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<b>STEM Education</b>	
<b>Meeting 3 – 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2023</b>	
<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Notes</b>
<b>1. Welcome and introductions</b>	Welcome by the Chairperson and approval of minutes of the previous meeting
<b>2. Development Group Protocol Charter</b>	Time was given to the group to review the Draft Professional Protocol Charter in order to establish the meeting protocols moving forward.
<b>3. STEM Literature Review</b>	Members of the Dublin City University, Literature Review Team presented “STEM Education Literature Review: The findings so far”. The DCU team discussed the process and findings of the STEM Literature review to date.
<b>4. Curriculum Integration</b>	This item introduced the group members to a paper titled: Conceptualising Curriculum Integration: A Synthesis of Theory, Research and Practice. The group watched a pre-recorded video presentation from the authors of the paper and engaged in discussion on curriculum integration.
<b>5. Developing a STEM Rationale</b>	The members worked in groups on the content needed for a STEM Education Rationale. Their feedback will inform a 1 <sup>st</sup> draft of a Rationale which will be presented for review at a later date.
<b>6. AOB</b>	The next meeting will take place on Wednesday, March 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2023.



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