respective course manuals and identify those that require clarification in both CoE and basic school classrooms to achieve the 	40 mins

- the Basic School Curriculum
- Noting opportunities for integrating: GESI responsiveness and ICT and 21st C skills
- Reading, discussion, and identification of continuous assessment opportunities in the lesson. Each lesson should include at least two opportunities to use continuous assessment to support student teacher learning
- Resources:
 - o links to the existing PD Themes, for example, action research, questioning and to other external reference material: literature, on web, Youtube, physical resources, power point; how they should be used. Consideration needs to be given to local availability
 - guidance on any power point presentations, TLM or other resources which need to be developed to support learning

- LOs and the LIs of the course manual for lessons 1,2,3,4, and 5.
- 3.4. Discuss how you integrated GESI issues related to the teaching and learning activities of lessons 1,2,3,4 and 5.
- E.g. I. The lesson plan/proforma should make allowance for all students to participate in the learning activity.
- ii. When doing science experiments, ensure that girls, boys and students with disability have a chance to use the equipment and chemicals.
- iii. There should also be equal participation in such activities as making presentations.
- iv. When assigning projects, ensure that both females and males are given leadership positions and roles.
- v. Take into account how the learning materials will be distributed equally to both girls and boys, especially in case of shortage.
- 3.5. List the 21st century skills that were applied in lessons 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 on post-it card.
- 3.5.1. Share with the whole group how you helped student teachers to apply 21st century skills through STS activities.
- 3.6. Tell the whole group the assessment activities in the various manuals and explain areas that require clarification.
- 3.7. Recount the needed inclusive resources for teaching and learning of the concepts in both CoE and basic school classrooms.
- E.g. Overhead projector, Laptop, Audio-visuals from YouTube, Games, samples of individual tutor learning plans, Models.

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• Till look from the look from	valuation and eview of session: futors should dentifying critical riends to observe essons and report at ext session. dentifying and ddressing any outstanding issues elating to the esson/s for larification	 4.1. Provide feedback on this PD sessions 1,2,3,4 and 5 taking into consideration – Clarity of concepts and various contents delivered, pedagogical approaches employed, ICT integration, GESI issues, Twenty First Century Skills (NTS 1a, 3i) and make notes that will help you to teach Lesson 7. N/B: Take note of all other unresolved issues that may need further research or consultation and use any of following strategies to address them. i. Put on SL/SWL WhatsApp or Telegram platform for discussion ii. Tutors to research on those unresolved issues that persist for the next PD session for discussion. 4.2. Identify critical friends for lessons 1,2,3,4, and 5 to also observe the enactment of lesson 7 and provide feedback during the next PD Session (NTS 1a). 	15 mins

Age Levels/s: JHS and Upper Grade

Name of courses/Subject/s:

1. JHS --- Teaching and Assessment of Science

2. Upper Primary – Teaching and Assessment of Science

Lesson Tittles:

JHS - Reviewing the Basic School Curriculum Upper Prim. - Science Pedagogies and Curriculum Studies

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 7 in the Course Manual

Focus: the bullet points provide the frame for what is to be done in the session. The SWL should use the bullets to guide what they write for the SL/HoD and tutors to do and say during each session. Each bullet needs to be addressed and specific reference should be made to the course manual/s.	Guidance Notes on Tutor Activity during the PD Session. What PD Session participants (Tutors) will do during each stage of the session.	Time in session
 1(b) Introduction to the session Review prior learning Reading and discussion of the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators Overview of content and identification of any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s, NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas where tutors might require clarification on any aspect of the lesson. 	 1.1. Preview the 6th PD session in your respective grade levels/groups. 1.2. Provide examples of how students will be prepared to employ the various strategies and skills during the basic school classroom work in STS Field Experience in year 4 semester 1. 1.3. Critical friends for the various grade levels share their findings for a short discussion. 1.4. Read and discuss the introductory sections of the lesson up to learning outcomes and indicators in the course manual and explain how they are related to student teachers' relevant previous knowledge. N.B.: Refer to the course manual for detailed information. 	20 mins

NB SL/HoD should ask	1.5. Read the lesson overview, lesson descriptions	
tutors to plan for their	and the content of lesson 7 in your respective	
teaching as they go	groups.	
through the PD session		
	Note: JHS lesson description- The lesson is designed	
	to further enhance the student teachers' ability to	
	put to practice the issues of SEN and equity in the	
	integrated science classroom and teaching.	
	Particularly their ability to identify special needs and	
	distribute teaching resources in a fair and objective	
	way while encouraging the vulnerable to participate	
	fully in the integrated science classroom. This lesson	
	will enable student teachers to present lessons in a	
	balanced way.	
	1.5.1. Identify the distinctive features of lesson 7 as	
	you read and discuss them after reading.	
	E.g. JHS- Students with educational needs e.g. slow	
	learners and gifted students.	
	NB: Refer to the course manual for the rest.	
	,	
2. Concept	2.1 Identify and discuss the new areas to be covered	15 mins
Development (New	in lesson 7 from your respective course manuals.	
learning likely to		
arise in lesson/s):	Note: Ensure that different abilities and	
 Identification and 	strengths/needs are catered for to ensure a safe	
discussion of new	working environment and equal opportunities for all	
learning, potential	leaners by prospective teachers.	
barriers to learning		
for student teachers	2.2 Identify and discuss the potential barriers to	
or students, concepts	lesson 7 and suggest interventions to them.	
or pedagogy being	E a A notantial Parriar Inability to remember Equity	
introduced in the	E.g. A potential Barrier: Inability to remember Equity and SEN standards.	
lesson, which need to	unu sen stanuarus.	
be explored with the SL/HoD	Suggested solution: Read on GESI issues related to	
•	teaching and learning.	
NB The guidance for SL/HoD should set out	teaching and learning.	
what they need to do to	2.3 Familiarize yourselves with the teaching	
introduce and explain	strategies suggested in the course manuals to	
the issues/s with tutors	teach lesson 7 and suggest alternative ones.	
and issues/s with tutors	countries.	
	Eg. 1. Using videos that reinforce Equity and SEN	
	standards in the classroom.	
	2. Mix ability grouping.	

- 3. Planning for teaching, learning and assessment activities for the lesson/s
- Reading and discussion of the teaching and learning activities
- Noting and addressing areas where tutors may require clarification
- Noting opportunities for making links to the Basic School Curriculum
- Noting opportunities for integrating: GESI responsiveness and ICT and 21st C skills
- Reading, discussion, and identification of continuous assessment opportunities in the lesson. Each lesson should include at least two opportunities to use continuous assessment to support student teacher learning
- Resources:
 - links to the
 existing PD
 Themes, for
 example, action
 research,
 questioning and
 to other external
 reference
 material:
 literature, on
 web, Utube,
 physical
 resources, power

- 3.1. Read and discuss the activities of lesson 7 in order to agree on how to present them in the various classrooms.
- 3.2. Discuss how the different activities would be carried out in both CoE and basic school classroom to achieve the LOs and the LIs of the course manual for lesson 7.
- 3.3. Discuss how GESI issues related to the teaching and learning activities of the lesson would be addressed.
- E g. Classroom setup should enhance the participation of all students.
- 3.4. Identify where, and which, 21st century skills that can be developed or applied in the lesson and how you can help student teachers to support basic school leaners to develop these skills through STS activities.
- E.g. Through group discussions and sharing of ideas in class student teachers develop the skills of communication, collaboration and mutual respect while appreciating individual differences. They also acquire ICT skills through power point presentation.
- 3.5. Suggest two (2) alternative assessment strategies (for or as) to be used during the lesson.
- Eg. Co-planning, co-teaching and co-reflection be done on two best lessons focussing on SEN and Equity standards and submitted for scoring. These could be added to students' subject portfolios.
- 3.6. Identify the needed inclusive resources for teaching and learning of the concepts in both CoE and basic school classrooms.
- NB: Equitable distribution of TLRs.
- 3.7. Have concrete plans for what you have agreed on to be done to achieving the LOs and LIs of the course manuals.

40 mins

point; how they should be used. Consideration needs to be give to local availability guidance on any power point presentations, TLM or other resources which need to be developed to support learning Tutors should be expected to have a plan for the next lesson for student teachers		
 4. Evaluation and review of session: Identifying and addressing any outstanding issues relating to the lesson/s for clarification 	 4.1. Identify a critical friend who took part in the PD session to sit in your class during lesson and report on observations made during next PD session. 4.2. Read lesson 8 from the PD manual and look for relevant materials for the next session. 	15 mins

Age Levels/s: JHS and Upper Grade

Name of courses/Subject/s:

1. JHS --- Teaching and Assessment of Science

2. Upper Primary – Teaching and Assessment of Science

Lesson Tittles:

JHS - Implementing the Basic School Integrated Science Curriculum.

Upper Prim. - Identifying resources and planning lessons for teaching science at the Primary School.

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 8 in the Course Manual

Focus: the bullet points provide the frame for what is to be done in the session. The SWL should use the bullets to guide what they write for the SL/HoD and tutors to do and say during each session. Each bullet needs to be addressed and specific reference should be made to the course manual/s.	Guidance Notes on Tutor Activity during the PD Session. What PD Session participants (Tutors) will do during each stage of the session.	Time in session
 1(b) Introduction to the session Review prior learning Reading and discussion of the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators Overview of content and identification of any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s, NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas where tutors might 	 1.1. Review lesson 7 in your respective grade levels and share with the whole group anything that will be of interest to all 1.2. Provide examples of how students will be prepared to employ the various strategies and skills during the basic school classroom work in STS Field Experience in year 4 semester 1. 1.3. Critical friends for the various grade levels share their findings for a short discussion. 1.4. Rad and discuss the introductory sections of the lesson up to learning outcomes and indicators in the course manual and explain how they are related to student teachers' relevant previous knowledge. N.B.: Refer to the course manual for detailed information. 	20 mins

require clarification on any aspect of the lesson. NB SL/HoD should ask tutors to plan for their teaching as they go through the PD session	 1.5. Read the lesson overview, lesson descriptions and the content of lesson 8 in your respective groups. (It should be read by both males and females). Note: JHS- lesson description- The lesson is designed to improve and further strengthen student teachers ability to teach a whole lesson confidently. The lesson walks the student teacher through the steps in lesson delivery, drawing lessons from STS and Inclusive enquiry. 1.5.1. Identify the distinctive features of lesson 8 as you read and discuss them after reading. E.g. JHS- Types of feedback: formative, summative, formal and informal feedbacks NB: Refer to the course manual for the rest. 	
 Concept Development (New learning likely to arise in lesson/s): Identification and discussion of new learning, potential barriers to learning for student teachers or students, concepts or pedagogy being introduced in the lesson, which need to be explored with the SL/HoD NB The guidance for SL/HoD should set out what they need to do to introduce and explain the issues/s with tutors 	 2.1. Identify and discuss the new areas to be covered in lesson 8 from your respective course manuals by going through all the teaching and learning activities of the lesson. 2.2. Identify and discuss the potential barriers to lesson 8 and suggest interventions to them. E.g. A potential Barrier: The temptation of over criticising someone after presentation. Suggested solution: Engage in formative / constructive criticism for improvement and perfection. 2.3. Familiarize yourselves with the teaching strategies suggested in the course manuals to teach lesson 8. 	15 mins
 3. Planning for teaching, learning and assessment activities for the lesson/s Noting opportunities for making links to the Basic School Curriculum 	 3.1. Read and discuss the activities of lesson 8 in order to agree on how to present them in the various classrooms. 3.2. Discuss how the different activities would be carried out in both CoE and basic school classroom to achieve the LOs and the LIs of the course manual for lesson 8. 	40 mins

- Noting opportunities for integrating: GESI responsiveness and ICT and 21st C skills
- Reading, discussion, and identification of continuous assessment opportunities in the lesson. Each lesson should include at least two opportunities to use continuous assessment to support student teacher learning
- Resources:
 - links to the existing PD Themes, for example, action research, questioning and to other external reference material: literature, on web, Utube, physical resources, power point; how they should be used. Consideration needs to be given to local availability
 - guidance on any power point presentations, TLM or other resources which need to be developed to support learning
- Tutors should be expected to have a plan for the next

- 3.3. Discuss how GESI issues related to the teaching and learning activities of the lesson would be addressed.
- E g. Encourage the participation of all students.
- 3.4. Identify where, and which, 21st century skills that can be developed or applied in the lesson and how you can help student teachers to support basic school leaners to develop these skills through STS activities.
 - E.g. Development of communication skills, collaboration skills and mutual respect while appreciating individual difference, critical thinking and responsibility through careful participation in group work/ discussion.
- 3.5. Model how assessment strategies (*for* or *as*) would be used during the lesson.
- Eg. Inform student-teacher to write a reflective report on the characteristics of an inclusive teacher as observed in classroom engagements.

 These could be added to students' subject portfolios.
- 3.6. Identify the needed inclusive resources for teaching and learning of the concepts in both CoE and basic school classrooms.
- NB: Drawings and texts materials should be clear and large enough to be seen and read by all.
- 3.7 Have concrete plans for what you have agreed on to be done to achieving the LOs and LIs of the course manuals.

	lesson for student teachers			
•	Evaluation and review of session: Tutors should Identifying critical friends to observe lessons and report at next session. Identifying and addressing any outstanding issues relating to the lesson/s for clarification	4.2.	Identify a critical friend who took part in the PD session to sit in your class during lesson and report on observations made during next PD session. Read lesson 9 from the PD manual and look for relevant materials for the next session.	15 mins

Age Levels/s: JHS and Upper Grade

Name of courses/Subject/s:

1. JHS --- Teaching and Assessment of Science

2. Upper Primary – Teaching and Assessment of Science

Lesson Tittles:

JHS -Implementing the Basic School Integrated Science curriculum Upper Prim. - Co-planning and Co-teaching Primary Science

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 9 in the Course Manual

Focus: the bullet points provide the frame for what is to be done in the session. The SWL should use the bullets to guide what they write for the SL/HoD and tutors to do and say during each session. Each bullet needs to be addressed and specific reference should be made to the course manual/s.	Guidance Notes on Tutor Activity during the PD Session. What PD Session participants (Tutors) will do during each stage of the session.	Time in session
 1(b) Introduction to the session Review prior learning Reading and discussion of the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators Overview of content and identification of any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s, NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas 	 1.1. Write two things that went on well and one thing that didn't go on well in lesson 8 on a post in card and share with the whole group. 1.2. Critical friends for the various grade levels share their findings for a short discussion. 1.3. Rad and discuss the introductory sections of the lesson up to learning outcomes and indicators in the course manual and explain how they are related to student teachers' relevant previous knowledge. N.B.: Refer to the course manual for detailed information. 1.4. Read the lesson overview, lesson descriptions and the content of lesson 9 in your respective groups. 	20 mins
where tutors might require clarification on any aspect of the lesson.	Note: JHS lesson description- The lesson is designed to introduce student teachers to	

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NB SL/HoD should ask tutors to plan for their teaching as they go through the PD session	further studies on Junior High school Science curriculum and pedagogy. This involves lesson planning and micro teaching. This lesson will enable student teachers to prepare a 30-minute lesson that demonstrates content and pedagogical issues enshrined in JHS curriculum and NTS and how to do micro teaching on any science topic of their choice. 1.4.1. Identify the distinctive features of lesson 9 as you read and discuss them after reading. E.g. JHS-Lesson plan and micro teaching. Up- Differentiated lesson NB: Refer to the course manual for the rest.	
2. Concept Development (New learning likely to arise in lesson/s):	2.1. Identify and discuss the new areas to be covered in lesson 9 from your respective course manuals. Note: Discuss the lesson plan, science activities and	15 mins
 Identification and discussion of new learning, potential 	appropriate resources to be included /used in the lesson.	
for student teachers or students, concepts	2.2. Identify and discuss the potential barriers to lesson 9 and suggest interventions to them.E.g. A potential Barrier: insufficient already made	
or pedagogy being introduced in the lesson, which need to	TLRs.	
be explored with the SL/HoD NB The guidance for SL/HoD should set out	Suggested solution: Engage student-teachers to produce improvised materials to be used in the lesson.	
what they need to do to introduce and explain the issues/s with tutors	2.3. Familiarize yourselves with the teaching strategies suggested in the course manuals to teach lesson 9 and suggest alternative ones.	
	Eg. 1. Mix ability grouping. 2. Watching of videos on same or similar lesson.	
3. Planning for teaching, learning and assessment activities for the lesson/s	3.1 Read and discuss the activities of lesson 9 in order to agree on how to present them in the various classrooms.	40 mins
 Reading and discussion of the teaching and learning activities 	3.2 Discuss how the different activities would be carried out in both CoE and basic school classroom to achieve the LOs and the LIs of the course manual for lesson 9.	

3.3 Discuss how GESI issues related to the teaching Noting and and learning activities of the lesson would be addressing areas addressed. where tutors may E g(1) Classroom setup should enhance the require clarification participation of all students Noting opportunities (2). It is important to go beyond academic ability. for making links to the Basic School Bear in mind that some learners come from disadvantaged situations – orphans, displaced, the Curriculum very poor or may have hidden disabilities Noting opportunities for integrating: GESI 3.4 Identify where, and which, 21st century skills that responsiveness and can be developed or applied in the lesson and ICT and 21st C skills how you can help student teachers to support Reading, discussion, basic school leaners to develop these skills and identification of through STS activities. continuous E.g. Development of collaborative and assessment communication skills through group work and lesson opportunities in the presentations. lesson. Each lesson should include at 3.5 Suggest two (2) alternative assessment least two strategies (for or as) to be used during the lesson. opportunities to use Eg. Co- planning, co-teaching and co-reflection be continuous done on two best lessons and submitted for scoring. assessment to These could be added to students' subject portfolios. support student teacher learning 3.6 Identify the needed inclusive resources for guidance on any teaching and learning of the concepts in both power point CoE and basic school classrooms. presentations, TLM NB: Consciously distribute books and TLRs equally or other resources amongst all students. which need to be developed to support 3.7 Have concrete plans for what you have agreed learning on to be done to achieving the LOs and LIs of the Tutors should be course manuals. expected to have a plan for the next lesson for student teachers 4. Evaluation and 4.1. Identify a critical friend who took part in the PD 15 mins review of session: session to sit in your class during lesson and Tutors should report on observations made during next PD Identifying critical session. friends to observe 4.3. Read lesson 10 from the PD manual and look lessons and report at for relevant materials for the next session. next session.

 Identifying and addressing any outstanding issues NB: Read THEME 6 before the next lesson.

clarification

Age Levels/s: JHS and Upper Grade

Name of courses/Subject/s:

1. JHS --- Teaching and Assessment of Science

2. Upper Primary – Teaching and Assessment of Science

Lesson Tittles:

JHS - Identifying and developing appropriate Assessment strategies for measuring learning outcomes in the science classroom

Upper Prim. - Co-planning and Co-teaching

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 10 in the Course Manual

Focus: the bullet points provide the frame for what is to be done in the session. The SWL should use the bullets to guide what they write for the SL/HoD and tutors to do and say during each session. Each bullet needs to be addressed and specific reference should be made to the course manual/s.	Guidance Notes on Tutor Activity during the PD Session. What PD Session participants (Tutors) will do during each stage of the session.	Time in session
1(b) Introduction to the sessionReview prior learningReading and	1.1. Review lesson 9 in your respective grade levels and share with the whole group anything that will be of interest to all	20 mins
discussion of the introductory sections of the lesson up to	1.2. Critical friends for the various grade levels share their findings for a short discussion.	
 and including learning outcomes and indicators Overview of content and identification of 	1.3. Rad and discuss the introductory sections of the lesson up to learning outcomes and indicators in the course manual and explain how they are related to student teachers' relevant previous knowledge.	
any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s,	N.B.: Refer to the course manual for detailed information.	
NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas where tutors might	1.4. Read the lesson overview, lesson descriptions and the content of lesson 10 in your respective groups. (It should be read by both males and females).	

require clarification on any aspect of the lesson. NB SL/HoD should ask tutors to plan for their teaching as they go through the PD session	Note: UP- lesson description- In this lesson, the student teacher is guided to develop appropriate lessons with resources and assessment to facilitate Primary learning of science. 1.4.1. Identify the distinctive features of lesson 10 as you read and discuss them after reading. E.g. E.g. UP- Characteristics of an inclusive teacher: patience, critical thinker, tolerance, accommodating and perseverance. NB: Refer to the course manual for the rest.	
 2. Concept Development (New learning likely to arise in lesson/s): Identification and discussion of new learning, potential barriers to learning for student teachers or students, concepts or pedagogy being introduced in the lesson, which need to be explored with the SL/HoD NB The guidance for SL/HoD should set out what they need to do to introduce and explain the issues/s with tutors 	 2.1. Identify and discuss the new areas to be covered in lesson 10 from your respective course manuals. Note: Discuss how the assessment strategies in theme 6 will be integrated in the lesson. 2.2. Identify and discuss the potential barriers to lesson 10 and suggest interventions to them. E.g. A potential Barrier: Preconceived notion that planning and delivery a lesson is always difficult is difficult. Suggested solution: Do co-planning, co-teaching and co-reflection. Also seek assistance when faced with any challenge. 2.3. Familiarize yourselves with the teaching strategies suggested in the course manuals to teach lesson 10 and suggest alternative ones. Eg. Peer-review after co-teaching exercise for lessons 	15 mins
	to be learnt.	
 3. Planning for teaching, learning and assessment activities for the lesson/s Reading and discussion of the 	3.1. Read and discuss the activities of lesson 10 in order to agree on how to present them in the various classrooms.3.2. Discuss how the different activities would be carried out in both CoE and basic school classroom to achieve the LOs and the LIs of the	40 mins
teaching and learning activities Reading, discussion, and identification of continuous assessment	 course manual for lesson 10. 3.3. Discuss how GESI issues related to the teaching and learning activities of the lesson would be addressed. E g(1) Encourage the participation of all students. 	

•	Tutors should Identifying critical friends to observe lessons and report at next session. Identifying and addressing any outstanding issues relating to the lesson/s for clarification	report on observations made during next PD session. 4.2. Read lesson 11 from the PD manual and look for relevant materials for the next session.	
4.	Evaluation and review of session:	4.1. Identify a critical friend who took part in the PD session to sit in your class during lesson and	15 mins
•	should include at least two opportunities to use continuous assessment to support student teacher learning Resources: Iinks to the existing PD Themes, for example, action research, questioning and to other external reference material: literature, on web, Utube, physical resources, power point; how they should be used. Consideration needs to be given to local availability Tutors should be expected to have a plan for the next lesson for student teachers	disadvantaged situations – orphans, displaced, the very poor or may have hidden disabilities. 3.4. Identify where, and which, 21st century skills that can be developed or applied in the lesson and how you can help student teachers to support basic school leaners to develop these skills through STS activities. E.g. Development of communication skills, collaboration skills and mutual respect while appreciating individual difference, critical thinking and responsibility through careful participation in group work/ discussion. 3.1. Model how assessment strategies (for or as) would be used during the lesson. NB: Inform student-teacher to write a reflective report on the characteristics of an inclusive teacher as observed in classroom engagements. These could be added to students' subject portfolios. 3.6. Identify the needed inclusive resources for teaching and learning of the concepts in both CoE and basic school classrooms. NB: Drawings and texts materials should be clear and large enough to be seen and read by all. 3.7. Have concrete plans for what you have agreed on to be done to achieving the LOs and LIs of the course manuals.	
	opportunities in the lesson. Each lesson should include at	(2). It is important to go beyond academic ability. Bear in mind that some learners come from disadvantaged situations — orphans, displaced, the	

AGE LEVELS: JHS AND UPPER PRIMARY

Name of courses/Subject/s:

1. JHS --- Teaching and Assessment of Science

2. Upper Primary – Teaching and Assessment of Science

Lesson Tittles:

JHS: Reflective Practices

Upper Primary: Co-planning with Individualised teaching

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 11 in the Course Manual

Focus: the bullet points provide the frame for what is to be done in the session. The SWL should use the bullets to guide what they write for the SL/HoD and tutors to do and say during each session. Each bullet needs to be addressed and specific reference should be made to the course manual/s.	Guidance Notes on Tutor Activity during the PD Session. What PD Session participants (Tutors) will do during each stage of the session.	Time in session
 1(b) Introduction to the session Review prior learning Reading and discussion of the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators Overview of content and identification of any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s, 	 1.1. Discuss the main issues raised in the previous PD session in the various grade level. 1.2. Read and discuss the introductory section of lesson 11 in your course manual including the learning outcomes (LOs) in phase groups. 1.2.1 Ask tutors in the various groups to discuss the important or distinctive aspects of the lesson 11 including vocabulary and fundamental concepts 	20 mins

2.	Concept
	Development (New
	learning likely to
	arise in lesson/s):

- Identification and discussion of new learning, potential barriers to learning for student teachers or students, concepts or pedagogy being introduced in the lesson, which need to be explored with the SL/HoD
- NB The guidance for SL/HoD should set out what they need to do to introduce and explain the issues/s with tutors

- 2.1. List and discuss the major concepts in the lesson.
- 2.2. Outline possible challenging areas in teaching the various concept listed
- 2.3. Identify the most appropriate teaching strategies that can be employed to best deliver the new concepts in both CoE and basic school classroom to achieve the LOs and the LIs of the lesson.

3. Planning for teaching, learning and assessment activities for the lesson/s

- Reading and discussion of the teaching and learning activities
- Noting opportunities for making links to the Basic School Curriculum
- Noting opportunities for integrating: GESI responsiveness and ICT and 21st C skills
- Reading, discussion, and identification of continuous assessment opportunities in the lesson. Each lesson should include at

- 3.1. Read and discuss the teaching and learning activities in your course manuals.
- 3.2. Identify areas that need clarification from your course manual.
- 3.3. Discuss how the different activities would be carried out in both CoE and basic school classroom to achieve the LOs and the LIs of your course manual for lesson 11.
- 3.4. Discuss how GESI issues related to the teaching and learning activities of the lesson would be addressed.
- E.g. Pay attention to slow learner.
- 3.5. Identify which 21st century skills that can be developed or applied in the lesson and how they can help student teachers to support basic school leaners to develop these skills through STS activities.
- 3.6. Read the assessment activities in the various manuals and identify areas that require clarification.

40 mins

•	least two opportunities to use continuous assessment to support student teacher learning Resources: o links to the existing PD Themes, for example, action research, questioning and to other external Tutors should be expected to have a plan for the next lesson for student teachers	 3.7. Identify the needed inclusive resources for teaching and learning of the concepts in both CoE and basic school classrooms. Have concrete plan for teaching the given topics, thus, the activities agreed on by the group to be followed. 	
4.	Evaluation and review of session: Tutors need to identify critical friends to observe lessons and report at next session. Identifying and addressing any outstanding issues relating to the lesson/s for clarification	 4.1. Identify a critical friend who took part in the PD session to sit in your class during lesson and report on observations made during next PD session. 4.2. Discuss and clarified anything relating to Lesson 11 concept. 4.3. Read lesson 2 from the PD manual and find relevant materials for the next session. 	15 mins

Age Levels/s: JHS, and Upper Grade

Name of courses/Subject/s:

- 1. JHS---- Teaching and Assessment of Science
- 2. Upper Primary --- Teaching and Assessment of Science

Lesson Tittles:

Upper Primary -- Course Review II with STS seminar JHS --Course Review II with STS seminar

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 12 in the Course Manual

Focus: the bullet points provide the frame for what is to be done in the session. The SWL should use the bullets to guide what they write for the SL/HoD and tutors to do and say during each session. Each bullet needs to be addressed and specific reference should be made to the course manual/s.	Guidance Notes on Tutor Activity during the PD Session. What PD Session participants (Tutors) will do during each stage of the session.	Time in session
 Introduction to the session Review prior learning A critical friend to share findings for a short discussion and lessons learned Reading and discussion of the introductory sections of the lesson up to and including learning outcomes and indicators Overview of content and identification of any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s, NB The guidance for SL/HoD should identify and address any areas 	 1.1. Write down your reflections of PD session from lesson 7-11 on it base on the following: positives challenges and suggestion to improve on the next PD sessions. 1.2. Reflect on the lesson observed by a colleague and discuss any finding if possible. 1.3. Read and discuss the introduction sections of the lesson to learning outcomes and indicators. 1.4. Identify any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s learnt from lesson 7 through lesson 11 	20 mins

where tutors might require clarification on any aspect of the lesson. NB SL/HoD should ask tutors to plan for their teaching as they go through the PD session 2. Concept Development (New learning likely to arise in lesson/s): Identification and discussion of new learning, potential barriers to learning for student teachers or students, concepts or pedagogy being introduced in the lesson, which need to be explored with the SL/HoD NB The guidance for SL/HoD should set out what they need to do to	 2.1. Use the radio reporter approach to come out with the main content covered from lesson 7 to lesson 11 for the various grade in the respective course manuals. 2.2. Use reverse brainstorming method to outline potential barriers of learning for student teachers or students in relation to lessons 7-11 in the various grade levels which still need clarification. 2.2.1. Suggest ways to improve upon the teaching of the concepts that need clarification. 	15 mins
what they need to do to introduce and explain the issues/s with tutors 3. Planning for teaching, learning and assessment activities for the lesson/s Reading, discussion, and identification of continuous assessment opportunities in the lesson. Each lesson should include at least two opportunities to use continuous assessment to support student teacher learning.	 3.1. Discuss the various suggested teaching and learning activities in the course manual that were used in the delivery of the lessons which need clarification. 3.2. Discuss how they were able to ensure that all the teaching and learning activities from lessons 7- 11 are GESI responsive. 3.3. Read the assessment activities in the manual(s) and identify areas that require clarification especially on NTEAP related activities. (E.g. Assessment arrangements are reviewed in line with NTEAP). 	40 mins

4.	Evaluation and	4.1 identify any outstanding issues relating to the	15 mins
	review of session:	lesson for clarification.	
•	Tutors should		
	Identifying critical	4.2 Evaluate the PD sessions indicating what lessons	
	friends to observe	have been learnt and how the sessions have	
	lessons and report at	impacted teaching and learning of the course.	
	next session.		
•	Identifying and		
	addressing any		
	outstanding issues		
	relating to the		
	lesson/s for		
	clarification		

Appendix 1

The PD session check list: supporting B.Ed. implementation.

In some cases, to support implementation and address recent developments the PD session writers may need to add detail to what is covered in the course manuals

What to Include in PD sessions	Checked and In
	Place.
Course introductions and conclusions	
The first PD session of each semester introduces the course manual/s,	
course expectations and course assessment components	
• The final PD session provides the opportunity to review student teachers'	
learning from the course	
Prior knowledge: Points for tutors on activating student teachers' prior	
knowledge.	
Basic School Curriculum: when topics for student teachers are from the Basic	
School Curriculum the PD session makes explicit links.	
LO: relevance to each session are introduced	
Interactive teaching PD sessions provide opportunities for SL/HOD to model	
interactive approaches to teaching and learning that tutors will use to support	
student teachers	
Lesson Learning outcomes and indicators are introduced	
Integration of subject specific content and subject specific pedagogy is	
modelled in PD sessions through activities for tutors. Any potentially new	
concepts introduced in the lesson are explored with tutors	
Subject Specific Training: where subjects have been grouped together for the	
PD sessions, tutors are guided to engage with activities in the subject course	
manuals to ensure the PD is subject specific. Where appropriate there is direct	
page or point references to activities in each of the relevant subject course	
manuals.	
Integrating GESI: each PD session explicitly includes at least two (2) teaching	
and learning activities from the course manual/s which should be used to	
promote student teachers' understanding of GESI responsiveness and support	
the inclusion of all pupils.	
Assessment, integrating and embedding NTEAP practices: PD sessions include	
at least two (2) continuous assessment opportunities which will support tutors	
in developing student teacher's understanding of, and ability to apply,	
assessment for or as learning.	
Age Specific Training: where relevant tutors are guided to specific activities in	
the course manuals for EG, UP and JHS. Tutors are advised to group student	
teachers according to the age they are training for.	
Building in STS: STS tasks are integrated into the PD sessions. Preparing for	
work in school and opportunities for tutors to draw on what student teachers	
are learning in school by, for example, targeting observations linked directly to	
the themes in the course manuals.	
Building in activities which support the development of 21c skills in particular	
the use of ICT. The development of these is integrated into the PD sessions	
including the use of ICT to support learning. Each PD session should include at	

least two (2) examples of students being required to use ICT to extend their		
learning.		
Resources /TLM . Where specific resources are required, it is clear where tutors		
can access them e.g., videos, online resources or readings.		

Appendix 2. Course Assessment Components briefly

COMPONENT	SUBJECT PROJECT	SUBJECT PORTFOLIO	
	1 per course per semester,	1 per course per semester, individual or	
	individual or collaborative student	collaborative student teacher work.	
	teacher work.		
	The Subject project is an assignment	The Subject Portfolio is the deliberate	
	designed to enable student teachers	collection of student teachers' work that	
	to demonstrate achieving one or	has been selected and organized for a	
	more of the CLOs, progress towards	particular subject to show student	
~:	achieving identified NTS,	teacher's learning and progress to	
I SI	development of knowledge and	achieving the CLOs through examples of his	
AT	understanding of: the Basic School	or her best work.	
WHAT IS IT?	Curriculum, GESI responsiveness,		
>	using ICT mand 21stC skills		
	Introduction: a clear statement of	3 items of work produced during the	
	aim and purpose	semester selected by student teachers	
	Methodology: what the student	with tutor support during the semester as	
	teacher has done and why to	best examples of their progress and 200-	
	achieve the aim and purpose of the	word reflection on the items*	
	project Substantive or main section:	Or 2 items of work and	
	Presentation of any artifacts,	A mid semester assessment: case study, reflective note, quiz.	
	experiments, TLMs created for the	* For each item they select, Student	
	project; presentation, analysis, and	teacher's need to reflect on	
	interpretation of what has been	progress against identified NTS; achieving	
S	done, learned, or found out in	CLOs; increased knowledge and	
Ë	relation to focus of the project.	understanding of the Basic School	
Ü.	Conclusion: Statement of the key	Curriculum, GESI responsiveness,	
CONSTITUENTS	outcomes of the project; reflection	integration of ICT and how they could have	
SNC	on what the student teacher has	approached developing the item	
8	learnt	differently to achieve a better outcome	
	Overall weighting of project = 30%	Overall weighting of project = 30%	
	Weighting of individual parts of	Weighting of individual parts of portfolio	
	project out of 100	out of 100	
	Introduction – 10	i(a). Each of the three (3) items selected	
	Methodology – 20	by the student teacher is 30 % (90%).	
ᅜ	 Substantive section – 40 	i(b) Presentation and organisation of	
WEIGHT	Conclusion – 30	portfolio 10%.	
3		OR	
		ii(a). Each of the two (2) items selected by	
		the student teacher is 30 % (60%).	
		ii(b)Mid semester assessment 30%	
		ii(c)Presentation and organisation of portfolio 10%	
	End of semester Evam weight 40% To	o assess: achievement of one or more of the	
Σ		tified NTS, development of knowledge and	
EXAM	understanding of the Basic School Curr	•	
Ш	approaches and to integrate ICT and 2		
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