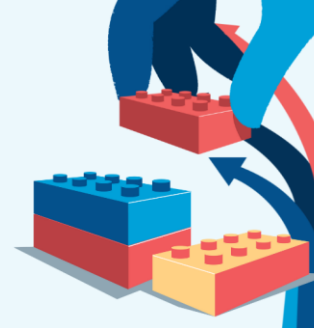




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8 October 2021

Dear Head of Centre

**Get involved to help shape qualifications for the future – becoming a Subject Expert or an AoLE member**

Firstly, thank you for taking the time to consider being part of the team to develop new qualifications to support the new curriculum. We know teachers are busy in this term and we thank you for your support.

We wanted to give you more detailed information about what you will do and the time commitment needed.

**How can you get involved?**

You can get involved by being a subject expert within our Subject Level Working Group (SLWG) or by joining the AoLE network.

**How much time will you need to give as a Subject Expert?**

We ask for a commitment of around 5.5 days from November 2021 to June 2022 to work with other teachers and professionals to refine ideas for how we can re-imagine GCSEs.

The overall time commitment may be different in each subject level work group (SLWG). A day's commitment of 6 hours is scheduled per session, however, this may be a 4-hour discussion and 2-hour pre-reading/feedback.

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**If you are away from school, what support will be provided?**

Your school will receive a payment from us so they can get a supply teacher to cover your role.

Here is our **indicative** timeline to give you an overview of how we would like to work with you.

<b>WC 8/11/21– 12/11/21</b>  <b>(1 week window)</b>	<b>Time commitment</b>  <b>2 hours</b>	<b>Subject Level Working Group (SLWG) Induction</b>  (2 hour webinar Twilight session on Zoom to not impact on school day).
<b>WC 22/11/21 – 26/11/21</b>  <b>(1 week window)</b>	(1 day – 6 hours)	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Subject Level Working Group</b>
<b>WC 17/1/22 – 28/1/22</b>  <b>(2 week window)</b>	(1 day – 6 hours)	<b>2nd Subject Level Working Group</b>
<b>WC 28/2/22 – 11/3/22</b>  <b>(2 week window)</b>	(1 day – 6 hours)	<b>3rd Subject Level Working Group</b>
<b>WC 4/4/22 – 8/4/22</b>  <b>(1 week window)</b>	(1 day – 6 hours)	<b>4th Subject Level Working Group</b>
<b>WC 16/5/22 – 20/5/22</b>  <b>(1 week window)</b>	(1 day – 6 hours)	<b>5th Subject Level Working Group</b>

### How much time will you need to give as a AoLE member?

Here is our indicative timeline for AoLE groups to give you an overview of how we would like to work with you. There is a total time commitment to attend five two hour twilight sessions.

These workshops are to be short 2-hour webinars to present the proposals developed by the SLWG with some initial discussions. The AoLE members will then be asked to feedback/review/suggestions on the proposals via a proforma/template/online form.

<b>WC 15/11/21 - 19/11/21</b>  <b>(One week window)</b>	2 hour webinar	<b>AoLE Induction</b>  (2-hour webinar and asked to feedback on documents shared)
<b>WC 6/12/21 – 17/12/21</b>  <b>(Two week window)</b>	2 hour webinar	<b>1st AoLE group</b>  (2-hour webinar and then to review and comment on shared documents and return to QW).
<b>WC 7/2/22 – 18/2/22</b>  <b>(Two week window)</b>	2 hour webinar	<b>2nd AoLE group</b>  (2-hour webinar and then to review and comment on shared documents/proposals and return to QW).
<b>WC 21/3/22 – 1/4/22</b>  <b>(Two week window)</b>	2 hour webinar	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> AoLE group</b>  (2-hour webinar and then to review and comment on shared documents/proposals and return to QW).

<b>WC 2/5/22 – 6/5/22</b>  <b>(One week window)</b>	2 hour webinar	<b>4<sup>th</sup> AoLE group</b>  (2-hour webinar and then to review and comment on shared documents/proposals and return to QW).
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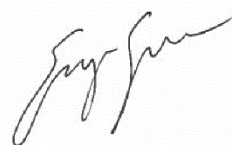
If you are interested in taking part, please fill in the [application form](#). If you have any questions, or would like to join our Areas of Learning and Experience member network, please contact [reform@qualificationswales.org](mailto:reform@qualificationswales.org).

We look forward to hearing from you!

Please share with your colleagues.

The closing date for the Subject Level Working Group is 25<sup>th</sup> October and 3<sup>rd</sup> November for the AoLE groups

Yours sincerely



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