

Assignment Feedback Sheet
Foundation Degree in Design and Development of e-Learning

Module:	DFW2120 Digital Resources - Use and Re-use
Assignment Type:	Summative
Assignment Title:	Digital Learning Object and Process Report
Words or equivalent:	3000
Student name	Jon Witts
Grade – not graded. Indicative mark	80%
Deadline	3 rd February 07
Assignment Description:	
<p>1) a proprietary resource or resources adapted with due consideration for IPR and copyright issues (approximately 2,000 words or equivalent) – to include a consideration of how the resource might be made available for re-use</p> <p>2) reflective log (approximately 1,000 words) on development of skills and knowledge and planning for further development</p>	
Learning Outcomes to be met in this assignment	
develops an awareness of the range of proprietary resources available within a defined subject area	You discussion showed awareness of national repositories eg Jorum and NLN and understanding of their limitations for secondary teachers. Your resource was adapted from world of teachers site which is a web based repository of powerpoints for teachers to use.
develops an understanding of the major ways in which institutions manage and share digital content	Your discussion showed an excellent understanding of the challenges both technical and cultural of a sharing resources. Interesting that there was such a variety of approaches to sharing in your institution. I agree that use of a VLE as a repository is a sensible way to develop. You have provided technical solutions when some departments have asked for opportunities to share resources and it is interesting that this has been driven by the users rather than a strategy.
develops an understanding of some of the legal issues surrounding re-use of proprietary resources	You address legal and ethic aspects of copy right in your resource. Interesting that most teachers thought that they hold copyright. Good understanding of creative commons licensing and its value to education. You included a very good discussion of standards. I personally am not convinced that use of standardised LO is the way that the field will develop. I believe that IMS and SCORM are too complicated for most teachers to bother with and that the power of search engines makes such their use redundant.
adapts a proprietary resource to meet a new purpose	You have made changes to the original resource to present it in HTML format. The resource is targeted at a particular context.
reflects on development of skills and knowledge and plans for further development	Your diary shows the ability to reflect on your learning and to identify how technology is developing. This will inform your personal development.

Marking Criteria	
<p>The proprietary resource will;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ smoothly integrate the original resource into the new resource ▪ be effectively adapted to meet a specified purpose. <p>The reflective log will demonstrate a clear understanding of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ organisational and cultural barriers and enabling factors to use of a repository in the student's particular work context ▪ the types of repositories available eg local and national ▪ how copyright issues are dealt with in the reuse of material ▪ how a learning objects are described and the standards that apply to learning objects 	<p>The reflective diary shows excellent engagement with the key issues of repurposing. You have an excellent technical understanding but also have considered the wider issues associated with learning objects. Interestingly you are quite negative about the use of a repository at your school yet there was a need to share resources so there is some contradiction here. Your writing style is clear.</p> <p>Areas for development: watch out for use of apostrophe – they aren't needed in simple plurals but are needed to show possession.</p>
Relevance of this assignment to your Personal Development Plan:	
<p>As a follow up to this assignment, record your reflections on your own learning, performance and achievement in your PDP. For example, you could reflect on how you:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ organised your own work pattern, ○ exploited your own learning style , ○ developed your understanding of new areas of academic study, such as theories of learning ○ developed your existing skills or acquired new competencies in the use new of software 	

Tutor Signature:

Liz Bennett
7th February 07