



Curriculum Improvement Cycle



**Education
Scotland**
Foghlam Alba

The Process



Evidence Base



Identifying the '**Big Ideas**' of a future orientated curriculum



From these, selecting the knowledge, skills and understanding



Progression and alignment with Senior Phase

Messages from the pilots

Autonomy

Prescription



Clarity with
autonomy

Current Technical Curriculum Framework

Specific issues:

- Vagueness of language use in the Es & Os (and benchmarks)
- Issues in the use of 'I Can' statements
- Ineffective and overly complex position of cross-curricular areas / core competencies
- Linking of experience to outcomes pre-determines pedagogical approaches
- One size fits all model does not take into account differences between subject disciplines.
- Equity issues

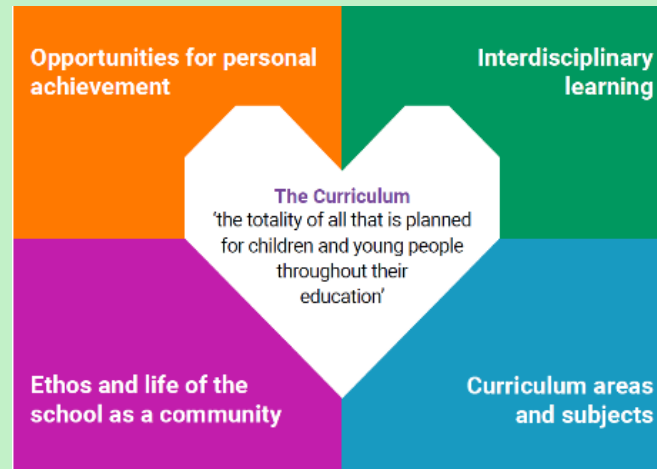


Scotland's Curriculum Framework

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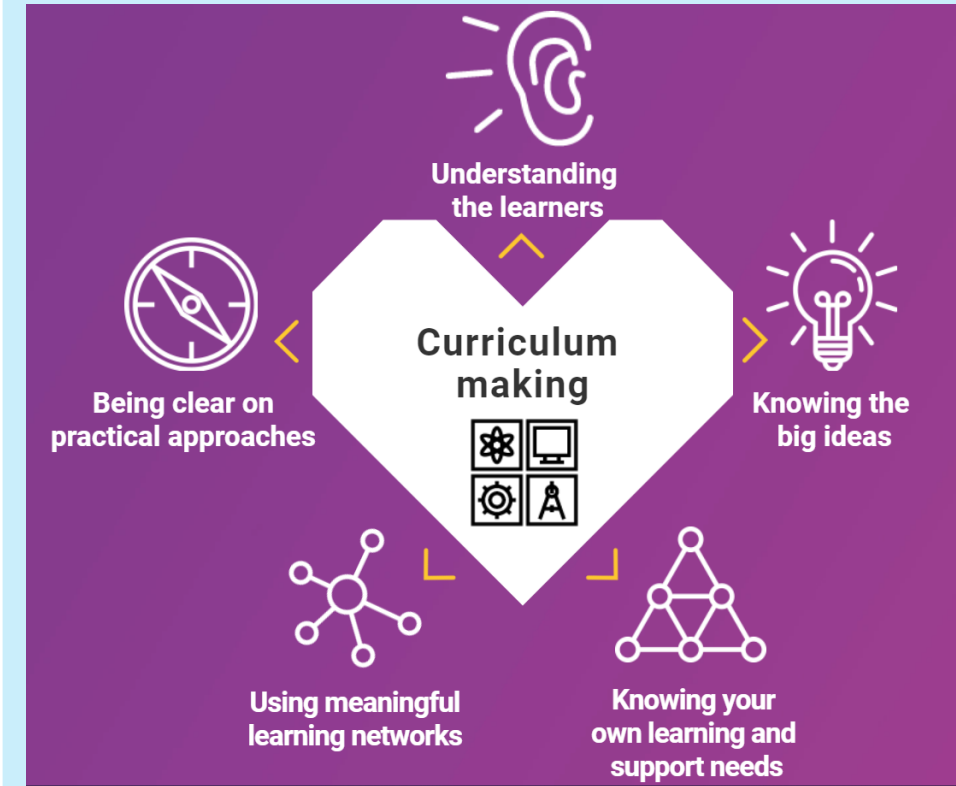


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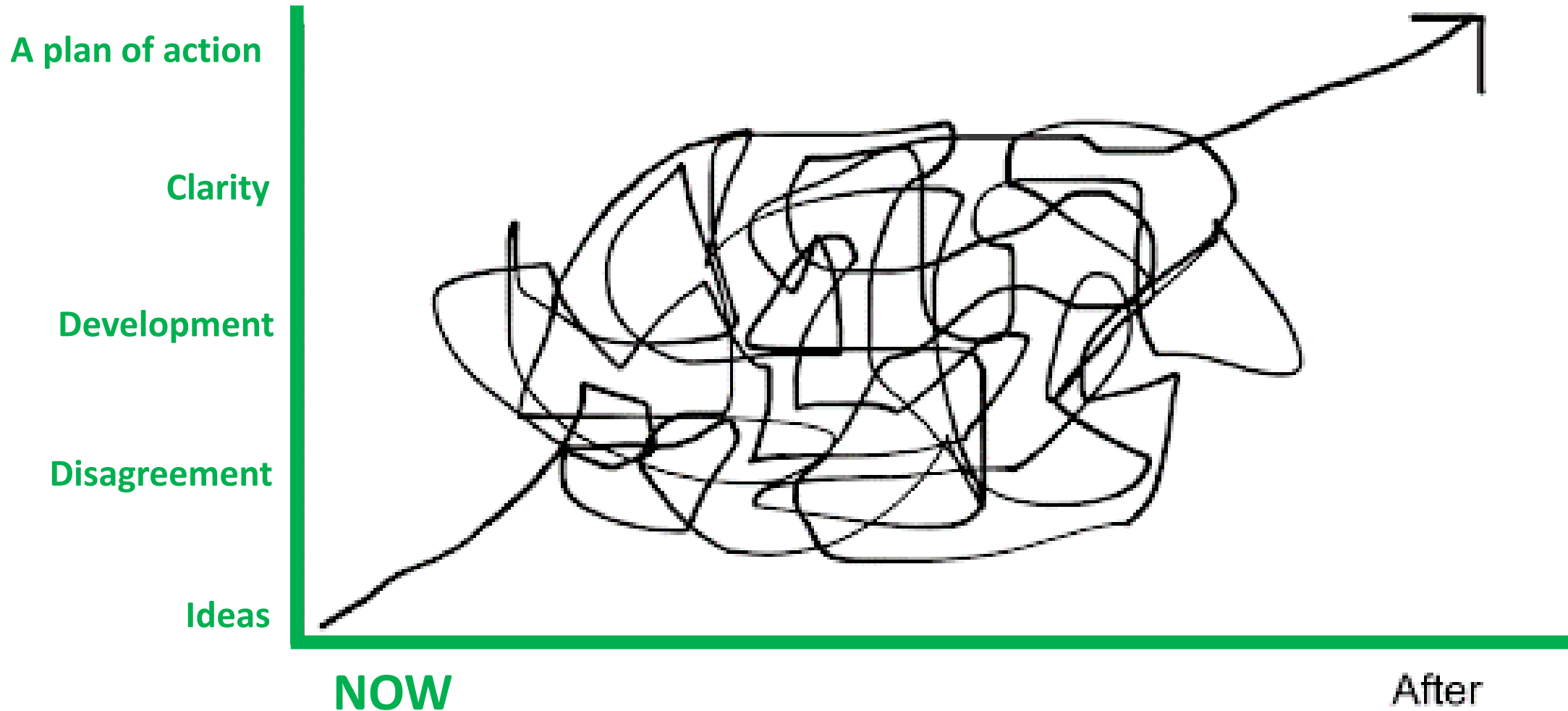
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how




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The road to success...




Processes


Collaboration group : 100 +/- participants with practitioners to other participants at a 3:1 ratio. In-person 30 May, further meetings online & in-person next session



Core group: 15-30 participants drawn from the collaboration group. The group will work through the stages identified in the CIC: analysing; engaging and co-creating; sharing, learning, and adopting. In-person 16-19 June, 8 further in-person days next session



Critical friends: practitioners, stakeholders and partners, employers or academics, group offer feedback and commentary as the work develops, provide an opportunity to seek wider complementary perspectives to those represented in the Collaboration Group



Steering group: chaired by ADES, ES and SG , 10-15 participants who create the enabling environment, give /source strategic advice and direction, provide support and challenge, advocate for the overall CIC supporting and championing the work

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